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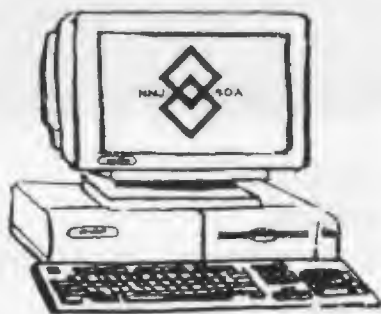
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*From the computer of.....Frank & Helaine Penn, NNJSDA Presidents*  
Observations...



There seems to be resurgence of commitment, energy, and cooperation among the membership of NNJSDA. This exuberance is applauded and encouraged... the undaunting spirit, of "pulling" and working together, is clearly evident. It is reflected in our Association dances, the attendance of which has been consistently good, and especially by the surge of support at our recent Mini-Festival, which gives unequivocal testimony that we are still strong, committed and highly dedicated. Although our dances, as with the Mini-Festival, have not broken any records, it is appreciated that we manage to "break even." For which you, the members, are to be commended, and to whom we extend many thanks.

Our greatest challenge, as you well know, is that of recruiting new students/members and having them become committed to the wonderful world of square dancing, with its myriad of personal benefits. Nevertheless, with your continuing support, cooperation, and "never-say-die" faith, we are certain that the challenge of this long-range goal can be met and conquered.

We continue to seek ideas and encourage constructive communications, the nature of which will serve to strengthen us as an organization. Consistent with this is the advent of our new web site. Please make use of it. Our thanks to Richard & Rusty Ball.

As we enter the new year, there are several resolutions that should aid and  
*Please turn to page 4*



## NORTHERN NEW JERSEY SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION

### Mid-Term Class Level Dance

Sunday, January 23, 2000 - 2:30-5:00 p.m.

### Newark Academy

91 South Orange Ave., Livingston, NJ

### MANY CCNJ CALLERS

Sponsored by the Association for all Students, Angels,  
Teachers, Class Coordinators, and Club Members.



Soft-soled shoes required.  
Wear your name badge.  
Map on page 60.



Information:  
Frank & Helaine Penn  
973-746-4228

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973-256-1647

## NNJSDA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### January '00:

- 23 Mid-Term Student Dance**  
 Many Callers  
 Newark Academy  
 Livingston, NJ
- 29 NNJSDA Special (PL/RD)**  
 Roy Leber & Nick Raspa  
 Scottish Rite, Lincoln Park, NJ

### March:

- 12 NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.**
- 17 Grand Square Deadline** for  
 May-Sept (Grads/Summer) Issue
- 31 NNJSDA Special (PL/RD)**  
 Joe Landi & Tom Denniston  
 Scottish Rite, Lincoln Park, NJ

### April:

- 29 NNJSDA Special (PL/RD)**  
 Glenn Matthew & Karen Kushla  
 Scottish Rite, Lincoln Park, NJ

### May:

- 7 Delegates Meeting (1:30 p.m.)**  
 VFW, Elmwood Park, NJ
- Grand Square Distribution** of  
 May-Sept (Grads/Summer) Issue

- 21 Graduates Ball**  
 Many callers  
 Newark Academy, Livingston

- 27 Poster Contest Deadline**

### June:

- 4 NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.**  
 Judging of Poster Contest
- 22-24 NSDC, Baltimore, MD**

### July:

- 17 Grand Square Deadline** for  
 Sept-Jan. (Fall) Issue
- 29 NNJSDA Summer Dance**  
 MS/PL/RD/A-1 tip  
 Scottish Rite, Lincoln Park, NJ

### August:

- 13 NNJSDA Exec. Bd. Mtg.**
- 26 NNJSDA Summer Special**  
 MS/PL/RD/A-1 tip  
 Scottish Rite, Lincoln Park, NJ
- Grand Square Distribution** of  
 Sept-Jan. (Fall) Issue

### September:

- 17 Delegates Meeting (1:30 p.m.)**  
 VFW, Elmwood Park, NJ

*"ONE SQUARE IS FAIR"*

*Presidents Letter continued from page 3*

further strengthen us as we move forward. There are: To raise the bar with "One Square is Fair" by issuing the challenge to have at least ten (10) clubs achieve One Square is Fair at each of the Association dances. To have, at least, twenty (20) of our club conduct classes of at least ten (10) or more students and usher them through graduation. To have Raids more evenly distributed among member clubs, and especially to member clubs where attendance tends to be weakest. To have member clubs more actively participate in/at Association dances by serving as hosts/hostesses, and by providing light refreshments. These, we feel will serve to strengthen the NNJSDA by having us working in a more focused interactive manner, and sharing more fully in the fun, friendship and sheer enjoyment of our square dancing activities. As we come to the close of the 20th Century, may we be embraced with rich and lasting memories that will provide us with renewed vigor to face the many challenges that the dawning of the 21st Century are sure to present.

We extend to each of you our warmest wishes for a New Year filled with lots of great dancing, an abundance of happiness, good health and prosperity. And again, Happy 2000!!!

*Frank & Helaine Penn, NNJSDA Presidents*

For anything worth having, one must pay the price;  
 and the price is always work, patience, love, self-sacrifice.

*John Burroughs*

## LETTERS TO THE EDITORS...

My wife and I started square dance lessons three years ago and are presently actively dancing the Plus program. We started working on the Patron Card upon our Mainstream graduation. At the present time we have signatures from 14 clubs. Could you answer the following questions for me as well as several other couples?

1. How many clubs are 65% of the member clubs?
2. Are clubs no longer dancing (Ocean Waves, See Saw Squares, etc.) valid clubs for this dangle?
3. If we travel for possibly an 1-1/2 hours to a club and there is a guest caller rather than the club caller, does that nullify this club's signature?

Thank you. We all hope to finish this award requirement shortly. Sincerely,  
*Bob Zuidervliet, Belles & Beaux, Rockytops, and Spinning Wheels*

### Editors Reply:

We would be happy to answer your questions and hope this clears up the confusion for all the dancers of our member clubs:

1. At the present time there are 27 member clubs. If you handed in your Patron Card in the 1999-2000 dance season, you would need 18 club signatures. The NNJSDA Executive Board decided that because the number of member clubs has been changing every year, it made more sense to make the requirement for a Patron Club a percentage rather than a specific number. Since there is no time limit on completion, it was the most logical approach to a dynamically changing member club population.

2. Clubs no longer dancing are absolutely valid signatures provided, of course,  
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## NORTHERN NEW JERSEY SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION

*Presents*

National Caller  
Plus with A-1 tip

**Roy Leber**

Cuer

**Nick Raspa**

Dance Date/Time

**Sat., Jan. 29, 2000 - 8:00 p.m.**

Location

Scottish Rite Masonic Temple  
99 Two Bridges Road, Lincoln Park, NJ  
(Map on page 60)

Dress Code

Square Dance Attire. Soft-Soled Shoes.

All Clubs Expected  
to Participate

*One Square is Fair*

Inquiries

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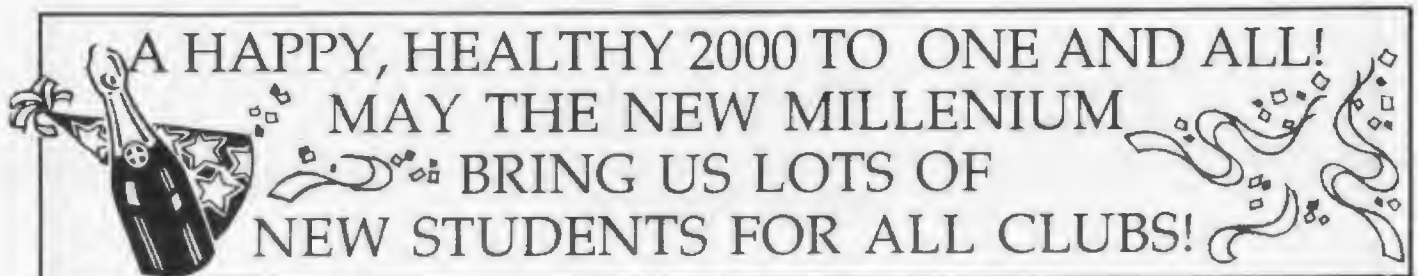
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# NNJSDA POSTER CONTEST

## OBJECT OF THE CONTEST: TO STIMULATE INTEREST IN SQUARE DANCING.

1. Anyone is eligible to enter whether or not they are square dancers. Any number of entries may be submitted.
2. All posters must be 8-1/2" X 11" done in black ink on white paper or poster board.
3. Subject may be any square dance theme, but must include:
  - a. National Square Dance Month—September
  - b. Sufficient space for each club to fill in their own class or open house information.
4. The subject matter must not be localized to any one geographical area.
5. Judging will be the responsibility and honor of the NNJSDA Executive Board at its Sunday, June 4, 2000 meeting.
6. All entries, including the winning poster, will become the property of the NNJSDA, and at their discretion be reprinted to promote square dancing in New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, and displayed at National and State Square Dance Conventions.
7. The winning poster will be featured on the cover of the Fall Issue of *Grand Square*.
8. Deadline for all entries is Saturday, May 27, 2000 Mail or deliver entries to the 3rd VPs, Joe Miller & Maria Mazzaresse, 779 Klondike Ave., Staten Island, NY 10314; Tel: 718-761-3096.



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the date of the signature was before the club closed.

3. The rules state that you must have visited a club "on their regularly scheduled club night and danced to their regular caller (if they have one)." Dancers should use *Grand Square* to plan their visits to coincide with the rules. However, the NNJSDA wants to encourage our dancers to visit other clubs. If you planned a visit to a member club, on their regular night, with their regular caller, and a substitute caller was there, we would honor that signature whether you traveled 1-1/2 hours or 15 minutes. If you planned to visit that club because they had guest caller that evening rather than their regular caller, that signature would not be valid. Most clubs enjoy a surge of visitors when they have a special guest caller. The purpose of the rule is to help clubs increase attendance at their regular dances.

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AIR CONDITIONED HALL

TEMPLE BETH AM, 879 SOUTH BEVERWYCK ROAD, PARSIPPANY

**MAINSTREAM with  
1 PLUS Tip**

**TUESDAY 8 P.M.  
(\*EARLY ROUNDS 7:30 P.M.)**

## December 1999

- 7 Bob Mitchell \* Mary Pickett
- 14 John Kaltenthaler - Student Dance  
Student's \$2.00
- 21 Bob Mitchell \*\* Lois Bichler  
Holiday Dance
- 28 No Dance

*Happy Holidays!*

## January 2000

- 4 Bob Mitchell
- 11 Herb Conklin
- 18 Bob Mitchell
- 25 Pal Johnson \* Mary Pickett

## February 2000

- 1 Bob Mitchell  
Student Dance - Students \$2.00
- 8 Don Coy \*\* Dot Coy
- 15 Jim Snyder Valentine's Day Dance
- 22 Mickey McFarland \* Mary Pickett  
President's Day Dance - All Club  
President's invited
- 29 Howard Richman  
Sadie Hawkins' Dance

## March 2000

- 7 Bob Mitchell \* Mary Pickett
- 14 John Kaltenthaler - St. Patrick's Day  
Student Dance - Student's \$2.00
- 21 Bob Mitchell \*\* Lois Bichler
- 28 Howard Richman \* Mary Pickett

## April 2000

- 4 Bob Mitchell \* Mary Pickett
- 11 Pal Johnson - Graduation  
Student Dance - Student's \$2.00
- 18 Bob Mitchell \*\* Lois Bichler
- 25 No Dance

## May 2000

- 2 Bob Mitchell \* Mary Pickett  
27th Anniversary Dinner Dance  
6:30 Dinner - 8:00 PM Dance
- 9 John Kaltenthaler
- 16 Bob Mitchell \*\* Lois Bichler
- 23 Don Coy \* Mary Pickett
- 30 Howard Richman \*\* Lois Bichler  
Memorial Day Dance



\* Rounds  
\*\* Country Western Lines

For Info: Call, Ann & John 973-209-4971  
or Carol 973-334-1196

Dream Spinners\* presents....

# Time To Wish Upon A Star

## Benefit Dance

For The Sunshine Foundation [help for terminally ill children]

**MIKE CALLAHAN** [NY]

**HENRY FEREE** [PA]

**MARY & PETE MCGEE** [PA]

**Sunday May 7, 2000**

Plus 2x2, 2:00-4:30; Prerounds 1:30, PH II-V; A-2 tip 4:30

**Nottingham Ballroom**

200 Mercer Street, Hamilton Square, NJ

A Fabulous Dance For A Good Cause in the Springtime

In Advance: Tickets \$6.00 per person.

At the Door: Tickets \$6.50 per/person

Maps to Nottingham: By e-mail--dreamspinners@home.com

By mail: Dream Spinners, 317 Dalton Street, Philadelphia, PA 19111-1802\*\*

No phone calls will be accepted for this event

Advanced tickets or map by regular mail, use address above\*\*

\*\*Requires self addressed and stamped envelope 33¢ stamp

\*Dream Spinners is an all volunteer organization composed of dancers both present and former, plus non-dancers.

Next event to be announced soon. will benefit Multiple Sclerosis.

Corporate Contributors Are Always welcome.  
Contact Dream Spinners at dreamspinners@home.com  
or by mail to 317 Dalton Street, Phila., PA 19111-1802



## FREE E-RESOURCES FOR SQUARE DANCERS

by Rusty Ball (ckball52@juno.com)

**E-MAIL:** The ability to communicate quickly and VERY cheaply by using a computer has changed the way children "talk" to grandparents, the way adults learn information, and the way we view our whole world. Most of us are just entering this world of electronic communication. There are some pretty basic, and sometimes rather obscure, e-Resources that you may like. Also, "newbies" have a lot of questions and I will try to answer some here.

*Note:* When entering a web site address (URL), <http://> will automatically be appended, so it does not have to be typed. Also, NOT ALL URLs are [www](http://www), so don't type that unless the URL says so.

When we originally got a computer, Richard and I decided that we wouldn't go on the Internet because we were afraid we'd get "hooked." (We've since proven that right!) But we wanted e-Mail. There is a (really) free e-Mail service that does NOT require Internet access. It's called Juno, and the company will send software to you for absolutely free (1-888-879-5866). All you need is a computer with a modem plugged into a phone line. Juno has enough phone access numbers so that almost everyone can call a free local number to get their mail. But even if the nearest number is a local toll call, the calls to download messages and the accompanying ads only take 1-2 minutes, which is still less than a single snail-mail stamp.

*Note:* Do you Juno users know that the ads take up a large bundle of memory over time? But it's a cheap trade-off for a free service. Go into the Juno/Ads folder a least once a month and delete all the ad folders with numbers on them. Then remember to empty your Recycle Bin to reclaim 2-4MB of space.

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# NORTHERN NEW JERSEY SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION

*Presents*

New Jersey Caller  
Plus with A-1 tip

**Joe Landi**

Cuer

**Tom Denniston**

Dance Date/Time

**Fri., March 31, 2000 - 8:00 p.m.**

Location

Scottish Rite Masonic Temple  
99 Two Bridges Road, Lincoln Park, NJ  
(Map on page 60)

Dress Code

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# MASQUERADERS

1st, 3rd & 5th FRIDAYS  
PLUS LEVEL

Prerounds: 7:30 pm

Squares: 8:00-10:30 pm

## 2000 WINTER/SPRING DANCE SCHEDULE

		<u>CALLER</u>	<u>CUER</u>
January 7		Al Kaesler	Tom Denniston
January 21	SNOW DANCE (Wear White)	Roy Leber*	Ron Rumble
February 4		Al Kaesler	Tom Denniston
February 18	VALENTINES	Mark Franks*	Ron Rumble
March 3		Al Kaesler	Tom Denniston
March 17	ST. PATRICK'S	Jim Snyder*	Ron Rumble
March 31		Roy Leber*	Ron Rumble
April 7	PIE NIGHT	Al Kaesler	Tom Denniston
April 21	NO DANCE		
May 5		Al Kaesler	Tom Denniston
May 19	ANNUAL MEETING/DINNER	Glen Matthews*	Ron Rumble

\* Star tip (Advanced or DBD)

**AMERICAN CZECHOSLOVAK FARMERS' CLUB, Hankins Road, East Windsor, NJ**  
(Just off Route 130. Four lights south of Route 571 or two lights north of the junction of Routes 130 and 33)  
INFORMATION: Please call 609-298-2566 or 609-448-4548

## LETTERS TO THE EDITORS...

I was happy that Richmond Dancers was to be the club for which I called my last club dance because over the many years that I have been calling for them I can't remember one Richmond dance that I didn't enjoy immensely. So I was sure that it would be a good one. But, they really outdid themselves for that September 25, 1999 dance when I closed out my 50 years of club calling.

I have so many people to thank for that wonderful evening: Lois & Leo Bichler for the great job they did coordinating the whole affair; all the members of the club for doing so much to make it a great night to remember; Doc & Peg Tirrell for sending down that linen signature towel which will hang in my office; the dancers of the four clubs who raided that evening; and all of the special friends who came to the dance, some from long distances and many of whom I had not seen in a long time. Thank you all.

I expect to continue to see a few club dancers occasionally. I'll be doing demos for the Happy Squares and Kittatinny Rangers, and perhaps some others, and will be doing some dance programs for clubs that would include some of my favorite singing calls (especially some of the oldies), contras, and perhaps country western, line, folk and/or ballroom dances. No patter calls.

