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from the desk of JIM & FAY BATES, presidents NNJSDA



The party's over, so goes the song, but the memory lingers on....The 26th National Convention in Atlantic City is now history. Over 24,000 square dancers attended, this second largest convention in S/D history - Anaheim '76 being the largest with over 39,000.

Yet many people maintain that AC 77 was the BEST S/D convention ever. We can't say, as it was our first. We do affirm that it will long be remembered, by all of us who were there.

We vividly recall a scene in September, four years ago, when four NNJ-SDA couples journeyed to Philadelphia and met with the Penn-Del Federation in the now-defunct Bellevue-Stratford Hotel. That was our first meeting with Steve and Dorothy Musial, and they outlined the many things that had to be done in order to bring the 26th National into being.

The dedication and enthusiasm of the Musials were both remarkable... and contagious. They started the ball rolling, and they kept it moving with their energy, with their attention to countless details, with their many trips and visitations. The 26th truly belonged to them. And they saw the fruition of their efforts during the Grand March on June 25...(we saw those tears of happiness, Dorothy!)

But aside from the Musials, a great many other people were deeply involved in the 26th National, and deserve to be proud of a job well done. Our Association was well represented, & we can feel quite good about our (collective) performance, as we definitely contributed to AC 77's success. Approximately 900 of our people helped the convention flow to a smooth finale.

And will you ever forget the Parade of States - when a veritable torrent of "On The Boardwalk" costumed dancers moved onto the massive Miss America floor? Followed by all the rest of the states and countries attending, until the entire area was filled with a mass of humanity, elbow to elbow!

And how friendliness permeated the very atmosphere - when Square Dancers walked the Boardwalk, smiling and greeting total strangers - it was something that Atlantic City hasn't experienced for many years - if ever!

The 26th National was a truly fine experience. All who had anything to do with it can be justly proud. We have seen history made, and have been a part of it. It's a good feeling.

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pg. 59

Final Wrap up of one of America's Greatest Events- THE 26th NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION held in Atlantic City on June 23, 24 & 25, 1977 as reported by NNJSDA?BOARDWALK Liaisons -

FRANK & LORRAINE MOONEY

Well, it's all over with resounding applause, and applaud we do the near 1,000 NNJSDA workers who contributed time, talent, vitality, immeasurable

cooperation & smiling faces and dispositions to show dancers from all over the world that our NNJSDA dancers are "in deed" hospitable. WE SURE ARE PROUD OF EACH ONE OF YOU!



Statistics show the 26th National was the second largest Convention ever held, but we personally feel it was second to none when it came to being the most efficiently registered, best sounded and well organized Convention we've ever attended, & our feelings were confirmed by newcomers & oldtimers alike who shared the exhilarating feeling of a smooth-running program which offered something for everyone; a chance to dance to any of 500 callers, or to lose one's self in 200 s/d apparel shops or sit in on seminars & round table discussions to learn of inner workings & ideas from other areas to bring back to your club, or to just roam & enjoy the festivities with nearly 25,000 other happy folks!

Totals showed Pennsylvania registered 4,298; New Jersey 3,825 & Delaware 360, & the final total of 24, 568 does not include hundreds of spectators who poured into the Convention Center each day to marvel at the colorful costumes & smiling faces of dancers of all sizes, ages & backgrounds who shared a common denominator that afforded so much pleasure under one completely airconditioned roof for 14 hours each day. Aren't you proud of the New Jersey registration?

Personally for us it has been a very rewarding & exciting experience over the four years - from the preliminary meeting in Philly in '73 to showing the film many, many times, selling pre-registration certificates & packets of the official costume, & of course helping to coordinate & participate in the fantastic demo out in Anaheim which depicted an invitation to come to "A C" in 7"7 7" & on to organizing the Hospitality Committee. When you think that we had nearly 1000 workers for the three days, a little quick arithmetic would show that almost one third of the NJ registered dancers pitched in to help with both the Workers & Floor Hospitality - & we'd like to extend our sincerest thanks to each and everyone. We have always felt our NNJSDA is comprised of some of the friendliest & most hospitable people in any given area, and we're happy to say we come from such good country! (continued on page 12 + 14)

Oct. 7 Sparkey Carleton
Nov. 4 Paul Andrews
Dec. 2 Bob Gambell
1978
Jan. 6 Don Hanhurst
Feb. 3 Stan Burdick



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CLOVERLEAFS

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CIRCLE EIGHTS -- Tenafly, N.J.

4th Friday

November-Reformed Church, Lexington Ave, Cresskill

Welcome back! Although we're a fourth Friday club, we ask all planning to attend our Mainstream club to note our opening dance will be in NOVEMBER. This is because in September, many of our members attend the Big "D" Weekend at Lake Oquaga, Deposit, NY and in October we have our own Mini-Weekend at Winter Clove, Round Top, NY. Come join us those weekends if you can, or else mark your calendar now for our November dance at our substitute location in Cresskill when Bob Mitchell will once again call our squares and the Tirrells will cue rounds. Overheard at the fantastic 26th National - "Laughter is a smile that burst..."

president - Lester/Bertha Sneider

201-854-0848

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CLOVERLEAFS -- Paramus, N.J.

1st Friday

Bergen Mall Auditorium

At our June dance Deuce Williams called to 17 squares followed by a Hot Hash tip for the die hards. Jody Bromberg donated a handmade square dancing skirt which was raffled off and one of our lucky dancers twirled home with it. Steve Kopman and Johnnie Roth also called excellent dances for our club during the summer. We welcomed our English visitors in July.

Join us for an evening of square dancing fun with friendly tips and national callers. Our President couple, Ruth & Rube Liss, are introducing a new element in our dancing program, Mainstream plus two, as well as a teach for the Round of the Month. Sparky Carlton is scheduled for October and Paul Andrews for November. Doc & Peg Tirrell, our R/D cuers, did a tremendous job at the National Convention, their fox trot clinic was excellent. They start their teach at 8 PM. Ed & Helen Hirsch, our VP's, have an excellent line up of callers(see page 3). Jack & Lois Keenan and Harry & Bunny Schmidt deserve a special bow for handling refreshments, plus our thanks.

reporters - Lynne/Bob Gordon

201-652-6846



SQUARE DANCE CLASSES

SUNDAY

- ISELIN, NJ - Sept 18; 7:30 pm; VFW Hall, Route 27 off Oak Tree Road; Bob Benner/M T Squares; T- Novak 201-486-5096.
OAKLAND, NJ - Sept 18; 7:30 pm; Ramapo Mtn. Lakes Country Club; Bud Allison/Ramapo Squares; T- Allison 201-261-9376.
BROOKLYN, NY - Sept 18; 8 pm; United Methodist Church, 3087 Ocean Avenue; Al Moses/Al"e"Mo Squares; T-Moses 212-336-1731.

MONDAY

- EDISON, NJ - Sept 26; 8 pm; High School, Girl's Gym on Board of Eagles; Marty Clifford/Country Promenaders; T- Nilan 201-574-3427.
LIBERTY TOWNSHIP, NJ - Sept 12; 7:30 pm; School; Wilson Hoff/Warren Wheelers T- Ausmus 201-852-3526
STATEN ISLAND, NY; Sept 19; St. Adalbert's Youth Hall; Manny Amor/Staten Square Set; T-Lucarini 212-982-0476 in evenings.
STILLWATER, NJ - Sept 12; 8 pm; Elementary School; Dick Pasvolsky/Kittatinny Rangers; T- Armstrong 201-383-1189 in evenings.
WHIPPANY, NJ - Sept 26; 8 pm; Salem Drive School; Dick Maddocks/Hanover Squares; T- Dolan 201-627-6677.

TUESDAY

- CALDWELL, NJ - Dick Maddocks/Cross Trail Squares; T- Meyer 201-226-6023.
NEW BRUNSWICK, NJ - Sept 20/Feb 7; 8 pm; Bartlett Hall, Cook College; Betsy Gotta/Rutgers Promenaders; T- Gotta 201-249-2086
NEW DORP, SI, NY - Sept 20; 8:30 pm; Kells Gennie Post, 2750 Amboy Road; Marty Clifford/Isle Squares; T- Tooker 212-351-4383 after 5 pm.
PRINCETON, NJ - Sept 27; 8 pm; High School; Joan Mills/Princeton Squares; T- Capozzi 609-221-1234 after 5pm.
SCOTCH PLAINS, NJ - Oct 4; 8 pm; Terrill Road Jr. High; Bob Kellogg/ Dancing Squares & Y Squares; T-Kobza 201-334-2104 in pms; Margo 201-232-5009.
SPARTA, NJ - Sept 20; 8pm; Alpine School; John Kaltenthaler/Sussex Spinners; T- Smead 201-697-1946 after 4 pm.
TOTTENVILLE, SI, NY - Sept 20; 8:30 pm; Guthrie Memorial Scout Shack, 42 Brighton St; Mike Cleary/Ocean Waves; T- Rementeria 212-648-4083 pms.
CRANFORD, NJ - Bloomingdale School; Dick Meyers/Odds & Ends; 201-276-7986.

WEDNESDAY

- CRESSKILL, NJ - Sept 28; 8:30 pm; 50 Carleton Terrace; Jody Bromberg/Tenakill Twirlers; T- Bromberg 201-569-8103.
IRONIA, NJ - Sept 14; 8 pm; Elementary School Dover-Chester Road, Rt. 513; Wilson Hoff/Reelers; T- Douglas 201-398-0333.
PARAMUS, NJ - K of C, Bridle Way; Mike Foley/Hix & Chix; T-Tout 201-939-4191.
WATCHUNG HILLS REGIONAL H.S., NJ - Sept 14; 8 pm; Dick Lighthipe/Hill City T- Cohen 464-4805; Rene 201-647-2698
PARK RIDGE, NJ - Sept 21; 8 pm; Congregational Church; Bruce Vertun/Western Wheelers; T- Daigrepoint 201-391-1499.

THURSDAY

- BASKING RIDGE, NJ - Sept 22; 8 pm; Cedar Hill School, Peach Tree Road; Bob Tarrant/Somerset Hills; T- Belz 201-647-1206.
BROOKLYN, NY - Sept 8; 8 pm; Presbyterian Church, 367 94th Street; Frank Riviccio/Kings Squares; T- Beecher 212-339-3704.
EAST BRUNSWICK, NJ - Sept 15; 8 pm; Churchill School; Glenn Cooke/Merri Eights; T- Yurochko 201-572-5308.
STATEN ISLAND, NY - 8:30; Marty Clifford/Richmond Dancers; T-Bichler 212 356-2208
BLOOMFIELD, NJ - Oct 6; 8 pm; Hill Top Barn; Stan Zaczkowski 201-748-5076.
FRANKLIN, NJ - Sept 8; 8 pm; Presbyterian Church; Bob Mitchell/Kuntry Kuzn's; T- Ahnemann 201-729-7513.
RIDGEWOOD, NJ - Sept 29; 8 pm; High School; Kay Eckles 201-483-8085.

see page 6 for remainder of list.....

COLONIAL SQUARES -- Clark, N.J.

Every Thursday

Karl Kumpf School, Mildred Terrace

The "old" and the "new" came together with resounding success at Lee Kopman's summer workshops at the V.F.W. Hall in Clark this summer. "old" meaning the regular members of Colonial Squares turning out to dance with "new" prospective members. Everyone who attended was intrigued with Lee's choreography and unique calling style.

The purpose of the workshops was to introduce square dancers in the area to the "Colonial Squares" style of dancing and to bridge the gap between "club" and "advanced" level dancing of 75 + Mainstream Plus + Advanced Level List. If you missed out on this past summer's workshops, mark your calendar for the summer of 1978 for the best warm weather dances in New Jersey (and prospective Colonial Squares membership).

We're sure the "new" and "old" members of Colonial will enjoy the '77-'78 dancing season to the utmost. Remember, every Thursday at 8 pm. We hope that by the time this goes to press Betty & Don Collins will be back on the dance floor guiding us through the rounds and that Don's recovery was the fastest ever. Reporters - Bob/Louise Benner 201-548-8594



COUNTRY PROMENADERS -- Edison, N.J.

2 & 4 Saturdays

Clara Barton School, 1015 Amboy Avenue

The National Convention in Atlantic City is now only a fond memory. Our club had a good representation of members, most of whom had volunteered as "pole holders". It was a wonderful affair and we all had a good time.

Our last event of the season was a picnic at Roosevelt Park. Practically the entire club turned out for the event, including their families. What a marvelous time! Marty Clifford called to about five squares. What with all the goodies provided by the members, plus the hot dogs and hamburgers supplied by the club, the dancing, games, perfect weather and the fun, it was an event that will long be remembered.

Our new season, which incidentally is our 25th, will start with Marty Clifford calling. Classes begin the last Monday in September. We are all looking forward to our 25th ANNIVERSARY DANCE, which will take place in October. See our ad on page 16. We look forward to seeing all of you at our dances, anytime. Please come!

reporters - John/Margaret Martinez

201-688-0475



BEGINNER CLASSES, continued from page 5 - TEENS see below

COVERED BRIDGE SQUARES - Nutley, NJ T-Cipoth 201-485-4044.

HI TAWS - Pearl River, NY - T-Brillaud 914-634-8102 (Tues?)

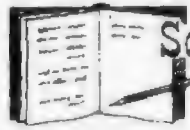
SEE SAW - Pearl River, NY - T-Pozsar 914-NE4-4459 (Mon.?)

UNION SQUARES - Monday - T-Northrup 201-276-8576 for place.

TEENS- FRIDAY at Basking Ridge, NJ Bob Tarrant/Ridge Squares T-201-766-5628

MONDAY at Teaneck, NJ - Jody Bromberg/Tenakill Twilighters

T- 201-569-8103 in evenings.



Square Dance Date Book

Clubs meeting semi-monthly or less may list 2 specials a season; those meeting more often, may list up to 5. All need clearance if on a different dance night. Our

Clearance Chr - the DiSanos 345 Lightner Ave., S.I., NY 10314 212-761-2451

SEPTEMBER

- 24- Richmond Dancers Dessert special
- 29- Hix & Chix - Manny Amor
- 30- NNJSDA - RED BATES

OCTOBER

- 6- Hix & Chix - pot luck special
- 9- Rutgers Promenaders-Jack Lasry
- 14- Princeton Sq - Bill Dann
- 16- NNJR/DLC- Harvest of Rounds
- 22- COUNTRY PROMENADERS - 25th
- 26- Hi Taws - costume party
- 28- Hanover Sq- Ed Fraidenburg
- 29- M T Squares

NOVEMBER

- 2- Kittatinny Rangers - Mike Foley
- 18- Reelers - Clint McLean
- 22- Somerset Hills - Al Brundage
- 25- Ocean Waves- Earl Johnston
- 27--NNJSDA - MINI-FESTIVAL #4
- 29- Somerset Hills - 2fer dance

DECEMBER

- 4- Rutgers Prom-Toys for Tots
- 6- Hill City - Ed Fraidenburg
- 10- Richmond Dancers - Jim Cargill
- 13- Hi Taw - fashion show
- 20- Hi Taw - Christmas Dance
- 23- Hanover Sq - Glenn Cooke
- 30- Princeton Squares special
- 31- Somerset Hills
- 31- Sussex Spinners

JANUARY - 1978

- 6- Cloverleaves - Don Hanhurst
- 31- Hill City -Jerry Schatzer

FEBRUARY

- 10- Ocean Waves - Jerry Schatzer
- 14- Hi Taws - famous duo dance
- 22- Cross Trail - Ed Novak
- 26- CCNJ-Student/Mainstream Festival

MARCH

- 1- Kittatinny Rangers-Kaltenthaler
- 10- Hanover Sq - Bill Chamberlain
- 10- Y Squares special guest caller
- 22- Cross Trail - John Sweeney
- 31- NNJSDA SPECIAL S/D

APRIL

- 7- Cloverleaves - Jerry Schatzer
- 23- NNNJSDA - GRADUATES BALL
- 29- NNJSDA - special S/D
- 30- NNJR/DLC - Spring Round Up

MAY

- 7- Staten Island Round Up
- 12- Hanover Sq - Frannie Heintz
- 19- Reelers-Calico Ball/Glenn Cooke
- 19- Tenakill Twirlers -LIVE MUSIC
- 30- Hill City - Ralph Trout

JUNE

- 20- Hi Taws - dinner dance
- 28- NNJSDA first summer dance
- 30- Sussex Spinners special

