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From the computer of... **Donna Poyer & Mike Szekula, NNJSDA Presidents**



As I'm writing this column, the wind is blowing fiercely, it's cold, and the wind chill is in the 20's. Hopefully, when you read this column, it will be much warmer.

'Tis the end of another season of instructing students from beginning square dancing to graduation. There are many clubs that had a graduating class during the winter, and we were lucky to be asked to represent the NNJSDA at three clubs: Bee Sharps, Ironia Reelers, and Hunterdon

Flutterwheels. During the summer, please keep your eyes and ears open for potential square dancers. Let's keep square dancing alive and well. It is enthusiastic square dancers like you that bring people into our great activity.

The two of us are looking forward to attending the National Square Dance Convention held in San Antonio, Texas in June. We go with three other couples and usually tour the area either before or after the Convention. This year, I'm looking forward to viewing the emergence of the Mexican free tail bats at the Congress Avenue Bridge in Austin. It is one of the largest bat colonies in the United States.

Keep watching the *Grand Square* for more exciting events the NNJSDA is providing for your dancing and educational needs and enjoyment.

See you on the dance floor soon!

Donna Poyer & Mike Szekula, NNJSDA Presidents

NNJSDA SPECIAL DANCE

**Caller
Plus with A1tip**

Mike Callahan

**Cuer
Pre-Rounds at 7:30**

Karen Kushla

Dance Date/Time

**Saturday, Sept. 30, 2006
8:00 p.m. - 10:30 p.m.**

Location

**Scottish Rite Masonic Temple
99 Two Bridges Road, Lincoln Park, NJ
Map on page 14**

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**All Clubs Expected
to Participate**

"One Square is Fair"

Square Dancing on Television

"Friendship Set to Music," a new TV series highlighting modern western square dancing may now be on your local access cable channel. The show airs every Monday from 5:30 P.M. to 6:30 P.M. and every Thursday, from 6:30 P.M. to 7:30 P.M. on PCTV channel 22 and every Sunday from 10 P.M. to 11 P.M. and Wednesday from 9 A.M. to 10 A.M. on Patriot Media, channel 8.

NNJSDA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

June

- 4 **NNJSDA Exec. Comm. Mtg.**
- 21 - 24 **NSD Conv., San Antonio, TX**
- 30 **NNJSDA Special (MS/ PL/ RD)**
Scottish Rite, Lincoln Park, NJ
Dennis Reardon, Jim Snyder/
Tim Eum

July

- 7 **Grand Square Deadline**
Fall Issue
- 29 **NNJSDA Special (MS/ PL/ RD)**
Scottish Rite, Lincoln Park, NJ
Dennis Reardon, Jay Silva/
Mary Pickett

August

- 13 **NNJSDA Exec. Comm. Mtg.**
- 26 **NNJSDA Special (MS/ PL/ RD)**
Scottish Rite, Lincoln Park, NJ
Skip Brown/ Roy Gotta
Grand Square Distribution

September

- 17 **Delegates' Meeting (1:30 p.m.)**
VFW, Elmwood Park, NJ
- 30 **NNJSDA Special (PL/ RD)**
Scottish Rite, Lincoln Park, NJ
Mike Callahan/ Karen Kushla

November

- 12 **NNJSDA 32nd Mini-Festival**
(MS/ PL/ A/ C1/ RD)
Bridgewater, NJ
- 17 **Grand Square Deadline**

December

- 3 **NNJSDA Exec. Comm. Mtg.**

January, 2007

- 21 **Delegates' Meeting (1:30 p.m.)**
VFW, Elmwood Park, NJ
Grand Square Distribution
- 28 **NNJSDA Mid-Term Dance**
VFW, Elmwood Park, NJ
Many Callers

"ONE SQUARE IS FAIR"

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DATES

- May 12, 2006
- May 26, 2006

CALLERS

- Wayne Applegate
- Derek Page Pot Luck Supper
(Casual Dress)

*****Summer Dances*****

- July 18, 2006* Wayne Applegate Givens-Bilet Memorial
- Aug. 22, 2006* Wayne Applegate Hall, Blairstown, NJ

*****Fall Dances*****

- September 8, 2006 Wayne Applegate
- September 22, 2006 ?????

* Casual Dress

Contact: Kay Davis (973-697-7765)

Mark your calendar now! **NNJSDA Mini-Festival 11/12/06**
Tony Oxendine - Betsy Gotta - Randy Page - The McGees

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September through July**

May 2006

- 2 Gerry & Chuck Hardy –
*33rd Anniversary Dinner Dance:
6:30 Potluck, 8:00 Dance*
- 9 Ed Foote
- 16 Rick Gittelman
- 23 Ron Kapnick
- 30 Barn Dance – Pal Johnson
*Open to the public – Bring your
Friends!*

July 2006

- 4 NO DANCE - *Holiday*
- 11 Dennis Reardon
- 18 Howard Richman
- 25 Dan Koft – *Ice Cream Social*

September 2006

- 5 NO DANCE
- 12 John Kaltenthaler
- 19 Don Coy
- 26 Howard Richman

June 2006

- 6 NO DANCE – *Election Day!*
- 13 Betsy Gotta
- 20 Derek Page
- 27 Jim Snyder – *Red, White, & Blue!*

August 2006

- Club doesn't dance in August!*
- 25 Barn Dance – Pal Johnson
Open to the public – Bring your friends!

October 2006

- 3 Gerry Hardy
- 10 Andy Woerner
- 17 Jan Nielsen (Danish Caller)
- 24 Derek Page
- 31 Barn Dance - Pal Johnson
Open to the public – Bring your friends!

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Belles & Beaux Amateur Callers Night

Belles & Beaux Amateur Callers Night, February 1, was a great success, drawing five squares and five amateur callers. Those who tried their hand at the mike were Billy Flynn, Ken Franz, and Brenda Sherman of Belles & Beaux, and Marylee DiSanti and Dave Stewart of Circle Eights. The evening progressed with the help of professional caller Ron Kapnick, who alternated tips with them.

Some of their singing calls included "Hello, Marylou," "Down on the Corner," "After the Lovin'," "Diana," "Ma, He's Making Eyes at Me," and "Hard to be Humble" (usually sung by Wayne Applegate). The evening concluded with Ron and Brenda doing a duet, "Goodnight." Many dancers said they really enjoyed the evening. "It was like listening to new callers, and so much emotion was put into it." "We had a great time. Thanks."

We extend much gratitude to Andy Woerner, Circle Eights' caller, who taught three of the "callers" professional techniques over several months. He was kind enough to give his time and let them use his records for this event.

One last note: Some of these new people may even do it professionally (at least at some demos) in the future! The opportunity to call on February 1 has given them the confidence and impetus to continue on.

Belles & Beaux is planning another Amateur Callers Night in the future.

Brenda Sherman, Belles & Beaux



A Pro and Five Amateurs

Ron Kapnick, Brenda Sherman, Dave Stewart, Bill Flynn, Marylee DiSanti, Ken Franz

See you at the NNJSDA Mini-Festival 11/12/06

Tony Oxendine - Betsy Gotta - Randy Page - The McGees

In Memoriam – Mike Schein

Circle Eights sadly announces the passing of Mike Schein, a long standing member of our club and an important part of its success. You can't think of Mike without remembering his great smile, his red suspenders, and his love of people, music, and square dancing.

Mike wore many hats over the years. President, Raid Chair, and 50/50 ticket seller were some of his most recent ones. He always had his hand out to invite a new dancer onto the floor as his partner; he encouraged the rest of us to do the same. "Encourage new dancers; they are the future of square dancing." "The best way for a student to learn is to dance with good dancers. So what if the square breaks down? It can be fixed."

Our winter luncheon was always topped off by a demonstration of Mike's musical talents on the accordion, piano, and trombone. He was a friend to all. Mike will never be forgotten by his wife Sally, his sons, or his Circle Eights extended family.