Again, many thanks to all of you. Sincerely,

*Dick Pasvolsky*

### FUTURE NATIONAL CONVENTIONS

49th in Baltimore, MD: June 21-24, 2000

50th in Anaheim, CA: June 27-30, 2001

51st in St. Paul, MN: June 26-29, 2002

52nd in Oklahoma City, OK: June 25-28, 2003

AL'e'MO SQUARES - Brooklyn, NY

Alt. MS/PL

<http://community.nj.com/cc/alemo>

2 & 4 Sun. All Year

Our Lady of Grace Ch, Ave W & 3rd St.

Al'e'Mo finished off its winter season with a beautiful end-of-season dinner on June 24. Prior to that on June 6, we held a ceremony at the Narrows Botanical Gardens where we dedicated a tree in the name of a former beloved member, Mike Forte. On June 4, we completed our Raid Program with two raids, one to Ironia Reelers and one to Ocean Waves. A total of 20 dancers visited these two clubs.

On June 6, we participated in a picnic at the Bay Ridge Community Family Picnic. Our Native American Dance on May 23 raised \$450 for three Indian Schools. We also made a donation of \$250 to Colonial Pals.

On July 16-18, eleven Al'e'Mo dancers attended Festival '99 in Maryland. On October 9, we sent a busload of 30 dancers to the NJ Square and Round Dance Convention. Additional members went by car.

As we went into our new season, we had two Open House dances bringing in 60 potential students. Our October 2nd Barn Dance, a benefit for Our Lady of Grace Church, netted approximately \$500. On October 24, over 20 of our dancers along with Don Coy participated in the Narrows Botanical Gardens Harvest Festival.

On October 31, Dot Coy threw a big Halloween/Birthday bash to celebrate Don's birthday. Along with Al'e'Mo dancers, there were family members and dancers from Kings Squares and Richmond Dancers. It was a blast! Everybody had a great time, and it couldn't happen to a nicer guy.

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Walter Lasky

718-996-5848

## NORTHERN NEW JERSEY SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION

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PA Caller  
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**Glenn Matthew**

Cuer

**Karen Kushla**

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BEE SHARPS - Bound Brook, NJ

PL/RD

<http://community.nj.com/cc/beesharps>

2 & 4 Fri. Sept-Jun Bound Brook Untd. Meth, 150 Union Ave (Rt. 28)

Summer has come and gone. We had a really hot one too. Our first dance was cancelled due to the flood in Bound Brook. The church where we dance was used as a flood emergency center for the flood victims. If you didn't hear about the disaster caused by hurricane Floyd, here is the news: Floyd left us with flooding all over Bound Brook and also where yours truly lives in Manville. As of now they are still cleaning up or moving out.

Our Open House was a success. We had quite a few students and almost all the Bee Sharps members attended. So far the students are returning every Monday. Hope they keep it up.

We also have some Bee Sharps still traveling around. Ed & Beth just came back from Hawaii. They stayed at a friend's condo near the ocean.

We had our first raid to the Warren Wheelers and had a real good time. Everyone was so nice and friendly. On Halloween, the Bee Sharps had a dance with more than 7 squares and not a crumb of refreshments was left over.


Here it is, early November, and guess what? Another storm came upon us. Thirteen of us car pooled to visit Lakeland Squares in the pouring rain. We arrived safe and, with hair blowing in the wind, started into the hall when the lights went out in the town. After an hour, someone from Lakeland got a generator and there was enough electricity for the caller to call a few tips until the hall was closed for safety reasons. See what you missed?

Happy Holidays. By the time you read this, it'll be happy New Year 2000!

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Olga & Ted Pichnarczyk

908-725-0955



# **RICHMOND DANCERS**

**2 & 4 Saturdays** **Plus Squares 8:00-10:30 PM**

	<b>2000:</b>		
	Jan. 22	Steve Forman	<i>Super Bowl Dance</i>
	Feb. 12	Manny Amor	<i>Valentine Bistro</i>
	Feb. 26	Nick Martellacci	
	Mar. 11	Jim Emory	<i>St. Patrick's Dance</i>
	Mar. 25	Dick Mazziotti	
	Apr. 8	Randy Longobucco	<i>Spring Special</i>
	May 13	Sandy Corey	
	May 27	Manny Amor	

**All Saints Episcopal Church, 2329 Victory Blvd., Staten Island, NY**

From NJ: Take Victory Blvd. Exit from the SI Expwy. Make left on Victory to Crystal Ave. Make left on Crystal. Church lot is the 2nd right.

From Brooklyn: Take the Bradley Ave. Exit from the SI Expwy. Make right onto Bradley. Make left at Victory Blvd. to Crystal Ave. Make right on Crystal. Church lot is 2nd right.

Information: Ray O'Neill 718-987-0257; Porters 718-448-9761  
*Special drawing for a free admission for visitors who come across a bridge.*

Have the months of classes kept your friends from starting to Square Dance?  
Would you like to be able to Square Dance with them?

Now there's the...  
**Barn Dance**

**Every 1st & 3rd Tuesday from 7-9:30 p.m.**

(2 blocks from the Hutchinson Parkway)

**Community Unitarian Church**

**348 Rosedale Avenue**

**White Plains, NY**



No commitment necessary!



2/1 to 5/16/00

2/1 to 5/16/00

CALL 914 632-6605 for directions

**BELLES & BEAUX -- Glen Rock, NJ**

**MS/PL tip**

<http://community.nj.com/cc/nnjsda-bellesbeaux>

**1 & 3 Wed. and 3 Sat. Sept-May  
June-Aug.**

**Coleman School, 100 Pinelynn Rd.  
VFW Hall, 6 Veterans Pl., Elmwood Park**

Led by our intrepid Presidents, David Wolin and Susan Jurgensen, B&B celebrated its 20th Anniversary on October 20, 1999. Ed Foote was the caller and the dance was well attended. Many former Presidents were on hand and the Guest of Honor was Jeanne Brody. Lakeland Squares raided us and we raided them in turn on October 23.

When Dick Mazziotti called for F.A.D. on December 19, we raided them returning their earlier raid to us. Our Raid Chairman is Fred Meyer.

Under the leadership of Dan Franks, Ann Nuzzo, and Ed Urbanski, our new class is doing really well. We are sorry to say that this is the last year that Dick Mazziotti will be teaching the class. He has been our club caller and class teacher for ten years. He and Laurie will be moving to Luray, VA. We will miss them. (Note to Fred Meyer: Could we raid them?)

Our Co-President Susan Jurgensen, is editor of "The Bell Ringer," the B&B newsletter. Three issues so far which covers the past, present and future of our club. Please note the title is "Belle Ringer" on "Beaux Ringer."

Ken & Edna Franz won a prize for best costume at F.A.D.'s Halloween dance. Along with their many activities, they were Presidents of B&B during 1992-1993.

In the year 2000, the 3rd Wednesday or the 3rd Saturday dance may be dropped. So see you in Y2K.

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Marj & Warren Gould

201-445-9896

# ROCKLAND PROMENADERS



## Mainstream Dancing

Second Friday of the Month  
8:00 p.m. to 10:30 p.m.  
7:30 MS Workshop DBD/APD

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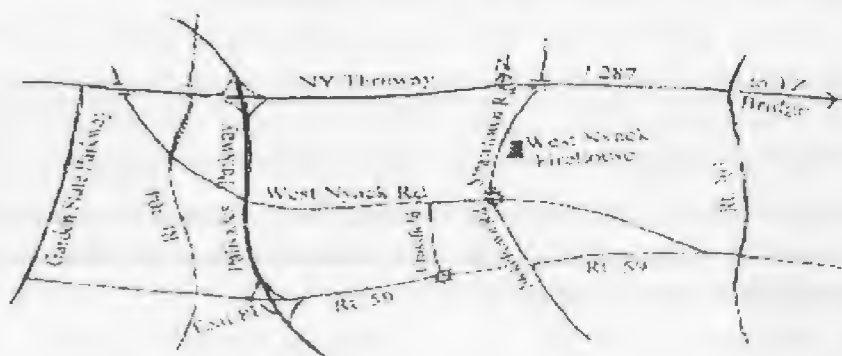
### 2000 - DANCE SCHEDULE

- Jan. 14 -- Jim Wass (MD)  
Feb. 11 -- Dick Mazziotti (NJ) – Presidents' Day Dance  
March 10 - Student Level Dance -- 8 to 10:30  
Mickey McFarland - **Students FREE**  
April 14 -- Todd Fellegy (CT)  
May 12 -- Ed Foote (PA)  
June 9 -- No Dance – (Alpine Boat Basin Dance)  
June 11 -- Sunday Special from 2 to 5  
“Nickelodeon – the 60’s” with Nick Martellacci

**DIRECTIONS:** Palisades Parkway to Exit 8E (Rt. 59 East). Continue on Rt. 59 to first traffic light. Turn left onto Crossfield Ave. Continue to end of Crossfield Ave., turn right onto West Nyack Rd., and continue to traffic light. Make left onto Strawtown Rd. Fire House Hall is just past the yellow blinker light on the right. From Kinderkamack Rd. (Rt. 304 in NY) go to West Nyack Rd. (or Rt. 59), turn right and follow above.

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We want to wish all our square dancing friends a happy and healthy New Year for 2000, and hope you have enjoyed the Holiday Season.

In September, hurricane Floyd hit some of us quite strongly, but we have recovered and repaired the damage. Some of us are also dealing with aging parents and this has been a difficult time. We are glad for our club and the support they have given us. The dancing helps relieve the stress and bring fun into our lives again.

Our new square dance class is vibrant and energetic. We have 20 students learning and dancing with enthusiasm. We look forward to dancing with them at the student dances. Many are already asking about used and new clothing. Our classes sometimes have five squares with the angels and the students.

On Sunday, October 24, we held our 6th Annual Autumn Leaves Dance at an exciting new location, the Palisade Center in West Nyack. It was our first time at this facility. We had a very large crowd who enjoyed Will Larsen's square dance calling and Lois Bichler's line dancing. There was an abundance of delicious food and laughter. We want to thank Mike Schein for chairing this event and Betty Wilson for coordinating the food. We also want to express our appreciation to the members of the club who contributed time, food, door prizes, and decorations. The Autumn Leaves Dance is an entire club effort and was a great success.

This year Paul & Marge Krokus will enhance our hall with interesting theme decorations for each dance. We have an active raid schedule. You will always find outstanding food, great callers, and receive a warm welcome at Circle 8s.

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Susan Gufert (gurusue2@aol.com)

201-573-9130



# Warren Wheelers



8:00 to 10:30 - 1st and 3rd Thursdays

Mansfield Township School, Rt. 57, Port Murray, NJ  
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**2000**

- Jan 20 Ed Kerns
- Feb 3 Herb Conklin
- Feb 17 Jim Snyder
- Mar 2 Ed Kerns
- Mar 16 Don Coy
- Apr 6 Andy Woerner



**2000**

- Apr 20 Dennis Reardon
- May 4 Jim Snyder
- May 18 Mickey McFarland
- June 1 Bob Robinson
- June 15 Dennis Reardon

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<http://community.nj.com/cc/countrypromenaders>

2 & 4 Sat. Sept-May

Stelton Comm. Ctr., Plainfield Ave. (Rt. 529)

Welcome to the new millennium! Five Clubs celebrated in style at their successful dinner dance. The expanded menu and hours proved that sometime bigger is better. We wish all of our friends and their families a Happy New Year filled with good health and lots of fun. We hope you make attending Country Promenaders dances one of the items on your new-century resolutions list.

Country Promenaders was very well represented at the NJ State Convention and the Mini-Festival. These invariably are fun days to share with both fellow club members and friends from the tri-state area. Don't forget to register for the National Convention in Baltimore!

In December, we celebrated the bar mitzvah our club's youngest member, Scott Thompson. Would you believe that he and his brother Brian have been square dancing for five years already? We wish a speedy recovery to Vin Gracchi after his hip surgery. We look forward to him joining us on the dance floor soon. On a sadder note, we extend our condolences to Hank & Lillian Comeau on the loss of their son. May their beautiful memories help them through this difficult time.

Check out our season's full-page ad. We have a dynamite and varied lineup including perennial favorites Ed Foote (PA), Will Larsen (CT), and TIM MARRINER (GA). Please note: Prom Nite this year with Tim Marriner is a ticket dance with a limited number of squares. You don't want to be left out of "the celebration of the season." Remember: we welcome all half-a-pairs, and we'll gladly help you find partners throughout the evening.

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Jan & Louis Thompson

732-577-9413

# Y SQUARES

Mainstream

Mainstream

2 & 4 Fridays

Carl Kumpf School, Mildred Terrace, Clark, NJ

7:30-8:00 p.m. Rounds

8:00-10:30 p.m. Squares & Rounds

Soft-soled shoes required.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Theme</i>	<i>Caller</i>	<i>Cuer</i>
Jan. 28	Ice Breakers	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
Feb. 11	Sweetie Pie Nite	Betsy Gotta	Karen Kushla
Feb. 25	Presidents' Dance	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
Mar. 10	St. Patrick's Dance	Howard Richman	Karen Kushla
*Mar. 24	Amateur Caller Nite	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
Apr. 14	Anything Goes	Joe Landi	Karen Kushla
**Apr. 28	Hot Hash-Spice It Up	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
May 12	Mad Hatter-Pot Luck	Manny Amor	Karen Kushla
May 26	Ice Cream Social	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft

\*Dance held at Valley Road School - See flyers.

\*\*Dance held at the Cranford Methodist Church - See Flyers

Directions to Carl Kumpf School: GSP Exit 135; west on Central Ave; at 1st light, left on Raritan Rd.; at 3rd light, left on Madison Hill Rd. Third street on right is Mildred Terr. Go a half-block to school entrance on left.

Information: Janice Uhlig: 732-381-2535;

Jean Koenig: 908-276-8049 (leave message on machine)

Hall phone: 908-574-8354



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We dance :

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**Saturday, May 6**

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**CROSS TRAIL SQUARES -- Caldwell, NJ**  
<http://community.nj.com/cc/crosstrail>

**PL/A-1 tip/RD**

**2 & 4 Wed. Sept-June**

**Lincoln School, Crane St.**

We have another season in full swing at Cross Trail Squares and we now have a brand new millennium to square up in. I love this time of year, and not just because of the Christmas presents I get. This is the time of year to enjoy family and friends. That's why I love to spend time with my friends at Cross Trails and with the family that is square dancing.

We are into full raid schedule (hope to see you this year) and are proud that the whole club was tested and certified Y2K compliant. We were proud to have supplied four squares of dancers to the NNJSDA Mini-Festival in November at Bridgewater Township Middle School. Considering that both the current and past Presidents of the NNJSDA are Cross Trail members, we knew that poor attendance would have resulted in a trip to the principal's office. While it is true that "One Square is Fair" we are expected to get better grades than "fair."

By the way, a good New Year's resolutions is to make a commitment to attend all the NNJSDA dances and events for 2000. We all need to keep the Association healthy, so let's all do our part and have fun at the same time.

We continue our club tradition of theme dances and continue to be amazed at the decorations that CTS member Dot Snider comes up with. Dot is just one of the many people that make CTS a fun place on Wednesday nights. Another tradition that CTS brings into the 21st century is my personal record of never having won a 50/50. Maybe this century will be different. Then again maybe it won't, but when I was growing up "out west" (West Passiac, NJ), I learned that patience was a virtue. So come join us at CTS and share in our good times.

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Frank & Alice Lemire

201-783-1683

2, 4 & 5 Tues. Sept-May

Delaware Valley M.S., Routes 209 & 6

After the long hot summer, we were all anxious to resume dancing. Many dancers came appropriately dressed for our Hobo Dance hosted by Diane & Rich Murphy. First place went to Pat & Charlie Kitner from D&H Dancers and second place went to Kathy & John Apert from Hemlock Squares. We were raided by Spinning Wheels (NJ), D&H Dancers (NY), and Hemlock Squares (PA). One couple traveled the furthest, Nancy & Anton Bonner from Waterloo Squares in Austin, TX. The refreshment table showed a lot of imagination, donuts served on hub caps, mason jars for the punch, chili and corn bread.

Betty & John Rigo hosted our next dance carrying out an autumn theme. The refreshment table was decorated with a fall centerpiece, matching table cloth and a variety of pumpkins. Guest dancers from Happy Footers and Lakeland Squares joined us.

Next came our Halloween Dance hosted by Marianne & Ken Yeaw. Paper pumpkins were everywhere. They served pumpkin pie and pumpkin cake, candy apples, Halloween candy and even "Boo Chips" which were orange and black corn chips. Prizes were awarded to Ray Proulx as a chef, Jo King as a creaming ghost, Marianne Yeaw as a witch and Ken Yeaw as Moses.

By the time this issue of *Grand Square* is published, the Holidays will be over. We wish one and all happiness and good health in this brand New Year of 2000.