JULY

- 29- Sussex Spinners - special

SQUARE DANCE LOOK TO US FOR THE BEST

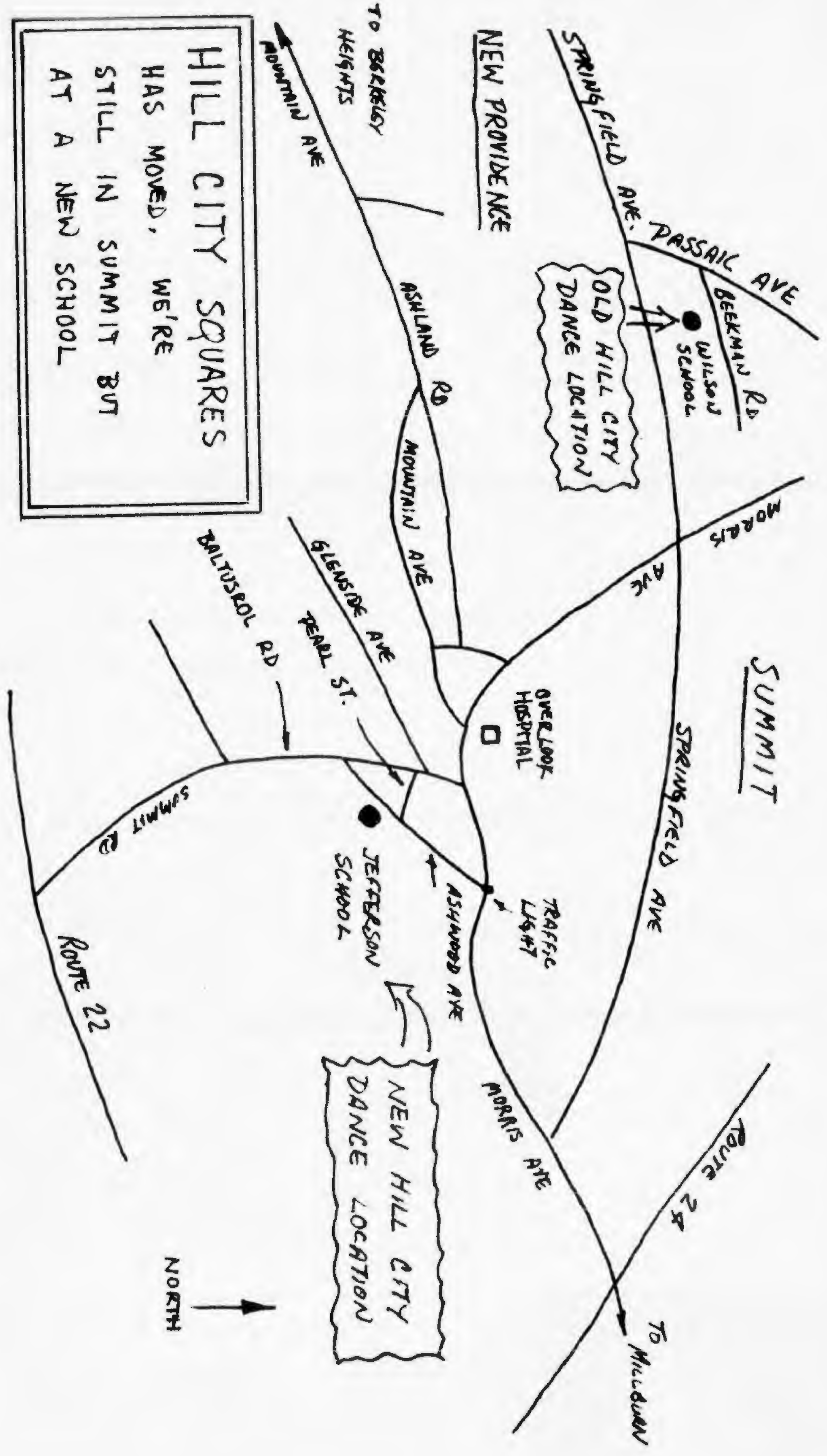
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As we all know, it takes many, many people to put on a S/D Convention, with almost as many meetings. This picture of the Loeb, Koveds & Helen Cavanaugh was snapped several years ago at an Ass'n dance when they took a rest to discuss promotion ideas for the 26th. Was your appetit whetted for attending more conventions? See page 38 for one way to attend.

HILL CITY SQUARES
 HAS MOVED, WE'RE
 STILL IN SUMMIT BUT
 AT A NEW SCHOOL



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SUNDAY, SEPT. 25, 1977 — 2:30 - 5:30 P.M.

Benefit Dance for Caller Dalt Young and Family

Callers: Red Correll, Bill Wagner,

Ted Knauss, Bill Gordon

at Mountain Manor

A club dedicated to friendliness and fun

COVERED BRIDGE SQUARES -- Nutley, N.J.

1 & 3 Mondays

St. Paul's Parish House, 642 Franklin Ave.

With the change of season, we also have a change of officers. Albert & Janice Ahearn are our new head honchos. The rest of the movers & shakers are: 1st VP Roger & Fran Lund; 2nd VP Edith & Joe Cipoth; Secr. Wally & Margie Cox; Treas. our brother & sister team Steven & Susie Slovinski; Mem-Members-at-large Pat & Bill Smith. A large thank you to the outgoing board and good wishes to the incoming.

Guess who was Victor's opposite lady's corner's partner? None other than Sila Dell'Angelo. Sila led a SSS raiding party of 2+sets. Bless her; she never forgets us. Cross Trail Squares and Hix & Chix also raided, bless them, boosting our attendance to 16 squares. That badge night, called by Mike Cleary; well, it was a sweet time.

Fun and games were on the agenda at our 4th annual family picnic. The watermelon eating contest and the clothes changing race were laughs galore. Try to picture John Sindall dressed in girl's square dance clothes, and you'll know why we all had so much fun.

As we say goodbye to yet another summer, we recall all the fun we had demonstrating at over ten different locations. Space requirements prohibit enumerating them. Of course, the Convention ranks high on this list too.

Our four summer dances have been well attended, and now we go back to Mondays. Please mark your 1st and 3rd Monday nights, Nutley Nights. Hope to see you.

reporters - Victor/Helen Pietrucha

201-991-8015



Our area lost a R/D teaching/cuing couple to the sunny clime of Florida this summer. GEORGE & JANET ALBERTS and sons are now settled in and busy as full time R/D leaders. Their address: 2010 NE 1st Terrace, Pompano Beach, Florida 33060. T-305-941-5137. We wish them happiness.

CROSS TRAIL SQUARES -- Caldwell, N.J.

2 & 4 Wednesdays

Lincoln School, Crane Street

September kicks off our TENTH Anniversary Year as a club. With this in mind we have extra special events lined up for the enjoyment of our members and guests throughout the season. The Square Wheelers took advantage of the fine weather this summer and had tremendous turnouts to their six camping-dancing weekends. Naturally, a good time was had by all. The club held its annual picnic at Grover Cleveland Park, Caldwell. There were games dancing, food, and even a few nice spots in which to catch "40 winks". Everyone had a fun filled happy day and left with a feeling of good fellowship. Club caller, Dick Maddocks, will be doing the honors at our first dance of the season in September.

We have a blanket invitation out to anyone interested in learning to square dance and subsequently becoming one of the thousands upon thousands who partake in this happy recreation throughout the nation. So do come, all you dancers, and bring your interested friends to watch. Our classes will be starting up again next month, under the able direction of Dick Maddocks. Anyone interested may call Marv/Alice Meyer at 226-6023 for further information.

At the beginning of this, our TENTH Anniversary year, may we take this opportunity of thanking all the members and guests who have seen us so successfully through the first nine. Do come along and join us to help celebrate our TENTH. Happy dancing. See our ad on page 13.

Reporters - J/J Lovette

201-783-6587

<p>TENAKILL</p> <p>T W H E E L E R S</p>	<p>dances every THIRD Friday - Sept - May</p>	
	September 16 - Bob Johnson from Conn.	
	October 21 - John Kaltenthaler from PA	
	November 18 - Bob Johnson	
	December 16 - John Kaltenthaler	
	January 20 - Marty Clifford	
	February 17 - Marty Clifford *	
	March 17 - Bruce Busch	
	April 21 - Jim Marshall *	
	May 19 - LIVE MUSIC - Chip Hendrickson*	
	rounds at 8 with Doc & Peg Tirrell	
	s/d - 8:30 - 11	
	info - Harry & Bunny Schmidt	201-440-3751
<p>* - see flyer for different location</p>		



DANCING SQUARES -- Cranford, N.J.

1 & 3 Saturdays

Bloomington Avenue School

In spite of heat and vacations, our summer dances were well attended. With our membership up this year, we are looking forward to a very successful year with Bob Kellogg on both squares and round dancing. Our open house is scheduled for early October. We are looking forward to a large attendance and many new students for the classes. Come join us - anytime-visitors are always welcome. Reporters-Art/Selma Perlstein 201-964-0740

GREETINGS FROM ENGLAND

Hi! To all the buddy couples who hosted my tour group, a very big THANK YOU. What can I say, the hospitality will always be remembered and the National was a dream come true for everyone. I enjoyed meeting old & new friends and the various clubs we were able to visit. Dorothy & Paul Pullman did so much to help me. Wonderful people. (Ed. note - we agree!)

Again, all you good people thank you, you be sure and look me up if you get to England. We can then repay you kindness. Should anyone want to drop me a line my address is RON VIZARD

The Bungalow, Sunny-side School, Great Hoggett Drive, CHILWELL, Nottingham, England.



SUSSEX SPINNERS

- October 14th - RED CORRELL from Waymart, Pa.
"Discover America"
- October 28th - AL STEVENS from Hampton, Va.
"Halloween Fun" (Costumes Optional)
- November 11th - PETER RICHARDSON from Dorset, England
"Stars and Stripes"
See flyer for location.
- November 25th - Joint Dance with Hanover Squares
2 fer: RUSTY McLEAN & BRUCE McCUE
Salem Dr. School, Whippany, N.J.
(soft soled shoes a must)

Alpine School
Rt. 517
Sparta, N.J. ELRODS on Rounds
8:00 - 10:30 P.M.



NNJSDA - Financial Statement - 1976-77

Receipts

GRAND SQUARE Booster Drive/Subscriptions	\$ 2221.75	
GRAND SQUARE ads	3699.59	
Club dues	166.00	
NNJSDA summer dances	2463.00	
special dances	2907.63	
Sale of diplomas, discs, etc	55.06	
Miscellaneous	17.50	
Insurance premiums	690.00	
Refunds	20.68	
		\$ 12,241.21

Disbursements

NNJSDA summer dances	\$ 1119.77	
special dances	1157.60	
GRAND SQUARE printing	5106.00	
administration, etc.	420.04	
Officers/administration expenses	922.35	
Publicity/Promotion	182.82	
Refunds	12.95	
Other administrative costs	666.28	
Insurance Premiums, expenditures	726.67	
LUST ' expenses	97.90	
Ad in 26th Convention Journal	250.00	
Printing Constitutions, By-Laws, rosters	274.00	
		\$ 10,936.18

The Mini-Festival is a separate entity with its own checking account.

(WRAP UP - continued from page 3)



The Convention was a busy experience yet it afforded us a chance to renew so many friendships from all across the U.S. like two couples we met in Wisconsin back in '69 who came to AC to learn some of the details they will encounter when the 28th Convention is held in Milwaukee, some beautiful r/d leaders from Texas who befriended us in '70 out in Colorado, & of course our club's very first guest caller, Hal (& Doris) Holmes who now hail from Vermont, & we even ran into George & Phyllis Cowan from Illinois who headed the NNJSDA prior to our tenure in Office, & before that was Edna Hopper who now lives in California, so you see even tho' we were committed to a heavy work schedule, friends seem to make time for one another & the work turns into pleasure when you enjoy what you're doing with someone who shares the same interest. Of course it wasn't all work either, & on Saturday when we were dancing in a square in one of the halls on the floor with all the s/d shops, an attractive woman in white slacks & red windbreaker waved to us from the sidelines. When the tip ended she came over & asked if we remembered her, and thank goodness for name badges, because when we glanced at hers we instantly recognized her as one of the Nuns in our children's grade school who has been in Maryland for a number of years. She & the then principal of our school & half a dozen other Nuns were on retreat in AC & when we went out to meet the Retreat Master we found them all thoroughly enjoying the participation dancing on the Boardwalk! They told us they had seen the promotion on TV & remembered we were avid s/ders & had taken a chance on Friday that they'd be able to find us but when they didn't they returned Saturday evening...talk about fate - or is it "faith"? It just goes to show though that our happy activity often effects the lives of others & gives them a happy feeling too! (more p. 14)



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GARDEN STATE SQUARE DANCE CAMPERS

Seems a long time between notes. In June, on a windy weekend at Timothy Lake, 47 families enjoyed some fast dancing with Gordon Lentz on the squares and Peg Dockry on rounds. At Saturday night's dance we were entertained by a beautiful exhibition of "Salty Dog Rag" by Rob Nitzsche & Debbie Arkin. It takes youth to keep up the steps to that one! Also our thanks to the sister and two brothers who played the guitar and sang so well at the campfire. Three birthdays were celebrated-Ruth Huebner, Ron Henderson & Wanda Gilmartin. Ron's family surprised him back at the campsite with a birthday cake and party. Marjorie & Jennifer, his younger daughters, kept the secret so well! Sunday's Fun Dance we did mini-squares and a-la-Venus.

July was another fun weekend with 45 families. Manny Amor & Peg Dockry did a terrific job. Dancing in a real barn is quite an experience, but dancing in hot weather & in a barn is hot-HOT - so we all made good use of the pool - even danced around the pool. Saturday night we had a swim party and coffee & refreshments after the dance. Sunday morning brought us more fun and laughs. We danced a birthday party with hats, balloons, toys and a birthday cake...celebrating Jim McKay's birthday along with Ray Milesky & Frank Enos. Afterwards we all went down and danced in the covered bridge with Manny Amor calling accompanied by Ron Nitzsche playing his harmonica.

August was another sell out with Don Atkinson keeping us moving at Swan Lake. His wife Sally very capably substituted for the Tirrells who at the last minute were called to New Hampshire for his Dad's funeral services. As of this typing we have two more camping weekends planned - September & October. reporters - Betty/Dennis Ford 201-635-2383

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After our lovely summer its a hearty welcome back to our full schedule of dances featuring fine callers and friendly people. We are an active club dancing mainstream +1. We do not have a club caller, but do have a different guest caller of national prominence at each of our dances. Our schedule is listed on page

Our opening dance in September features Will Larsen to be followed by Clint McLean & John Kaltenthaler in October. A reminder of our attendance policies: First we have a special teenage rate; second we give out with each admission an allemande ticket. Twelve allemandes entitle you and your partner to a free admission to a dance. Rounda with the Pennies at 8 with squares at 8:30 until 11.

reporters - Victor/Grace Gambino

201-398-5622

Over the summer all clubs were given copies of "What is Modern American Square Dancing" to be used when doing demonstrations or promotional work. Should you need more copies, contact the Arkins or the Tirrells.



(WRAP-UP of CONVENTION from page 12+3)

To give you an idea of what it took to man just the Workers & Floor Hospitality section of this great phenomenon, we needed about 100 people each day in the Workers Hospitality Room which was open from 9 in the morning until 11 at night & the manpower was recruited by our very capable Assistant: George & Shirley Wright (Merri-8's) who handled Thursday, Ed & Alva Bell (Sussex Spinners) who chaired Friday, & Herb & Carol Arkin (Somerset Hills) who were responsible for Saturday. Each couple did a remarkable job making sure the room was never left unmanned & was as comfortable & friendly as could be when workers came in to rest & unwind a bit. The Floor Hospitality under the very capable direction of Gene & Grace Lucarini (Staten Square Sets) managed to get their 150 spotter signs out very rapidly at peak hours & kept dancers & callers happy by not having to wait to fill squares. Their 2 hour shifts were efficiently organized by Gene & Nina Borrelli (Staten Sq Set) on Thursday, Frank & Nan Habersberger (Y Squares) on Friday & Bob & Doris Delaney (Richmond Dancers) on Saturday. Without a doubt if we hadn't had such tremendous cooperation, especially from these seven couples, we could never have done it - so our heartfelt thanks to each & every one!

Of course we could not have shared pre-Convention news with you (or this wrap-up either) if it hadn't been for the generosity of our dedicated Editors who allowed us free writing space, & a simple "thank-u" doesn't seem to convey all that that meant to us as Liaisons, but we hope you'll understand, Doc & Peg, we appreciate having almost as much press space as the National's official Publicity Committee - & our hearts & hats are off to you for a magnificent job well done - many, many thanks for all your help!