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2006 SUMMER DANCES

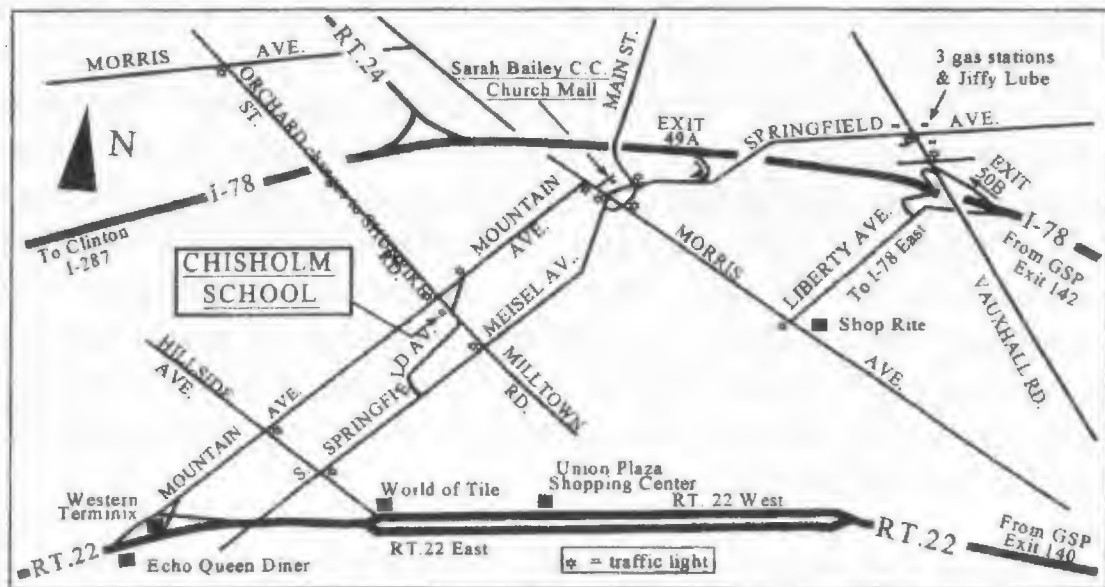
LOCATION: YMCA/Chisholm Community Center
 So. Springfield @ Shunpike, Springfield, NJ

2 Mainstream/1 Plus + Rounds
Air Conditioned Hall Soft-Soled Shoes Please

7:30 Pre-Rounds, 8-10:30 PM Squares & Rounds

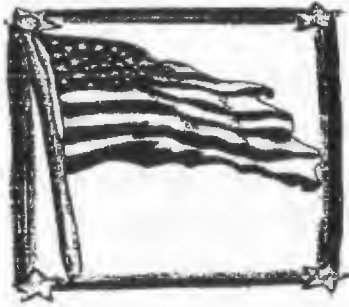
NOTE: Neat casual attire accepted; long sleeves for men please

Program	Caller	Cuer	Date
2MS / 1P	Mike Jacobs	Ellen McCabe	June 3
2MS / 1P	John Kaltenthaler	Steve Bradt	June 17
2MS / 1P	Len Anfinson	Karen Kushla	July 1
2MS / 1P	Jim Snyder	Mary McGee	July 15
2MS / 1P	Joe Landi	Karen Kushla	August 5
2MS / 1P	Dennis Reardon	Steve Bradt	August 19



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MEMORIAL DAY PLUS WEEKEND - 2006

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2 & 4 Fri. Sept-May **Bound Brook United Meth. Ch., 150 Union Ave (Rt. 28)**

The Sweethearts' Ball was a great success once again, thanks to stellar calling by Mike Jacobs and superior cueing by Steve Bradt. Early birds to the dance had the pleasure of watching Steve & Irene Bradt and Tom Denniston & Ellen McCabe dance to pre-recorded music. We can't all look that graceful on the floor, but we can certainly appreciate the talents of the cuers in our area! Thanks to all who came from far and near for this wonderful night.

Our classes have been enlivened by members from other clubs, especially Y Squares, who've come to learn to dance the Plus level, and we're so happy to be learning together. Len Grasso and Alma Moore seem to enjoy ballroom dancing to the music; Gardner Patton plays between the teaching tips – they're very good! The last few evenings we've had the pleasure of a "guest" caller – Joe Kwiatek of Hunterdon Flutterwheels, a regular at the Bee Sharps classes and dances, has been honing his calling skills.

We're looking forward to seeing more of our new dancers this summer at the Five Clubs dances. Five Clubs has a really great line-up of callers and cuers. In addition to the new dancers, we especially invite experienced dancers to join us this summer. New dancers need encouragement and a "strong corner" to make their dancing experiences positive. We fondly remember Bob and Mary King, Irma Huhn, and Steve and Peggy Koehler being there for us when we were new square dancers. Be a friend – lend a helping hand.

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ACEY DEUCEYS 2006

MONDAY SUMMER DANCE SCHEDULE

C-1 7-8 PM A-2 8-10 PM

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>CALLER</u>	
JUNE 5, 2006	DON MOGER	MONTREAL
JUNE 12, 2006	BETSY GOTTA	NJ
JUNE 19, 2006	RED BATES	FL
JUNE 26, 2006	BEN RUBRIGHT	FL
JULY 10, 2006	TODD FELLEGY	CT
JULY 17, 2006	BARRY CLASPER	ONTARIO
JULY 24, 2006	CLARK BAKER	MA
JULY 31, 2006	KEITH STEVENS	FL
AUGUST 7, 2006	MIKE JACOBS	NJ
AUGUST 14, 2006	RANDY DOUGHERTY	AZ
AUGUST 21, 2006	ROY LEBER	PA
AUGUST 28, 2006	NORM POISSON	MA

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Keeping Our Clubs Alive:

Education

One of the many functions of the NNJSDA, and one of my personal goals as President of the organization, is to provide educational opportunities for square dancers. An important part of being in a square dance club, besides knowing how to square dance, is being able to support and sustain your club. Square dancing is about fun, and no job in a club should be so demanding that a person feels hesitant to take it on. Unfortunately, most people learn how to carry out a leadership role while they are holding the office and never really get taught the skills to make the job easier.

The NNJSDA is planning to provide opportunities for experienced members to share such skills as organization, planning, and other subjects that will interest square dancers. These opportunities will become available as part of the Delegates Meetings (to which all club members are always welcome) and as a separate seminar called *The Gathering*. We encourage all square dancers to keep on the lookout for information about the sessions and to plan to attend and participate.

Donna Poyer, NNJSDA President

NNJSDA Specials

Saturday, September 30

Mike Callahan/ Karen Kushla Plus/ Rounds

Sunday, November 12

32nd Mini-Festival MS/ PL/ A/ C1/ RD

Sunday, January 28, 2007

Mid-Term Dance Class Level



Our Association, Our Clubs:

What the Individual Dancer Can Do

Our Northern New Jersey Square Dancers Association's Raid Program and One Square Is Fair Program encourage and reward our clubs for raiding other member clubs and for supporting our Association's Special Dances. Supporting your club's raids and other activities is loads of fun as well as essential to your club's health. Our Association also has two programs, Patron and Freeloader, which recognize and reward the enthusiastic participation of an individual square dancer. These two programs are for ALL dancers, new and experienced alike.

Become an NNJSDA Freeloader: When you attend three Summer Specials and the Mini-Festival in the same year, you are eligible for a Freeloader dangle and a free ticket to one of the next summer's dances. Just have the form signed by the Treasurer or Assistant Treasurer at each of the Summer Specials and the Mini-Festival. It then becomes your ticket into an NNJSDA dance the following summer.

Become an NNJSDA Patron: When you have visited 65% of the Association's Member Clubs (there is no time limit) on their regularly scheduled dance night and danced to their regular caller (if they have one), you are eligible for a Patron dangle. Have a club officer sign and date the form, then mail the form to the current NNJSDA President (address is listed in the Grand Square). If you have met all the qualifications, you will be awarded your Patron dangle at the next Association dance.

Flyers for the Patron and the Freeloader dangles are available at club and Association dances. For further information and forms, please contact Rusty and Richard Ball at 973-838-0312 or NJSquareDancers@verizon.net. Happy dancing!

See you at the NNJSDA Mini-Festival 11/12/06

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Northern New Jersey Round Dance Leaders Council

Welcome to Round Dancing!

The Northern New Jersey Round Dance Leaders Council, comprised of cuers from New Jersey, New York, and Pennsylvania, recently held their Spring Festival of Rounds at Temple Beth Am, Parsippany, NJ. The afternoon dance, which was programmed by David Roberts, was enjoyed by all.

If you enjoy round dancing, the summer offers many opportunities to dance, from the many local clubs to the National Square and Round Dance Convention (in San Antonio, TX, this June). Check out this issue of the *Grand Square* for more information.

Hope to see you (in) around!

Karen & Greg Kushla, Treasurers (Kjkushla@aol.com) 973-593-8440

BELLES & BEAUX – Glen Rock, NJ

MS/PL tip

www.sqrdance.org/BellesBeaux/

1 & 3 Wed. Sept-May

Central School, 600 S. Maple Ave., Glen Rock

1 & 3 Wed. June-Aug.

VFW Hall, 6 Veterans Pl, Elmwood Park

High School reunions: They're a great opportunity to catch up with old friends and find out how the classmates you thought you knew turned out. Sometimes you're in for a surprise... The class nerd turned out to be a successful entrepreneur. The most popular kids turned out to be failures. Unfortunately, reunions can also be a time when old grudges and rivalries resurface, and occasionally the results can be deadly. That's what happened when the Teaneck High School Class of 1957 held its reunion April 19 at Belles & Beaux' annual Murder Mystery dance. Our resident playwright, Linda Millian, spun yet another yarn full of dramatic twists and left it up to club members and guests to figure out who the murderer was. As always, it was well-attended, with Club Caller Howard Richman providing challenging and fun calls.