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Millie Connelly

717-588-9226



1st AND 3rd FRIDAYS

7:30 PRE ROUNDS

8:00 PLUS LEVEL

# IRONIA REELERS

IRONIA SCHOOL, (RT 513) DOVER  
 CHESTER ROAD, (IRONIA) RANDOLPH

Date	Callers	Cuers
1/07/00*	Howard Richman	Mary Pickett
1/21/00	Len Anfinson	Mary Pickett
2/04/00	Glenn Matthew	Mary Pickett
2/18/00*	John Kaltenthaler	Mary Pickett
3/03/00	Joe Landi	Karen Kushla
3/17/00	Lou Flego	Mary Pickett
4/07/00	Randy Page	Mary Pickett
4/21/00	No Dance	Good Friday
5/05/00	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
5/19/00	Joe Landi	Karen Kushla
6/02/00	Bob Mitchell	Karen Kushla

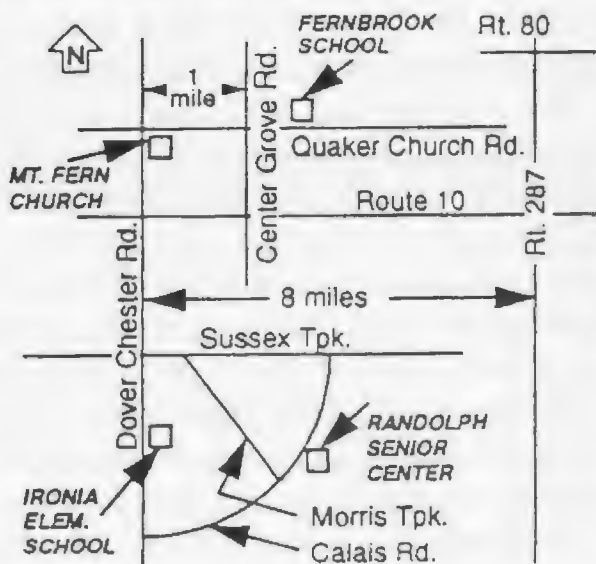
\*Dance at Mt. Fern

### FOR MORE INFORMATION CALL

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### GET WELL WISHES TO ...

Susan Jurgensen for a speedy recovery from surgery.

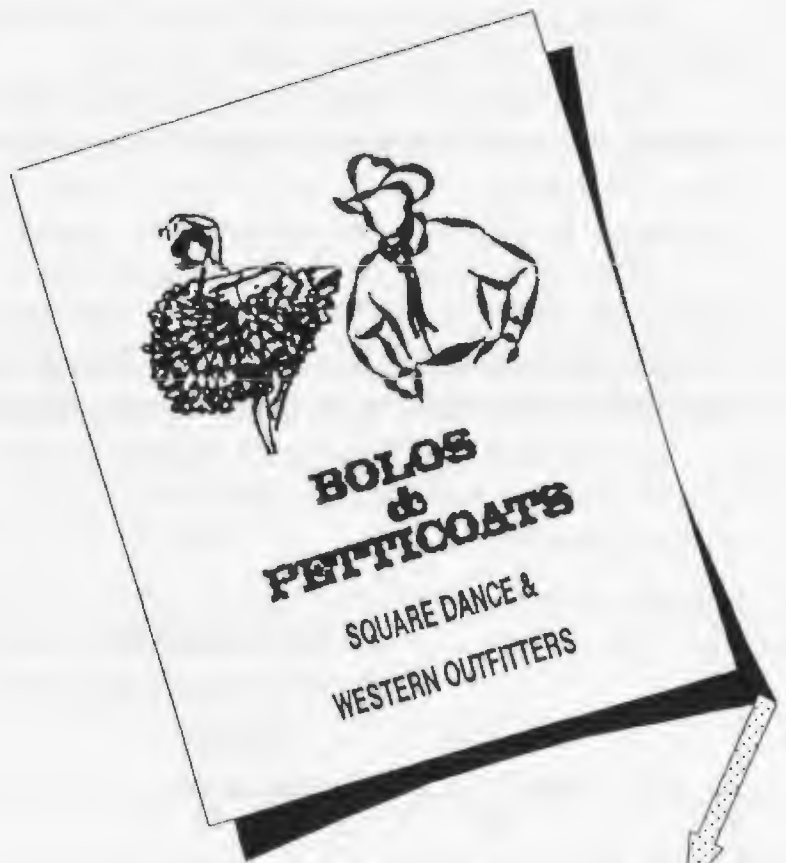
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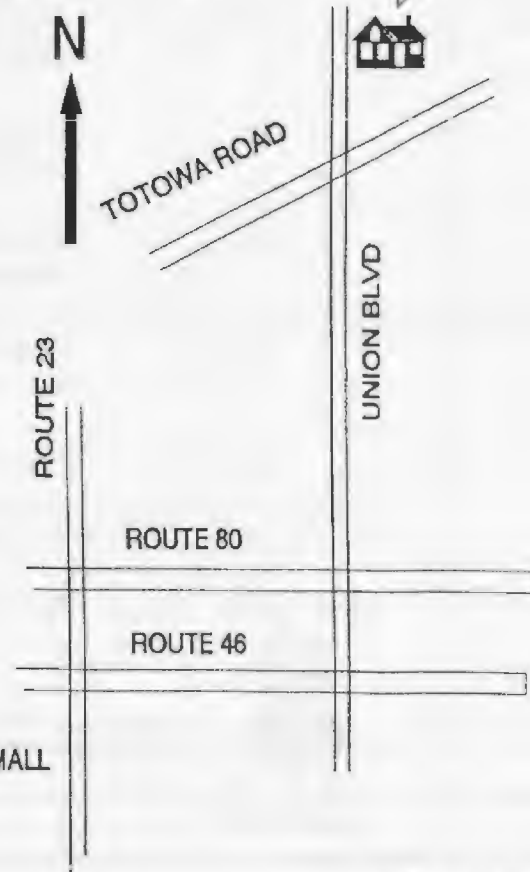
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Our illustrious President, Dorothy Fels, is doing a great job heading F.A.D. She also finds time to travel to such places as: Florida, Colorado, Wyoming, Canada, Cape Cod, etc. and a cruise. She is quite a gadabout. Dorothy received a special award from Belles & Beaux for dancing five nights in a row. We understand that the "Dolly Sisters" now have bad knees.

Mickey Orsages as our Raid Chairman led a raid to Belles & Beaux on October 20. He has other raids planned.

Our October 17 Halloween Dance was a great success with Bob Robinson calling. He and Dolores Gesumaria were the judges for the best costume awards. The O'Connors and Ken & Edna Franz (B&B) were among the best-costume winners. Bob Robinson always does a good job and gets a good crowd.

Chris & Lorrie O'Connor hosted Chris' World War II Army Unit's annual meeting at Williamsburg. VA. They also hosted our Board meeting on Oct. 10.

We wish to thank Jim & Karen Berrie for putting the F.A.D. dance schedule and other information on the web site. Also making special flyers for us.

Our annual Pie Night was a great success. It also made our Treasurers, Bill & Vera Clampet very happy. See you in Y2K.

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Marj & Warren Gould

201-445-9896

## HUNTERDON FLUTTERWHEELS

Echo Hill Park, Lilac Drive, Stanton Station, NJ

<u>2000</u>	<u>Theme</u>	<u>Caller</u>	<u>Cuer</u>
Jan. 7	Regular Dance	Wilson Hoff	Peg Dockry
21	Guest Caller	Ted Knauss	Peg Dockry
Feb. 4	Regular Dance	Wilson Hoff	Peg Dockry
18	Guest Caller	Jim Emory	Peg Dockry
Mar. 3	Regular Dance	Wilson Hoff	Peg Dockry
17	St. Patricks Day	Mickey McFarland	Peg Dockry
Apr. 7	Regular Dance	Wilson Hoff	Peg Dockry
21	No Dance	Good Friday	No Dance
May 5	Guest Caller	Bob Robinson	Peg Dockry
19	Ice Cream Social	Wilson Hoff	Peg Dockry
June 10	Dinner Dance	John Kaltenthaler	Mary McGee

**Alternate Mainstream & Plus Level Tips**

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday's 8:00-10:15PM

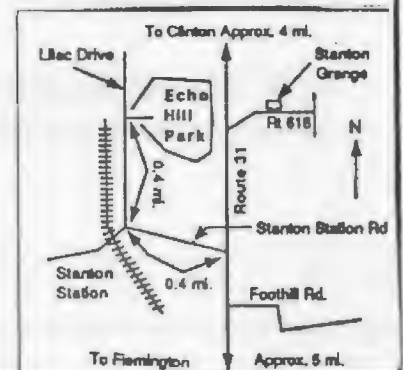
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**1 & 3 Sat. Sept-May Chisholm Comm. Ctr., S. Springfield Ave. & Shunpike**

Hey, square dancers, happy 21st century!!! And here's to a new millennium of dancing! Hope 2000 finds everyone in good health and good cheer. As of this writing, we don't know how our Five Clubs New Year's Eve Dance turned out, but I am sure it was doozy of a good time. The Holiday Season say Harmony Dancers collect toys for abused and neglected children through the Union County Sheriff's Office. We hope we brightened a few faces along the way.

Prior to that, we held our 10th Anniversary Gala on November 6th. How nice to see the hall so full of friends having fun, and we really enjoyed and appreciated sharing it with raiders from Cross Trails and Country Promenaders. Everyone was having such a good time, we hated to have it end. The Cocktail Hour for Harmony members was also a lovely affair, and tasty too! A great big YELLOW ROCK to everyone who helped. Hope our 20th is as great a success.

On a sad note, we send our sincerest sympathies to Jim & Kate Malcolm on the passing of Jim's dad, and to Tom & Mary Irwin on the passing of Tom's brother. We hope to see you soon.

If this reaches you in time, please don't forget Harmony's RON RUMBLE ROUND DANCE SPECIAL on January 30 at the Cranford Presbyterian Church from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m., \$9 a couple, as well as ASSOCIATION SPECIALS, HARMONY SATURDAY DANCES, and BALTIMORE 2000. C U ALL THERE!

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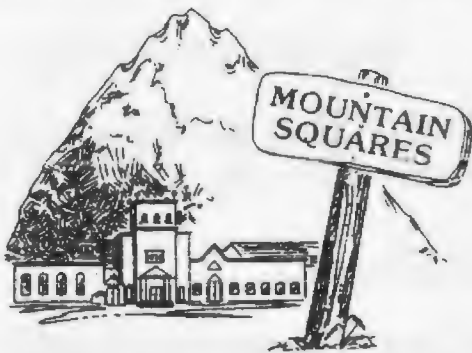
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## MOUNTAIN SQUARES

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**First Presbyterian Church, 494 Route 10 West, Whippany, NJ**

Info: Groth (973) 746-0656; Finch (201) 261-4660; McCabe (973) 226-3955

**HIX & CHIX -- Elmwood Park, NJ**

**PL/RD**

### Special Dances

**VFW Hall, 6 Veterans Place**

Hix & Chix almost got in four dance last summer. We reported previously on the June and July dances. Ken Bauer's appearance in August sent 14 squares home tired but happy. However, hurricane Floyd KO'd us in September sending Dee Dee Dougherty (MN) to less turbulent locales. But Dee Dee will be with us next September.

Jerry Haag (TX), and Gary Shoemake (TN) will be here in June. Ken Bauer (CA) and Jim Synder (PA) will be at the mike in August. The Raspas will continue to cue at all the dances. We hope you all had delightful holidays and entered "2000" without a breakdown.

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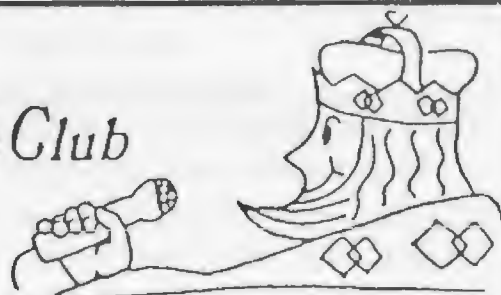
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### 2000

Jan. 16	Nick Martellacci	
Feb. 6	Randy Page	Valentine's Dance
Feb. 20	Dan Koft	Presidents' Dance
Mar. 5	Betsy Gotta	
Mar. 19	Mickey McFarland	St. Patrick's Dance
Apr. 2	Sandy Corey	
Apr. 16	Howard Richman	
May 7	Frank Riviccio	
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**HUNTERDON FLUTTERWHEELS — Stanton Sta., NJ Alt MS/PL**  
<http://community.nj.com/cc/hunterdonflutterwheels>

**1 & 3 Fri. Sept-June**

**Echo Hill, Lilac Drive**

The crisp feel to the air means that square dance music will again be filling our Friday nights. The Flutterwheels in conjunction with the Hunterdon County Park System sponsored a Barn Dance in September as an introduction to square dancing. Three squares moved to Wilson Hoff's calls, which culminated in great fun for everyone!

Because of hurricane Floyd's shenanigans, we had to cancel our Welcome Back dance in September. However, our Octoberfest started the dance season the following month. The Harvest Festival in November, called by Bob Mitchell, kept us moving to a lively beat, while the Christmas Dance in December left us feeling grateful for all our blessings. In turn, the Flutterwheels remembered the less fortunate with donations of food.

Pat & Don Elliott, Raid Chairmen, are always ready to schedule those fund treks to other clubs. We are hoping the new millennium will see more of them.

We are a friendly club, anxious to show off our beautiful wood dance floor. We are known for our fabulous refreshments and the door prizes are not bad either. Guest dancers are always welcome. See you in a square.

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Peg Bailey

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1 & 3 Fri. Sept-June Ironia Elem. Sch., Dover-Chester Rd., Rt. 513

Ironia Reelers got off to a rocky start this fall, but fortunately everything worked out well. We thought we would be unable to hold our dances in the Ironia School this year, so the Reelers rallied together to find a hall we could afford. It made us realize how much we take our club for granted and how important a role square dancing plays in our lives. It provides us with an active social life, an ability to make many friends, and a great form of exercise which challenges us mentally as well as physically. What fun it is to face a flawless square to some difficult calls! (If that should every happen.) We were very grateful when the school board decided to give the Reelers the use of the Ironia School for another year.

The Philhowers led us in three successful raids so far this year, and we did make the "One Square is Fair" at Association dances. We are also thankful for all the clubs that have raided us as well. Thanks for coming and please come again.

We were very pleased to have Len & Joan Anfinson join our club. We look forward to having them dance with the Reelers.

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Frank & Ruth Pagano

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## HI TAW TWIRLERS



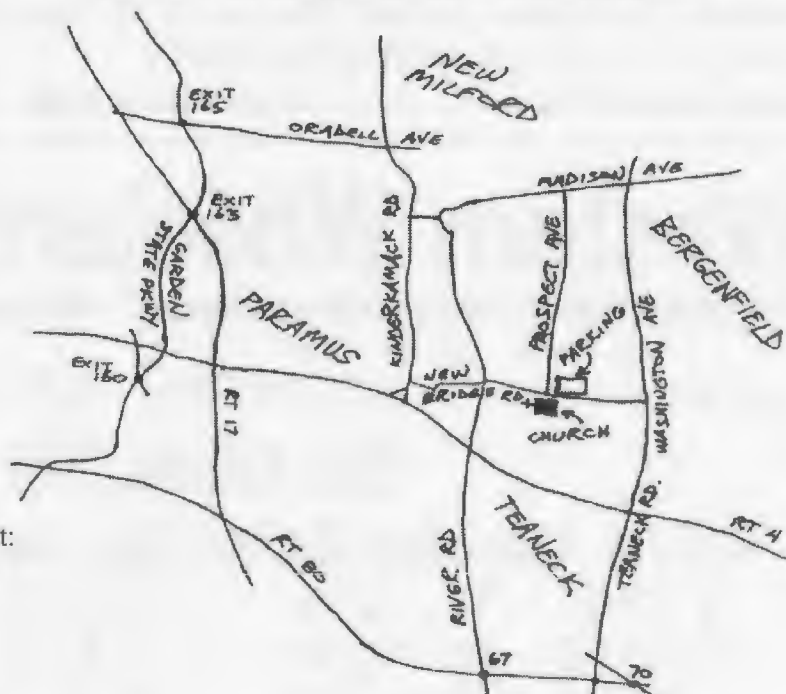
### 2000 Schedule

2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays

7:30 - 9:45 Plus Level w/ A2 Star Tip @ 9:45

1/11/00	Joe Landi
1/25/00	Randy Page
2/8/00	Roy Leber
2/22/00	Todd Fellegy
3/14/00	Dick Mazziotti
3/28/00	Don Coy
4/11/00	Joe Landi
4/25/00	Randy Page
5/9/00	Rick Gittelman
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### DEAR READERS...

We are happy to report that not one but two couples have come forward and have been working with us these past months on *Grand Square*. We are delighted that they have shown such a keen understanding of how an issue is put together and how fast they are learning the ropes. We hope to announce their names shortly.

Kathy & Charlie Porter, Editors

<http://community.nj.com/cc/kittatinnyrangers>

2 & 4 Fri. Sept-May

Long Pond School, Lime Crest Road (Rt. 669)

Besides the beauty of the season, one of the nicest parts of fall is getting back in to another busy fun-filled year of dancing. Starting September 21, we were happy to welcome a new and eager group of future dancers to our classes which meet on Thursday evenings. Len Anfinson, aided by an enthusiastic group of angels, has been helping these student find out what wonderful fun the art of square dancing can be.

The Rangers had the pleasure of doing two demos this fall at two local nursing homes. At one of the homes they taped the demo and then played the tapes a few days later so more were able to enjoy the fun. It is such a joy to able to bring pleasure to others while having fun dancing. Thanks to all the Rangers who were able to participate.

So far this fall we have gone on raids to Richmond Dancers, Lakeland Squares, Cross Trail Squares, and F.A.D. It's always great fun to be able to visit other clubs and meet friends there. Thanks to all who have raided us this fall, and we look forward to hosting more of you in the months ahead.

About 14 Rangers attended the Mini-Festival, and as usual found it to be lots of fun and a big success. Besides the dancing, we had a great time stuffing ourselves at one of the local steak houses.