We would also like to tell you that our Convention experiences would never have been as rewarding as they were were it not for the unbelievable dedication of the 10 couples who compromise the 26th National's Board of Directors. Each chair couple has a special place in our hearts for their individuality, & collectively we have happy memories of numerous meetings, which, without their friendship, would have been just another meeting, so we do believe that "friendship is s/d's greatest reward," & we're happy to have had such an involved & exciting experience! Of course all this would not have happened either if it hadn't been for one very outstanding couple, Steve & Dorothy Musial, who bid for the Convention & worked ever so diligently since that time. To know the Musials is to know the epitome of s/d, & we sincerely add our heartfelt thanks to the thousands of plaudits from other satisfied s/ders all over the world, Steve & Dorothy, you've given us a scrapbook that overflows with happy memories!

In closing we have only the highest gratitude & praise for EVERYONE who helped us help the 26th! YOU are the greatest people we know & we would like to add our commendations to the letters received by the Musials & committee people from the AC Mayor, Convention Center personnel, business people, hotel managers & s/ders in general who speak so highly of our favorite past time activity. Without a doubt your cooperation gave us a chance to share a very rewarding s/d experience that will long be remembered, & we hope our friendship will continue to flourish for many years!

Thank-u, NNJSDA/BOARDWALK LIAISONS

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HANOVER SQUARES -- Whippany, N.J.

2 & 4 Fridays

Salem Drive School

Another season of S/D is about to start, and we hope to see all of our members and especially the new graduates at our opening dance with Dick Maddocks calling. For the rest of our dances see our ad on page 38.

Although it's been hot & humid, the past few months, Hanover dancers were kept pretty busy during the off season. Demonstrations were given at Boonton Fan Fair, Denville Town Picnic & at the Morris County 4-H Fair. Thanks to all that took part. We also held our first summer dance and it was a huge success. Everyone who attended had a great time, including the caller, Clint McLean. I guess the big event during the summer was the National Convention. We had a good turnout, 25 couples. I don't know of any who weren't fascinated and who didn't have a wonderful time. It's been said many times that Square Dancers are friendly people, and this was sure proven in AC. Hanover members met a great bunch of people from Arkansas, who proved to be great company on and off the dance floor. Through our friends from Ark, 2 members were accepted into "The Fraternal Order of Bombardiers" which is a very high honor. A third member, I'm sorry to say, was a "Flunkie" and therefore could not be accepted.

Our S/D classes will start September 26th with Dick Maddocks and don't forget we need angels to help the new dancers each Monday night. By the way, congratulations to Dick & Lee Maddocks on the arrival of their daughter, Victoria. Dick says it Victoria (QUITS), but we'll have to wait & see.

During the summer we had another first - a workshop for 6 weeks in Denville...with a two-fold purpose; to help the dancer and to introduce to this area a new caller from Texas, Ron Bessett. Considering the short notice & hot weather, we had a good turnout. Ron has been calling in Texas the last six years and recently was transferred to this area. I'm sure we'll be hearing more about him in the future. That's it for now, HAPPY DANCING & we'll see you soon.

reporters - Audrey/Tom Hodge

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THANK YOU one and all



The Mooneys impressed upon their captains & helpers that the Workers Room Hospitality was only for workers so thoroughly that when NNJSDA Past Presidents, GEORGE & PHYLLIS COWAN, stopped in to say hello, they were told the room was for staff only, but if they would care to sign up, they could then stay and use the room!

Sad to say, not one of those in the Hospitality Room at that particular moment was dancing back in 1971-73 when Phyllis & George were presidents! But they weren't the only ones who failed to recognize the Cowans! Especially Phyllis with her new svelte square dance figure! Happily many of their old friends did recognize them and had a chance to renew friendships. Here they are after signing in at the NNJSDA exhibit.

451 people signed in at our booth...third one was Edna Hopper (Past President now living in California)...many left notes, including one with a friend in Jersey who wanted lessons!...Louise & Jamie Jamison say 'Hello' to all our "old friends in NJ" - (They're in Florida now).



Squares with Jim Marshall from Ocean City
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reporters - Don/Joan Mullady 201-768-4986



4th MINI FESTIVAL Sun., Nov. 27, 1977

Each year North New Jersey's Mini-Festival has improved --- and though it hardly seems possible, 1977 will be better than ever. The day-long affair promises to be so good that we may just change the name to MAXI-FESTIVAL!!!

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FOLLOW UP



Back in January '71 the Sales Tax Dept. of the State of New York issued a warrant for collection against the Shirts & Skirts S/D club of Endicott and later against the Shufflin' Shoes S/D club of Binghamton, claiming that dues paid to S/D clubs and admissions to S/Des were taxable under existing NYS law.

Announced to the S/D world in general in the August issue of "31 SQUARES" - a fund drive was begun and the battle lines drawn. Five years later after a long drawn out, often discouraging fight, on Friday the 13th in '76, the New York State Commission ruled that "Western style square dance clubs" are informal non-profit organizations existing exclusively for educational purposes, that payments made for s/d instruction are not dues but are for educational purposes and that these clubs are exempt (from collection and payment of sales tax) under section 1116 (a) (4) of the Sales Tax Law. The full notice of "Determination" was mailed to all NYS Federation members - anyone desiring a copy, contact Grant Johnson 136 Seeley Avenue, Syracuse, NY 13205. Bill Jenkins included a miniport on this situation at LUST.

The New York State Federation S/D Legal Fund begun to fight the battle has reached about 62% of the monies needed to pay all the legal costs entailed...and have sent out an appeal for donations. The NNJSDA has seven member clubs located in New York State - some of whom have already made a donation. Acting on the request of delegates for the NNJSDA itself to also contribute, the Executive Board recently voted to contribute \$150 on behalf of its membership to the NYS Federation Legal Fund.

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Have you noticed there are more articles relating to s/ding in magazines and newspapers lately? Recently the COMPASS published for the Savers Clubs of America had an article about clubs in Bergen County. The New York TIMES has also featured s/ding. Whenever you notice an article, please send a copy to the NNJSDA 3 VP for the scrapbook (Arkin 30 Windsor Drive, Pine Brook, NJ 07058) and also write the author or paper a short note of thanks, and you can even offer to provide them with more information should they ever need it.

HILL CITY SQUARES -- Summit, N.J.

1 & 3 Tuesdays

JEFFERSON SCHOOL, ASHWOOD AVENUE

BIG NEWS! Hill City Squares is dancing at a new location this year. We are still in Summit, but we're dancing at the Jefferson School instead of the Wilson School. See the map on page 8 of this issue.

More BIG NEWS! Manny Amor will be calling squares for us again this season and Bud & Betty Sibbald will be back on the rounds. How can you miss with that combination? We want to welcome all of our old friends back again this season and give a special welcome to the new graduates.

Special congratulations to those who worked at the Atlantic City Convention. It was a super experience. We hope that the famous square dancer, the one with the peanuts, can find our new dance location.

reporters - Doris/Charles Young

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We hope all who attended the convention enjoyed it as much as we did. It was great to dance with people from all the other states and also other countries. It was a pleasure to welcome new graduates at our summer dances. And we look forward to seeing them throughout the coming year.

Our agenda this year includes "Open House" September 15 with Mike Foley who will teach class beginning October 5th. Party Nights will continue to be second Thursdays. Fifth Thursdays will be specials starting in September with Manny Amor. Pot Luck supper will be our first dance in October.

Thanks to our outgoing presidents, Fran & Roger Lund. Welcome to Don & Betty Mazzie as new presidents. Congratulations to Betsy and Mike Foley on their first wedding anniversary.

reporters- Ellen Allison 265-7642; Bob Hansen 796-2833

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2 & 4 Wednesdays

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Our club enjoyed a really great year of dancing last year and look forward to an even greater one coming up. We have all your favorite callers booked for our dances next season - Glenn Cooke, Marty Clifford, Bob Mitchell, Bob Kellogg and John Briar - with our own Lee & Ray Kirchmeyer "rounding out" in a manner of speaking on the rounds.

Our warmest congratulations to Tom & Linda Hall. They have a new little one at their house - Louisa Jane made her appearance on July 15. Much love to you all and we just know Louisa will be dancing before long like her Mom and Dad. Our first dance in September is being called by Glenn Cooke and our second by Marty Clifford so come on out everyone and square up and have fun.

reporters - Jan/Rudy Stallmann

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SUMMER TIME may be a time to relax - for some - but four couples from both the CCNJ and the NNJSDA have spent a number of hours discussing "Drop Outs" - those persons who "drop out" of square dancing at some time after graduation.

Reasons for drop outs were explored - discussed and many solutions proposed. It was thought that a special program for those ex-dancers might ease their way back into dancing, if they could be encouraged to return. Hopefully such a "club" would permit the drop outs to learn the recent calls, without having to redo basics and enable them to catch up. (Yes, for those with long memories - similar to the same program GRAND PROWLERS worked at several years ago.) If this program proves successful, then another similar unit might be started to cover more of the NNJ area.

This program, if approved by the CCNJ, (NNJSDA's Executive Board has already given it a green light) would be jointly operated by a committee of both organizations with expenses split between the two groups. Already Ron & Mildred Nitzsche (NNJSDA tentative co-chairmen) are working on securing a list of drop-outs who will be contacted when this program can be implemented. The proposed name - "CATCH ALL EIGHTS".

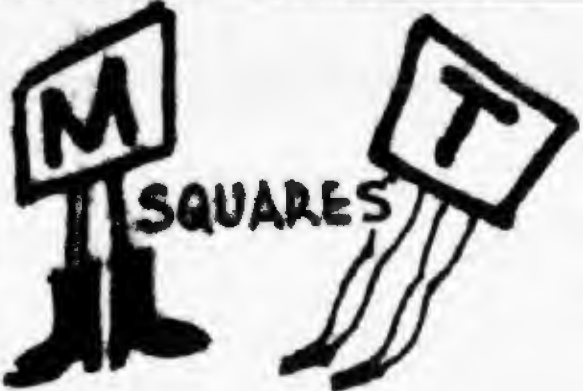
KINGS SQUARES -- King's Plaza, Brooklyn, N.Y.

1 & 3 Tuesdays Community Room/Kings Plaza, Flatbush & Avenue "U"

We ended the 1976-77 season on a very high note. Borough President Howard M. Golden visited our Graduation Dance and we made him an honorary member of our club. He even danced one tip with us (with a lot of help from the other seven members of the square).

Our 1977-78 season is starting off with a bang! In September we will be demonstrating modern s/ding at three neighborhood fairs held in Brooklyn: "The Atlantic Antic"- "The Flatbush Frolic"-and "A Day at the Bay". Last year the "Atlantic Antic" in which we participated, was attended by more than 10,000 people. A special "thank you" to Gussie Seidenberg for the great job she has done in arranging our participation in these events.

We'll be promoting our class at each of these events. We are happy to announce that our Teacher is Frank Riviccio and the class will be held at the Fort Hamilton Presbyterian Church. Kings Squares is looking forward to a great season. We have no club caller so we are offering a variety of Mainstream level callers. Be sure to pick up one of our flyers and come on over to Brooklyn. reporters - Judy/Mike Poretsky 212-891-1592

	<p>FOR OUR '77-'78 SEASON, PRESENT</p> <p>SEPT 17 - Bob Benner OCT 1 - Bill Chamberlin OCT 15 - Al Kaesler * OCT 29 - Bruce Busch from Maryland NOV 5 - Mike Foley NOV 19 - Bob Tarrant * OCT 29 - Special Halloween Dance PEG & JOE DOCKERY ON ROUNDS</p>
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KITTATINNY RANGERS -- Stillwater, N.J.

1 & 3 Wednesdays

Stillwater School

Our regular dance season was concluded with a delicious covered dish supper and a fun dance. A few weeks later, many of our members enjoyed the dances, exhibitions, programs, shopping at the National in Atlantic City where they also helped the Hospitality Committee with their duties.

During the summer another of our members, Hans Hirschfield, passed away. We will miss his pleasant company. Our heartfelt condolences are extended to Carol and the family.

Our annual picnic was again held at Lake Susquehanna in Blairstown by the Airport. The picnickers were greeted by a 20 minute downpour, but this rain did not dampen the spirits of the Rangers and guests. Their perseverance was rewarded with a pleasant afternoon of good companionship, good food, music, games, swimming and, of course, dancing. An extra bonus was the stunt flying of a small red biplane. Next year enjoy with us. Our members & other area dancers participated each night at the Sussex County Farm & Horse Show giving demonstrations of our pleasant pastime to the public. Our class started September 12th.

We begin our season in September - workshops 7:30 to 8 - Dancing 8 - 10:30. Squares by Dick Pasvolsky. Rounds by Jean & Jess Elrod. Be sure to watch for flyers about our Birthday Dinner Dance in October and our November "Mike Foley" Special. Come out to Sussex County and enjoy the scenery and the dancing.

reporters - Irene/Bill Morin 201-948-4515

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PRINCETON SQUARES

Sep. 23 BRUCE BUSCH (Open House)

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CALLERLAB

The International Association
of Square Dance Callers

In 1974 at the first CALLERLAB convention, members recognized the need to control the steady flow of new experimental choreographic figures. Their remedy - an experimental basic selection committee (now 50 members representing all areas of North America) to review all new material and recommend quarterly, one or two experimental figures which all callers would teach simultaneously with dancers all over the world learning and dancing the same new material. This program has gained a universal acceptance. Al Brundage is the current chairman of this Quarterly Experimental Selection Committee replacing Jack Lasry who is now the Callerlab Chairmen.

The 1977 Callerlab Approved List of Mainstream Basics with specific program identification and a suggested teaching order recommended for use is available for all. The Callerlab Mainstream program has been divided into three definite categories. 1) Basics number one thru thirty eight constituting the BASIC PROGRAM. 2) Basic Program plus basics number thirty nine thru fifty four called EXTENDED BASIC PROGRAM. 3) The Extended Basic Program plus basics number fifty five thru sixty eight is MAINSTREAM PROGRAM. (Complete listing in Winter 1977 GRAND SQUARE or see your caller)

In addition Ferris Wheel, Recycle, Pass the Ocean, Touch, Coordinate, Track II, Roll, Chase Right, Extend the Tag, Crossfire and Follow Your Neighbor are currently the established CALLERLAB approved Mainstream Experimental figures.

A new Mainstream Plus II plateau was identified for a one year trial period and includes: All Eight Spin the Top, All Eight Swing Thru, Curley Cross, Explode The Wave, Follow Your Neighbor, Relay the Deucey, Remake the Thar, Swap Around, Trade the Wave, Checkmate, Diamond Circulate and Flip the Diamond.

In addition, CALLERLAB members recognized that there are also three plateaus of dancing above the Mainstream Plus II program and these plateaus have been designated as the Advanced Level, Basic Challenge Level, and the Extended Challenge Level. Callers active in this phase of s/d choreography are presently developing a list of calls for the above plateaus.

All programs identified can also include the all position concept as well as the standard position or teaching position. With the CALLERLAB suggested plateau system all persons interested in this activity should be able to find a place to dance. Atlantic City showed this can work! NNJSDA clubs were asked to rate their clubs following the CALLERLAB guidelines. This information is included in the roster on the middle pages.



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M T SQUARES -- Woodbridge, N.J.

1 & 3 Saturdays School 19, Maryknoll Road, Menlo Park Terrace

Our July dance with Dick Jones in Iselin was a great success with 23 sets. As of this typing we are expecting another successful dance in August with Al Kaesler. We're looking forward to our Halloween special on the fifth Saturday of October. The location - our regular place of call - Bruce Busch of Maryland (and NJ) will call with the Dockrys on the rounds as usual. We hope everyone had a fun summer. Your reporters, with the Carlins and Levines, spent a vacation week in July at Papoose Pond camping Resort in Maine at a S/D Jamboree hosted by the Brundages. Callers included besides Al, Bob Smith, Bob Gambell and Frannie Heintz with Judy Smith on rounds. Our New England neighbors use arm swings on "Swing Thru", don't stir the bucket, and nix "Do Si So's". We had a great and busy time, with morning and afternoon workshops and formal evening dances. Gluttons for punishment - on Wednesday everybody had a day off from workshops and we climbed Pleasant Mountain - to the top.

reporters - Bobby/Bernie Garfinkel

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Our Dinner Dance in June with the "Mardi Gras" theme was a great success. The National Convention, attended by many Merri-8's, with all agreeing on the great job of planning and the fine calling, made it really "good dancing". We danced right thru the summer months to the fine calling of Glenn Cooke and the Bellotti's cueing the rounds. We had many demonstrations during the summer. In October we will be appearing at the Village Historical Group in Old Bridge, NJ.