Belles & Beaux' mystery season continues on May 20 with our annual Mystery Bus Ride. Rusty and Richard Ball have put together another interesting itinerary. It will culminate in a raid on a club whose identity will remain a puzzle to the passengers until the last minute.

Our Thursday night class has grown. We now have eight enthusiastic students, all doing well under Fran Wadel's tutelage.

We're working hard on our raid program, with seven clubs visited so far. To enhance our showmanship, Belles & Beaux now offers green raid vests embroidered with the club's name. Of course, raids are a two-way street, and on March 1 we were fortunate to have three clubs raid us all at once: Ironia Reelers, Cross Trail Squares, and Tenakill Twirlers. That added up to seven squares, with Chuck and Gerry Hardy calling. A highlight of the evening was a "Venus Dance" in which, in tribute to that statue of the armless goddess, we had to dance without using our arms.

Another club dance featured an amateur caller night. Those showing off their talents included Billy Flynn, Brenda Sherman, Dave Stewart, Marylee DiSanti, and Ken Franz, with caller Ron Kapnick presiding. At future dances, Billy is looking to launch our own version of "American Idol": Any club members or guests are invited to show off their talents during the breaks between tips.

Congratulations to Margaret Kenter-Guyre, who won this year's *Grand Square* poster contest.

Belles & Beaux is having a lively and fun year. You're always welcome to join us in Elmwood Park during the summer or in Glen Rock the rest of the year.

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Jim Berrie (Jwb52351@msn.com)

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The Annual

Dutch Treat

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- >3 full time dance halls: Plus, DBD, Advance.
- >Computer sets in Advance.
- >Afterparty Sat. night.
- >Breakfast each morning.
- >2 nights lodging and parking.

Additional Information:

- >Total price for the weekend is \$325/couple.
- >Please call for single rates.
- >Please send a deposit of \$70 to guarantee dance/hotel space with the registration form below.
- >Balance due on or before Aug. 1, 2006.
- >Sorry, no refunds after this date.

For more information visit our WEB site at www.DutchTreatWeekend.com or call Tim at 905-332-7597 or email Callertim@AOL.com

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 Address _____ Email _____
 City _____ State _____ Zip _____

of hotel nights needed _____ Dates _____

To reserve your space on the dance floor circle the program desired: Plus DBD Adv.
Rounds: Ph2 Ph3 Ph4 Ph5/6

New Format for NNJSDA Summer Dances

Pre Rounds/ MS tip/ 1 RD/ PL tip

The NNJSDA Executive Board approved a new format for the Association's 2006 Summer Dances. The new format was suggested by a committee chaired by 3rd Vice President Billy Flynn, which worked to enhance the dance experience of new dancers and Mainstream dancers at our Summer Dances. The committee included Mainstream dancers, Plus dancers, and round dancers, and had the objective of looking into a format that would be enjoyed by all members of the Association's diverse membership.

The new format of our 2006 Summer Dances will retain a half hour of pre-rounds. Following pre-rounds, the first square dance tip is to be a Mainstream tip (patter and singer), followed by a single round, then a Plus square dance tip (patter and singer), followed by a single round. The dance will then continue this format until the last square dance tip; however, the last tip is to always be a Mainstream level tip. The dance will also be conducted to minimize the waiting time between squares and rounds to maximize dancing time. We will also ask the caller to invite everybody up if the singing call during the Plus tip will be Mainstream or "easy" Plus.

I hope that Mainstream dancers and new graduates will enjoy and support our Summer Dances. I view the use of this new format as a marketing trial. If the 2006 Summer Dances appear to be supported, I would like to see the marketing trial extended for a second year. My view is that if average attendance for two years of NNJSDA Summer Dances exceeds 90% of the attendance for the previous year, the new format should be continued on a long term basis for our Association's Summer Dances.

Richard Delgado, NNJSDA 1st Vice President

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0.5 Miles ←

Two Bridges Road

Route 80

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Passaic Avenue

ROUTE 23

GARDEN STATE PARKWAY

NNJSDA Specials
 Friday, June 30
 Saturday, July 29
 Saturday, August 26
 Saturday, September 30

ROUTE 80 WEST - Take Exit 52 and follow signs toward Lincoln Park. After crossing the bridge on Passaic Avenue, make a left onto Two Bridges Road, Proceed about 0.5 Miles. Scottish Rite Temple is on the right. **Note: there is no exit for Two Bridges Road on Route 80 East. Take Route 46 East.**

ROUTE 46 EAST OR WEST - Take the Lincoln Park/Fairfield Exit (Passaic Avenue) and follow signs toward Lincoln Park. After crossing the bridge, make a left onto Two Bridges Road, Proceed about 0.5 Miles. Scottish Rite Temple is on the right.

Welcome, New Dancers! Welcome, New Friends!

Belles & Beaux - Diane Gifford, Denise Salto, Kat Peterson, Michael Jones, Mary Ellen Ballentyne, Rhoda Lieberman, Joan Mallette, returning Bob and Rosemary McComiskey
Circle Eights - Gini Battle, Rhoda Lieberman, Theresa Forbes
Cross Trails - Peter and Sylvia Collette, Joe and Susan Gerish
Ironia Reelers - William and Gay Grier, Charles and Av Brady, Bernard and Madeline Sharkey, Josh Benson
Lakeland - Wendy Cheng, Shilin Wang, Mary Ann Carlucci, James Jensen, Bob Maytidu
Y Squares - Christine Franz, Rich and Ina Giardina, Lillian Kuduk, John and Anne Mell, Roger and Jane Tenore, Bernie and Terri Weinstein



Mainstream

'06 Summer Dances

St. Agnes' Episcopal Church
65 Union Ave., Little Falls, NJ

Wednesdays 7:30 pm to 10:00 pm
July 26, August 9 & August 23

MULTIPLE CALLERS Info: Ron & Ruth: 973 857-8879

Helping Our New Dancers

Experienced dancers are the key to making new graduates feel welcome to our activity. New dancers need encouragement and a "strong corner" to make their dancing experiences positive. If new dancers aren't dancing in a supportive environment in the early phases, they won't stick with it.

We remember our early years of dancing when we felt very insecure if we messed up a square. (Now we just laugh when we mess up!) It was so reassuring in those years to have experienced dancers seek us out to make sure we had the support we needed to hone our skills. Now, we owe that experience to our new dancers, or we won't have the next generation of dancers.

We always bemoan the decline of our activity. One thing every dancer can do, whether we take an officer position or not, is to encourage or mentor the newer dancers, not in an arrogant way, but just as one friend to another. Remember that phrase "Square dancing is friendship set to music"? We need to make new friends in each square; give an outstretched hand and an encouraging word!

Nancy & Vic Ammons, Bee Sharps

NNJSDA Summer Specials MS/ PL/ RD

Friday, June 30

Dennis Reardon, Jim Snyder/ Tim Eum

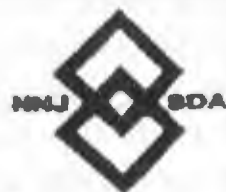
Saturday, July 29

Dennis Reardon, Jay Silva/ Mary Pickett

Saturday, August 26

Skip Brown/ Roy Gotta

Scottish Rite Hall, Lincoln Park, NJ Map on page 14



Public Square Dance at NJPAC June 6, 2006

The New Jersey Performing Arts Center in Newark has invited Square Dancers to return for another Public Square Dance. The deadline (5/12) for twofers for *Thoroughly Modern Millie* and a barbecue dinner is probably passed as you read this. All dancers, however, can still have the fun of dancing on the plaza in front of the center to Dan Koff's calls. Call NJPAC at 1-888-466-5722, ask for Special Events, and see how much of this great evening you can still get in on.

HUNTERDON FLUTTERWHEELS

Echo Hill Park, Lilac Drive, Stanton Station, NJ

<http://hunterdonflutterwheels.nnjstda.org>

<u>2006</u>	<u>Theme</u>	<u>Caller</u>
May 19	Regular Dance	Ed Kerns
June 2	Ice Cream Social	Ed Kerns
Sept. 15	Welcome Back Dance	Ed Kerns
Sept. 17	Barn Dance	Ed Kerns

Alternate Mainstream & Plus Level Tips

1st & 3rd Friday's 8:00-10:15PM

Soft Sole Shoes Please!

For Information:

Debi & Dan 908-284-0483

Ruth & Harry 908-369-6471

Peg & Fred 908-824-9169

CIRCLE EIGHTS – Haworth, NJ

MS/PL tip

www.sqrdance.org/Circle8

4th Fri. Sept-June

1st Cong. United Ch. of Christ, 276 Haworth Ave.

A note from Circle Eights to our square dance friends: If you missed our Pie Night, you missed a lot of fun. Since Circle Eights had more pies than we could eat, we raffled them off and raised several dollars to use for our end-of-year Ice Cream Social. In case you have never been to one of our dances, food never runs low; our members make sure of that. The result speaks for itself – we have seven to eight squares on the floor every month having a ball, dancing and socializing while they sample the goodies. We must be doing something right because everyone keeps coming back to see what else we can think up to make the evening light-hearted and enjoyable. As a club, we encourage new students and recent graduates, and we try to get everyone onto the dance floor to have a good time.