On a sadder note, two of our members found it necessary to have surgery this month. Joanne Morales, who had surgery on her back, is now at home recuperating. John Seamans also had surgery and is still in the hospital recovering as I write this article. As they are two very special people and we want them to know our thoughts and prayers are with them as they go through the healing and recovery process.

Although still a few months away, plans are well underway for our annual dinner dance to be held on Sunday, April 9 at the Swim and Sport Center in Flanders. The theme will be "The Sound of Music" so save that date and plan on coming as we always have a great time.

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Sue Bridenbaugh

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## WW's Dancing Schedule: January to June 2000

1-22-00	Roy Leber	3-25-00	Roy Leber
2-12-00	Jim Snyder	4- 8 -00	Don Coy
2-26-00	Roy Leber	4- 22 -00	cancelled, religious holidays
3-11-00	H. Richman	5-13-00	Jim Snyder

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LAKELAND SQUARES — Parsippany, NJ MS/PL tip/RD/CW  
<http://community/.nj.com/cc/lakelandsquares>

Every Tues. Sept-July

Temple Beth Am, 879 S. Beverwyck Rd.

One of this fall's highlights was our Halloween dance, with a large proportion of dancers in costume, including a very tall Skullface and an Arab sheik who won the prize for bravery for attending a dance in a Jewish temple. Then on November 3, everyone who came earned a "Dancing in the Dark" dangle. Shortly before 8 p.m., our whole area of Parsippany lost power. Talk about DARK! We began the dance with cleverly rigged emergency lights but soon the building was closed on the basis of safety. The way home was hairy for some distance, too.

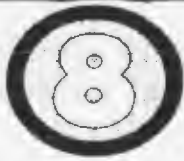
We moved our class location this year from Morris Plains to Towaco, tapping into a new group of people. We have eight capable students at every Monday night's "working party."

We look forward to web pages for the NNJSDA clubs. That should make a real difference for all of us.

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Jim & Catherine Douglas

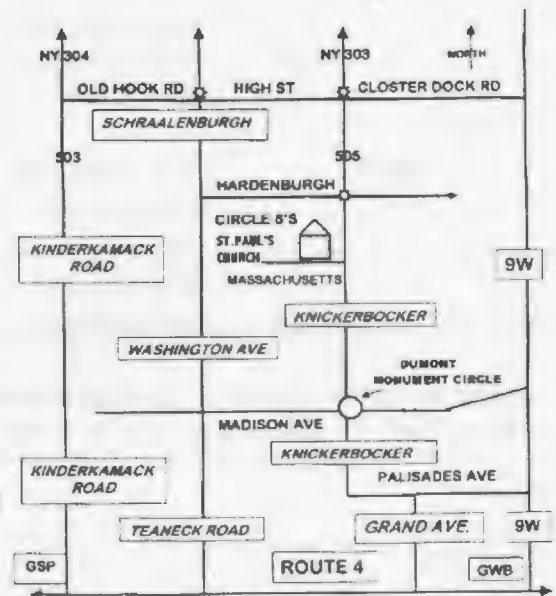
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## CIRCLE EIGHTS Mainstream Square Dancing



- |               |  |
|---------------|--|
| Feb. 25, 2000 | Dick Mazziotti<br>Mardi Gras Theme                   |
| Mar. 24, 2000 | Randy Page<br>Dancing Theme                          |
| Apr. 28, 2000 | Andy Woerner<br>Lucky Squares Theme                  |
| May 26, 2000  | John Kaltenthaler<br>Circus Theme<br>Pot Luck Supper |
| June 9, 2000  | Moonlight on the Hudson<br>H.Richman – Alpine B.B.   |
| June 23, 2000 | Mickey McFarland<br>Aloha-Casual Dress               |

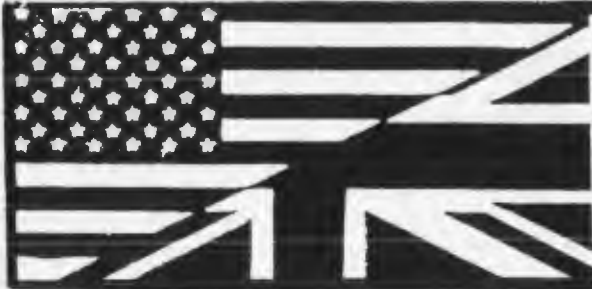


Plus workshop from 8 to 8:30 PM (except for student dances).  
 Plus tip at 10:15 PM. Dancing 4<sup>th</sup> Friday each month, 8 to 10:30 PM,  
 St Luke's Church, Massachusetts Ave & Grant.  
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## LETTERS TO THE EDITORS...

We are concerned about the Mainstream clubs. These clubs not only recruit new dancers, but teach, and nurture them to become active members of the square dance community.

The Mainstream clubs cannot survive with only their own members attending their dances. Mainstream, Plus, and Advanced dancers should attend the Mainstream clubs to help nurture the new dancers and insure that the clubs survive. If Mainstream clubs fold, the Plus and Advanced clubs will soon die also. Think about it! Support the Mainstream clubs with your attendance.



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**MOUNTAIN SQUARES -- Whippany, NJ**

**A-2**

<http://community/.nj.com/cc/mountainsquares>

**1 & 3 Wed. Sept-June**

**First Presbyterian Ch., 494 Route 10**

Hi there! Are you among the missing? Where have you been?

We hope you are well—not getting rusty.

Heed signs that tell—if your brains a bit dusty.

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For a season of dancing—with joy you'll partake.

Some of our members have not been so lucky this summer and fall. May Hoelle had a spinal fusion on June 24 and is recuperating very nicely. She's hoping to meet with friends from the club at a buffet restaurant soon. Bill Finch, having been in two automobile accidents, suffered a broken ankle in one of them. Jane Ness, in Mt. Kemble rehab, is adjusting to the repair of a broken hip, the result of a fall. We miss you all.

There have been lots of opportunities to dance this fall with NNJSDA dances and the Mini-Festival, as well as the continuing club activities. Please make time in your busy lives for relaxation and recreation. Mt. Squares in Whippany is the place.

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Isabelle & Doug McCabe

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Nick & Carole Raspa on Rounds starting at 7:00pm  
C-1 Aftertip unless otherwise noted (\*)

\*\*\* Winter - Spring 2000 \*\*\*

Jan 16	Roy Leber	Apr 2	Geo Jedlicka
Feb 6	Mike Jacobs	Apr 16	TBA
Feb 20	Randy Page	Apr 30	Mark Franks
* Mar 12	Saundra Bryant	May 21	Betsy Gotta **
Mar 26	Todd Fellegy	* Jun 4	Ben Rubright

\* VFW Hall, 6 Veterans Pl (behind Firehouse), Elmwood Park  
\*\* Roy Gotta on rounds

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**RICHMOND DANCERS — Staten Island, NY** PL  
<http://community.nj.com/cc/richmondancers>

**2 & 4 Sat. Sept-June** All Saints Church, 2329 Victory Blvd.

Seems no matter how hard we've tried these past years, we have been unable to graduate a class. Three years ago we found a great hall with a wooden floor and, thanks to Dick Mazziotti, Ron Kapnick and Steve Forman, who taught on a rotating basis, we thought we'd finally done it. But the hall became prohibitively expensive for a what became a smaller and smaller class. So we had to find another hall that necessitated a change in class night and we lost what few students we had left.

Two years ago we found a hall that was very low cost and easy to find. We handed out hundreds upon hundreds of "Free Dance Tickets." Steve Forman prepared himself for the overwhelming response—one couple.

Early this year again we searched for a location that would possess some of the qualities needed for success: affordable price, central location, and good parking. When we finally got the go ahead from the church, we couldn't find a teacher that was available for that night! And so the saga continues.

We will continue to try and start classes and are exploring different alternatives. As the only club left on Staten Island, we are faced with an aging membership that is steadily declining. In order to survive, we have to breathe new life into the club and that new life has to be new members.

Our dances this season have been great fun and attendance has been very good, thanks in no small part to the raiders who have visited us. Our Farewell to Calling Dance for Dick Pasvolsky was a huge hit, followed by equally great Halloween and Holiday Dances. Now forward to 2000 and new heights for RD!

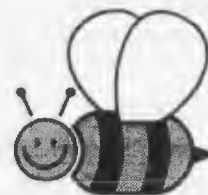
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Kathy Porter

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# BEE SHARPS OF SOMERVILLE



Early Rounds 7:30 PM Plus Level Dancing and Rounds 8-10:30 PM

DATE	CALLER	CUER	THEME
Jan 28	Todd Fellegy	Mary Pickett	¡ Fiesta Mexicali !
Feb 11	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft	Valentine's/ Student Dance
Feb 25	Jim Snyder	Mary Pickett	President's Dance/ Pie Night
Mar 24	John Kaltenthaler	Mary Pickett	Spring Fever/ Chinese Auction
Apr 14	Jim Snyder	Steve Bradt	Jelly Bean Jamboree
Apr 28	Howard Richman	Russ Booz	Pot Luck Supper/ Student Dance
May 12	Joe Landi	Dave Roberts	Hawaiian Luau
May 26	Betsy Gotta	Roy Gotta	Red, White & Blue

**Where:** Bound Brook United Methodist Church  
150 Union Avenue, Bound Brook

**Contacts:** Agnes Greci (908) 725-7508  
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**Directions:**

**From Route 22:** Take Vossellier Ave exit to Bound Brook; left at light on Route 28. \*Follow 2/10 mile to Livingston Ave. Make right onto Livingston & left into first driveway/church parking lot

**From Route 287 South:** Take exit 13 for Route 28 Bound Brook/Somerville. Turn left at the light for Route 28 East. Proceed through 4 lights. After the 4<sup>th</sup> light (follow from \* above).

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And, were you among the spirits and the spirited at our special Halloween Dance on October 19, 1999? Patsy Lisak and Betty Wilson were there and won first prize for their impersonation of the Budweiser frog and a can of Bud.

As I write this, our new MS class is underway, with Burt Schain once again our expert teacher. Student dancers from all clubs will be able to try out their new skills at our Student Level Dance on Friday, March 10. Mickey McFarland is the perfect caller to show them how entertaining square dancing can be.

If you enjoyed our 50s Dance in 1999, be sure to come to Nickelodeon - The 60s, with caller Nick Martellacci, on Sunday, June 11 (no Friday night dance June). Joe & Judy Wamsley, our master of recreating the past, will bring us the flower power of the hippie generation.

We will have something for everyone, so dance your way into 2000 at Rockland Promenaders.

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Joan Schierlitz

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July 20, 2000	Gary Shoemake., TN	The Raspas
August 3, 2000	Ken Bower, CA	The Raspas
August 31, 2000	Jim Snyder, PA	The Raspas
Sept. 21, 2000	Dee Dee Dougherty, MI	The Raspas

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### CORRECTION & ADDITION TO CIRCLE EIGHTS

Co-Presidents, Rudi & Eileen Draudin, were left out of the last issue.

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The new Class Coordinators are: Dolores Commerford & Dick Smith

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FEB 20 - ANDY WOERNER - STUDENT DANCE  
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MAR 19 - DICK MAZZIOTTI - STUDENT DANCE  
APR 2 - NICK MARTELLACCI  
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**Old Stone Church, E. Saddle River Rd.**

**1st Sat. Jul-Aug**

**Beth Am Temple, 60 Madison Ave, Pearl River, NY**

We've just made a fall pumpkin into a pie and Roger is waiting for the last leaf to fall so he can finish raking and put the rake away until next fall. It's been a wonderful fall, a mixture of warm and cool.

We would like to welcome our newest members, Betty Wilson and Cindi Schneider, to Rockytops. Many of our members enjoyed the great weekends: Heartland Jubilee, By Path Barn, and Take No Prisoners. Dot & Mal Blotner said the NJ State Convention was great and our good friends, Adele & Dave Weiss, were there. Many Rockytoppers attended The Tumbling Leaves Festival.

Everyone seems to be getting ready for the upcoming holidays and Y2K. It is exciting square dancing into the new millennium. We need new ideas on how to attract others into this great activity. Our past dances were every enjoyable with Ralph Stapenell and Todd Fellegly calling, and Nick & Carole Raspa on rounds.

Our condolences to Sandy & Bernie Beck on the loss of Sandy's brother. Also our thought and wishes for a speedy recovery to George & Fanny Meyer's son after his accident.

Our Upper Saddle River location is 20 min. from the intersection of GSP and Rt. 80 Saddle Brook and 10 min. from either the Tappen Zee or GSP Exit 172.

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Maria & Roger Hoernlein

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A good test for conversation:

If you wouldn't write it and sign your name to it—don't say it.

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Feb. 23	**	Bob Mitchell Nick Raspa	Sadie Hawkin's Day
Mar. 8	*	Dan Koft Kathy Koft	Wearin' of the Green
Mar. 22	**	John Kaltenthaler Nick Raspa	Spring is Here!
Apr. 12	*	Bob Mitchell Nick Raspa	Cherry Blossom Time (Pie Night)
Apr. 26	**	Joe Landi Mary Pickett	Tip Toe Through the Tulips
May 10		Ron Kapnick	Graduation
May 24	**	Dan Koft Kathy Koft	Time to Remember
Jun. 14	*	Randy Page	Crazy T Shirt Dance (Ice cream special and casual dress)

*Special Note! May 10<sup>th</sup> and June 14<sup>th</sup>*

*Mainstream and Plus*

*May 24<sup>th</sup>*

*Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds*

**STUDENT LESSONS  
WILL AGAIN START IN JANUARY**

**FOR DETAILS CALL**

Ron Kapnick (973) 857-8879

Ruth Edison (973) 239-2705

**RUTGERS PROMENADERS** —North Brunswick, NJ **MS/RD**  
[www.eclipse.net/~ksr/new\\_promenaders.html](http://www.eclipse.net/~ksr/new_promenaders.html) and  
<http://community.nj.com/cc/promenaders>

**2 & 4 Sun. Sept-May** **American Legion, 1015 Linwood Pl.**

Our Sunday afternoon dances continue to draw participants of all ages from around the NJ/NY/PA area. At this writing, we're looking forward to two dances in December: the annual Toys For Kids Dance on the 12th; and an Amateur Caller/Cuer Dance on Boxing Day, on the 26th. We're also donating food collected at our November dance to a local food bank for the holidays.

This fall, we began our first class in several years. Lessons are being held an hour or two before dances, and only on days when we dance. Although the students may take some more time to learn their basics, this should also enable them to "blend in" with the rest of the club more quickly. They'll dance on the same days as the club, and club members will have a better opportunity to become acquainted with our new members. We'll see how well this works.

We've got some more exciting plans for the spring, so be on the lookout for flyers and consider taking a Sunday afternoon drive to dance with us.

Ad on page 29

Helena Robinson

908-874-5830

# ROCKYTOPS



**PLUS LEVEL DANCING WITH A-1 AFTERTIP**

*First Friday of Month — Rounds at 7:30pm — Squares from 8:00 to 10:30pm*  
*Old Stone Church Ed. Ctr. — E. Saddle River Rd. at Weiss Rd. — Upper Saddle River, NJ*

Friday, February 4	<b>MIKE JACOBS</b>	VA
Friday, March 3	<b>MARK FRANKS</b>	NJ
Friday, April 7	<b>KEN RITUCCI</b>	MA
Friday, May 5	<b>JIM DENIGRIS</b>	CT
Friday, June 2	<b>GLENN MATTHEW</b>	PA

**ROUNDS BY NICK AND CAROLE RASPA**

For Further Information, Please Call:

Ruth	(914) 354-0449	Roz & Ron	(201) 664-9356
Iris & Rich	(914) 620-1234	Beverly & Marty	(201) 391-3592

## SQUARE DANCE INFORMATION HOT LINE AT YOUR SERVICE

Sponsored by the SDCNJ and the Delaware Valley Federation

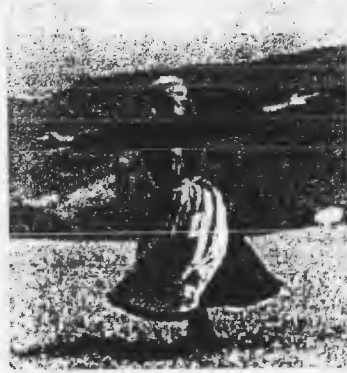
*Purpose:* To provide dancers information regarding club activities and special events outside your publication area, and to provide potential dancers information about the SD activity and where lessons are available to them.

*Send your information to:* Square Dance Info Line, 3770 King Ave., Pennsauken, NJ 08105 or call 1-800-892-8828. Messages are returned promptly.

# KITTATINNY RANGERS

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## THE SOUND OF MUSIC



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**APRIL 9, 2000**

**AT THE**

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**2:00 P.M. to 7:30 P.M.**

**Alternating Plus and  
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*Please Print*

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

CLUB \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY STATE \_\_\_\_\_

ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

# of tickets @ \$11 each

Total amount \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to Kittatinny Rangers and mail to: Kay Davis

22 Woodland Drive

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Please enclose a stamped self-addressed envelope

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SPINNING WHEELS — Wayne, NJ

MS/PL tip/CW

<http://community.nj.com/cc/spinningwheels>

Every Mon. Sept-June

Wayne Civic Center, Hamburg Trpk & Church Ln

July & Aug

VFW, 6 Veterans Pl, Elmwood Park

This issue I've included a write-up by George Haberberger:

"As I sit here, I am reflecting on my membership in Spinning Wheels. The club has grown so much stronger under the guiding hand of our President, Dolores Gesumaria, and our club caller, Bob Robinson. They lead by example. We are never asked to do too much, and if we didn't pitch in and help, they would just do it all. However, everyone is happy to help.