Congratulations to our past officers on their fine jobs and now best wishes for our new officers: Presidents Mike & Sheila Yurochko; VP's Tom & Pat Cribbin and Carl & Florence Baldwin; Secretaries Frank & Esther Schultz; Treasurers Dick & Barbara Nicholson; and delegates Ken & Cathy Watts and Sandy & Jo Danisi.

Square Dance lessons with Glenn Cooke begin September 15 at Churchill School. Open House is scheduled for the following evening at Dag Hammarskjold School. Frank & Shirley Bellotti will be teaching round dancing Wednesdays at Central School in East Brunswick. Happy dancing to all our friends of square and round dancing and we'll look forward to seeing you on the dance floor.

"Happiness is squaring up with the MERRI-EIGHTS"

reporters - Ted/Edna Unkel

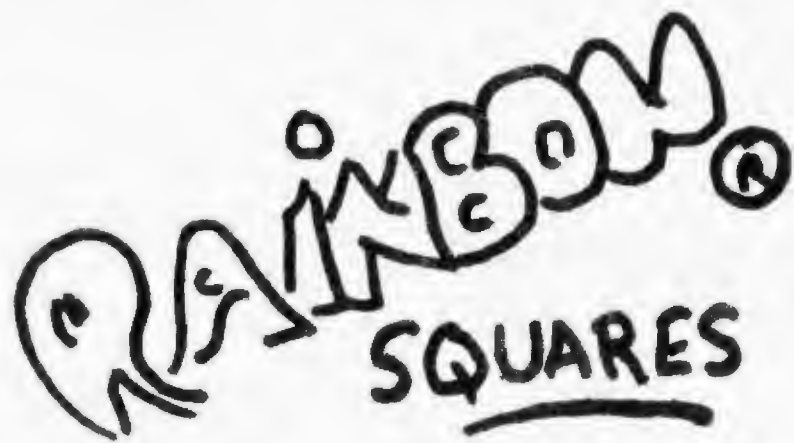
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FRIDAY, September 30 - NNJSDA SPECIAL
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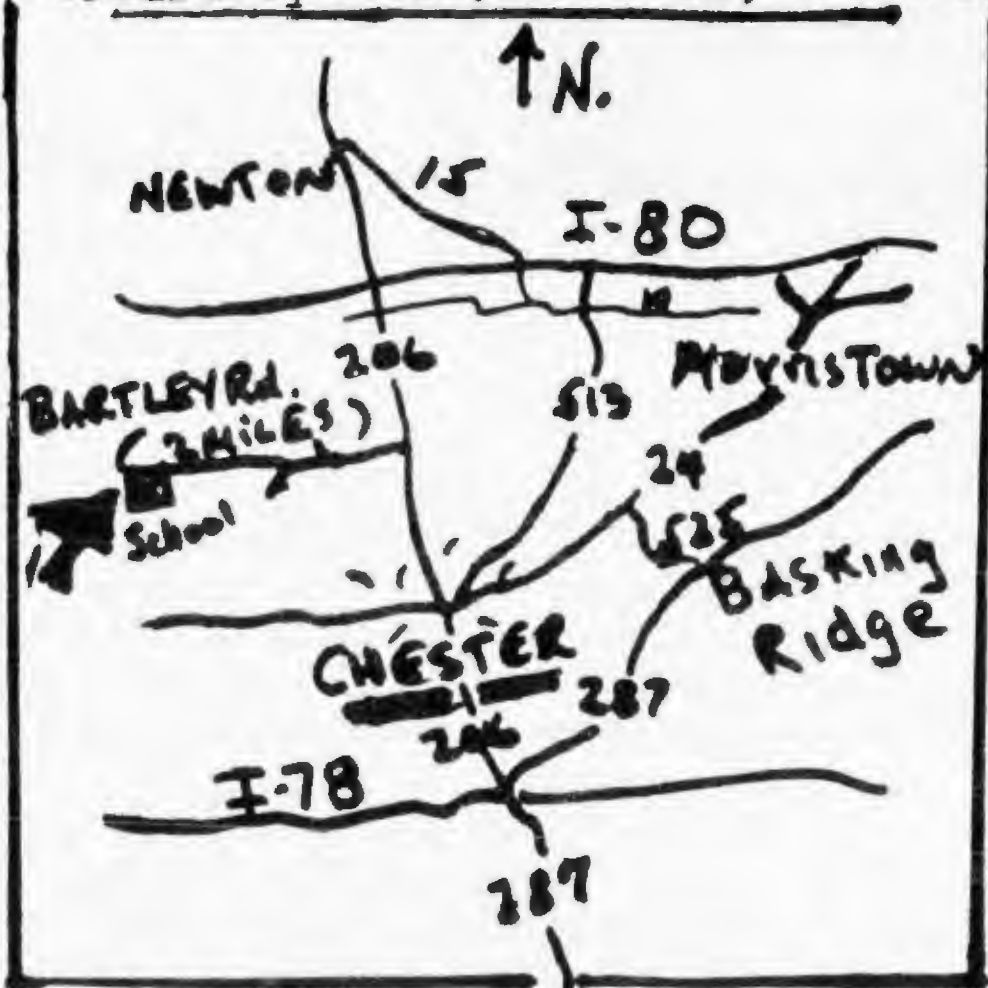
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MOUNTAIN SQUARES -- Whippany, N.J.

1 & 3 Wednesdays

Presbyterian Church, Route 10

Hope everyone had a wonderful summer! We are all looking forward to our first dance on the third Wednesday in September. June was a very busy month with our covered dish dinner and our new officers assuming their responsibilities. During the summer our members were busily making new outfits of coordinated material purchased by our dancers in the Spring. Some of the new creations were worn to the convention where a great time was had by all. We're looking forward to another terrific year of dancing with Dick Jones. Don't forget to plan and stay for refreshments after the dance! See you on the dance floor.

reporters - Tom/Kathy Clay

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"FLOAT the Float" - In response to many letters the committee, on behalf of the Square Dancers of America, paid the entry fee for the 1978 Tournament of Roses Parade. The theme is "The Road to Happiness". Although there is an unpaid balance on the 1977 float, John Fogg & Charles Naddeo at Convention expressed confidence that square dancers and friends will get behind the drive for funds for the 1978 float...and future floats as

well. Steps have been taken to protect the names, Square Dancers of America, develop a permanent organization with provisions for officers. They have applied to the IRS for a tax exempt rating as a public foundation. The name & mark are registered in California & Washington D.C.. The two floats have made a tremendous impact on the general public, with as John feels, a better attitude toward square dancing by public officials, news media and articles in nationally circulated magazines. At the "Float" booth in Atlantic City many dancers stopped to chat and/or make a contribution by purchasing a souvenir decal or badge. If you are interested in helping in the fund raising campaign by distributing publicity or initiating fund raising projects in your area, write to Square Dancers of America, PO Box 2, Altadena, California 91001. The Association will have a table for contributions at the Mini-Festival. Did you know that Sue Zaccagnio spent some hours decorating last year's (1977) entry?





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SUNDAY

SOLITAIRES - 1 & 3 year round; St. Paul's Parish House, 642 Franklin Ave., Nutley, NJ; T-201-235-9866; 2-4:30 pm; C-1st guests, 3rd-Bob Tarrant; P-Joan Maccari 140 Washington St., Apt. 3B, East Orange, NJ 07017; T-201-678-8157; L-M with +1 workshop; F-during dance; Teens welcome; soft soles.

MONDAY

COVERED BRIDGE SQUARES - 1 & 3 Sep 19-Jun 19; 8-10:30 pm; St. Paul's Parish House, 642 Franklin Avenue, Nutley, NJ T-201-235-9866; C-guests; R-Tout; P- Al/Janice Ahearn 3 Terrace Ave, Nutley, NJ 07110 T-201-661-0591; L-+1; F-during dance; Teens, pre-teens welcome; soft sole shoes necessary.

TUESDAY

HI TAW TWIRLERS - 1, 2, 3, 5 Sep 13-Jun 20; Franklin Avenue School, Pearl River, N.Y.; T-914-735-9732; R-8 Shearwoods; 8:30-10:45 C-Dick Jones, Jerry Schatzer, Mike Foley; P- Ed/Loretta Lang 320 Franklin Place, Paramus NJ; 07652 T-201-261-2589; L- ; F-during dance; Teens welcome; soft soles.

HILL CITY SQUARES - 1 & 3 Sep 20-Jun 6; Jefferson School, Ashwood Avenue, Summit, NJ; 8-10:30; C-Manny Amor; R- Sibbalds; P-Wayne/Kay Schroeder 30 Alice Lane, Clark, NJ 07066 T-201-276-5642; F=yes; L-Mainstream; Teens welcome; soft soles.

KINGS SQUARES - 1 & 3 Sep-Jun; Kings Plaza Mall Community Room, Flatbush & Avenue "U", Brooklyn, N.Y.; C-guests; P-Richard/Joyce Beecher 1846 East 33rd Street, Brooklyn, NY 11234 T-212-339-3704; F-during dance; dance; soft sole shoes.

SOMERSET HILLS SQUARE DANCE CLUB - 2 & 4 Sep 13-Jun 13; Cedar Hill School, Peachtree Road, Basking Ridge, NJ; 8-10:30 pm; C-Carl Hanks; R-Pennies; P- Richard/Marcie Bittle 124 Bayberry Lane, Watchung, NJ 07060 T-201-754-8182; L-+1; F-during dance; teens in own squares welcome;

WEDNESDAY

KITTATINNY RANGERS - 1 & 3 Sep 21-Jun 7; Elementary School, Stillwater, NJ T-201-383-6171; 8-10:30 pm; C-Dick Pasvolsky; R-Elrods; P-Ted/Ella Farver PO Box 13, Columbia, NJ 07832 T-201-496-4057; L-M+I; F-during dance; Teens are welcome.

MOUNTAIN SQUARES - 1 & 3 Sep 21-Jun 21; First Presbyterian Church, 494 Route 10, Whippany, NJ T-201-887-2197; 8:15-10:30 pm; C-Dick Jones; P-Joe/Betty Weiss Apt 10B, Hillside Terrace, Newton, NJ 07860 T- 201-383-1297; L-M+2; F-after dance; Teens welcome; soft sole shoes.

CROSS TRAIL SQUARES - 2 & 4 Sep 14-Jun 14; Lincoln School, Crane Street, Caldwell, NJ; 8-10:30 pm; C- Dick Maddocks; P- Isabel/Bob Kerwin 430 Mt. Pleasant Ave, West Paterson, NJ 07424 T-201-256-2773; L-M+I; F-during dance; teens welcome;

ISLE SQUARES - 2 & 4 Sep 14-Jun 14; Oakwood Heights Community Church, 345 Guyon Avenue, Staten Island, NY; 8:30-11 pm; C- 2nd-Glenn Cooke, 4th guests; R-Kirchmyers; P-Paul/Bea Tooker 120 Bedford Avenue, Staten Island, NY 10306 T-212-351-4383; L-M+I; F-10 pm; soft soles.

HI TAW TWIRLERS - 4 Sep-May; C- Al Brundage; see Tuesday listing for rest.

THURSDAY

COLONIAL SQUARES - every Sep 8- Jun 8; Carl Kumpf School, Mildred Terrace, Clark, NJ T-201-574-8354; 8-10:30; C-Lee Kopman; R- Collins; P- George/Shirley Wright 122 Dow Avenue, Iselin, NJ 08830 T-201-283-2492; L-Adv. Teens are welcome.

HIX & CHIX - every year round; K of C Hall, Bridle Way, Paramus, NJ T-201-845-9674; 8:15-10:45; C-1,3 Mike Foley; 2-Dick Pasvolsky; 4-Mike Cleary 5-guests; R-Elly Tout; P- Don/Betty Mazzie 949 Ratzler Road, Wayne, NJ 07470; L-M+; F-yes; party 2nd; teens, pre-teens welcome.

RUTGERS PROMENADERS - 2 & 4 Sept - May 10; Blake Hall Lipman Drive, Cook College, New Brunswick, NJ; 8-11; C-Art Seele, Betsy Gotta; P- Kevin Hunter; Advisor-Benjamin Muskenhopt RD 2, Box 413; Neshanic Station, NJ 08853 T-201-369-3430.

WARREN WHEELERS - 2 & 4 Sep 8 - Jun 8; Mansfield Township Elementary School Port Murray, NJ T-201-689-3212; R-7:30 Elrods; C-8-10:30 guests; P- Jerry/Earl O'Dell RR #1, Box 172 Phillipsburg, NJ 08865 T-201-993-7208; L-M+I; F-during dance; teens welcome.

FRIDAY

CLOVERLEAFS - 1st Oct-Aug; Bergen Mall Auditorium Route 4 & Forest Avenue, Paramus, NJ; R-8-Tirrells; C-8:30-11 guests; P- Rube/Ruth Liss 343 Elliott Place, Paramus, NJ 07652 T-201-261-4782; L-M+2;

MERRI-EIGHTS - 1 & 3 year round; Dag Hammerskjold Jr High School Rues Lane, East Brunswick, NJ; R- 8 Bellottis/Bissevs; S-8:30-11 pm Glenn Cooke; P- Mike/Shelia Yurochko 368 Olde Post Road, Edison, NJ 08817 T-201-572-5308; F-after dance.

REELERS - 1 & 3 Sep 16-Jun 16; Elementary School Dover-Chester Road, Rt. 513, Ironia, NJ; 8-10:30 pm; C- Jim Adams & guests; R- Pennies; P-Jim/Althea Boutilette 14 Sunset Drive, Budd Lake, NJ 07828 T-201-691-8852; L-M+I+; F-yes; teens welcome; soft soles when in gym for specials.

TENAKILL TWIRLERS - 3rd Sep-May; Bryan School, Brookside Avenue, Cresskill, NJ T-201-894-9693; R- 8 Tirrells; C-8:30-11 guests; P-Harry/Bunny Schmidt 74 7th Street, Ridgefield Park, NJ 07660 T-201-440-3751; L-M; Teens welcome; soft soles.

TENAFLY SQUARES - 2 Sep-May; Baptist Church 563 Piermont Road, Demarest, NJ T-201-768-1073; 8:30-11; C-Bob Mitchell; R-Tirrells; P- Jim/Linda Wilson 110 First Street, Harrington Park, NJ 07640 T- 201-768-3949; L-M+I; F-during dance; teens & pre-teens welcome.

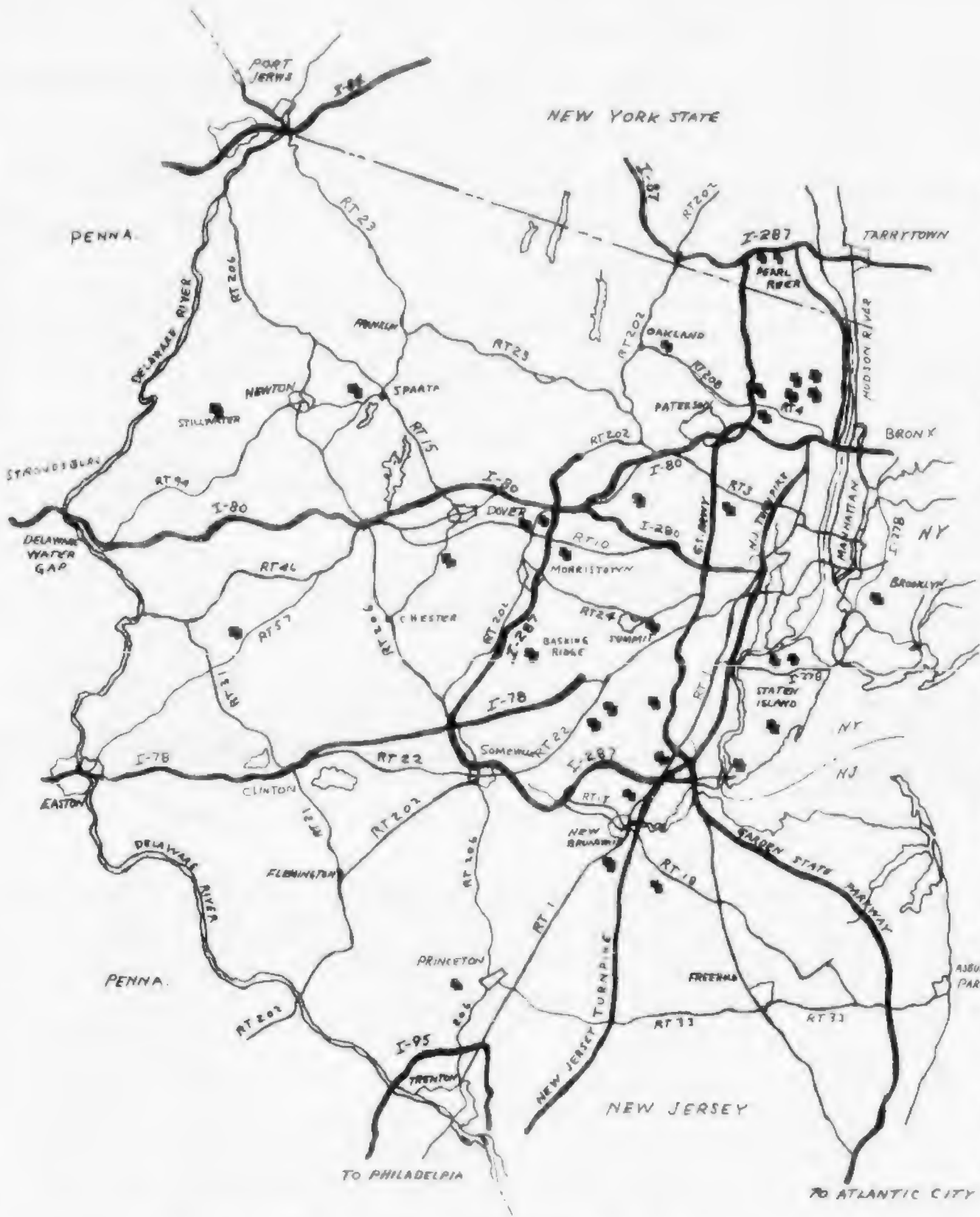
HANOVER SQUARES - 2 & 4 Sep 9-Jun 9; Salem Drive School, Whippany, NJ T-201-539-4305, Ext 29; 8-10:45; C-Jerry Schatzer; R-Pennies; P-Jerry/Elin Welsh 94 Riverside Drive, Denville, NJ 07834 T-201-627-4275; L-M+I; F at specials; teens are welcome; soft sole shoes.