Circle Eights sadly announces the passing of Mike Schein, a long standing member of our club. He will be remembered fondly. Look for our memorial article in this issue.

At the January NNJSDA student dance, Circle Eights members and students made another "One Square is Fair" dancing to several different callers. January also had us raiding Rockytops with over 20 of our members.

Belles & Beaux had a great dance in February. We enjoyed the talents of professional caller Ron Kapnick as well as amateur callers Dave Stewart, Marylee DiSanti, Billy Flynn, Brenda Sherman, and Ken Franz. It was fun dancing to new callers, and the amateur callers saw that calling isn't as easy as it looks. Our Presidents Dance had a few games tossed in to mix up the crowd, and March's "wearing of the green" brought out some strange outfits as well as a few laughs. Before you know it, graduation will be upon us. Until then, we hope to see all of you at our next dance.

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Lynn Michel (malmic@optonline.net)

845-638-0653

CROSS TRAIL SQUARES

2nd & 4th Wednesdays 8:00 – 10:00

Plus Workshop 7:30 – 8:00

After Tip 10:00 – 10:15

NEW DANCE LOCATION

Grover Cleveland Middle School

Academy Road, Caldwell, NJ

(One block off Bloomfield Ave)

INFO: Alessi 973 256 1647

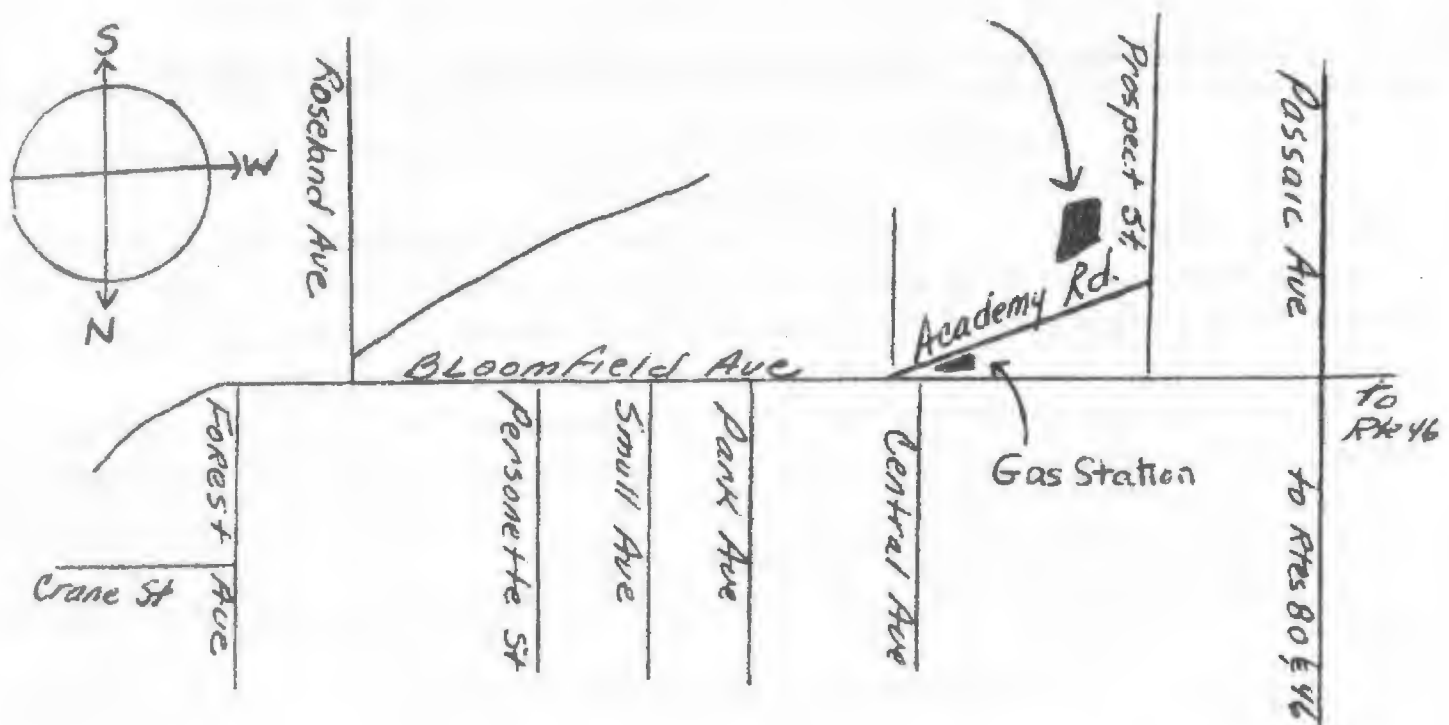
Ashley 973 239 8216



NEW FORMAT/ ALTERNATING MAINSTREAM AND PLUS

May	10	Ron Kapnick	Graduation
May	24	Rick Gittelman	Red, White and Blue
June	14	Roy Leber	Ice Cream Social
Sep	13	Roy Leber	Kickoff Dance
Sep	27	Howard Richman	Welcome to Autumn
Oct	11	Jim Snyder	Autumn Leaves
Oct	25	Mike Jacobs	Halloween Dance
Nov	8	Ed Foote	Turkey Shoot
Dec	13	Joe Landi	Holiday Sharing

Map to Grover Cleveland School



www.nnjsda.org**2 & 4 Wed. Sept-June****Grover Cleveland Sch, 36 Academy Rd/ Prospect St.**

Cross Trail Squares is enjoying a good year with good dancing to excellent calling. We held our Dinner Dance on March 12, and thanks to Laura and Russ Safar, it was a huge success. The theme was Fiesta Time. Jim Snyder's calling and the enthusiasm of the dancers contributed to a wonderful afternoon. As we approach the end of the square dance year, we have Pie Nite and our Ice Cream Social to look forward to. Our class is getting better every week thanks to Ron Kapnick. We are looking forward to dancing with them next season. Have a great and safe summer, and keep dancing!

Jay & Jack Spellman (jackjay@optonline.net)

973-785-0845

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Mark your calendar now! **NNJSDA Mini-Festival 11/12/06**
Tony Oxendine - Betsy Gotta - Randy Page - The McGees

F.A.D. SQUARES – Paramus, NJ**MS/PL tip****www.sqrdance.org/FAD****1 & 3 Sun. All Year****St. Matthews Episc. Ch., 167 Spring Valley Rd.**

F.A.D. Squares would like to thank our raiders. We enjoy seeing old friends and new faces. We hope to see you again at our dances, and you will certainly see F.A.D. members at your dances.

Our club has had a successful winter season, and we look forward to our spring and summer dances. We are planning new themes and surprises which we hope you will come and enjoy with us.

We are looking forward to "Fun at Dancing" with you, our fellow square dancers.

Doris Wilson

201-845-8294

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See you at the **NNJSDA Mini-Festival 11/12/06**
Tony Oxendine - Betsy Gotta - Randy Page - The McGees

HARMONY DANCERS – Springfield, NJ**PL/RD/A tip****www.nnjsda.org****1 & 3 Sat. Sept-May****Chisholm Rec. Ctr., 100 S. Springfield Ave. & Shunpike**

Spring flowers, flowering trees, warm breezes, all indicate NEW life after a dreary winter. We are reinvigorated. So it is too with new dancers. They bring new life to the dance floor and the clubs. We welcome them with open arms and squares.

The summer will be busy with the Five Clubs Dances and the Memorial Day Parade in Scotch Plains on May 29. If you want to march in the parade, just call and let us know, or you can support us by cheering as we dance by on Park Avenue. Betsy Gotta will keep the dancers busy and chat with the crowds as we pass.

Harmony will start the fall dance season on September 16. See our ad for further dates.

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Leo Eckmann (leo.j.eckmann@verizon.net)

973-379-3901

Harmony Dancers

Plus Club*

1st & 3rd Saturdays

8-10:30 p.m.