There are some people who deserve recognition: Bill & Cathy Kaiser, our Treasurers, with tireless dedication to their job week in and week out; and Tom & Nora Burke, our Vice Presidents, who are so dedicated to our student groups, handicapped, Mainstream, Plus, or Advanced and do such a great job with refreshment.

I would also like to thank those who take part in our demos, parade, picnic, and refreshments. We are by far, the best-fed club of all. All of our members have learned: You can't spell CLUB without the U in the middle."

Thank you, George. Our club is doing very well and this year we have included some callers whom we have never had before, some we haven't had for a while and, of course, those whom we enjoy so much all the time.

Dolores & Bob are teaching several programs at the Wayne Civic Center, an adult group on Friday morning at 10 a.m. and a community dance program two evenings each month at 7:30 p.m. For a fun time, come and join us.

Ad on page 27

Barbara McKenna

201-768-3415

## **ROCKLAND PROMENADERS**

### **Mainstream**

## **NICKELODEON -- THE 60'S**

**Sunday, June 11 from 2 to 5**

**NICK MARTELLACCI**

**Calling to the music of the 60's**

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**PEACE**

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(See RP ad for directions and map)



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***“The Square Dance Murder  
Mystery”***

*or*

***Are You Dancing in a Square With  
a Murderer?***

**Saturday March 18**

**Inspector Mark Hanhurst is  
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**Doors open at 7:30 PM  
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**Admission \$5.00**

**The scene of the crime is CENTRAL SCHOOL on  
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**For information call Linda Millian – 201-265-3513**

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2nd & 4th SATURDAYS - NO BOOTS or HIGH-HEELED SHOES  
 Early Rounds: **Steve Bradt** 7:30 - Plus Level Squares 8:00 - 10:30

Jan. 22, 2000 JIM SNYDER - *Set Sail for Baltimore*  
 Feb. 12 No Dance  
 Feb. 26 JOE LANDI

**Mar. 11 ★ ★ ★ GARNIVALE ★ ★ ★**



**ED FOOTE (PA) - Costume Parade & Prizes**

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**Mar. 25 WILL LARSEN (CT)**

Apr. 8 JIM SNYDER / Mary Pickett  
 Apr. 22 No Dance - Happy Holidays!

**DBD PLUS TIP AT END OF DANCE**

<http://community.nj.com/cc/countrypromenaders>



**May 13 PROM NITE**

**TIM MARRINER (GA)**



Dress Up Party - Formal or Square Dance Attire  
 "King and Queen" to be Crowned  
 Ticket Dance - Limited # of Squares  
 \$10/couple in advance, \$12/couple at the door  
 For tickets, see special flyer or call (732) 577-9413

**PROM NITE TICKETS** are available at Country Promenaders dances

TENAKILL TWIRLERS -- Cresskill, NJ MS/PL tip/RD  
<http://community.nj.com/cc/tenakilltwirlers>

3rd Fri. Oct-May

Bryan School, Brookside Ave.

Our October dance started our season and we were treated to some delightful calling by Gerry & Chuck Hardy. Nick Raspa was there to lead rounds, and a good time was had by all. We're hoping that Mother Nature is good to us so we don't have to miss any dances because of the weather. Check our ad and flyers for the schedule of dances for the rest of the season We'll be looking for you to enjoy some good Mainstream dancing with us.

Ad on page 49

Frank Poole

201-342-3375

3RD ANNUAL

# JUNE JAMBOREE

SQUARE AND ROUND DANCE WEEK-END  
COMMUNITY CENTER, CLUTE MEMORIAL PARK  
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**\$25.00**

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WESTERN WHEELERS — Oradell, NJ

PL/A-1 tips

<http://community.nj.com/cc/westernwheelers>

2 & 4 Sat. Sept-June Refrmd Ch of Oradell, 641 Church St (cor. Kinderkamack)

The first dance of the new season was a "sell out" with seven squares. We also added two new members to the club. We welcome them, but no one can replace Pat & Jim Broderick, who have moved to Leisure Village in South Jersey. We wish them well in their new home.

AnnaLou & Jerry Beckmann celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary in September with a gala dinner and square dance at the Brownstone in Paterson. Madelyn & John Koerner were surprised with a 50th wedding anniversary dinner and dance at the Bicycle Club in Englewood Cliffs. Their children hosted the event.

Many members attended the Association dance in October. Western Wheelers looks forward to welcoming Plus dancers at our future dances. Happy 2000!

Ad on page 26

Caroline Sutton

201-750-2012



Northern NJ Round Dance Leader's Council  
presents the annual

# Spring Festival of Rounds

Sunday, March 5, 2000

1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

VFW Hall, 6 Veterans Place, Elmwood Park, NJ  
*Get your ticket from any NNJRDLCL cuer.*

Info: Godfreys 516-462-6740 or Kushlas 973-593-8440

Y SQUARES — Clark, NJ

MS/RD

[http://community.nj.com/cc/y\\_squares](http://community.nj.com/cc/y_squares)

2 & 4 Fri. Sept-May

Carl Kumpf School, Mildred Terr.

Hi everyone! Can you believe, here we are in the year 2000. We hope you all had great holidays and rang in the New Year at a square dance.

Our Open House in September provided a good class that is working hard to graduate in May. The Halloween Dance brought out the spooks while the Thanksgiving Dance brought out the dieters. Y Square members collected money and purchase certificates from ShopRite for Clark's Family Care. At Christmas, we provided toys for the children. Raids have been keeping us busy. Its always fun to visit friends so we say, "Come on over." We miss you. Check our flyers and ad for great dances are coming up.

Our condolences to the family of Herman Scheeler who died on December 9, 1999. Herman was a member of Lakeland Squares and was a frequent visitor to Y Squares. The Scheeler Family may be contacted at 405 Main St., Seltzer, PA 17974.

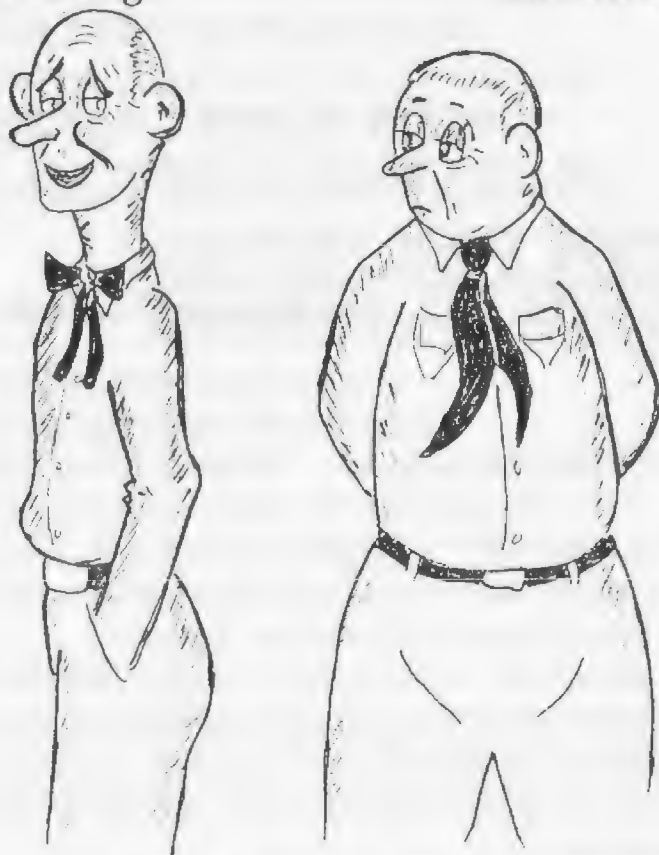
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Jean Koenig

908-276-8049

## SQUARE VIEW

BY  
MANNY AMOR



"SURE, I DANCE C-7. I SEE WHAT THE OTHER SEVEN DO, THEN I DO THE SAME."

# AL e MO Squares

presents for the first time: The exciting calls of

LEE KOPMAN, Mar 12

and the Round Dance cues of

ROY GOTTA, Feb 13 and DEANNE EMORY, Mar 26

Come and join the fun!

Our Lady of Grace R.C. Church  
Avenue W and East Fourth Street

Sundays at 7:30 - 10:00 pm

<u>CALLER</u>	<u>DATE</u>	<u>THEME</u>
Ginny Reaske	Jan 9	Winter Wonderland
Frank Riviccio	Jan 23	Pot Luck
Betsy Gotta	Feb 13	Sweet Heart
* Roy Gotta, Cuer	Feb 13	ROUND DANCE
Howie Richman	Feb 27	Hail to the Chief
Lee Kopman	Mar 12	St. Pat
Jim Emory	Mar 26	Spring has Sprung
* Deanne Emory	Mar 26	ROUND DANCE
Nick Martellacci	Apr 9	April Showers
NO DANCE	Apr 23	
Don Coy	Apr 30	GRADUATION
NO DANCE	May 14	Mother's Day
Mikey McFarland	May 28	Vet's Benefit
Don Coy	Jun 11	Ice Cream
Al Kaesler	Jun 25	Season End Dance

## \* NEW FORMAT

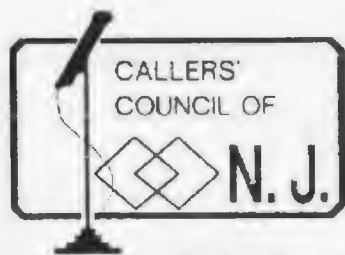
(Directions: Belt Parkway eastbound exit at Ocean Parkway, North, make right onto Ocean Parkway, proceed to Avenue W and make a left turn. Go to E.3rd. Street, make a right into parking lot behind Church. For those dancers who use the streets, get to Ocean Parkway and turn at Avenue W, going west to E. 4th. or E. 3rd. Streets.

For further information, please call:

Vincent at 718 615-1507

Caroline at 718 745-3793

ADMISSION \$4.00 per person



This will be the last column from me writing as President of CCNJ. As of the March meeting, a new president will be elected and take office. I am going to use this last note as a soapbox to address the overall square dance activity in this area.

As we all know, the activity has declined in numbers. Classes are smaller or non-existent; club dances and Association specials are mostly all enjoying smaller attendance; offices remain unfilled. There are lots of gloom and doomers willing to tell us that things aren't the way they used be. Well, it's true, they aren't. What's more, they never were.

But there are bright spots. The caller-members of CCNJ, for one, form a strong core for the activity. The caller experience, capability, and enthusiasm that we have in this area is nothing less than astounding. We have national callers; we have Callerlab-accredited caller coaches; we have callers participating in national forums on square dancing, and who chair national committees. We have callers who are recording artists. Dancers should take pride in the fact that all our callers attend workshops to expand their abilities, as well as helping new callers.

There is a second bright spot, i.e., we know how to fix our situation. There are no good solutions to world hunger, disease or poverty. But we know exactly what to do and how to get our activity back to health. The solution is quite simple: *All square dancing activity should be aimed at introducing new dancers to the activity.* No other solution. No other plan. No other discussion.

NNJSDA, CCNJ, clubs and dancers will have to bite the bullet and discontinue any dance, any activity that is not aimed at recruiting new dancers. Dances by imported callers for the current dancer population are a waste of resources. Dances by imported callers, or local and regional callers, that are aimed at introducing new dancers to the activity will have to become the norm, not the exception.

We also need to develop new sources for dancers. Single parents and home schoolers are groups that cry out for activities like the one we have. We need to sell to them. The health maintenance community needs to be made aware of the combined health and social benefits of square dancing. We need organized, persistent, and continuous entree into the whole healthcare community.

Clubs, either dancer-run or caller-run, will have to develop a ten-week Basic program and graduate dancers at that level every ten weeks, not once a year. And where will they dance? Answer: At the clubs that have the foresight to develop such programs.

So you see, the solution is quite simple really. It can be done, and I suspect that areas that do it will form the cores of the new age of square dancing activity. Areas that insist on clinging to the way things were. . . well . . .!

A personal note: As many of you know, Laurie and I will be leaving the area sometime this summer. We are moving to the Shenandoah Valley in Virginia. We will be back occasionally for dances, and intend to maintain our contacts in this area. We started square dancing here and have made hundreds of wonderful friends through the activity. I also want to take just a moment to thank the area callers. Their support of new callers, me included, has been wonderful. A special thanks to Paul Brody who got it all started for us, and Andy Woerner, Bill Heyman, Dot Loewenstein, Bob Robinson, Dick Pasvolsky, and John Kaltenthaler who were so encouraging during the early years.

To the callers, and the dancers, who have been such supporters throughout, all we can say is, "Thaaank you."

*Dick & Laurie Mazziotti, President, CCNJ*



P L U S Level Dancing (with some Advanced Tips\*)

# Harmony Dancers

1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays

8 to 10:30 p.m. - Pre-Rounds 7:30 p.m.

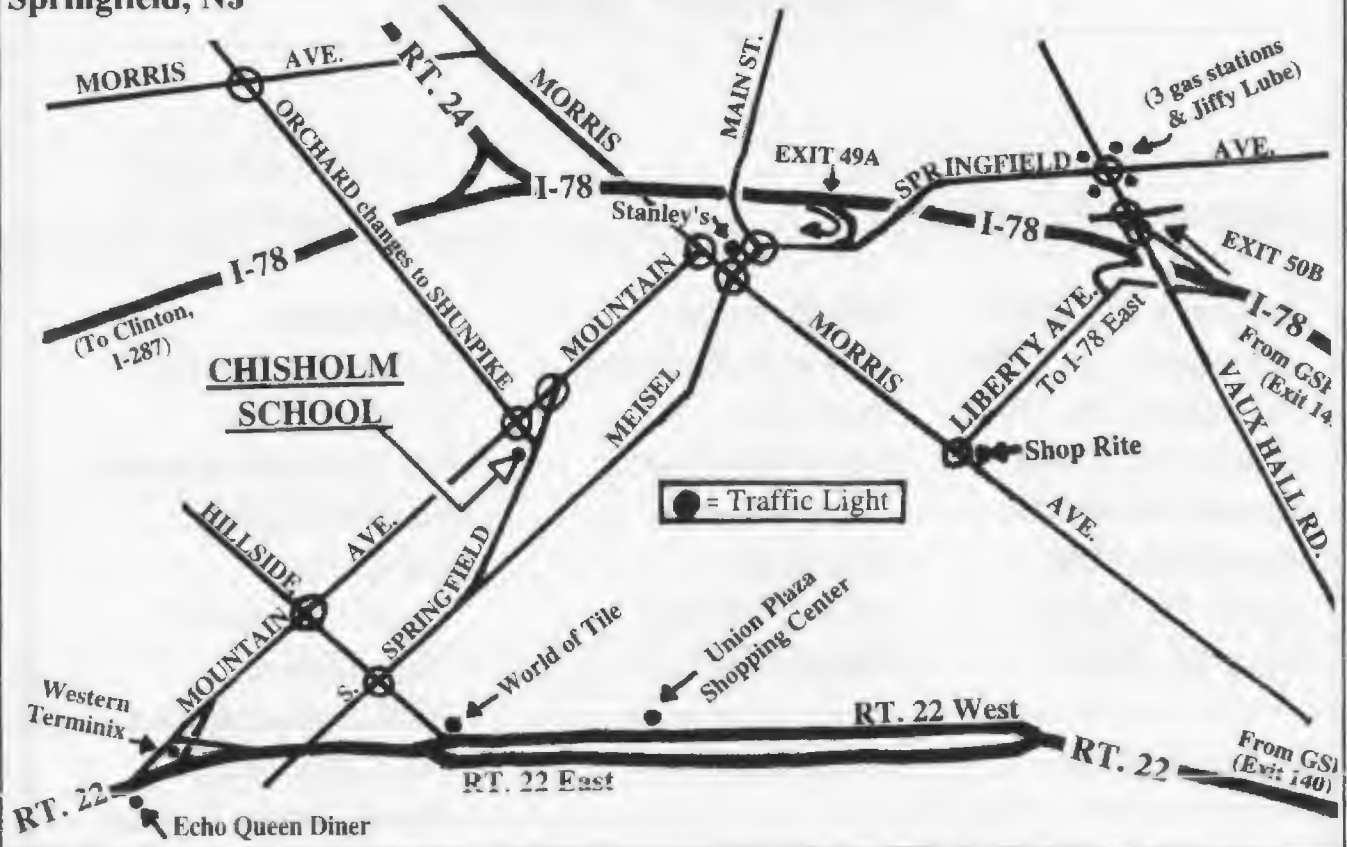
YMCA/Chisholm Community Center  
Springfield, NJ - (Hall = 973-376-9822)

WEB address is  
<http://community.nj.com/cc/njdsdharmonydancers>

- January to May 2000 -

Jan 30 - <i>Special Ron Rumble Round Dance</i> - 1:30-4:30 - 1 <sup>st</sup> Presbyterian Church, Cranford - call (973) 377-3203 for tickets or details			
Feb 5	<i>"Valentine's Dance"</i>	Steve Forman	Karen Kushla
Feb 19	<i>"Presidents' Dance"</i>	Joe Landi	Mary McGee
March 4	<i>"Mardi Gras"</i>	John Kaltenthaler	Ellen McCabe
March 18	<i>"Wearin' of the Green"</i>	Betsy Gotta	Roy Gotta
April 1	<i>"We're not FOOLs"</i>	Will Larsen	Mary Pickett
April 15	<i>"Think SPRING"</i>	Jim Snyder	Karen Kushla
May 6	<i>"Rubber Ducky Dance"</i>	Joe Landi	Steve Bradt
May 20	<i>"Ice Cream Social"</i>	Glenn Matthew	Ellen McCabe
See YOU at the ♦♦♦♦♦ Summer Dances			

YMCA/Chisholm Community Center - So. Springfield Ave. @ Shunpike, Springfield, NJ



CORINNE/LEO ECKMANN - 973-379-3901 -- JUDE/ROGER REMINGTON - 908-322-1879  
SYLVIA GAMBONY - 908-766-1946 (\* Note: A-tip 10:30 when A-caller/dancers present)



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Deanne and Jim Emory deserve  
 The most kindly of thought and words.  
 The job they did went beyond all bounds,  
 Finding such a place for our Squares and Rounds.