FRIDAY (continued)

- OCEAN WAVES SQUARE DANCE CLUB* - 2 & 4 Sep 23-Jun 23; either Guthrie Memorial Scout Shack 42 Brighton St., SI, NY T-212-984-9509 or P.S. #42 on 380 Genesee Ave., SI, NY T-212-948-5485; 8:30-11 (school); 9-11:30 (shack); C-Mike Cleary & guests; R-Kirchmyers; P- Herb/Sandy Charatz 57 Deppe Place, Staten Island, NY 10314 T-212-761-5445; L-M & M+1; F-end of dance; teens & pre-teens welcome; soft sole shoes.
- PRINCETON SQUARES* - 2 & 4 Sep 9-May 26; Community Park School, Witherspoon Street, Princeton, NJ; 8:30-11 pm; C-Steve Kopman; R-Bellottis; P- Jane/Dan Cope 254 Stockton Street, Hightstown, NJ 08520 T-609-448-1313; L-M+1.5; teens & preteens welcome.
- SUSSEX SPINNERS* - 2 & 4 Sep 9-Jun 24; Alpine School, Route 517 (Andover Road), Sparta, N.J. T-201-729-9992; 8-10:30 pm; C- guests; R-Elrods; P-Paul/Marie Henaby 44 Maple Tree Lane, Sparta, NJ 07871 T-201-729-383873; L- M; F-during dance; teens are welcome.
- Y SQUARES* - 2 & 4 Sep 9-Jun 9; Carl Kumpf School, Mildred Terrace, Clark, NJ; R-7:45 Kelloggs; C-8:15-10:45 Bob Kellogg; P- Liv/Bob Carlson 8 Oak Court, Fanwood, NJ 07023 T-201-322-9027; F-after dance; L- ;soft soles.
- CIRCLE EIGHTS* - 4th Nov-May; Mackay School Jefferson Avenue, Tenafly, NJ T-201-568-3742; 8-10:45; C-Bob Mitchell; R-Tirrells; P-Lester/Bertha Sneider 6009 Harrison Place, West New York, N.J. 07093 T-201-854-0848; F-during dance; L-M; teens & preteens welcome; soft sole shoes.

SATURDAY

- DANCING SQUARES* - 1 & 3 Sep 17-Jun 3; Bloomingdale Avenue School, Cranford, NJ T-201-276-9809; R-7:45-8:30 Kelloggs; C-8:30-11 pm Bob Kellogg; P- Bob/Lois Green 202 Hillside Avenue, Chatham, NJ 07928 T-201-635-8032; L-M+1+; F-after dance; teens & pre-teens welcome; soft sole shoes.
- GRAND PROWLERS* - 1 & 3 Sep-Jun; Brooklawn Jr. High, Route 202, Parsippany, NJ T-201-887-7525; R-8 Pennies; C-8:30-11 guests; P- Bud/Bernice Lawson 19 John Court, Randolph, NJ 07801 T-201-584-5733; L-M+1+; teens welcome.
- M T SQUARES* - 1 & 3 Sep 16-Jun 16; Menlo Terrace School #19 (Woodbridge), Maryknoll Road, Menlo Park, NJ T- 201-549-0541; 8-11; C-guests; R-Dockry; F-after dance; teens welcome; soft sole shoes.
- SEE SAW SQUARES* - 1 & 3 Sep-Jun; Lincoln Avenue School, Pearl River, NY; 8-11; C-Jules Pozsar; R-Shearwoods; P- Andre/Joan Brillaud 1 Heath Court, New City, NY 10956 - T-914-634-8102; L- ; F-during dance.
- STATEN SQUARE SET* - 1 & 3 Oct 1-Jun 17; St. Adalbert's Hall, 363 Morningstar Road, Staten Island, NY T-212-448-2737; R-8 Rumbles; C- 8:30-11 pm Manny Amor; P-Tony/Rita Gaeta 128 Silver Lake Road, Staten Island, NY 10301 T-212-273-1771; L-M+2; F-Yes; Teens welcome.
- SWINGIN' STARS* - 2nd Sep-Jun; Maywood Avenue School, Maywood, NJ T-201-845-9110; R-8 Shearwoods; C-8:30-11 pm guests; P- Art Taylor 90-09 Northern Boulevard, Jackson Heights, NY 11372; T-212-426-0698; L-M+1; F-yes.
- COUNTRY PROMENADERS* - 2 & 4 Sep 24-Jun 10; Clara Barton School 1015 Amboy Avenue, Edison, NJ T-201-225-9844; 8-11 pm; C-guests; R-Smythes; P-Frank/Helen Cavanaugh 113 Stony Road, Edison, NJ 08817 T-201-985-1428; L-M+1 F-during dance; teens welcome; soft sole shoes.
- RAMAPO SQUARES* - 2 & 4 Sep 24-May 27; Heights School, Seminole Avenue, Oakland, NJ T-201-337-8950; R-8 Tirrells; C-8:30-11 guests; P-Joe/Laura Fletcher 203 Beech Terrace, Wayne, NJ 07470 T-201-839-1583; L Adv IB; teens are welcome; soft soles are necessary.
- RICHMOND DANCERS* - 2 & 4 - Sep 24-May 27; St. John's Lutheran School, 663 Manor ERoad, Staten Island, NY T-212-761-9740; R-8 Bellottis; C-8:30-11; guests; P- Leo/Lois Bichler 7614 Amboy Road, Staten Island, NY 10307; T-212-356-2208; L-M+2; F-about 10; Teens in own square selcome;
- ASSOCIATE MEMBER - TEEN CLUB**
- RIDGE SQUARES* - every FRIDAY - Sep-May; Bishop James Methodist Church, 22 South Finley Avenue, Basking Ridge, NJ; 7:30-10:30; C-Bob Tarrant; P- Peter Hauck 99 Goltra Drive, Basking Ridge, NJ 07920 T-201-647-3484; F-during dance; club is primarily a beginner class.



**IMPORTANT
NNJSDA DATES**

DELEGATE'S MEETINGS
at
Vincent Methodist
Church
2 PM

September 18, 1977
January 15, 1978
April 16, 1978

SPECIAL DANCES

1977
Sept. 11 - LUST 4 fun
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1978
Mar. 31 - SPECIAL
Apr. 23 - GRADUATES
BALL
Apr. 29 - SPECIAL

summer of '78

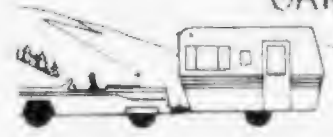
June 28
July 5, 12, 19, 26
Aug. 2, 9, 16, 23, 30

Grand Square
OFFICIAL PUBLICATION

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The NNJSDA, now 19 years old, has always been concerned with a good promotional program, classes, leadership, summer dances & clearance. Now 35 clubs strong, the Association continues working to improve & expand the S/D picture. Delegates have always been the liaison between the Association and clubs. Within the NNJ area are two other organizations who share concern over the future of the American Folk Dance. The NNJSDA Liaison is an active member of the NNJR/D Leaders Council who meets quarterly to exchange information, plan specials & select ROM's. The Callers Council of NNJ meets monthly to improve the knowledge & techniques of its members. Interorganizational rapport has been established.

RAMAPO PRESENTS

SMOKE SIGNALS FROM RAMAPO SQUARES



Sept 24	Cliff Brodour
Oct 8	Lee Kopman
Oct 22	Ross Howell
Nov 12	Lee Kopman
Nov 26	Bob Paris

Squares 8:30 to 11:00 Plus
Hot Hash AND Challenge

Rounds by
Doc & Peg Tirrell
8 to 8:30 & Between TIPS

**Heights School
Seminole Ave., Oakland, N.J.**

ALSO
Post Graduate workshop
Geared to RAMAPO Level
Using RAMAPO DANCE TAPES
Sunday evenings 6:30 to 8:30

ALSO
Beginners Class 8:30 to 10:30
RAMAPO Mountain Lakes Country Club
Seminole Ave., Oakland, N.J.

OCEAN WAVES SQUARE DANCE CLUB -- Totenville, Staten Island, N.Y.
2 & 4 Fridays Guthrie Memorial Hall, 42 Brighton St.

Well, our 1977-78 season is here! I'd like to say welcome home from vacation, to all our friends. It has truly been a wonderful summer, beautifully and spectacularly begun with the 26th National Convention. I saw and met so many people, and the events attended, which are too numerous to mention here, were even more wonderful.

Our first three dances will be held at a special hall...P.S. 42 on Genesee Avenue, off Richmond Avenue. For more information, call your Ocean Waves reporter. We hope you'll kick off the season with us as Mike starts us off. You can now earn your "Red Baron" with Frannie Heintz. Just wait 'til you see.....Our very favorite Glenn Cooke is back with us this year, and we love him so much, we are going to dress for the occasion (It's Halloween!). For our Veteran's Day Dance everyone is asked to bring a picture of themselves in uniform, and we'll see if we can guess each person's identity. This Veteran's Day Dance will be held at our regular hall...Guthrie Memorial Scout Hall in Totenville. Please note the different times in our ad on page 36. We truly hope you'll all come to see us. Our calendar is bursting with talent and your reporter can hardly wait. See you soon....and HAPPY DANCING!

Ocean Waves would like to send best wishes and lots of love to Rodger Flynn and his family during this their time of sorrow. Shirley will be remembered forever by all her square dance friends.

reporter - Kathie Finn

212-948-5797



CONGRATULATIONS to our FREELOADERS
Unfortunately this year the GRAND SQUARE printer's deadline was prior to the awarding of the FREELOADER danglers. We'll publish all your names in the holiday issue, and look forward to seeing you at the Sept 30 NNJSPA dance, which is FREE to 1977 freeloaders.....



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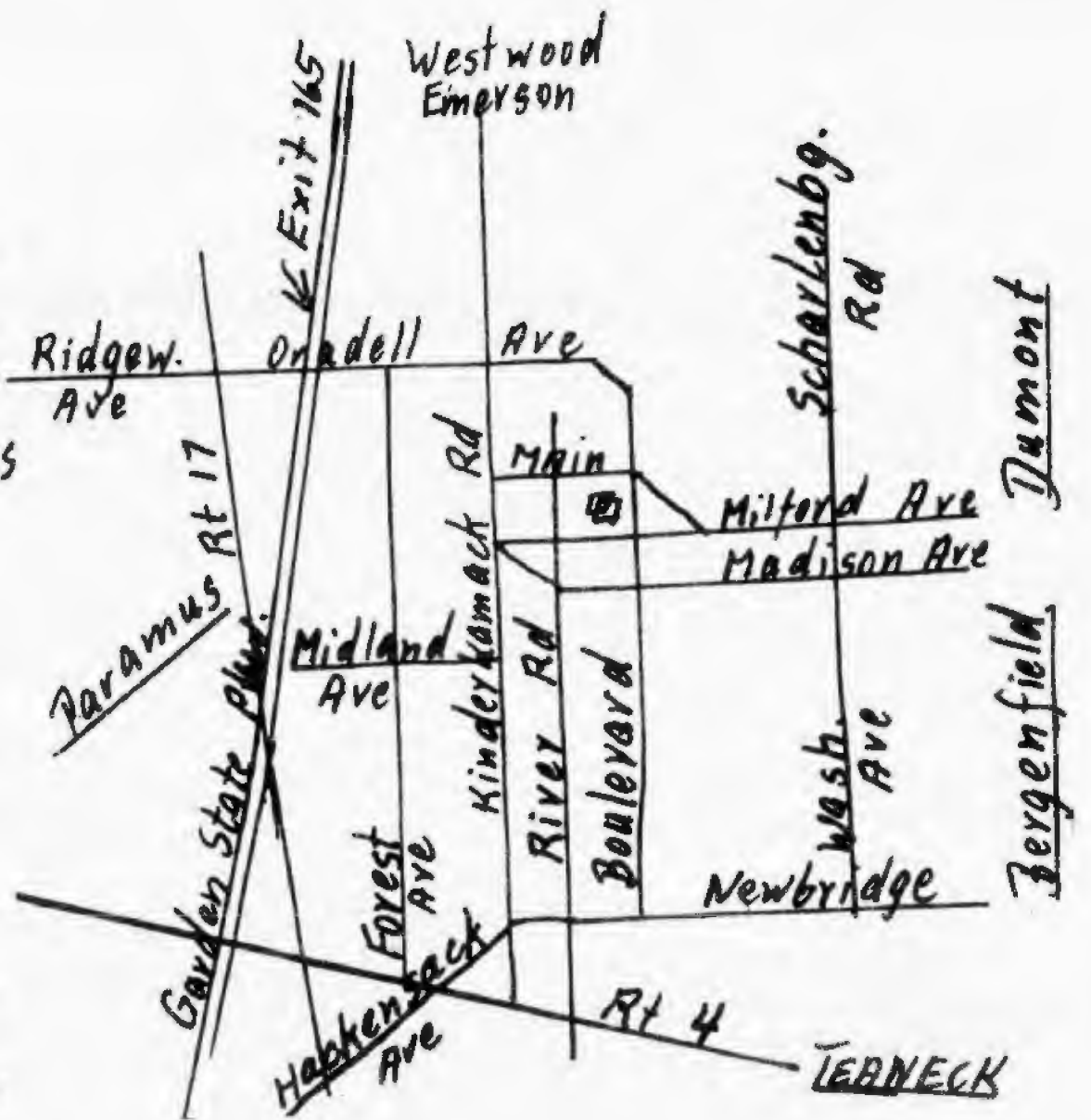
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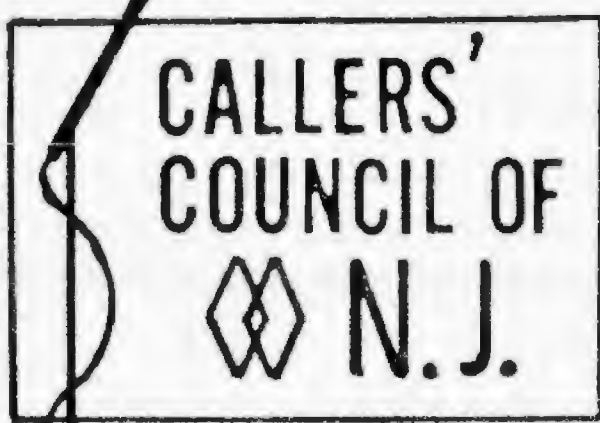
2 & 4 Fridays

Community Park School, Witherspoon Street

Hello again! Welcome back from summer - and what a great summer it was! The Princeton Squares members and our new class graduates ended the 76-77 season with two great dances with our caller, Steve Kopman. Since then, our club members report that they've visited many other clubs both in New Jersey and points beyond. And, of course, we'll never forget the 26th National Convention this past June. We all met so many nice people and look forward to dancing with everyone again at Princeton in the fall. Remember we dance the second and fourth Fridays. Come on out and dance to Steve's super calling. Hope to see you soon.