7:30 p.m. early rounds

email: harmonysdc@aol.com

Spring - Fall 2006

May 20 "Ice Cream Social" Joe Landi/ Ellen & Tom

♣♣♣♣♣ Welcome to the 5 Clubs Summer Dances ♣♣♣♣♣

Sep 16 "Welcome Back" John Kaltenthaler/Ellen & Tom

Oct 7 Dennis Reardon/Karen Kushla

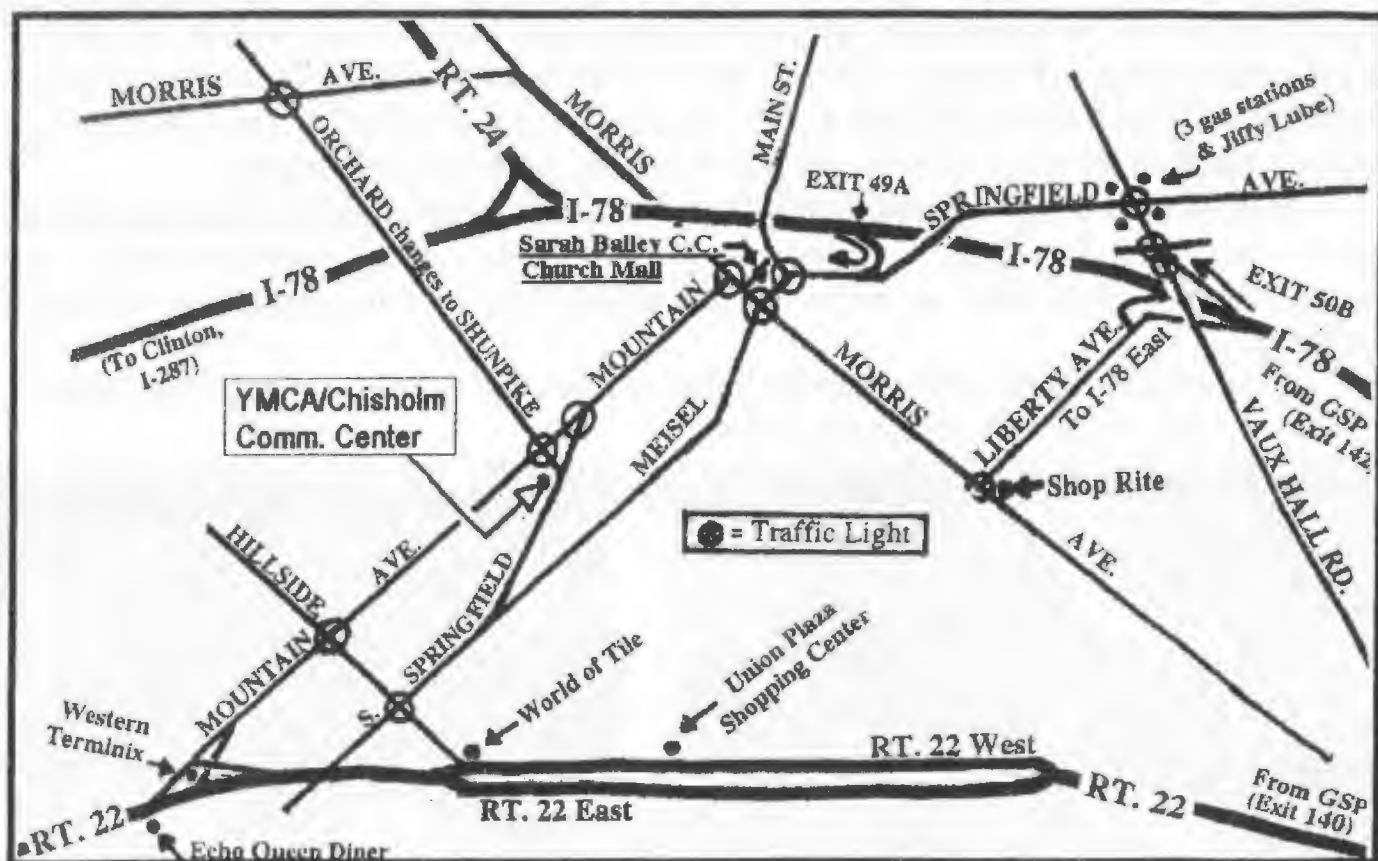
Oct 21 "Great Pumpkin" Joe Landi/Steve Bradt

Nov 4 "Gotta Dance" Betsy Gotta/Roy Gotta

Nov 18 "Pie Night" Jim Snyder/Karen Kushla

Dec 2 "Toys for Kids" Len Anfinson/Steve Bradt

Welcome to the 5 Clubs Summer Dances



YMCA/Chisholm Community Center - So. Springfield Ave. @ Shunpike,
Springfield, NJ - No Hall Phone

Eckmann - 973-379-3901

Malcolm - 973-377-3203

* Offering an "A" tip at 10:30 when an
A-caller & dancers are present.

MOUNTAIN SQUARES

A2 Joe Landi, Caller

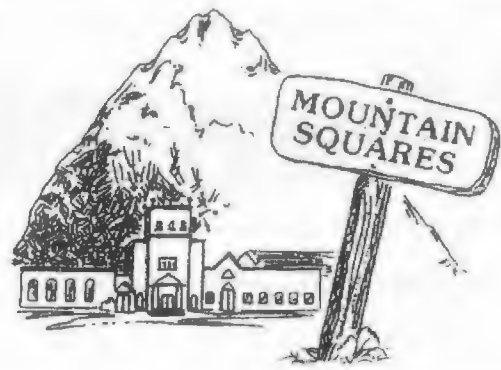
(Workshop as needed)

7:45 - 10:00 PM

1st & 3rd Wednesdays

Covered Dish Supper June 7

Last dance until September 20



First Presbyterian Church, 494 Route 10 West, Whippany, NJ
Info: Groth 973-746-0656 Roome 973-543-4109 McCabe 973-226-3955

Happy Squares

What makes square dancers happy? For one group of dancers, making *others* happy does the trick. That group is called (what else) the Happy Squares.

The Happy Squares are dancers from Tenakill Twirlers, RocklandRockytops, Hi Taws, and Motiv8ors who have been entertaining others since 1978. The idea started with the Tenakill Twirlers and grew to include three nearby clubs. The happy mission of the 20 or so participants is to share the fun of square dancing at nursing homes, senior citizen centers, schools, day care centers, and similar locations. Led by a caller, the Happy Squares entertain and educate with approximately 35 demos every year.

The arrival of the Happy Squares typically creates a stir of excitement as they appear in their showiest outfits. Curious spectators at both ends of the age spectrum have been known to sneak a peek at the crinkly crinolines. The Happy Squares dance at the Mainstream level and generate smiles throughout their audiences... usually. At the end of one senior group meeting, 95% of the members left before the dancers had even assembled for the demo! With that one exception, their rewards for spreading the joys of square dancing are hugs, kisses, and the extraction of promises to return.

While their roster is currently full, they encourage others to initiate similar groups in their own areas. The Happy Squares charge no dues and accept donations only to cover their expenses, but their personal compensation in providing happiness to others is priceless.

For more information on starting a group, please contact George and Fanny Meyer at 201-385-3263 or fpm362@optonline.net.





BEE SHARPS OF SOMERVILLE



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

A1 Tip at end of dance, if A1 dancers present

DATE	CALLER	CUER	THEME
April 28	John Kaltenthaler	Russ Booz	MS/PLUS
May 12	Joe Landi	Dave Roberts	Ice Cream Night – MS/PLUS
May 26	John Kaltenthaler	Roy Gotta	Red, White & Blue MS/PLUS

JOIN US AT THE FIVE CLUBS DANCES THIS SUMMER
SEE AD IN THIS ISSUE

2006-2007 SEASON
OPEN HOUSE FOR NEW DANCERS SEPT. 11, 18 & 25
7:30 PM – 9:30 at ADAMSVILLE SCHOOL
ROUTE 28, BRIDGEWATER NJ

Sept 22	Mark Franks	Steve Bradt	<u>Welcome Back Dance - PLUS</u> <i>Pot luck supper 6 pm</i>
Oct 13	Jim Snyder	Mary Pickett	
Oct 27	John Kaltenthaler	Karen Kushla	<u>Halloween Dance - PLUS</u> <i>Prizes for Best Costumes</i>
Nov. 10	Don Coy	Russ Booz	FOOD DONATIONS FOR FOOD BANK – PLUS LEVEL

NOVEMBER 24 – NO DANCE

Dec 8	Howard Richman	Steve Bradt	<u>Holiday Hoedown - PLUS</u>
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Contacts: Vic & Nancy Ammons 908.369.3418 or 973.324.8364 CELL 908.763.0050

Where: Bound Brook United Methodist Church
150 Union Avenue, Bound Brook Hall Phone: 732.356.1372

Directions:

From Route 22: Take Vosseller 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 4th light (follow from * above).

From Route 287 North: Take exit 13A for Route 28 East, Bound Brook. Proceed through 3 lights. After the 3rd light (follow from * above).

**** Visit us at: <http://www.squaredancing.com/beesharps>**

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Y Squares

Mainstream

3rd Tip is Plus

2nd & 4th Fridays

Frank K. Hehnly School, 590 Raritan Road, Clark, N.J

7:30-8:00 pre-rounds

8:00-10:25 Squares and Rounds

Soft soled shoes required

<u>Date</u>	<u>Theme</u>	<u>Caller</u>	<u>Cuer</u>
May 12	Graduation	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
May 26	Ice Cream Social	Len Anfinen	Karen Kushla
Sept. 8	Welcome Back	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
Sept. 12	Open House	Dan Koft	NONE
Sept. 22	Indian Summer	Len Anfinen	Karen Kushla
Oct. 13	Friday the 13 th	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
Oct. 27	Halloween	J. Nielsen	Karen Kushla
Nov. 10	Thanksgiving/Food Bank	Dan Koft	Kathy Koft
Nov. 24		Thanksgiving: No Dance	
Dec. 8	Christmas/Toys For Tots	C & G. Hardy	Karen Kushla

HIX & CHIX – Elmwood Park, NJ

PL/ RD/A tip

Thurs. Special Dances June-Aug

VFW Hall, 6 Veterans Place

The sun is out, and it is warm here on the back deck. Yard and garden are beckoning for help, but we're not quite ready for them. So there is time for a little reminiscing about the Summer Special dances that Hix & Chix and Western Wheelers hosted last summer. They were a lot of fun.