What manner of people are these you say,  
 Who work tirelessly through the night and day.  
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 As they give and they give even more and more.

Magnanimous describes the place that they found,  
 A wonderful appointment to Square and to Round  
 If perchance you shared not in the joy of the hall,  
 Then by all means be sure to join us next fall.

To Deanne and Jim, thank you seems not enough,  
 For the time and work spend for all of us.  
 You truly reflect what we know is the best,  
 Inspiring a proud heart to beat in one's chest.

We thank you, we thank you,  
 We thank you we do.  
 Please know that  
 We are beholden to you.

The NJ Square & Round Dance Convention was a dancing success. The facility, discovered by Deanne & Jim Emory, defies description. Simply marvelous, wonderful, extraordinary, amazing, fabulous, spectacular, fantastic,

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**KITTATINNY RANGERS**



2 & 4 Fridays (7:30 P.M.)  
 Alternating MS and Plus

Long Pond School  
 Andover, NJ

<b>January 28, 2000</b>	<b>Randy Page</b>	<b>Snowflake</b>
<b>February 11, 2000</b>	<b>Howard Richman</b>	<b>Valentine Dance</b>
<b>February 25, 2000</b>	<b>Don Coy</b>	<b>Winter Blues</b>
<b>March 10, 2000</b>	<b>Andy Woerner</b>	<b>St. Patrick's Dance</b>
<b>March 24, 2000</b>	<b>Len Anfinen</b>	<b>Student's Ball</b>
<b>April 14, 2000</b>	<b>Dan Koft</b>	<b>Sock Hop</b>
<b>April 28, 2000</b>	<b>Rich Murphy</b>	<b>April Showers *</b>
<b>May 12, 2000</b>	<b>Nick Cline</b>	<b>May Flowers</b>
		<b>ASD Subscription</b>
<b>May 26, 2000</b>	<b>Hank Lutcher</b>	<b>Pot Luck Supper</b>
		<b>Dress Down Dance</b>

\* Dance at the Hilltop School, Sparta, NJ  
 INFO: Jay Ten Eick (973) 691-5594



# TENAKILL TWIRLERS

Bryan School, Brookside Ave. Cresskill, NJ

*Third Fridays - Mainstream with one Plus Tip*

Pre-Rounds 7:30-8:00 - Cuer: Nick Raspa  
Squares 8:00-10:30

## 2000

Jan.	21	Nick Martellacci
Feb.	18	To Be Announced
March	17	John Kaltenthaler
April	21	No Dance
May	19	Nick Martellacci
June	9	Moonlight on the Hudson

Info: Gloria Fodera 201-385-8869 or George Meyer 201-385-3263

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outstanding, or superb would be an understatement. It must be seen to be believed. A host of callers and cuers provided a great day of dancing, and dancers provided a great day of fellowship. That nifty PTA group was ever-friendly, and their snack shop provided a welcome oasis.

The Fall Festival of Rounds was again a wonderful success. Your local cuers were in fine form and provided, as usual, a great time for all. A special surprise treat was provided us by Rosina Wagenhoffer's partner Rick, who cued a few. WOW!! An obvious natural talent! Effortless, smooth, and good appointment fit the style exhibited by Rick. Encore, please! Your hosts, Sandy & Clark Godfrey, extend a warm invitation to you to join in a repeat of great round dancing at the Spring Festival of Rounds on March 5, 2000 at the VFW Hall in Elmwood Park.

The current appointment of officers for the NNJRDLC has been completed. The new Moderators are Sandy & Clark Godfrey; Roy and Betsy Gotta are Secretaries. Karen and Greg Kushla are the Programming Chairs for the Spring Festival of Rounds, which ensures that it will be varied, interesting, and challenging. A great team ensuring a good year for the council.

The Mini-Festival, hosted by the NNJSDA, provided a great afternoon of dancing at all levels. All halls were a display of warmth and good cheer. Ron Libby appeared in his usual great form. This author disappointly missed Joe Landi's ever popular *Rubber Ducky*, but Randy Page came through with *Carolina*. Mary & Pete McGee again provided success with a great program. An enjoyable social afternoon and great to see all who traveled far and wide to enjoy this great day (i.e., Doc & Peg Tirrell, VT; and Dick & Shirley White, NH).

Your council encourages all to support the wonderful activities held by the NNJSDA. As our population dwindles a bit, it becomes even more important that you support your Association. Friendship and fellowship are your bonuses.

Ad on page 44

Nick & Carole Raspa

201-896-1891

**INTERNET:** For those who do want an internet connection, there's a free Internet Service Provider (ISP) called NetZip, available at 1-800-432-0025 or at [www.netzip.com](http://www.netzip.com). Most ISPs charge about \$20 a month. ISPs should be investigated before committing to a contract and get answers to these questions:

1. Is there is a local access number for me? This is essential for Internet service, and is a problem with NetZip. They are relatively new and don't have a wide range of access numbers yet, although you may luck out.
2. How long do others using the service wait to get connected? Talk to everyone and ask them who their ISP is. Find out how long they wait to get connected, especially during peak times of weekday afternoons and evenings. A minute or two once in a while can mean slow phone lines or even your own modem delay; more than that probably means the ISP has sold more contacts than they have addresses for, and this is big trouble.
3. Do they lose connection to the Internet during a session? Some ISPs have been known (and sued for) "dumping" their subscribers already on-line to free up the lines for those waiting.

*Note:* When you commit to an ISP's e-Mail service, you have a distinct e-Mail address. Change your ISP and there goes your e-Mail address. There is no forwarding service yet, so messages sit there in e-limbo. That's why some people prefer to get e-Mail through someone other than an ISP such as Juno.

**NJ SD CLUB PAGE ([www.nj.com/cc/clubs/squaredance.html](http://www.nj.com/cc/clubs/squaredance.html)):** Some local clubs had been using the free (and every easy to use) NJ.Com SD home pages to make their schedule available to the Internet public. But NJ.COM didn't appear on the searches I made. The first step to visibility on the Internet was to get us on a national SD "link site." I learned that if I collected enough SD home pages together into what NJ.Com calls a Club Page, we could link it to the Square Dancing Web Ring. The SD Web Ring quote: "Is designed and intended to link square, round, contra, and clogging dance sites to create more exposure for the GREAT AMERICAN FOLK DANCES worldwide links and and info." Over 500 sites to date, all SD.

In the process, I added NJ.Com home pages for over 35 clubs in the NJ area. (A "home page" may contain a BUNCH of pages—it just means the first page of a web site.) On the Club Page, you will see a list of NJ clubs and some in the surrounding PA and NJ counties, if I could finagle a listing, as well as CCNJ (with the latest NJ Callers list) and the NNJSDA's pages. Clubs who have what I call a "professional" web page have a link at the top of their NJ.Com page. Each club also has a dance calendar and a link to the NJ/PA/NY association, state convention sites, and several other sites we considered to be of interest to "local clubs." (Go click. We won't repeat the URLs here.)

*Note:* Be sure to put your club URL and an e-Mail address in your ads and flyers. Lots of people who don't want to spend a toll call would appreciate it. And PLEASE put a FULL street address, with town and state. The corner of X & Y does NOT search on Internet maps.

When this article went to press, the NJ SD Club Page had changed administrators, and so didn't have all the club home pages listed yet. To find all the SD activities available on NJ.Com go to [community.nj.com/ccsearch](http://community.nj.com/ccsearch), and under "Community Groups," type "square." Don't type "square dance," because not all clubs have those words in their titles—why they don't search!

**INTERNATIONAL SD DATABASES:** There is a movement afoot to create a SD database for travelers, where every club in every state would simply be

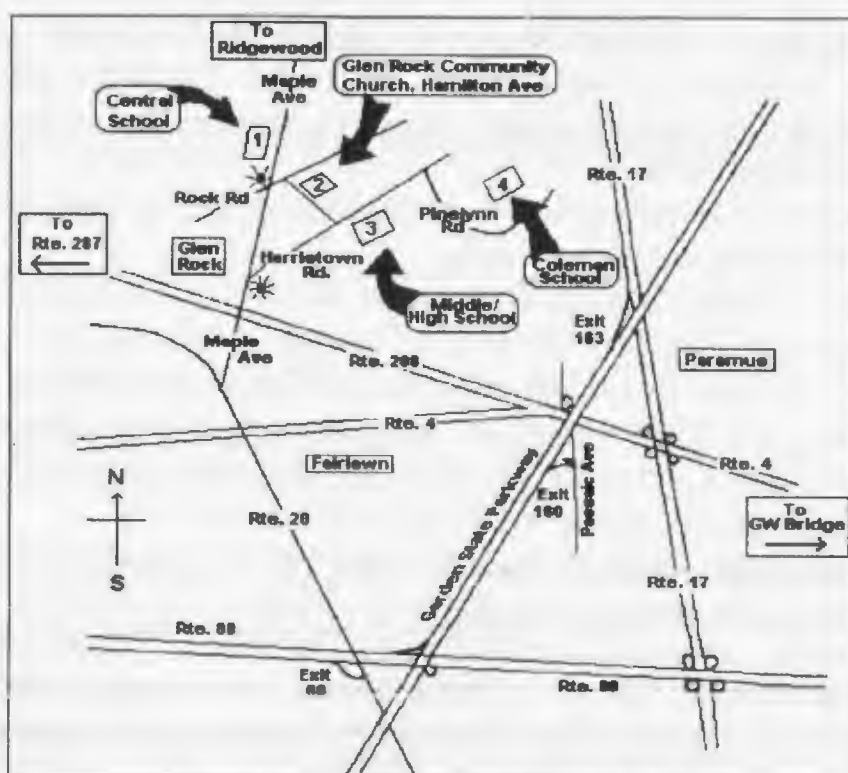
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# Belles & Beaux Dances

We will have 2 dances a month:

- 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month.
- The location is **CENTRAL SCHOOL**  
on Maple Ave off Rock Road in Glen Rock

Date	Caller
January 5	Dick Mazziotti
January 15	Betsy Gotta
February 2	Chuck & Gerry Hardy
February 19	Gary Dane - Conn. Sweetheart dance
March 1	Dick Mazziotti
March 18	Mark Hanhurst - Murder Mystery
April 5	Dick Mazziotti - Mexican night
April 15	Roy Leber - Tax Dance
May 3	Dick Mazziotti
May 20	Dave Haas - Conn. Book Exchange
June 7	Dick Mazziotti - Mazziotti Sendoff
June 17	Howard Richman - Beach Party



Central School, 600 Maple Ave, Glen Rock, NJ  
 For information contact David or Susan 525-0001 or Linda 265-3513

# DINGMAN DANCERS

Rich Murphy, Club Caller  
2, 4 & 5 Tuesdays

Mainstream with Plus tip  
7:30-9:30 pm

Delaware Valley Middle School Cafeteria  
Routes 209 & 6, Milford, PA

Jan. 25	Club Dance	Mar. 28	Club Dance
Feb. 8	50s Dance - 50s Attire	Apr. 11	Mad Hatter's Ball
Feb. 22	Club Dance	Apr. 25	Club Dance
Feb. 29	Cardinal Dance	May 9	Ice Cream Social
Mar. 14	St. Patrick's Dance	May 23	Club Dance

Student Dance: Monday, February 14 - Valentine Dance

For info and directions: Diane Murphy 570-296-5635 or Betty & John Rigo 570-775-0747

Free E-Resources for Squares continued from page 50

listed, with link to web sites where available. There is such a site being built by Vic Ceder for callers and cuers: [www.ceder.net](http://www.ceder.net). The best thing about this type of database is that the entrants can update their own entry. They don't have to wait for the webmaster to do it. I'll let you know their progress.

**SQUARE DANCE SURFING:** Finally let me call your attention to the following (non-commercial) sites. There are SO MANY great FREE resources for square dancing out there, if you know how to find them. Let me know sites you've found and how you've used them.

[www.users.uswest.net/~rnryoung/statelnk.htm](http://www.users.uswest.net/~rnryoung/statelnk.htm) State Federations Link Site by Bob & Robin Young. To date, the most complete out-of-state database.

[www.geocities.com/Heartland/Park/1503/1cons.htm](http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/Park/1503/1cons.htm) Lots of free SD clip art.

[homepages.enterprises.net/hissanddance/sqdcclip.html](http://homepages.enterprises.net/hissanddance/sqdcclip.html) More free SD clip art.

[members.tripod.com/~noriks/ENGLISH/english-Index2.html](http://members.tripod.com/~noriks/ENGLISH/english-Index2.html) "My name is Noriko Takahashi, a square dancer living in Japan. I have been trying hard in advertising Square Dance through my page. I amde animations to describe basic movement of Square Dance." Just as delightful as her self-description!

[www.dosido.com](http://www.dosido.com) "CyberTwirlers! Home of *Northeast Square Dancer Magazine* and *American Square Dance Magazine*. Contains info on square & round dancing clubs, callers, cuers, vendors, convention dates and info plus national organization info.

[www.dosado.com](http://www.dosado.com) Usually known as "Robert French's site," it has a plethora of links for everything square dancing.

[www.usda.org](http://www.usda.org) "United Square Dancers of America: the worlds largest square dance organization. The site provides listings of all officers and committee chairmen (with pictures), information on USDA, membership, square dancer credit card (you can apply online), accident and group liability insurance program, USDA news, view and print all educational matericals, national conventions, also square dance links around the world."

[kenrbnsn@rbnsn.com](mailto:kenrbnsn@rbnsn.com) Square dance e-mail list of "about 350 members from all over the world. Its main purpose is to discuss any and all aspects of our activity. Managers: our own Ken & Helena Robinson, Rutgers Promenaders.

Some sites with neat things to think about, and maybe pass along to new dancers:

[www.mixed-up.com/quads/articles/etiquette/html](http://www.mixed-up.com/quads/articles/etiquette/html)

[www.iagsdc.org/etiquette.html](http://www.iagsdc.org/etiquette.html)

[www.sirinet.net/~brentr/manners.html](http://www.sirinet.net/~brentr/manners.html)

Check it out and give us feedback: [ckball52@juno.com](mailto:ckball52@juno.com)

Round Dance Clubs . . .

**CLOUD 9 — Parsippany, NJ**

Wed - Basics 7-8:30; Ph IV-V: 8:30-10:15

Thurs - Ph II-IV: 7-8:30; Ph III: 8:30-10:15

Temple Beth Am  
879 S. Beverwyck Rd

The late Wednesday class learned the jive *Help Me Rhonda*, the bolero *She Believes in Me*, and the rumba *Mujer 4*. Then they relaxed and reviewed some of the dances on the program for the NNJRDLIC's Fall Festival of Rounds, which was enjoyed by several club members. The early Thursday class concentrated on learning the bolero rhythm with *Almost Bolero* followed by *Ginny Come Bolero*, which they really enjoyed, and then moved onto the jive *Let Me into Your Heart* to increase their dancing pleasure. The early Wednesday class is progressing well; the class members are now able to dance Phase II waltzes and two-steps and are doing really well with intermediate jive. They are a most enthusiastic group. Our Cloud 9 round dance parties have been well attended, so watch for flyers giving details of the next afternoon party.

As we write this, daylight savings time has ended and we are looking ahead to the cold winter nights. What better time than this to warm up with some round dancing? As the early Wednesday class has combined with the early Thursday class, Mary will start a new basics class on Wednesday, January 5, 2000. Start off the new year right and treat yourself to those round dance lessons you've always intended to take. You won't regret it.

Ed & Iris Zimany 973-267-1917

Mary & Jack Pickett 973-586-5292

# M&M Squares SPECIAL DANCE!!!!

## Tony Oxendine!

Calling **BASIC!!**

→ TICKETS go on Sale at the [unclear] Dance ←

Call Laurie M [unclear]

**Sold Out!!!**

is No tickets available at the door!

On **Sunday, February 6,**

**M&M Squares**

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# DANCE CALENDAR

Listing of dances, weekends and workshops prepared from ads appearing IN THIS ISSUE.

Please see ad for details. *Student dances are italicized.*

Abbr: A=Advanced; Alt=Alternate; C=Challenge; CW=Country & Western; MS=Mainstream; PL=Plus; RD=Rounds; TBA=To Be Announced; WS=Workshop; \*See caller/cuer ad for details.