Reporters - Priscilla/Dan Senecal

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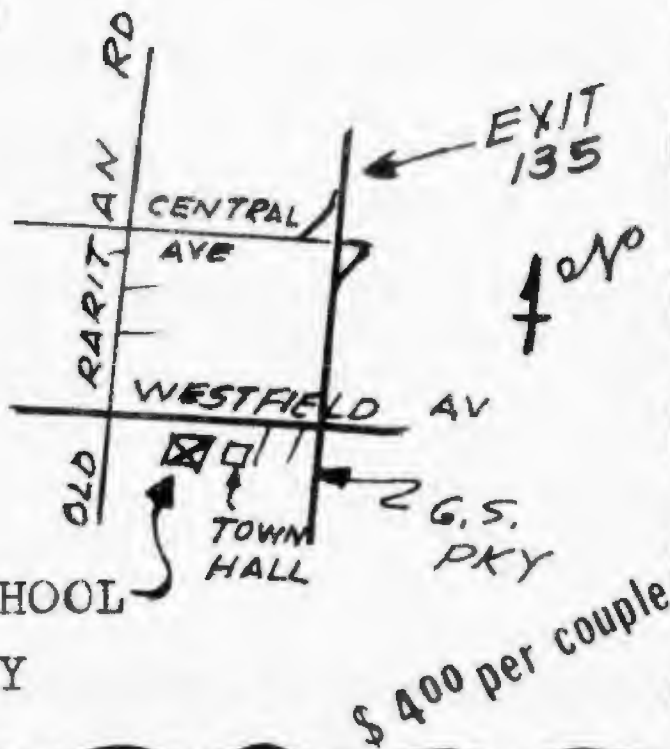
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OCTOBER 30, 1977

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RAMAPO SQUARES -- Oakland, N.J.

2 & 4 Saturdays

Heights School, Seminole Avenue

It has been a busy and exciting summer. Those of us who attended the convention in Atlantic City really enjoyed all the great dancing, the colorful outfits, the vendors displays and the hustle and bustle. In addition to this, we, here at Ramapo, also participated in Oakland's 75th anniversary celebration this year.

Our new graduates have been attending the post-graduate workshop being taught by Joe & Laura Fletcher, assisted by Bud & Ginny Allison. Our heartfelt thanks to the Fletchers and Allisons for coming out on those hot summer evenings. In September, we will have a new beginners' class, again taught by the Allisons and also the advanced level workshops to Ramapo tapes. See our ad on page 33.

reporters - Peter/Aida Boccacio

201-444-6621

When does YOUR club delegate make his report to your club?

Ocean Waves

STATEN ISLAND, N.Y. 10307

Sept. 23 Mike Cleary
("Kick OFF")

Oct. 14 Frannie Heintz
("EARN Your Red BARON")

Oct. 28 Glenn Cooke
("Halloween Costume DANCE")

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VETERAN'S DAY WITH...

Nov. 11 - Mike Cleary

REELERS -- Ironia, N.J.

1 & 3 Fridays

Elementary School; Dover-Chester Road, Rt. 513

We were well represented at the National Convention with 18 1/2 member couples marching in the Parade of States. Our striking black and white raiding outfits really stood out in the colorful array of costumes. The REELER banner, recently pinned with the badge of Jeff Delchamps, was carried aloft by the marchers. It was an event that will long be remembered! The club is offering something new this year, a replica of the Reeler Badge on a dangle, to be given to those dancing guests who have traveled 500 miles or more. Our presidents, the Boutillettes, have ordered as their gift for convention-goers who marched with the club a souvenir dangle for remembrance - how nice!

Six Reeler couples are trying hard to attain their freeloader's badge. Round Dance lessons will be starting soon with Grace Pennie. A sincere get well to Sally Hoff from all the Reelers. Open House with Wilson will be held this year on September 14 followed by our first Jim Adams dance. Our first special in October is with Ken Anderson. (see ad on page 40) We have a great schedule set up for '77-'78 and look forward to seeing lots of old and new faces at the dances coming up - come visit us!

reporters - Norm/Frances Fowler

201-584-9466



OUR LATEST PATRONS

← Bill/Donna Anderson
Isle Squares

Howard/Mary Schulien →
Covered Bridge Squares

"Who's Next???"





Noticed this dangle? Like so many, it's in a limited number. Can you guess its reason? Read on for hints.....

Remember a few years back when GRAND SQUARE printed a question from Ron Vizard, a caller from Nottingham, England. If he, Ron, brought over a contingent of S/Ders from England, would the dancers in NNJ help with some home hospitality?

His long time friends, Dorothy & Paul Pullman of Cresskill, NJ, said sure they'd help...and so did a few more. During the ensuing months NNJ visitors to England (including Harriette & Sol Koved) had a chance to meet Ron and some of the dancers. By the time Dorothy & Paul visited their grandchildren in England, excitement was really beginning to mount.

About April the Pullmans received the names of the 17 English S/Ders and began making the first of many phone calls and lists as they fixed up various accommodations for the 15 days; arranged for transportation from the airport (remembering to allow for those petticoats), to Atlantic City and back; to various area dances & other functions; suggested sight seeing opportunities & shopping tours and in general played mother hen to their flock of seventeen chickens.




Tirrell Twirlers R/Ders

hosted the first party All had a chance to r/d to cues in the British & Cockney accents of Alan Sherriffs & Helen & Bill Viner...as well as S/D to Ron. At the Association Trail In Dance, chaired by Wanda/Stam Blanchard, the English contingent really had a chance to meet, mingle & dance with folks in the area and get a taste of what was in store for them in Atlantic City. Jim & Fay Bates introduced Stan & Vi Nye, presidents of the British Association of American

S/D Clubs, brought greetings from Rex Rolling, the Sheriff of Nottingham. (see page 46) After convention Claire Kurtz hosted a get together for all to share Atlantic City experiences. The remainder of the week was spent sight seeing, dancing, shopping and relaxing with their new friends. Their last dance here was Cloverleaves. When Ron was invited to call a tip, words for once failed him as he tried to thank all for their hospitality.

Space forces us to condense the many letters of thanks from overseas, but on page 46 we'll do our best to convey their appreciation to all.



Bruce Vertun - Caller

Shearwoods', Ed & Les - Rounds

2nd Wednesdays

First Congregational Church

Pascack Rd - Park Ridge

Lesson & Dance Info - 444-4332

RICHMOND DANCERS -- Castleton Corners, Staten Island, N.Y.
2 & 4 Saturdays St. John's Lutheran Church, 663 Manor Road

Although our club does not hold summer dances, our members were seen at all the best places during the hot months. A large contingent made it to Atlantic City and we are always in evidence at the Bergen Mall and Caller Council dances. With fall fashions appealing in store windows, a square dancers thoughts turn to the fall schedule of dances due to soon begin.

Richmond Dancers will maintain its always high standards of callers and dancers with Marty Clifford inaugurating the new season in September at our Dessert Dance which begins at 7:30. This ONE DANCE only will be held at the Immanuel Union Church at Jewett & Maine Avenue. Please call 212-356-2208 for driving instructions. ALL other dances will be back at our regular hall - St. John's Lutheran Church. Why not get some friends together and form a raiding party? Of course we are also looking forward to introducing newcomers to our favorite hobby, and Marty Clifford and his angels will begin Thursday night classes in September.

reporters - Ron/Nancy Goldfarb

212-727-6729

Hanover Squares

8 to 10⁴⁵ P.M. 2nd and 4th Fridays

Salem Drive School - Whippany

Sept. 9 - - - Dick Maddocks

Sept. 23 - - - Glen Cooke

Oct. 14 - - - Jerry Schatzer

Oct. 28 - - - Ed Fraidenburg

Nov. 11 - - - Will Larsen

"Rounds By The Pennies"

Please Wear Soft Soled Shoes

RUTGERS PROMENADERS -- New Brunswick, N.J.
2 & 4 Thursdays Blake Hall, Cook College, Rutgers Univ.

Some of our summer highlights included: sponsoring the Trails In Dance on Tuesday night at the Convention along with the Young Adults Dance on Saturday night. On the Fourth of July we were in the Miltown Parade on a float. Afterwards we all had a picnic. Betsy Gotta has been holding workshops on Tuesdays. Also in August we had the annual picnic at Roy & Betsy Gotta's home. Visitors are always welcome at our dances.

reporter - Sue Crowley

201-752-0107

Does your NNJSDA delegate get a chance to report on the Delegate Meetings?

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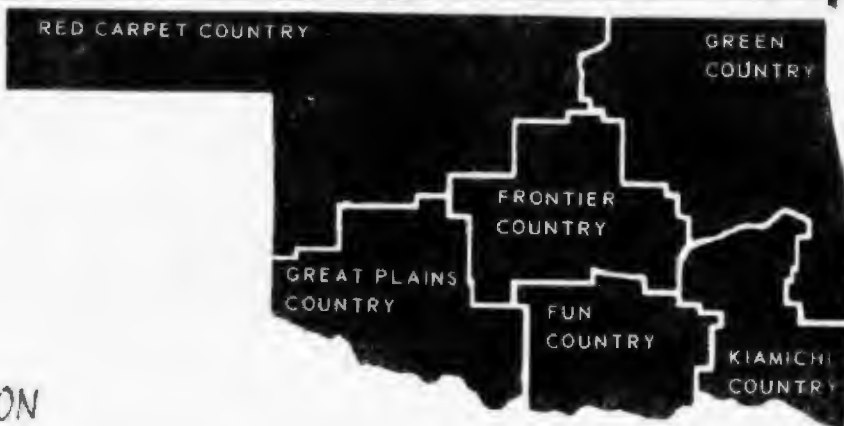
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27th NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION

The 1978 National S/D Convention in Oklahoma City will be upon us before you know it. WHAT, GO TO OKLAHOMA??? Just think of the GREAT time you had in Atlantic City. CAROL & HERB ARKIN are going and are going to make it part of an extra special vacation in the Southwest.

The drive is normally 3 days, but the Arkins are going to sightsee and do it in 4+ an extra day added to see Nashville - Opryland, the Country Hall of Fame, other sights and an evening of dancing. Departure is set for Saturday June 17, 1978 with arrival Wednesday, June 21 at the fairgrounds in time to enjoy a Trail In (or is it End) dance.

The State Fairgrounds will have water and electric hookups for each site and a dump site nearby. There will be shuttle buses to Convention Hall. Each site will be available Tuesday thru Sunday for a \$20 fee.

If you are interested in joining the group, please let the Arkins know. If you can secure a Convention Registration form, fill it in and return it to the Arkins by September 15, along with a check made out to the Convention. If you have already registered, but want to join the group, let Herb & Carol known as soon as possible.

Their address - Herb & Carol Arkin

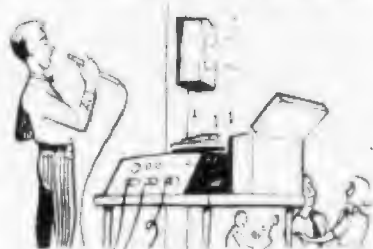
202-227-4241

30 Windsor Drive, Pine Brook, NJ 07058

Herb says the Nashville is optional - they will make arrangements if you include a note indicating interest and the number of people.

And if you think that is planning ahead - how many of you bought the pre-registration certificates for Milwaukee in '79? They must have sold a few - ours was numbered 1801. Happy planning.

Atlantic City had its clambake....Oklahoma City is having a Professional Rodeo Cowboy Association RODEO at the State Fairgrounds June 23 & 24 at 10 PM. Tickets are \$5.00 per person. Tickets should be ordered before hand and will be available at the Convention Center (MYRIAD) on your arrival in 1978.



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Let's All Meet In Oklahoma City

SEE SAW SQUARES -- Pearl River, N.Y.

1 & 3 Saturdays

Lincoln Avenue School

Well here we go again with another season of dancing to the melodious calling of Jules Pozsar. Our new class of outstanding dancers will begin their first season of full dancing and we welcome one and all to join us, no matter when you graduated.

The club wishes to extend its appreciation to Hilda & Norman Berger who have done such outstanding work in the fields of reporting and artistic decorating and to retiring officers George & Chris Murray and Jerry & Benita Axel for a demanding job well done. Once again, through the kindness of our most gracious hostess, Addie Shipp, the club enjoyed its annual picnic and pool activities in this picturesque, bucolic setting of the heather-hued hills of the Ramapo Mountains. In the early part of July, your reporters made a special trip to the Suffern Presbyterian Church to view our own Gary Mullen's magnificent oil painting High Sierra which was so expertly framed by her husband, Earl. Try to see this breath-taking work of art that hangs in the Blue Room of the Church. Ed Haines is recuperating, and under the excellent care of his wife, Priscilla, and hopes to be able to rejoin us at some future date. Congratulations are in order for Paul Brody and Jeanne Marsik who were married late June.

By the time you read this our pleasant summer dancing will have ended, including the calling of Jules under the stars in Petruska Park, but we will look forward to seeing all of you at our dances. We are planning some extra special dances this year. Look for our flyers and announcements.

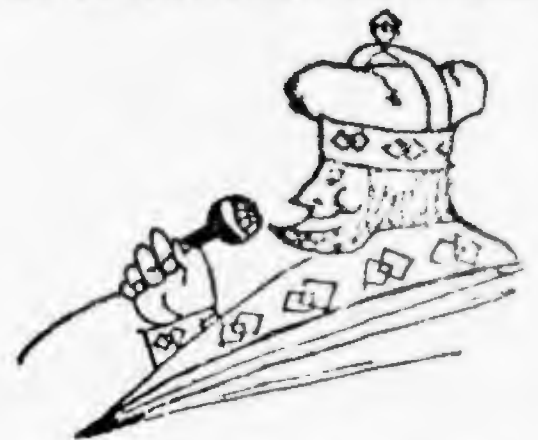
reporters - Clem/Vi Hayes

914-357-0930

Kings Squares

invites you to join us

- Sept 20 Wes Morris
- Oct 4 Richard Green
- 18 Ted Young - Special
- Nov 1 Richard Green
- 15 Ted Young
- Dec 6 Richard Green
- 20 Frank Riviccio - Special



8-10:30 p.m.

We dance in the community room at Kings Plaza
Exit 11V on the Belt Parkway for info--(212)891-1592

SOLITAIRES -- Nutley, N.J.

1 & 3 Sundays; 2-4:30 St. Paul's Parish House, 642 Franklin Avenue

First, on behalf of the Solitaires, I would like to say hello to all square dancers in the NNJSDA. Hope you had a good summer. We did! We danced all summer. It was a little warm some days but we had a lot of fun.

I would like to spend a few lines describing what we are and what we do. The Solitaires is a singles club with membership open to singles or solos over 18 years old. We are trying to become a place for the single dancer to meet other singles, dance and have a good time. We welcome all dancers, however, and look forward to your coming.

We are looking forward to a fine season with our club caller, Bob Tarrant, and guest callers. See our ad on page 46.

reporter - Bruce Bauman

201-385-7045

WE'VE MOVED!
Jefferson School
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WE'VE MOVED!
HILL TOP BARN
1640 Broad Street
Bloomfield, NJ

SOMERSET HILLS SQUARES -- Basking Ridge, N.J.

2 & 4 Tuesdays

Cedar Hill School, Peachtree Road

Somerset Hills welcomes back all dancers from a happy and relaxing summer and looks forward to a great new season of square and round dancing. Our fine caller, Carl Hanks, will be leading us through new and interesting square dance choreography and Grace & Walt Pennie will keep the round dancers on their toes. Don't miss our special events - Jim Purcell in September, Al Brundage in November, and a Two-Fer Special with Glenn Cooke and Carl Hanks also in November. See our ad on page 21.

Bob Tarrant will again conduct classes for new square dancers at 8 pm, Thursday nights at the Cedar Hill School. There's an Open House for new class couples on September 15 with classes beginning the following week. This is about the only way to break into this wonderful recreational activity and now's the time. Be sure to tell your friends.

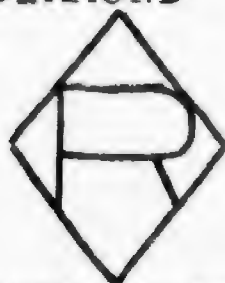
Wasn't the Atlantic City convention a great experience? Somerset Hills had nearly 50 couples there. We enjoyed a fine dinner at Zaberer's Restaurant, Friday night, arranged by the Arkins. Special thanks to the Kloss's and the Thomas's for hosting the party later that night in Kloss's suite. Some of us, for whom this was a first convention, learned that it really is possible to dance from 10 AM till 2 AM.....and you really sleep well afterward.

reporters - Marti/Dave DeGraaf

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NAME(s)

Age(s)

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City _____
Club _____

State _____

Zip _____

STATEN SQUARE SET -- Elm Park, Staten Island, N.Y.