Now, we're looking forward to this summer and the return of these talented callers and cuers. We hope you will check out our ad and flyers for specifics and join us.

Dick & Brenda Dexter (bdexter@ups.com)

201-529-3372

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Thank you to the Host Clubs for the refreshments served at the following **NNJSDA** functions:



Delegates' Meetings

May 7: **Circle Eights** September 17: **F. A. D.**



Special Dances

June 30: **Al e Mo Squares, Hix & Chix, Spinning Wheels**

July 29: **Lakeland Squares, Tenakill Twirlers, Y Squares**

August 26: **Belles & Beaux, Hunterdon Flutterwheels, Rutgers Promenaders**

September 30: **Harmony Dancers, RocklandRockytots, Western Wheelers**

Ad Makers and Reporters Alert

Copy for Vol. 49, No. 1, The Map Issue, is due by July 7.

Articles should provide news about the club and its members.

Information about **upcoming** dances should go into your ad.

F.A.D. SQUARES

MAINSTREAM W/PLUS TIP

1st AND 3rd SUNDAY - 7:30-9:30PM

MAY 7, 2006 THRU FEBRUARY 4, 2007

MAY 7	ANDY WOERNER	
MAY 21	NICK MARTELLACCI	ODD COUPLE
JUNE 4	ROY LEBER	FLAG DAY
JUNE 18	<u>NO DANCE</u>	
JULY 2	MICKEY McFARLAND	STARS & STRIPES
JULY 16	WAYNE APPEGATE	BALLOON DANCE
AUG. 6	RON KAPNICK	ICE CREAM SOCIAL
AUG 20	ROY LEBER	HAWAII BEACH
SEPT. 3	ANDY WOERNER	LABOR DAY
SEPT. 17	MICKEY McFARLAND	DID YOU EVER
OCT. 1	DON COY	BROOKLYN COWBOY
OCT. 15	WAYNE APPEGATE	APPLE PIE NIGHT
NOV. 5	MICKEY McFARLAND	GET OUT THE VOTE
NOV. 19	ED FOOTE	FOOT LOOSE FANCY
DEC. 3	DON COY	JINGLE BELL ROCK
DEC. 17	ROY LEBER	RED DANCE
JAN. 7	WAYNE APPEGATE	ODD COUPLE
JAN, 21	DAN KOFT	CRAZY HAT
FEB. 4	RON KAPNICK	FLASHLIGHT DANCE

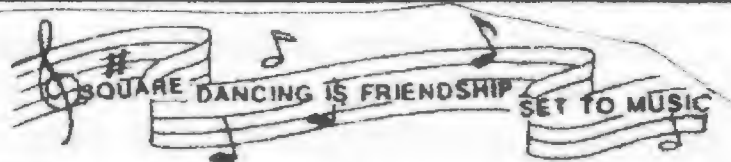
ST. MATTHEWS CHURCH
167 SPRING VALLEY RD
PARAMUS NJ

---SUGGEST SOFT SOLED SHOES --

FOR INFO:

CHRIS. O'CONNOR	201-797-6145
DICK & BRENDA DEXTER	201-529-3372
WARREN & MARJ GOULD	201-445-9896

F.A.D. = FUN AT DANCING



Map to the Mini Festival

FOLLOW ROAD SIGNS VERY CAREFULLY

DIRECTIONS TO BRIDGEWATER- RARITAN MIDDLE SCHOOL

FORMERLY - BRIDGEWATER-RARITAN
HIGH SCHOOL - EAST



FROM Rt. 80 EAST OR WEST

Rt. 80 to Rt 287 South to Rt. 202-206 South (Exit 17) to Rt 22 East. Proceed 2 1/2 miles to Funderne Ave./Manville Sign. Turn right on Funderne Ave., pass light, and turn right onto Foothill Rd. Proceed 1.1 miles (you will go over Route 22) to Merriwood Rd. Make a left onto Merriwood Rd. Proceed into school driveway. Drive around school to side and front parking lots. No parking at yellow curbs. Park in lined areas only.

FROM RT. 78 EAST OR WEST

Rt. 78 TO Rt. 287 South to Rt. 202-206 South and follow above directions.

FROM RT. 287 NORTH

Rt. 287 North to Exit 13B (Route. 28 West). Go two (2) traffic lights and make a right onto Funderne Ave. At the next traffic light make a left onto Foothill Road. Proceed 1.1 miles (you will go over Route 22) to Merriwood Road. Make a left onto Merriwood Rd. Proceed into school driveway and drive around school to side and front parking lots. No parking at yellow curbs. Park in lined areas only.

Singles Registry for the Mini-Festival

Solo dancers: Pre-register for the Mini-Festival. Include all your contact info and note your square and round dance levels (preferred and acceptable). If I am unable to find an acceptable partner for you, you may ask to have your registration fee returned.

Jan Thompson (LTPT1@yahoo.com)

732-577-9413

NORTHERN NEW JERSEY SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION

32nd ANNUAL

MINI - FESTIVAL

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2006

2:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Tentative Location: Bridgewater-Raritan Middle School
Bridgewater, New Jersey

TONY OXENDINE

South Carolina

Betsy Gotta

New Jersey

Randy Page

North Carolina

Rounds by:

Pete & Mary McGee

Pennsylvania

**** 3 Halls - MS, Plus, Advanced ****

Dinner Hour: ½ Hour C1 and Rounds by Request

Bring box supper or eat out / No cooking or warming devices

ONE SQUARE IS FAIR

Info: Rich & Georgi Flandera (973) 427-2889 Kay Davis (973) 697-7765
Cell # for Day of Festival (862) 452-5597

LIGHT Soft Sole Shoes ONLY – NO Boots Allowed
Check NNJSDA.org for latest updates and hall location

Mail to: Kay Davis, 23 Woodland Drive, Oak Ridge, NJ 07438

Name(s) _____ Club _____

Single – Would like a dance partner (prefer to dance MS, Plus or Advanced for the day)

Address _____

State _____ Zip _____ Phone () _____ Email _____

Advanced Remittance - \$15 per person	\$ _____	\$18 per person at the Door
1 st Time Badge \$2.25 Each	\$ _____	
2006 Bar \$0.75 Each	\$ _____	
TOTAL	\$ _____	

Program Level (Please Circle) Square Dance: MS Plus Advanced Rounds: II III IV V

1 & 3 Fri. Sept-June

Echo Hill Park, 41 Lilac Drive

In January of this year, Wilson Hoff retired as our club caller. Wilson has had some health problems and decided to pull in the reins a little. Wilson has been calling for 54 years. He started the Hunterdon Flutterwheels 34 years ago, and our club is so appreciative of the support and devotion Wilson has given us during that time. The club presented him with a western watch as a token of our esteem, and he and Sally have promised to attend our dances whenever they can. We are fortunate to have Ed Kerns as our new club caller. Ed has been calling for more than 10 years, and he taught our September – January class last year. We are happy to welcome him to the Flutterwheel family.

We would also like to welcome new club members Joan Bozan and LaRee Van Wyck.

Joe Kwiatek and Donna Besignano led the Flutterwheels on a number of raids during this dance season. Harmony Dancers, Bee Sharps, Rutgers Promenaders, and Y Squares were very welcoming, and we enjoyed the dancing.

Many thanks go out to Jayne Koch and her committee for the wonderful job they did on the May 6 Dinner Dance. Jim Snyder and Ellen McCabe & Tom Denniston kept things moving, and a good time was had by all. Any time you are in the area, please join us on the first and third Fridays for good dancing and good fellowship. The wood floor is spectacular! See you there...

Peg Bailey (pegfredb@comcast.net)

908-824-9169

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Circle Eights

2006 Mainstream Dances



<u>DATE</u>	<u>CALLER</u>	<u>THEME</u>
May 26	Mickey McFarland	Red, White, and Blue
June 23	Len Anfinson	Ice Cream Social
July & Aug our summer vacation		
Sept. 23	Dennis Reardon	Apples & Cider
Oct. 28	Ed Foote	Jack O Lanterns
Nov. 25	Wayne Applegate	Turkey Trot
Dec. 23	Howard Richman	Santa's Helpers
Dec. 31	New Year's Eve Dinner Dance	

Dances held at-

First Congregational United Church of Christ
 276 Haworth Ave. Haworth, New Jersey

All are invited-

4th Friday each month.....8 to 10:30 PM

Plus lesson...8 to 8:30 PM.[except at student dances]

Plus Tip..... .9:15 PM

for more information call-
 Jim 201 - 768 - 9442 or
 Rich 201 - 569 - 5935

If on your way you get lost - call 201- 321-1774 - for directions

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

We are glad that the winter is over. Everyone is invited to our Pot Luck Dinner on June 2. For specifics, call Lise and Mark at 973-663-4396. We will be looking forward to seeing you there.