Date	Club	Caller/Cuer/Leader	Place	Program
<b>January 2000:</b>				
18	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
19	Mountain Sqs.	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-1
20	Warren Wheelers	Kerns	Port Murray, NJ	MS/PL tip
21	Hunterdon Flutterwheels	Knauss/Dockry	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt MS & PL/RD
	Ironia Reelers	Anfinsen/Pickett	Randolph, NJ	PL/RD
	Tenakill Twirlers	Martellacci/Raspa	Cresskill, NJ	MS/PL tip/RD
22	Country Promenaders	Snyder/Bradt	Edison, NJ	PL/RD
	Richmond Dancers	Forman	Staten Island, NY	PL
	Western Wheelers	Leber/Raspa	Oradell, NJ	PL/A tip/RD
23	<b>NNJSDA Mid-Term</b>	<b>Many Callers</b>	<b>Livingston, NJ</b>	<b>Student</b>
	Al'e'Mo Sqs.	Riviccio	Brooklyn, NY	Alt MS & PL
	Rutgers Promenaders	Gottas or Kofts	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS/RD
24	Spinning Wheels	Robinson/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
25	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tip
	Hi Taw Twirlers	Page/Denniston/McCabe	Bergenfield, NJ	PL/A-2 tip/RD
	Lakeland Sqs.	Johnson/Pickett	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/RD
26	Cross Trail Sqs.	Gotta/Gotta	Caldwell, NJ	PL/RD
28	Bee Sharps	Felleggy/Pickett	Bound Brook, NJ	PL/RD
	Circle Eights	Richman	Haworth, NJ	MS/PL tip
	Kittatinny Rangers	Page	Andover, NJ	Alt MS & PL
	Y Squares	Koft/Koft	Clark, NJ	MS/RD
29	<b>NNJSDA Special Dance</b>	<b>Leber &amp; Raspa</b>	<b>Lincoln Park, NJ</b>	<b>PL/A tip/RD</b>
30	Harmony Dancers	Rumble	Springfield, NJ	RD
31	Spinning Wheels	Hardy/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
<b>February:</b>				
1	<i>Lakeland Sqs.</i>	<i>Mitchell</i>	<i>Parsippany, NJ</i>	<i>Student</i>
2	Belles & Beaux	Hardy/Hardy	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Mountain Sqs.	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-1
3	Warren Wheelers	Conklin	Port Murray, NJ	MS/PL tip
4	Hunterdon Flutterwheels	Hoff/Dockry	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt MS & PL/RD
	Ironia Reelers	Matthew/Pickett	Randolph, NJ	PL/RD
	Rockytops	Jacobs/Raspa	Up. Saddle River, NJ	PL/A-1 tip
5	Harmony Dancers	Forman/Kushla	Springfield, NJ	PL/A tip/RD
6	Kings Squares	Page	Brooklyn, NY	PL
	Motiv8ors	Jacobs/Raspa	Paramus, NJ	A-2/C-1 tip
7	Spinning Wheels	Robinson/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
8	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tip
	Hi Taw Twirlers	Leber/Denniston/McCabe	Bergenfield, NJ	PL/A-2 tip/RD
	Lakeland Sqs.	Coy/Coy	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
9	Cross Trail Sqs.	Landi/Pickett	Caldwell, NJ	PL/RD
11	Bee Sharps	Koft/Koft	Bound Brook, NJ	PL/RD
	Kittatinny Rangers	Richman	Andover, NJ	Alt MS & PL
	Rockland Promenaders	Mazziotti	West Nyack, NY	MS/PL tip
	Y Squares	Gotta/Kushla	Clark, NJ	MS/RD
12	Richmond Dancers	Amor	Staten Island, NY	PL
	Western Wheelers	Snyder/Raspa	Oradell, NJ	PL/A tip/RD
13	Al'e'Mo Sqs.	Gotta/Gotta	Brooklyn, NY	Alt MS & PL/RD
	Rutgers Promenaders	Gottas or Kofts	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS/RD
14	<i>Dingman Dancers</i>	<i>Murphy</i>	<i>Milford, PA</i>	<i>Student</i>
	Spinning Wheels	Hardy/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
15	Lakeland Sqs.	Snyder	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
17	Warren Wheelers	Snyder	Port Murray, NJ	MS/PL tip
18	Hunterdon Flutterwheels	Emory/Dockry	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt MS & PL/RD
	Ironia Reelers	Kaltenthaler/Pickett	Randolph, NJ	PL/RD
	Tenakill Twirlers	TBA/Raspa	Cresskill, NJ	MS/PL tip/RD
19	Belles & Beaux	Dane	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Harmony Dancers	Landi/McGee	Springfield, NJ	PL/A tip/RD

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February contd.

20	F.A.D. Squares Kings Squares Motiv8ors	Woerner Koft Page/Raspa	Paramus, NJ Brooklyn, NY Paramus, NJ	MS/PL tip PL A-2/C-1 tip
21	Spinning Wheels	Robinson/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
22	Dingman Dancers Hi Taw Twirlers Lakeland Sqs.	Murphy Fellegy/Denniston/McCabe McFarland/Pickett	Milford, PA Bergenfield, NJ Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip PL/A-2 tip/RD MS/PL tip/RD
23	Cross Trail Sqs.	Mitchell/Raspa	Caldwell, NJ	PL/RD
25	Bee Sharps Circle Eights Kittatinny Rangers Y Squares	Snyder/Pickett Mazziotti Coy Koft/Koft	Bound Brook, NJ Haworth, NJ Andover, NJ Clark, NJ	PL/RD MS/PL tip Alt MS & PL MS/RD
26	Country Promenaders Richmond Dancers Western Wheelers	Landi/Bradt Martellacci Leber/Raspa	Edison, NJ Staten Island, NY Oradell, NJ	PL/RD PL PL/A tip/RD
27	Al'e'Mo Sqs. Rutgers Promenaders	Richman Gottas or Kofts	Brooklyn, NY N. Brunswick, NJ	Alt MS & PL MS/RD
28	Spinning Wheels	Leber/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
29	Dingman Dancers Lakeland Sqs.	Murphy Richman	Milford, PA Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip MS/PL tip
<b>March:</b>				
1	Belles & Beaux Mountain Sqs.	Mazziotti Landi	Glen Rock, NJ Whippany, NJ	MS/PL tips A-1
2	Warren Wheelers	Kerns	Port Murray, NJ	MS/PL tip
3	Hunterdon Flutterwheels Ironia Reelers Rockytops	Hoff/Dockry Landi/Kushla Franks/Raspa	Stanton Station, NJ Randolph, NJ Up. Saddle River, NJ	Alt MS & PL/RD PL/RD PL/A-1 tip
4	Harmony Dancers	Kaltenthaler/McCabe	Springfield, NJ	PL/A tip/RD
5	F.A.D. Squares Kings Squares	Robinson Gotta	Paramus, NJ Brooklyn, NY	MS/PL tip PL
6	Spinning Wheels	Robinson/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
7	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Pickett	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/RD
8	Cross Trail Sqs.	Koft/Koft	Caldwell, NJ	PL/RD
10	Kittatinny Rangers <i>Rockland Promenaders</i> Y Squares	Woerner McFarland Richman/Kushla	Andover, NJ West Nyack, NY Clark, NJ	Alt MS & PL <i>Student</i> MS/RD
11	Country Promenaders Richmond Dancers Western Wheelers	Foote/Bradt Emory Richman/Raspa	Edison, NJ Staten Island, NY Oradell, NJ	PL/RD PL PL/A tip/RD
12	Al'e'Mo Sqs. Motiv8ors Rutgers Promenaders	Kopman Bryant/Raspa Gottas or Kofts	Brooklyn, NY Paramus, NJ N. Brunswick, NJ	Alt MS & PL A-2/C-1 tip MS/RD
13	Spinning Wheels	Weiner/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
14	Dingman Dancers Hi Taw Twirlers Lakeland Sqs.	Murphy Mazziotti/Denniston/McCabe Kaltenthaler	Milford, PA Bergenfield, NJ Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip PL/A-2 tip/RD <i>Student</i>
15	Mountain Sqs.	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-1
16	Warren Wheelers	Coy	Port Murray, NJ	MS/PL tip
17	<b>Grand Square Deadline for May-September (Grads/Summer) Issue</b>			
	Hunterdon Flutterwheels Ironia Reelers Tenakill Twirlers	McFarland/Dockry Flego/Pickett Kaltenthaler/Raspa	Stanton Station, NJ Randolph, NJ Cresskill, NJ	Alt MS & PL/RD PL/RD MS/PL tip/RD
18	Belles & Beaux Harmony Dancers	Hanhurst Gotta/Gotta	Glen Rock, NJ Springfield, NJ	MS/PL tips PL/A tip/RD
19	F.A.D. Squares Kings Squares	Mazziotti McFarland	Paramus, NJ Brooklyn, NY	MS/PL tip PL
20	Spinning Wheels	Robinson/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
21	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Bichler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
22	Cross Trail Sqs.	Kaltenthaler/Raspa	Caldwell, NJ	PL/RD
24	Bee Sharps Circle Eights Kittatinny Rangers Y Squares	Kaltenthaler/Pickett Page Anfinson Koft/Koft	Bound Brook, NJ Haworth, NJ Andover, NJ Clark, NJ	PL/RD MS/PL tip <i>Student</i> MS/RD
25	Country Promenaders Richmond Dancers Western Wheelers	Larsen/Bradt Mazziotti Leber/Raspa	Edison, NJ Staten Island, NY Oradell, NJ	PL/RD PL PL/A tip/RD



March contd.

26	Al'e'Mo Sqs. Motiv8ors Rutgers Promenaders	Emory/Emory Fellegi/Raspa Gottas or Kofts	Brooklyn, NY Paramus, NJ N. Brunswick, NJ	Alt MS & PL/RD A-2/C-1 tip MS/RD
27	Spinning Wheels	Conklin/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
28	Dingman Dancers Hi Taw Twirlers Lakeland Sqs.	Murphy Coy/Denniston/McCabe Richman/Pickett	Milford, PA Bergenfield, NJ Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip PL/A-2 tip/RD MS/PL tip/RD
29	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, NJ	MS/PL tip
31	<b>NNJSDA Special</b>	<b>Landi &amp; Denniston</b>	<b>Lincoln Park, NJ</b>	<b>PL/A tip/RD</b>

April:

1	Harmony Dancers	Larsen/Pickett	Springfield, NJ	PL/A tip/RD
2	F.A.D. Squares Kings Squares Motiv8ors	Martellacci Corey Jedlicka/Raspa	Paramus, NJ Brooklyn, NY Paramus, NJ	MS/PL tip PL A-2/C-1 tip
3	Spinning Wheels	Robinson/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
4	Lakeland Sqs.	Richman/Pickett	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/RD
5	Belles & Beaux Mountain Sqs.	Mazziotti Landi	Glen Rock, NJ Whippany, NJ	MS/PL tips A-2
6	Warren Wheelers	Woerner	Port Murray, NJ	MS/PL tip
7	Hunterdon Flutterwheels Ironia Reelers Rockytops	Hoff/Dockry Page/Pickett Ritucci/Raspa	Stanton Station, NJ Randolph, NJ Up. Saddle River, NJ	Alt MS & PL/RD PL/RD PL/A-1 tip
8	Country Promenaders Richmond Dancers Western Wheelers	Snyder/Pickett Longobucco Coy/Raspa	Edison, NJ Staten Island, NY Oradell, NJ	PL/RD PL PL/A tip/RD
9	Al'e'Mo Sqs. Rutgers Promenaders	Martellacci Gottas or Kofts	Brooklyn, NY N. Brunswick, NJ	Alt MS & PL MS/RD
10	Spinning Wheels	Mazziotti/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
11	Dingman Dancers Hi Taw Twirlers Lakeland Sqs.	Murphy Landi/Denniston/McCabe Johnson	Milford, PA Bergenfield, NJ Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip PL/A-2 tip/RD Graduation
12	Cross Trail Sqs.	Mitchell/Raspa	Caldwell, NJ	PL/RD
14	Bee Sharps Kittatinny Rangers Rockland Promenaders Y Squares	Snyder/Bradt Koft Fellegi Landi/Kushla	Bound Brook, NJ Andover, NJ West Nyack, NY Clark, NJ	PL/RD Alt MS & PL MS/PL tip MS/RD
15	Belles & Beaux Harmony Dancers	Leber Snyder/Kushla	Glen Rock, NJ Springfield, NJ	MS/PL tips PL/A tip/RD
16	F.A.D. Squares Kings Squares Motiv8ors	Robinson Richman TBA/Raspa	Paramus, NJ Brooklyn, NY Paramus, NJ	MS/PL tip PL A-2/C-1 tip
17	Spinning Wheels	Robinson/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
18	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Bichler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
19	Mountain Sqs.	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-2
20	Warren Wheelers	Reardon	Port Murray, NJ	MS/PL tip
24	Spinning Wheels	Leber/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
25	Dingman Dancers Hi Taw Twirlers	Murphy Page/Denniston/McCabe	Milford, PA Bergenfield, NJ	MS/PL tip PL/A-2 tip/RD
26	Cross Trail Sqs.	Landi/Pickett	Caldwell, NJ	PL/RD
28	Bee Sharps Circle Eights Kittatinny Rangers Y Squares	Richman/Booz Woerner Murphy Koft/Koft	Bound Brook, NJ Haworth, NJ Sparta, NJ Clark, NJ	Student MS/PL tip Alt MS & PL MS/RD
29	<b>NNJSDA Special</b>	<b>Matthew &amp; Kushla</b>	<b>Lincoln Park, NJ</b>	<b>PL/A tip/RD</b>
30	Al'e'Mo Sqs. Motiv8ors	Coy Franks/Raspa	Brooklyn, NY Paramus, NJ	Graduation A-2/C-1 tip

May:

1	Spinning Wheels	Robinson/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
2	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Pickett	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/RD
3	Belles & Beaux Mountain Sqs.	Mazziotti Landi	Glen Rock, NJ Whippany, NJ	MS/PL tips A-2
4	Warren Wheelers	Snyder	Port Murray, NJ	MS/PL tip
5	Hunterdon Flutterwheels Ironia Reelers Rockytops	Robinson/Dockry Koft/Koft DeNigris/Raspa	Stanton Station, NJ Randolph, NJ Up. Saddle River, NJ	Alt MS & PL/RD PL/RD PL/A-1 tip
6	Harmony Dancers	Landi/Bradt	Springfield, NJ	PL/A tip/RD

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May contd.

7	<b>NNJSDA Delegates Meeting</b>		<b>Elmwood Park, NJ</b>	
	F.A.D. Squares	Mazziotti	Paramus, NJ	MS/PL tip
	Kings Squares	Riviccio	Brooklyn, NY	PL
8	Spinning Wheels	Gotta/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
9	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tip
	Hi Taw Twirlers	Gittleman/Denniston/McCabe	Bergenfield, NJ	PL/A-2 tip/RD
	Lakeland Sqs.	Kaltenthaler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip
10	<i>Cross Trail Sqs.</i>	<i>Kapnick</i>	<i>Caldwell, NJ</i>	<i>Graduation</i>
12	Bee Sharps	Landi/Roberts	Bound Brook, NJ	PL/RD
	Kittatinny Rangers	Cline	Andover, NJ	Alt MS & PL
	Rockland Promenaders	Foote	West Nyack, NY	MS/PL tip
	Y Squares	Amor/Kushla	Clark, NJ	MS/RD
13	Country Promenaders	Marriner/Bradt	Edison, NJ	PL/RD
	Richmond Dancers	Corey	Staten Island, NY	PL
	Western Wheelers	Snyder/Raspa	Oradell, NJ	PL/A tip/RD
14	Rutgers Promenaders	Gottas or Kofts	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS/RD
15	Spinning Wheels	Foote/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
16	Lakeland Sqs.	Mitchell/Bichler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
17	Mountain Sqs.	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-2
18	Warren Wheelers	McFarland	Port Murray, NJ	MS/PL tip
19	Hunterdon Flutterwheels	Hoff/Dockry	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt MS & PL/RD
	ironia Reelers	Landi/Kushla	Randolph, NJ	PL/RD
	Tenakill Twirlers	Martellacci/Raspa	Cresskill, NJ	MS/PL tip/RD
20	Belles & Beaux	Haas	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/PL tips
	Harmony Dancers	Matthew/McCabe	Springfield, NJ	PL/A tip/RD
21	<b>NNJSDA Graduates Ball</b>	<b>Many Callers</b>	<b>Livingston, NJ</b>	<b>MS</b>
	F.A.D. Squares	McFarland	Paramus, NJ	MS/PL tip
	Kings Squares	Stapenell	Brooklyn, NY	PL
	Motiv8ors	Gotta/Gotta	Paramus, NJ	A-2/C-1 tip
22	Spinning Wheels	Robinson/Gesumaria	Wayne, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW
23	Dingman Dancers	Murphy	Milford, PA	MS/PL tip
	Hi Taw Twirlers	Bates/Denniston/McCabe	Bergenfield, NJ	PL/A-2 tip/RD
	Lakeland Sqs.	Coy/Pickett	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/RD
24	Cross Trail Sqs.	Koft/Koft	Caldwell, NJ	MS/PL/RD
26	Bee Sharps	Gotta/Gotta	Bound Brook, NJ	PL/RD
	Circle Eights	Kaltenthaler	Haworth, NJ	MS/PL tip
	Kittatinny Rangers	Lutcher	Andover, NJ	Alt MS & PL
	Y Squares	Koft/Koft	Clark, NJ	MS/RD
27	Richmond Dancers	Amor	Staten Island, NY	PL
28	Al'e'Mo Sqs.	McFariand	Brooklyn, NY	Alt MS & PL
	Rutgers Promenaders	Gottas or Kofts	N. Brunswick, NJ	MS/RD
30	Lakeland Sqs.	Richman/Bichler	Parsippany, NJ	MS/PL tip/CW

## Non NNJSDA Clubs

**January 2000:**

21 Masqueraders Leber/Rumble E. Windsor, NJ PL/RD/A tip

**February:**

4 Masqueraders Kaesler/Denniston E. Windsor, NJ PL/RD

6 M&M Squares Oxendine SOLD OUT

18 Masqueraders Franks/Rumble E. Windsor, NJ PL/RD/A tip

**March:**

3 Masqueraders Kaesler/Denniston E. Windsor, NJ PL/RD

4 M&M Squares Mazziotti Park Ridge, NJ Basic

17 Masqueraders Snyder/Rumble E. Windsor, NJ PL/RD/A tip

31 Masqueraders Leber/Rumble E. Windsor, NJ PL/RD/A tip

**April:**

7 Masqueraders Kaesler/Denniston E. Windsor, NJ PL/RD

**May:**

5 Masqueraders Kaesler/Denniston E. Windsor, NJ PL/RD

6 M&M Squares Mazziotti Park Ridge, NJ Basic

19 Masqueraders Matthew/Rumble E. Windsor, NJ PL/RD/A tip

Keep your face to the sunshine and you cannot see the shadow.