1 & 3 Saturdays

St. Adalbert's Hall, 363 Morningstar Road

The summer is over, and would you believe THANK GOD! What a hectic summer it has been. It has been said before, but fun and friendship are square dancing's greatest rewards. Certainly we had ample proof of it (25,000 times) at the 26th National Convention. In an absolutely beautiful and moving ceremony, Tony & Rita Gaeta accepted the office of president & first lady at our installation dinner dance. Al Brundage did the calling for us that evening. The very next day (July 30) three sets participated in the festivities and represented square dancing at the second ecumenical council in New York City.

Scattered throughout the summer were numerous dances in and around our immediate area, and of course the NNJSDA summer dances. Toward the end of the summer, Big Top #12 was upon us. Living our club motto "We Dance For Fun & Friendship", we did just that, along with the games, gags, stunts, and a very talented show and of course the crowning of Miss Big Top. As usual, that Jumpin Jersey Jester - Manny Amor, and that Clown Prince of Callers - Frannie Heintz, called squares while Ron & Ree Rumble, our new R/D leaders, enjoyed their 1st Big Top.

Our barn dance is at the Moores Catholic High School in September and National S/D Week will find SSS dancing in the SI malls. Coming events - October, Kings Squares is planning a special dance (Homage to SSS) for all the help we have given them in the past. Thank you Kings Squares.

reporters - Joan/Don Abramson

609-443-3054

★ KITTATINNY RANGERS ★
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Squares November 2nd Rounds
Stillwater School
★ Dance with the STARS ★

SUSSEX SPINNERS -- Sparta, N.J.

2 & 4 Fridays

Alpine School, Andover Road

As the summer season draws to an end, we are looking forward to our fall season of dancing. This season, Sussex Spinners will be dancing to all guest callers. Come and dance with us and get your Century Book Filled.

Our new class will start September 20 with John Kaltenthaler, our new instructor, and Debbie and Ben Smead, our new Second Vice Presidents, aided by the Bolins, in charge of the class.

This passing summer will hold memories for a long time of all our events. Over half our membership attended the convention at Atlantic City, and a wonderful time was had by all. Congratulations are in order for the Mooneys Bells, and their aides for a job well done in handling the hospitality part of the convention; and our special dances this summer with Jerry Haag in June and Gary Shoemake in July were a real success. Thanks are also in order for a real good job by Ed Foster, who drew the map for the special edition of GRAND SQUARE for the convention. Our Presidents, Paul & Marie Henaby and a group of dancers again participated in the July 4th Parade in Sparta, plus the many demonstrations, especially the Sussex County Horse Show, all had a good time.

To our new officers and committees - may our coming year be a successful one. Come out members and give our officers a helping hand. Everyone enjoyed our picnic, it was a real fun day. Please watch for our flyers for all our dances and take note of our ad on page 11.

reporters - Frank/Margaret Hopper

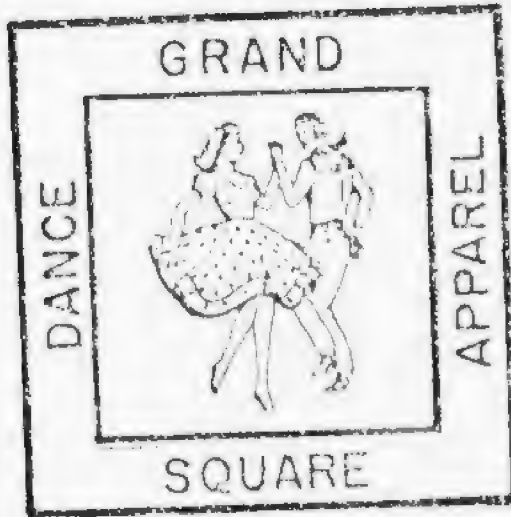
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The complete financial report of the 26th National arrived too late to be included. Congratulations to Steve/Dorothy and their committee for their detailed report on the distribution of the profits.

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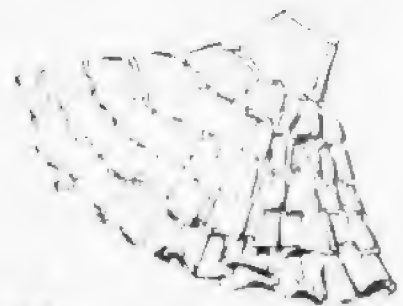
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2nd Saturday


Maywood Avenue School

A look forward: Thanks to our "50/50" representative who skillfully negotiated a livable contract with the governing board of Maywood School, we will be dancing this season in that advantageous school. And thanks to Rich Gray & Connie Wooll who arranged for ten interesting callers. So now our busy president, Art Taylor, will be kept busier trying to match his skill with that of his capable officers.

A look behind: You don't have to be a good dancer to be a good officer. Take the Association officers for instance. Have you ever seen them dance? Gott in himmel! Why do you think the Association dreamed up those summer dances? The officers were busy associating not dancing. Now they use the summer dances as an excuse to polish up their movements. They know "Keep Busy" but now they are practicing "Follow Your Neighbor". Would some of you dancers - who need the practice, like to become last year's officers in our club? With a little work-shopping you'll work yourselves into next year's officers. Fly to our flyer and read it.

reporters - Yale Carroad

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TENAFLY SQUARES -- Demarest, N.J.

2nd Friday

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The TENAFLY SQUARES are looking forward to a bigger and better season at the same location with the same caller and on the same night of the month. When you dance with us to the wonderful calling of Bob Mitchell, you'll be having the time of your life. Baring any severe winter blizzards, you'll be finding the welcome mat out each month through May. We especially will welcome last Spring's graduates. Don't forget, we're the club where you only enjoy yourself. All our dancers are happy dancers. Why don't you all plan to visit us often? Ask anyone who has danced with us; they'll recommend us.


reporters - Frank/Marie Poole

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(Typist note: Did the readers figure out why the Poole's has such strange margins? Good thing their typewriter and this is the same!!!)

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Sept. 4 - no dance	Nov. 20 - Bob Tarrant
" 18 - Bob Tarrant	Dec. 4 - to be announced
Oct. 2 - to be announced	" 18 - Bob Tarrant
" 16 - Bob Tarrant	Jan. 1 - no dance
Nov. 6 - Mike Cleary	

For information call 201-383-6958



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S/JMT.1

5th April 1977

To: The members of the Northern New Jersey Square Dancers Association.

I am delighted, through the kindness of Mr. Alan Sherriffs of Nottingham, to convey to you civic greetings and best wishes from the city of Nottingham. Mr. Alan Sherriffs is I understand visiting your country and in common with yourselves takes a very keen interest in square dancing. I am sure he will find his visit to you a most enjoyable and memorable one and that he will make many new friends amongst your members.

With renewed greetings and good wishes.

R. Reley
Sheriff of Nottingham
(Councillor Rex Rolling)

Condensing the many letters of thanks from overseas they all thought the holiday fabulous; convention a great experience, particularly the Parade of Nations where the ovation they received bringing big lumps to the their throats; the hospitality shown everyone beyond their wildest imagination. They were simply overwhelmed with everyone's thoughtfulness, helpfulness and friendship.

4 Devonshire Gardens, Winchmore Hill,
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Dear Fellow Square Dancers,

We would like to express our most sincere thanks for the hospitality & very warm welcome extended to the seventeen Square Dancers from England who visited your area of Cresskill before and after the "77" Convention.

A special word of appreciation must go to Dorothy & Paul Pullman for the amount of effort and time they put into organising our visit and arranging Buddy Couples for us all. Our grateful thanks also to the following people Peg & Doc Tirrell; Dick & Dot Meyers; Dave & Dot Pangburn; Vera & Ray Geibel; Hannelore & Werner Baumann; Jody Bromberg; Herb & Millie Haag; Frank & Olive Enos; Felix & Sylvia Scherzer, and Claire Kurtz.

The two words "Thank You" seem hardly adequate to convey all our feelings & our thoughts & memories of the great time we have had, and the wonderful friends we have met. If at any time anyone is visiting England, be sure to look us up. The Pullmans & the Tirrells have our phone number.

Yours most sincerely, *Stan & Vi Nye*

TENAKILL TWIRLERS -- Cresskill, N.J.

3rd Friday

Bryan School, Brookside Avenue

What an exciting summer! June was made memorable by the visit of a group of English square dancers accompanying Ron Vizard, caller, from Nottingham, England, to our National. Tenakill Twirlers members and their friends were their hosts, before and after the Convention, and found it an exhilarating experience. And certainly the National itself will always rank in our memories as a truly great experience. Thanks are also due to the NNJSDA for those relaxing summer weekly dances at the Bergen Mall. All in all its been a "loverly" summer.

Chip Hendrickson, to our mutual regret, found he can no longer continue as our regular caller. Good luck, Chip, and thanks for all the happiness you brought into our lives. Please come back as a guest caller from time to time. Our hard working presidents, Bunny & Harry Schmidt, rose to the occasion - don't they always! and have organized a season of guest callers. We will have Bob Johnson of Conn. in Sept and Nov. and John Kaltenthaler of Penn for October and December. So come square up with us at the Bryan School, Brookside Avenue near Madison in Cresskill. Rounds at 8 PM with Doc & Peg Tirrell; squares at 8:30. Rounds and Folk dances (courtesy of Jody Bromberg) between tips. See you in the square.

reporters - Dorothy/Paul Pullman

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- 29 - Rusty McLean

- November 12 - Roy Keleigh Round Dancing



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Our sincere thanks to everyone who supported our very successful summer dances. Our first dance threatened to be a disaster when we discovered the hall simmering at 86 degrees, but 12 sets of enthusiastic dancers stayed to enjoy the calling of John Kaltenthaler. Happily the air conditioning was repaired in time for all the other dances.

We started off with our Open House in September and have a line-up of different callers for each dance this year, including Laurie Abrams, that vivacious 18 year old from New Paltz, NY in October. Jean & Jess Elrod give a round dance teach at 7:30 and we square up at 8 PM. Come and join us. You'll be glad you did. Our classes have already started and will continue each Monday evening at the Mountain Lake School in Liberty Township. A very enthusiastic group.

reporters - Dave/Kathie Mulraney

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Welcome back to another season - another reason to enjoy some lively dancing and friendly associations. Hope most of you were able to attend the Atlantic City Convention. We were there and enjoyed every minute of it - something nice to plan vacations around for the future - now that we have all has a "taste" of what a S/D Convention is really like.

And to start us off for the season - we congratulate our new officers - Liv & Bob Carlson, Pres., Florence & Hal Margo, VP, Bev & George Morlan, Sec., & Lillian & Ray Krov, Treas. Also a big vote of thanks to our retiring officers for an excellent job.

Our OPEN HOUSE will be in September and if you have friends interested, let them try that evening as our guests. Our welcome mat is out to all - and we're polishing our shoes to be ready when Bob Kellogg starts the music. hope to see all of you on the dance floor.

reporters - Dot/Ed Olsen

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SEPTEMBER 30, 1977

8 - 11 pm

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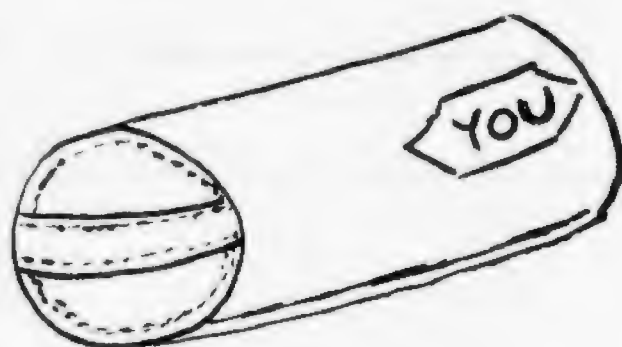


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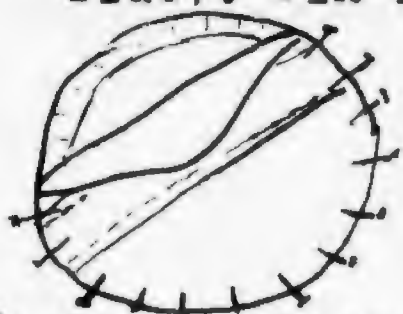
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The convention was an unforgettable experience. Among the highlights was a chance to meet Nita Smith and to sit in on one of her lectures. She designed a most fabulous petticoat tote for travel. She invited those of us who wanted to, to feel free to copy it and make it. So here is your chance to make a NITA SMITH original.

Materials: 2 end circles 14" diameter of vinyl or imitation leather
 2 pieces 2" x 28" of same fabric for straps
 a small scrap of same for base for monogram
 1 yd. of 45" (or 1 1/4 yds. 36") sturdy fabric
 36" heavy duty zipper
 matching heavy duty threads
 iron-on monograms

Directions: Cut an oval or rectangle or other desired shape large enough to accommodate your monogram and adhere your initials as per mfg. directions. Sew this patch onto the basic piece of fabric. Note* by using vinyl or imitation leather for your end, etc. you eliminate the need for bulky turned-under seams at the ends and on the handles and the monogram patch. Sew your zipper onto the 36" side of your fabric. Sew the other side of the fabric to the remaining side of zipper to make a tube. Fold the straps in half to make a piece 2" x 14" and double stitch (2 rows on top side). Pin in place on each circle. Pin a circle to each end, turning under the basic fabric end only, not necessary on the ends as they will not ravel. Presto..... tote is ready!!



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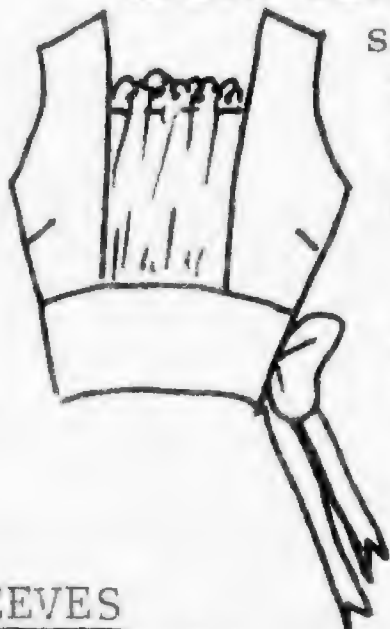
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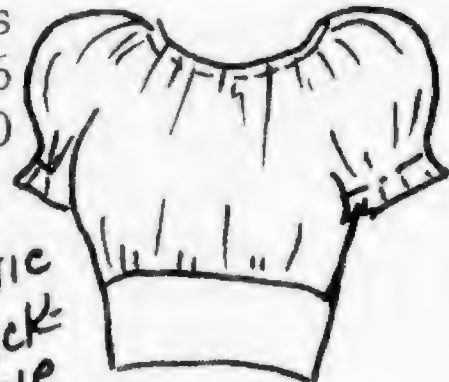
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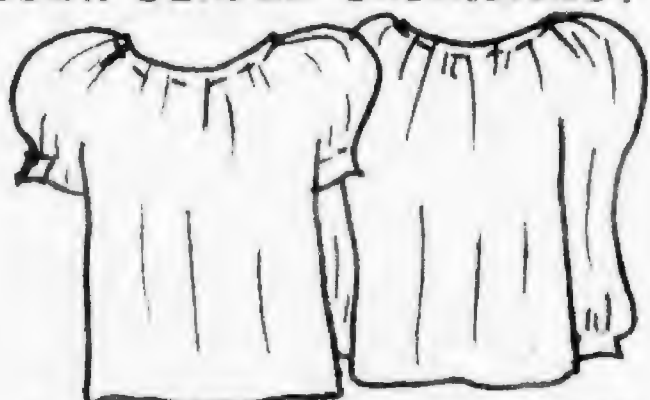
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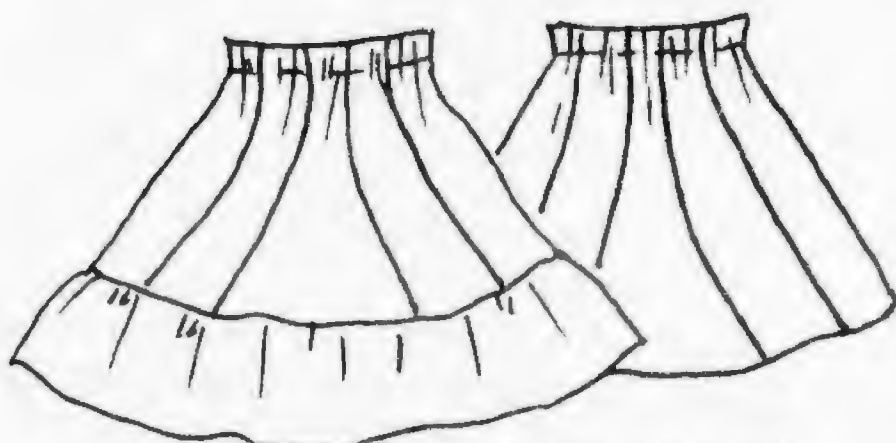


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Summer's over, and we all hope that you had fun at the 26th, NNJSDA and CCNJ dances. Our fall season will start in late September or early October. Come and join us some time, and dance to our caller, Bob Tarrant.