We are happy to announce that we had seven students graduate as Mainstream dancers. Six of them are continuing now in our Plus class, and we hope they will become new members of our club.

We hope you all have a wonderful summer, and we will see you back dancing in the fall.

Arlene & Tom Simansky (arleneandtom@hotmail.com) 973-984-0009

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HIX & CHIX

Good News!

Hix & Chix will be dancing Summer Specials in 2006!

**VFW Hall: veterans Place, Elmwood Park, NJ
(near ball field)**

Early Rounds 7:30 Alternating Plus Squares & Rounds 8:00 to 10:30

RAIDERS ARE WELCOME!

<u>Date</u>	<u>Caller</u>	<u>Cuer</u>
<u>SUPER</u> June 15	<u>SUPER SUPER</u> Tom Miller, PA Bill Harrison, MD	<u>SPECIAL!</u> Nick Raspa
June 29	Glenn Matthew, DE	Nick Raspa
July 13	Howard Williamson, PA	Dana Williamson
July 27	Dee Dee Dougherty, MN	Nick Raspa
Aug 3	Jim Snyder & Dennis Reardon, PA	Tim & Nana Eum, VA
Aug 10	Randy Dougherty, AZ	Nick Raspa

Our hall is air-conditioned so come and join us for summer dancing fun.

Information: John Huettemann 201-438-0948

Directions to hall: 201-796-9638

KITTATINNY RANGERS – Andover, NJ Alt. MS & PL

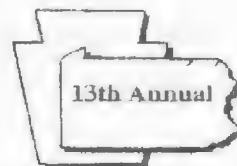
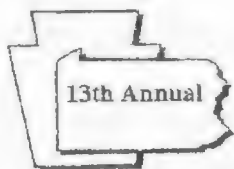
**2 & 4 Fri. Sept-May Florence M. Burd Sch., 219 Newton-Sparta Rd.
Various Tues. July-Aug Givens-Bilet Memorial Hall, Blairstown**

On Friday, January 13, at our regular dance, we surprised our caller, Wayne Applegate, with a birthday cake. Wayne is also our class instructor and is well appreciated by the Rangers for his delightful teaching methods, knowledge, and patience. We hope he has many more enjoyable birthdays.

Two weeks later at our January 27 dance, we coordinated a surprise 60th birthday party for caller, Dennis Reardon. Dan Koft, our caller for that evening, gladly assisted in the scheme. Completely surprised, Dennis, who had thought he was calling that night,

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Pennsylvania 13th Annual Square and Round Dance Convention August 18 & 19, 2006



The Penn Stater Conference
Center Hotel
State College, PA

DANCING

FRIDAY

Early Bird Dance 3:00 - 5:30 P.M.
Evening 8:00 - Midnight

SATURDAY

10 A.M. to Midnight

Registration: \$19.00 per person
Until March 31, 2006

After March 31, 2006 \$24.00 per person

Children under 16: \$1.00 each
when accompanied by an adult

**The Penn Stater
Conference Center Hotel**
State College, PA

- Same Building as Dance Halls
- First Class Hotel and Restaurant
- Rooms: \$97 plus tax/night
- Free Parking at the Hotel
- Callers and Round Dance Leaders
From PA and Surrounding Areas

1500 Dancing Capacity

All halls air conditioned

Vendors

MAINSTREAM • PLUS • ADVANCED

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**PROPER SQUARE DANCE
ATTIRE REQUIRED AT ALL
CONVENTION FUNCTIONS
EXCEPT EARLY BIRD
FRIDAY AFTERNOON
CONVENTION RIBBONS MUST BE WORN
AT ALL FUNCTIONS.**



1st AND 3rd FRIDAYS

7:30 PRE ROUNDS

8:00 PLUS LEVEL

IRONIA REELERS

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

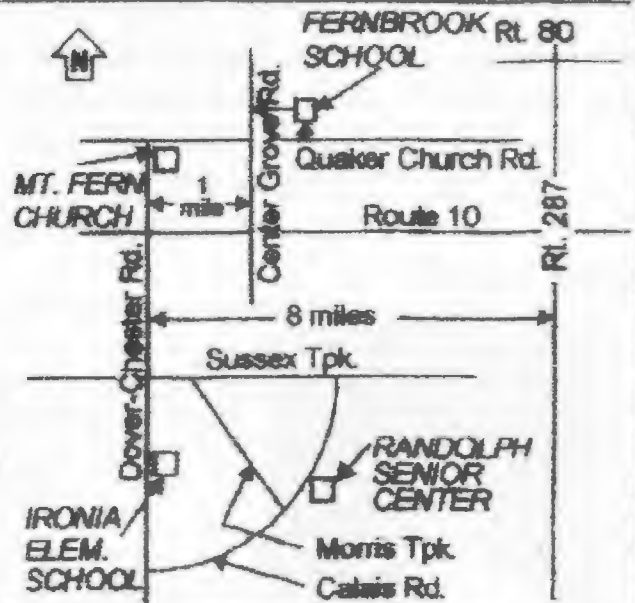
DATE CALLERS

05/05/06 Roy Leber
 05/19/06 Dan Koft
 06/02/06 John Kaltenthaler
 09/15/06 John Kaltenthaler
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was at a temporary loss for words (which is rare). Dennis's lovely wife, Lori, was a co-conspirator and able abettor in this scheme. We were raided by three clubs that night, so there was quite a crowd.

On Saturday, February 5, we had our annual winter get-together dinner with an attendance of over 20 club members and guests. As usual, the menu at Portofino's Restaurant was varied and excellent.

Kittatinny's 14th Annual Dinner Dance saw a good crowd of dancers, and everyone had a good time dancing to the calling of Mike Sikorsky and Butch Adams and Mary McGee cueing rounds. Pony Bob showed everybody how to keep steers in line with his bullwhip demonstration.

Dancer Don Rowett has been sick for some time now, and has not been able to attend dances. We wish him well and hope to see him soon.

We couldn't get a beginner's class together last fall, so we're using the time to conduct Plus lessons for last year's graduates and club members wishing for a review. Some Tuesdays we have two squares.

See you on the dance floor.

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In April, Lakeland Squares graduated a class. This event reminds us of the debt we all owe our class coordinators. They hold one of the most vital offices in any club. Eb and Judi Nordman have held this position since 1999; surely this is some kind of record.

Class coordinators carry many responsibilities. They open and close the facility, recruit angels, plan each evening with the caller, deal with cancellations or changes of location, make sure the refreshment table is assigned, and most important, create a welcoming and encouraging atmosphere at every class. Eb and Judi have been talented and gracious hosts all these years. Thank you, Eb and Judi.

Our new graduates are Mary Ann Carlucci, Wendy Cheng, James Jensen, Bob Maytidu, and Shilin Wakabayashi.

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A-2/C1

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Motiv8ors is going strong into spring and summer, offering some of the best Advanced and Challenge dancing you will find in New Jersey. Recently we had five squares at Todd Fellegy's dance on March 5, so let's keep it up! We have prestigious callers from both far and near on our schedule, so check us out! See our ad for the complete schedule through October.

Motiv8ors will be "out and about" with a raid of Belles and Beaux planned for May 17. If you would like to get on Motiv8ors' mailing list, send an email to me at rls222@verizon.net. Hope to see you at a dance soon!

Bob Siegel (rls222@verizon.net)

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Well – Come – Back! Our winter break has passed quickly.

We are back in business for the spring – back from cruises, Florida beaches, operations, winter worries or whatever. Ina Minor's knee surgery went very well. Ann Peters looks wonderful. Doug's cataract is gone. Ron Nitzsche in Florida is over his carotid artery surgery. Stan Bevan is fine again. Mary Jane's raid schedule is on track.

So swing into spring with Joe Landi from Beasley's Point, NJ – he's eager to see us. He promises to oil the rusty moves with his mellow voice and fun stories. Welcome back!

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Welcome to 2006 New Mainstream Graduates! We look forward to hosting all new grads at our coming dances.

We were pleased to have 6 ½ squares, including almost three squares from Circle Eights, at our January 13 Student Dance, called by Derek Page. Thank you to all the experienced dancers who turned out to help the newcomers. Plus dancers enjoyed excellent calling by Mark Franks at our January dance and by Mike Jacobs in February. Howard Richman put five exuberant squares through their paces at our February 10 Mainstream dance. As I write this article, the March and April dances have not yet taken place. Thank you to RocklandRockytops members and to our loyal visitors for the success and fun of our dances.