*Helen Keller*

## Student Dances

January 2000:

23 NNJSDA Mid-Term Many Callers Livingston, NJ Student

February:

1 Barn Dance Push/Millar White Plains, NY Basic  
 Lakeland Sqs. Mitchell Parsippany, NJ Student  
 14 Dingman Dancers Murphy Milford, PA Student  
 15 Barn Dance Push/Millar White Plains, NY Basic

March:

7 Barn Dance Push/Millar White Plains, NY Basic  
 10 Rockland Promenaders McFarland West Nyack, NY Student  
 14 Lakeland Sqs. Kaltenthaler Parsippany, NJ Student  
 21 Barn Dance Push/Millar White Plains, NY Basic  
 24 Kittatinny Rangers Anfinson Andover, NJ Student

April:

4 Barn Dance Push/Millar White Plains, NY Basic  
 11 Lakeland Sqs. Johnson Parsippany, NJ Graduation  
 18 Barn Dance Push/Millar White Plains, NY Basic  
 28 Bee Sharps Richman/Booz Bound Brook, NJ Student  
 30 Al'e'Mo Sqs. Coy Brooklyn, NY Graduation

May:

2 Barn Dance Push/Millar White Plains, NY Basic  
 10 Cross Trail Sqs. Kapnick Caldwell, NJ Graduation  
 16 Barn Dance Push/Millar White Plains, NY Basic  
 21 NNJSDA Graduates Ball Many Callers Livingston, NJ MS

## Workshops

Workshops Every Dance:

Circle Eights	first 1/2 hour of dance	Haworth, NJ	PL
Cross Trail Sqs.	1/2 hour before dance	Caldwell, NJ	PL or RD
Lakeland Sqs.	1/2 hour during dance	Parsippany, NJ	PL
Rockland Promenaders	1/2 before dance	West Nyack, NJ	DBD MS
Spinning Wheels	first 1/2 hour of dance	Wayne, NJ	PL

## Conventions, Festivals, Specials, & Weekends

January 2000:

30 Harmony Dancers Rumble Cranford, NJ RD

April:

9 Kittatinny Rangers Page/Garrett/Pickett Flanders, NJ All MS & PL/RD

May:

5-7 Dancing At The Shade Hardy/Hardy/Hall Greenville, NY MS/PL/RD  
 7 Wish Upon A Star Callahan/Ferree/McGee Hamilton Sq., NJ PL/RD

June:

3 B&B Mystery Bus Raid ????? Elmwood Park, NJ PL  
 8 Hix & Chix Haag/Raspa Elmwood Park, NJ PL  
 9 Moonlight on the Hudson Richman/Raspa Alpine, NJ MS/RD  
 9-11 June Jamboree Shoemake/Bower/Newman Watkins Glen, NY PL/A/RD  
 11 Rockland Promenaders Martellacci West Nyack, NY MS/PL tip  
 29 Hix & Chix Snyder/Raspa Elmwood Park, NJ PL

July:

20 Hix & Chix Shoemake/Raspa Elmwood Park, NJ PL

August:

3 Hix & Chix Bower/Raspa Elmwood Park, NJ PL  
 31 Hix & Chix Snyder/Raspa Elmwood Park, NJ PL

September:

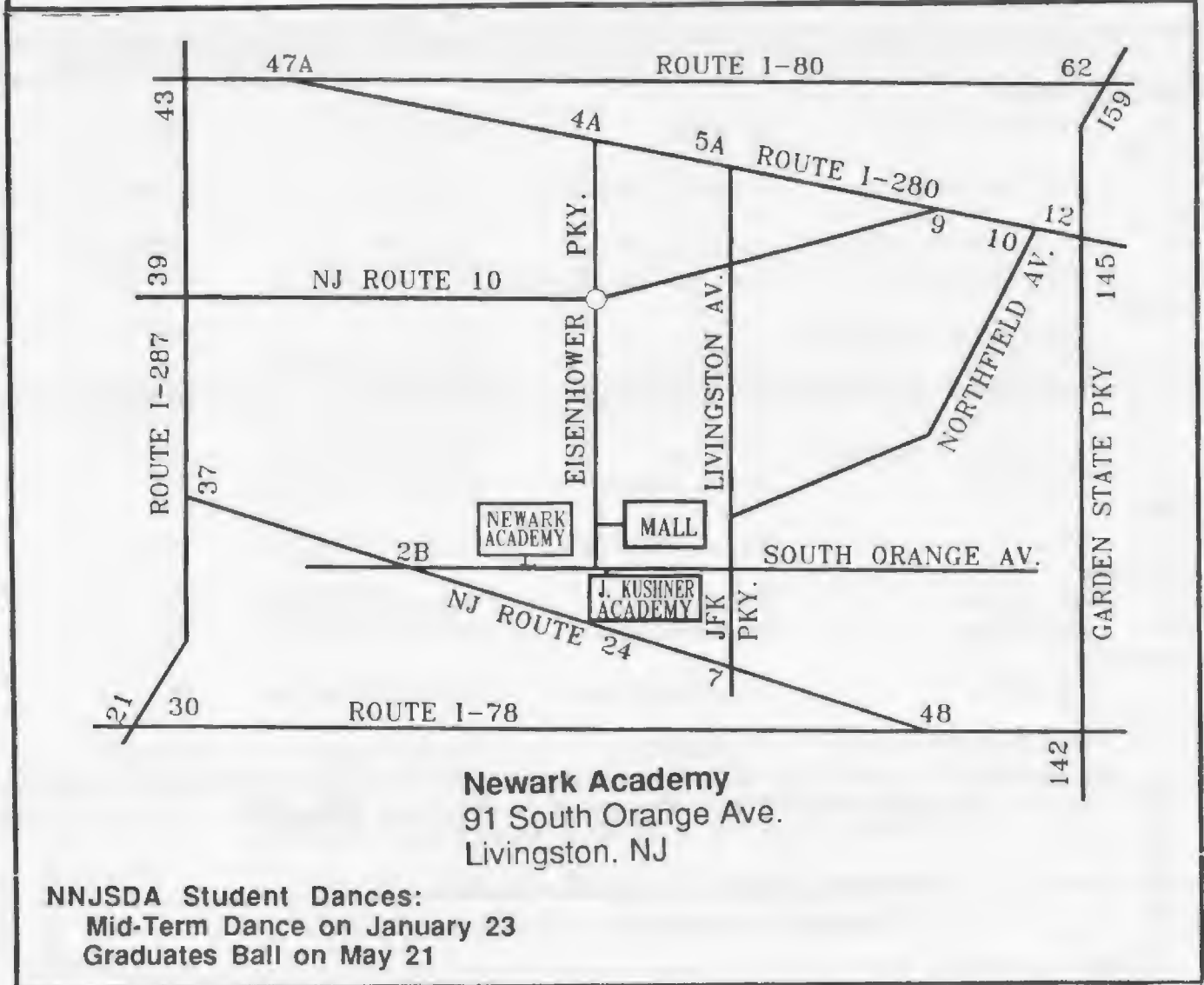
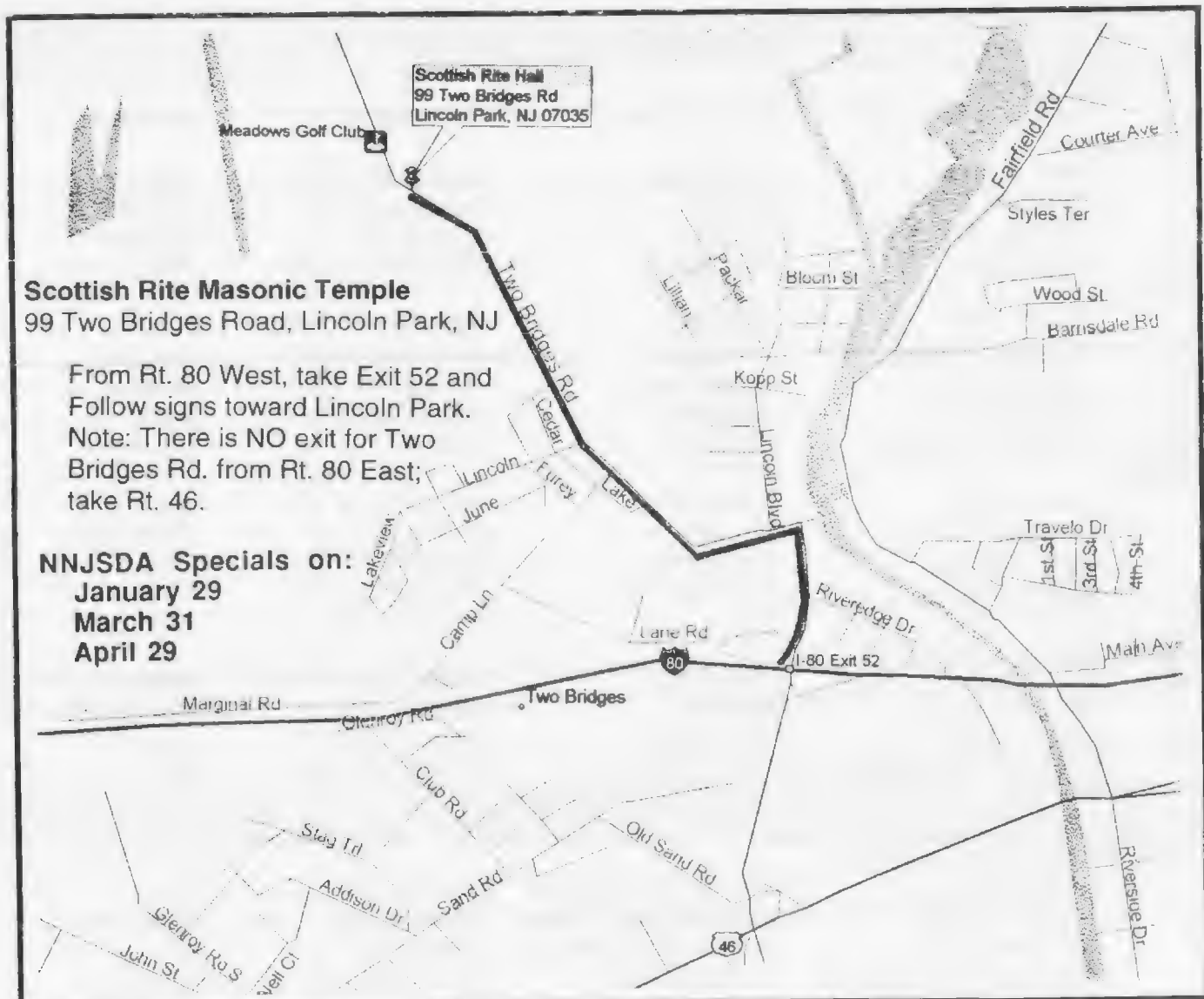
21 Hix & Chix Dougherty/Raspa Elmwood Park, NJ PL

October:

13-15 Star Struck Weekend 3 Callers/Cuer Ocean City, NJ PL/A/RD

# NNJSDA Graduates Ball

Sunday, May 21, 2000 - 2:30-5:00 p.m.  
 Newark Academy, Livingston, NJ





# THE NEW JERSEY STATE OUTFIT

*Plan to wear it to Baltimore 2000!!!*

Square dance conventions and other national gatherings hold a Parade of States or a Grand March, during which the dancers from each state march together. Usually the dancers from each state will wear the same outfit or the same color combination.

The New Jersey State Outfit colors are Kelly green and white, based on the concept of the "Garden State." (Examples of Kelly green are the labels on Schweppes and Seagram's Ginger Ale bottles.) The state emblem is visible in a prominent (but tasteful) location; the emblem set, **available from the State Outfit Coordinators**, consists of a 9" Kelly green and white embroidered outline of NJ, with an embroidered gold star at the location of his/her home club, and an embroidered "NJ."

Recently, the Square Dance Council of New Jersey the NNJSDA met and agreed that the original apron and vest may present restrictions in today's fashion world. New alternatives will allow dancers to make up an official outfit that conforms to current dancer preferences relating to style and taste. Some alternatives, which you may already have:

- a Kelly green vest with white top-stitching, with the state emblem on the back, worn over a white shirt/blouse.
- the state emblem directly on the back of a green or white shirt/blouse.
- the state emblem on the side front of a green or white skirt.
- the state emblem on a green overskirt/apron trimmed with white eyelet.
- an all-white dress worn with the green vest, with the state emblem on the skirt-side front.
- either white or green slacks are equally appropriate.

## **Need more information?**

**Contact the State Outfit Coordinators, Rusty & Richard Ball:**

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**v-Mail: 973-838-0312  
e-Mail: [ckball52@juno.com](mailto:ckball52@juno.com)**

*Following is an article from a club that is not currently an NNJSDA member. . .*

**M & M SQUARES – Park Ridge, NJ      Interesting Basic  
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The Roman numeral MM, as was pointed out by Richard Ball recently, stands for 2000. It is appropriate, therefore, that the first dance of the year 2000 is our regularly scheduled dance...Saturday, January 1.

Sunday, February 6, will be our special: Tony Oxendine calls Basic. Please note that this is a ticket dance and as of this writing is sold out. Please call for possible ticket availability.

Our May dance, Saturday, May 6, will be the last M&M's dance.

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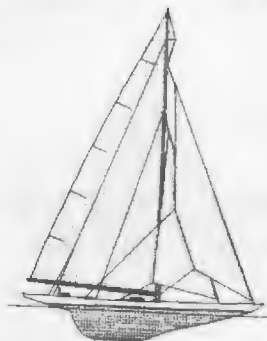
The time to recruit new dancers  
is NOW!!!

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### MAINSTREAM

	Weeks of the Month:
<b>Sunday:</b>	
Al'e'Mo Sqs	2, 4 All Year
F.A.D. Sqs.	1, 3 All Year
Rutgers Prom.	2 & 4 Sept-May
<b>Monday:</b>	
Spinning Whls	Every Wk. Sept-Aug
<b>Tuesday:</b>	
Dingman Dncrs	2, 4, 5 Sept-Jun
Lakeland Sqs	Every Wk Sept-Jul
<b>Wednesday:</b>	
Belles & Beaux	1 Sept-Aug
<b>Thursday:</b>	
Warren Whlrs.	1, 3 Sept-Jun
<b>Friday:</b>	
Circle Eights	4 Sept-Jun
Hunterdon Flutterwh.	1, 3 Sept-Jun
Kittatinny Rangers	2, 4 Sept-Jun
Rockland Prom.	2 All Year
Tenakill Twirlers	3 Oct-May
Y Squares	2, 4 Sept-May
<b>Saturday:</b>	
Belles & Beaux	3 Sept-Aug

### PLUS

	Weeks of the Month:
<b>Sunday:</b>	
Al'e'Mo Sqs	2, 4 All Year
Kings Sqs.	1, 3 Sept-Jun
<b>Tuesday:</b>	
Hi Taw Twirlers	2 & 4 Sept-May
<b>Wednesday:</b>	
Cross Trail Sqs.	2, 4 Sept-Jun
<b>Thursday:</b>	
Hix & Chix	Special Dance Sept.
Warren Whlrs.	1, 3 Sept-Jun
<b>Friday:</b>	
Bee Sharps	2, 4 Sept-Jun
Hunterdon Flutterwh.	1, 3 Sept-Jun
Ironia Reelers	1, 3 Sept-Jun
Kittatinny Rangers	2, 4 Sept-Jun
Rockytops	1 Oct-Jun
<b>Saturday:</b>	
Country Prom.	2, 4 Sept-May
Harmony Dancers	1, 3 Sept-May
Richmond Dancers	2, 4 Sept-May
Rockytops	1 Jul-Aug
Western Whlrs.	2, 4 Sept-Jun

### ADVANCED

<b>Sunday:</b>		<b>Wednesday:</b>
Motiv8ors (A-2)	1, 3 All Year	Mountain Sqs. (A-2)
		1, 3 Sept-Jun

### DANCES CANCELLED

<b>February:</b>	<b>April:</b>	<b>May:</b>
6 - F.A.D. Sqs.	1 - M & M	14 - Al'e'Mo Sqs.
12 - Country Prom.	21-23 - All Clubs	29 - Spinning Wheels
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Rock"A"Ways will not dance in January.

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