We elected new officers for the coming year. Our president is Peter Hauch; VP, Anne Villa; secretary Liz Hoare; & Treasurer Mike Sellar. Thanks go to the former officers for all of their time and hard work. If you need directions call our president at 201-647-3484 or the number below. Have a wonderful fall! reporter - Liz Hoare 201-766-7048

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Mike Foley is going to open our season in September. Everyone is invited! Our classes will be starting soon after that with Mrs. Bromberg as our instructor. We hope that this class will be as enthusiastic as our previous classes have been. The results of our elections brought us some new officers. Chris Ann Keenan is our new president and vice-president is Denise Hans. Bob Michel still remains our treasurer and the position of secretary was won by Bob Godfrey.

reporters - Carolyn Hans 201-796-7586/Dawn Oliver 201-791-7650

Did you subscribe to AMERICAN SQUAREDANCE when Stan Burdick was here last spring? If you did, then you noticed their July feature article on



DORIS & HAL HOLMES and August's article on NNJSDA's LUST 4 fun.

Pictured is Stan → showing the magazine to dancers at the Association dance.

←The Holmes surprised us all by coming down from Vermont to renew old friendships. They're pictured with Joe Dockry.



Hi Taw Twirlers



SEPT. 13 · DICK JONES.

OCT. 18 · WILL LARSEN.

↓ 20 · JERRY SCHATZER.

↓ 26 · AL BRUNDAGE *

↓ 28 · BRUCE VERTUN.

NOV. 1 · MIKE FOLEY.

OCT. 4 · MIKE FOLEY.

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Round Dancers will be interested in the ROM selections at the Council Meeting on August 7:

for September/October S/D ROM's - "Let's Cuddle"/"Tuxedo Junction"

R/D ROM's- "Alexander's Rag"/ "April in Portugal"

Int. ROM - "Confessin'"

Also set aside Sunday afternoon, October 16 for the Council's fall "Accent On ROUNDS" Dance. A very special dance that will have squares amongst the rounds! Watch for flyers.

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INTRO

1 - 2 WAIT WAIT
3 - 4 APART POINT
TOG TCH

1-2 In OP facing ptr wait 2 meas;;
3 Step apart on L, -, point R twd ptr, -;
4 Tog on R, -, tch L to R to end OP fcg LOD, -;

DANCE

1 - 2 RUN 3 KNEE
Sd BHD SD TCH
3 - 4 RUN 3 KNEE
SD BHD SD TCH
5 - 6 CIRCLE AWAY 2-STEP
CIRCLE TOG 2-STEP
7 - 8 VINE 8
9 -10 RUN 3 KNEE
SD BHD SD TCH
11-12 RUN 3 KNEE
SD BHL SD TCH
13-14 CIRCLE AWAY 2-STEP
CIRCLE TOG 2-STEP
15-16 VINE 8

1 In OP run LOD L,R,L, lift R foot & swing R knee across in front of L thigh;
2 Trng slightly bk to bk step sd R, XLIB of R (W XIB also), sd R, tch L to R;
3 Same as meas 1;
4 Same as meas 2;
5 M twd COH (W twd wall) do one 2-step L,R,L, -;
6-Continue circle bk twd ptr & wall (W COH) one 2-step R,L,R, -;
7 IN BFLY POS step sd L, XRIB of L (W XIB), sd L, XRIF of L (W XIF);
8 Same as meas 7 to end in OP fcg LOD;
9 Same as meas 1;
10 Same as meas 2;
11 Same as meas 1;
12 Same as meas 2;
13-14 Same as meas 5-6;;
15-16 Same as meas 7-8;;

17-18 HALF A BOX FWD
STROLL 2
19-20 HALF A BOX BK
STROLL 2
21-22 AWAY & TOG

17 In BFLY pos step sd L, clo R to L, fwd L, -;
18 In LO POS walk RLOD R, -, L, -;
19 In BFLY POS Step sd R, clo L to R, bk on R, -;
20 In OP walk LOD L, -, R, -;
21 Step sd L twd COH (W twd wall), close R to L/in place on L, sd R twd ptr, close L to R/R in place to face ptr & tch lead hands;
22 Same as meas 21;

23-24 ROLL 4
STEP KICK STEP FC
25-26 VINE DOWN
TWIRL BACK

23 Roll 4 down LOD L,R,L,R(end OP);
24 Continue LOD in OP step L, kick R LOD, fc ptr & step R, tch L to R;
25 In BFLY step SD L, XRIB of L (W XIB also), sd L, tch R to L;
26 Sd R, XLIB of R (W twirl LF L,R,L, tch R;) sd R, tch L to R to end BFLY POS;

27-28 SISSOR CHECK
RECOVER SD THRU

27 In BFLY POS step sd L, clo R to L, XLIF (W XIF also) of R, check (&TILT SLIGHTLY TWD RLOD);
28 Rec on R, sd L, XRIF of L (W XIF also) & thru, -;

29-30 VINE DOWN
TWIRL BACK

29-30 Starting BFLY repeat meas 25-26;;

31-32 SISSOR CHECK
RECOVER SD THRU

31-32 Repeat meas 27-28 to end OP to repeat dance

SEQUENCE: INTRO, DANCE THRU TWICE, ENDING.

ENDING:

1 APART POINT

Step apart on L, -, point R twd ptr, -; ACKNOWLEDGE

"LET'S CUDDLE"

SEPTEMBER - S/D ROM

Mac GREGOR RECORDS

MGR # 5504-A

Choreographers:-
ART 'N EVELYN JOHNSON
6562 WHEELER ROAD
PARADISE, CALIF.

"LET'S CUDDLE"

POSITION: INTRO open facing. PART A. open facing LOD. PART B closed.
FOOTWORK: Opposite throughout

MEAS INTRO

- 1- 4 WAIT;WAIT;APART,-,TOG,-TCH,-(OP pos) ; LOD.
- 1-2 Wait 2 meas in open facing pos;
- 3 Step apart on L,-,Point R twd ptr,-;
- 4 Step tog on R,-,tchL,-turning to OP facing LOD;

PART A

- 1- 4 (1)VINE APT,2,3,TCH;(2)VINE TOG,2,TURN(solo),-;(Face RLOD)(3)FWD TWO-STEP;(4) FWD TWO-STEP;
- 1 Step side COH L,cross R in bk of L,side L,tch R to L (WXIB);
- 2 Step side R,cross L in bk of R,turning to face RLOD with weight on R end in chase pos;(W vines twd M L,R,L taking weight on L and turning to chase pos behind M with a LF turn (M RF turn);
- 3-4 In chase pos RLOD do 2 fwd two-steps L,R,L;R,L,R;
- 5- 8 (5)LUNGE,-,RECOVER,-;(6)CHASE)FWD TWO-STEP;(7)(CATCHUP)FWD TWO-STEP;(8) SIDE,TCH,SIDE, TCH;
- 5 Lunge RLOD on L(W on R),recover on R(Won L),turning to face LOD M with RF turn W with LF turn,(chase pos in LOD);
- 6 Down LOD do fwd two-step L,R,L,-;W R,L,R,-;
- 7 Fwd two-step R,L,R for M to come even with W as W does her two-step almost in place in OP pos;
- 8 (COH) Step side on L,tch R to L, side R,tch L to R;
- 9-16 REPEAT MEAS 1-4 EXCEPT ON MEAS 16 W COMES IN FRONT ON TOG TCH TO END CP FACING LOC:

PART B

- 1- 4 (1)CP LOD) FWD TWO-STEP;(2)FWD TWO-STEP;(3) (HITCH 4)FWD CLOSE,BK,CLOSE;(4) WALK,-,2,-;
- 1-2 (In CP) do 2 fwd two-steps L,R,L,-; R,L,R,-;
- 3 Step fwd L, close R to L, step bk R, close L to R;
- 4 Walk L, R, , to Sidecar
- 5- 8 (PROG SCIS)(SIDECAR)(5)SIDE,CLOSE,CROSS,-;(6)(bhjo)SIDE,CLOSE,CROSS-;(7)RF TURN (MG TWO-STEP);(8) RF TURNING TWO-STEP;(face LOD)
- 5-6 In CP do 2 progressive scissors in LOD turning to face ptr on last step(step side twd COH on L,close R to L,cross L over R to sidecar; step twd wall on R, close L to R,cross R over L to banjo turning to face ptr;
- 7-8 Facing wall do 2 RF turning two-steps L,R,L,-;R,L,R-; end facing LOD in CP;
- 9-16 REPEAT MEAS 1-8 of PART B. END IN OP POS FACING LOD TO START DANCE OVER

TAG: FACE PTR AND WALL, STEP APART ACKN.

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LEGACY



LEGACY should not be confused with CALLERLAB. Developed in the '70's the purpose of Legacy is to coordinate the various phases of S/D activity. As a non profit organization it is basically a communicating center for the whole activity and welcomes suggestions, ideas and questions. Invitations are issued at the suggestion of present "trustees" and by approval of the Board of Directors to men and women of proven leadership ability. Members can come from the following component groups of the S/D activity: dancers; S/Dancer organizations; local caller organizations; Callerlab; r/d teacher organization; National S/D Convention Ex. Com.; S/D publications (local, national, international); S/D record companies; S/D suppliers; foundation & special interest groups such as Lloyd Shaw foundation, American S/D Society, special groups and projects.

The 200 trustees (1977) of Legacy who met in Memphis were among the most dedicated group of leaders ever assembled. (They'd have to be-all were paying their own expenses.) Differences of opinions were voiced - compromises reached - all to help promote, protect and perpetuate the future of S/Ding and its related activities.

Considerable time was spent in projecting plans for smaller LEGACY or mini-Legacy sessions around the world. Our "LUST for fun" is such a mini Legacy as it attempts to bring more leadership awareness training and communication to our dancers.

Briefly policies for conducting Legacy itself were adopted. A manual for Mini-Legacies is due out this fall. Tho the emphasis was on leadership, numerous resolutions were adopted - from the skulllab on areas of COOPERATION - Legacy members went on record as being opposed to contests that pit dancer against dancer or caller against caller, endorsing the concept that s/ding is a cooperative and not a competitive activity.

Legacy supports working with all youth groups who wish to engage in s/d activities. Legacy also recognized the good work of CROWD and encouraged public support among s/ders of their continued efforts and will observe with interest the efforts of the American S/D Association International (ASDAI) to perpetuate the heritage and culture of S/Ding.

From the skulllab on ETHICS - Legacy asked all to reaffirm and adhere to the s/d ethics as set forward in the Ten Commandments of S/Ding and at previous Legacy sessions. They suggested ethics should be an integral part of any teaching class program; dancers should also be enlightened as to the destructive effects of a clubs losing dancers to another club as a result of unethical soliciting of people. (continued on page 60)

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As the summer began our annual picnic with lots of good food, games for children and adults, ending with a S/D called by our club caller Stan Zaczowski at the park was an unqualified success. Shortly thereafter a "work party" was held to renovate our float and off we went to Montclair, NJ marching and dancing in their 4th of July Parade winning "Honorable Mention most entertaining" which was certainly a gratifying experience.

To many dancers the high light of the summer was their attendance at the National Convention. All returned very much impressed and certainly enthusiastic about the good time they had.

Now as the heat decreases and some cool breezes come our way, get back into the swing of things and be sure to enjoy the fall and winter dances in the wonderful world of square dancing. Please note, we have moved - a new dance night and a new location. Our ad on page 15 will tell it all.

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UNION SQUARES -- Roselle, N.J.

1st Friday

First Presbyterian Church, Chestnut Street

We finished our first year of dancing with our "convention warm up" in June with 5 squares enjoying a fun evening. Even though we do not dance during the summer, our members have been busy visiting other clubs. Several of us were at the Convention, meeting old friends and making new ones.

We put on two exhibitions at the Union County 4-H Fair with 3 sets dancing. In July, at the request of the Westfield Recreation Department, we gave a ninety minute demonstration with audience participation. We thoroughly enjoyed these opportunities to acquaint the public with s/ding. Our audiences reacted with great enthusiasm.

Our new presidents, Dennis Comeau & Sherryl Lombardi are looking forward to a successful year, culminating in our joining the Association. We will have a "Get Acquainted" Barn Dance for new people on September 9th. Our classes will be every Monday with September 26th being the final date for registering. See our ad on page 45. Our season will open in October with Frank Riviccio calling. Bob Merkler will call in November. Remember we are a family oriented club and welcome teenagers and children of our members. You all come on out for fun, fellowship & some good square dancing.

reporters - Bob/Mary Northrup

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2nd Wednesday

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Bruce Vertun began his second year as caller for our club at the open house dance in September. His style assures fun while keeping you alert. Bruce kept in shape this past summer by sharing the outside calling chores with Jules Pozsar at Petruska Park. Ed & Les Shearwood will handle the rounds as only they can.

A great year is planned for 1977 by our new officers under presidents Betty & Lou Miller. Join us for a night of pleasure and for your non-dancing friends, classes start Wednesday, September 21. Call Millers at 444-4332 for details. reporters - Chuck/Teel Smith 201-391-0652

KUNTRY KUZN'S -- Franklin, N.J.

1 & 3 Saturdays

Presbyterian Church, Main Street

Well summer is over already and it sure was a hot one, but it didn't stop any of our club members or friends from dancing. Our July Danny T-Bow dance turned out 25+ squares. "Chet's Special" in July in honor of his birthday turned out 17 sets and everyone had ice cream sundaes. The very same day we paraded at 10 AM in the Franklin Day Parade and then put on demo's at 2 and at 5 PM!

The second week of August was our busy week as Sussex County Square Dancers did demo's every night at the Farm & Horse show. Wednesday night was our big night with Bob Mitchell calling from 8 - 10. We're planning a VICE President's Ball in October, so all you First Vice President's out there we will see you at the ball. We've also planned a Fashion Show for this dance. reporters - Ed/Fannie Waldron 201-383-5374

Sunday afternoon - October 16, 1977 - Harvest of Rounds 2 - 5:30 pm
 for place - contact NNJRDLG members

LEGACY - continued from page 56

Legacy went on record to encourage dancers to belong to a club, to support that club & wear its badge with pride and suggested that it is the responsibility of all s/d clubs to promote teaching whenever and wherever possible. Proper s/d attire at all s/d activities by ALL participants was stressed even in the early weeks of lessons. Caller & leaders and their partners should set the example in the wearing of accepted s/d attire. It was also suggested that both callers & clubs should be protected by a written contract with any possible termination of any agreement first be discussed by the caller and the clubs governing body. If booking for special events, a definite deadline for confirmation should be set.

From the skulllab on round dancing, Legacy supports the concept of the formation of an International Organization of R/D teachers dedicated to the promotion, protection and perpetuation of the general r/d movement to complement the overall s/d picture.

It was an overflowing 4 days the Kaltenthalers, Pedersens and Tirrells put in at Memphis. Next meeting is scheduled for May 1979 in Louisville.

LUST - L U S T -




LUST 4 fun '77
Leadership Seminar....




Yale Carroad's entire summer was devoted to LUST!!! To the non-dancer that sounds !!!, but not to over 200 dancers who preregistered for the seminars which Yale and his committee have arranged. Endowed with a fresh approach, unlimited energy, but still a stickler for details, Yale has read thru all correspondence and has done his utmost to come up with a leadership seminar to answer all requests. His moderators have had numerous skulllabs to assemble their material. He will appreciate all comments from those who attended, for passing on to next chairman of LUST 4 fun.

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 Had this almost put to bed & then found the 2 pages of names we'd typed earlier in July! Thanks to all who sent news in early with a hectic August all early birds were appreciated. And we appreciated the kind words & cards we received when Doc's Dad passed away. It does help. Next issue - MAPS - 3 x 3; in black & white. The ones distributed to delegates by the Morrisons are excellent, but are ALREADY REDUCED - we'd like to include every club's ...

- Please tho, observe the deadline of October 12-as we want everything in the printers' hands before ye editors leave for ROUNDALAB October 24.

 BOUQUETS of THANKS from 1st VP, Frank & Nan HABERSBERGER to all the clubs who so willingly gave of themselves to help move tables and chairs, and serve punch at the NNJSDA summer dances. Many hands certainly make light work. If you have any suggestions for halls for next summer, give them to the Habersbergers, NOW.