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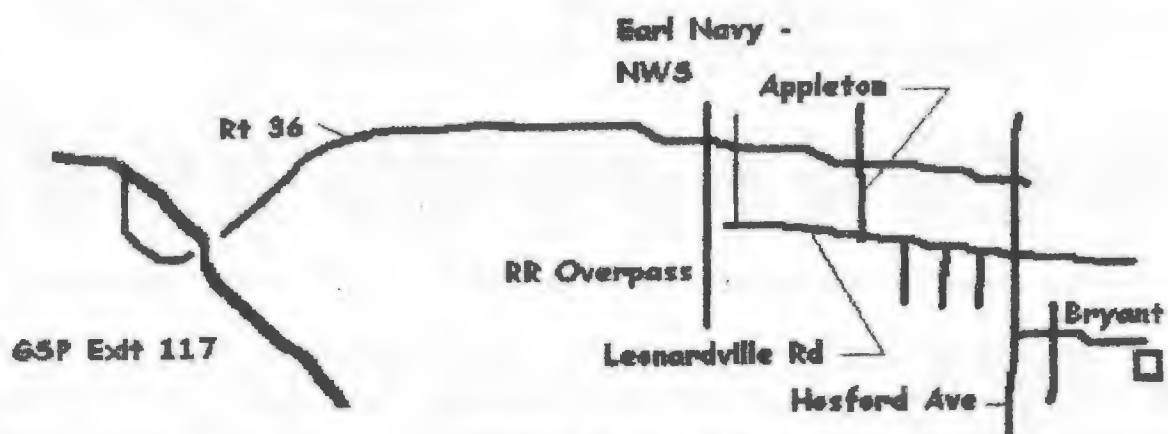
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<u>DATE</u>	<u>CALLER</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
May 12	Mark Franks	
May 19	Joe Landi	
May 26	Rick Gittelman*	
June 2	No Dance	
June 9	Howard Richman	
June 16	Wayne Applegate	Class Graduation
June 23	George Icenhower	
June 30	Len Anfinen	Ticketed Dinner Dance Lakeside Manor, Hazlet
July 7	Joe Landi	
July 14	Howard Richman	
July 21	Betsy Gotta	Barn Dance
July 28	Manny Amor	
August 4	Joe Landi	
August 11	Clay Goss*	
August 18	Jim Snyder	
August 25	Manny Amor	Barn Dance

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Croydon Hall

1 & 3 Sun. Sept-June

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The Rutgers Promenaders had a good winter of dancing. No dances were cancelled due to the weather. Our class is still going strong, but we're down to six students, all kids ranging in age from 5 to 14. They are doing quite well. Since we started our lessons series in November and only have lessons before our regular dances, the students won't be up to full Mainstream until next fall. We hope to have a "mini" square at the Mini-Festival in November.

In the late winter, our club was raided by three clubs. Two clubs raided our last dance in February. If a stranger happened to stop by on that day, he would have thought our club colors were black and yellow (or was that yellow and black?).

Our last dance this season will be on June 4. After participating in the Five Clubs Summer Dances, we will return to the American Legion Hall on September 17. Come dance Mainstream with a family friendly club on a Sunday afternoon.

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Gerry Hardy	Sept 10
Don Coy	Sept 24

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Spinning Wheels welcomes spring with a great list of callers! Luckily, it was an unusually mild winter - very good for square dancing; we only lost one day!

We are sad to report Shirley Mae Fokszey passed away this year.

Come and enjoy the fellowship of others dancers from all over the area. At Spinning Wheels, we have had three to five squares at each dance. Our notable callers start out the evening at 8:00 with a Plus tip workshop. In between squares, Dolores takes us through country line dancing. Or, if you wish, you can converse, sit, and take pleasure in a large selection of snack foods.

Our club looks forward to seeing you at Spinning Wheels on Monday evenings at 8:00.

Ad on page 45 Marion Velechko (Marion.Velechko@cytec.com) 973-357-3357

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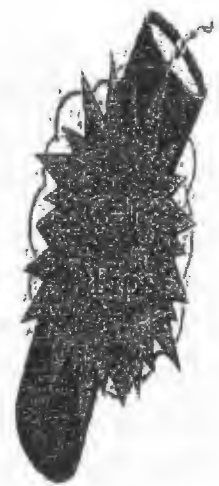
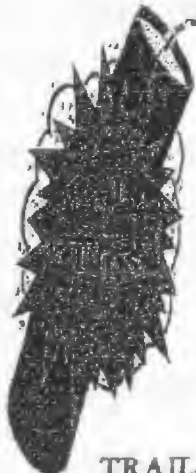
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3rd Fri. Oct-May

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Congratulations to all new Mainstream graduates! Welcome to the Fun and Friendship that our wonderful activity provides. Come join us at Tenakill Twirlers at our May 19 dance. Then, be sure to keep dancing over the summer and watch for our season's opener dance in October.

At Tenakill Twirlers this season we enjoyed the calling of Don Coy, Derek Page, Howard Richman, Roy Leber, and John Kaltenthaler. Thank you to our own members and to the visitors who supported these dances.

Our members had a grand time raiding Circle Eights at their Pie Night Dance in January. Thank you, Circle Eights, for your hospitality and the delicious pies!

We wish one and all a great summer of "fun in the sun" and fun on the dance floor, too!

Joan Schierlitz (*dancinggrandma@verizon.net*)

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Mark your calendar now! NNJSDA Mini-Festival 11/12/06
Tony Oxendine - Betsy Gotta - Randy Page - The McGees

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PL/A tip/RD

2 & 4 Sat. Sept-April

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Our well attended New Year's Eve dinner dance was, once again, a delightful evening of celebration, reflection and thanks, with our opening prayer expressing all of these emotions. Len Anfinson was our featured caller, and Nick Raspa, sporting his tux and top hat, did his usual super cuing. The "party" dancing that follows our welcoming of the New Year, really took off this year. Some real talent in line dancing, etc. was exhibited. What fun! Everyone let their hair down, that is, those who still have hair. (Hi, guys!) The food was great and plentiful, with an appetizer that was a shrimp lover's delight. We, again, had the pleasure of celebrating Patsy Lisak's birthday with her, more fun added to the evening's festivities.

On a sad note, we are sorry to have to announce the passing of a good and loyal club member, Larry La March. Willie Taffel, another loyal supporter of Western Wheelers in years gone by, also passed away. We extend our sincere sympathy to their wives, Regina LaMarch and Esther Taffel. We thank them and their deceased partners for their commendable contributions to square dancing.

Dick Meyers will undergo hip replacement surgery. We hope he heals well and returns to dancing, pronto.

The Beckmanns are in the process of moving to Cedar Crest Village from their home in Alpine. We all wish them much happiness and lots of luck as they experience this new adventure in their lives. Hope they can still attend some of our dances next season.

Andy Woerner brought his Plus class students to our February dance, and they all did really well. Hope they plan to come back, and come often. Andy plans to conduct a Plus class in September, sponsored by Western Wheelers. We have several good angels lined up, anxious to help.

Our St. Patrick's Day dance was called by Wayne Applegate, and the wearing of the green was donned by Wayne and Nick Raspa. Our distinguished guest for the evening was the Honorable BooBoo, Nick and Carole's adorable Yorkshire terrier, who loves to be held and cuddled, but hasn't learned how to round dance yet.

The feeling is circulating that our club is on the way to bigger and better attendance. Check our fall schedule and plan to join us. You're sure to experience good dancing and a friendly, fun filled evening.

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Marilyn P. Bachmann (*margus258@aol.com*)

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2 & 4 Fri. Sept-May

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Our Raid Chairpersons, LouEllen and George Stoms, report that for the second year in a row, Y Squares was the first club to complete its raid program. Thirty-five members took part in the raids. Three Raid Milestone awards were given: Rose and Leon Leong received an award for 10 raids, Judy and Al Kendziora received an award for 30 raids, and Jan and Paul Sanderson received an award for participating in 60 raids. Our congratulations to these three couples and to all of the members whose participation made our raid program a success.

Our Class Coordinator, Don Madden, reports that 10 students will be graduating on Friday, May 12. The class consists of four couples and two singles. We wish our students the best and encourage them and all of the other new graduates to get out there and dance!

Dianne E. Cooper (olreggie@verizon.net)

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RocklandRockytops continued from page 32

RocklandRockytops will not have an air conditioned hall for our summer dances. Therefore, we are **cancelling our summer Plus dances on Friday, July 21 and Friday, August 18**. The Mainstream dances will be held as planned.

Enthusiastic Greta Inowlocki has led us on a number of successful raids: Spinning Wheels in December, Circle Eights in January, Lakeland Squares in February, and, as of this writing, has planned a raid to both Rutgers Promenaders and F.A.D. Squares in April.

Welcome to RocklandRockytops' new members, Nancy Jacobs, Mary Zimmerman, and Bob Siegel. Bob is already helping out at our Treasury table, as Assistant Treasurer.

Two of our couples celebrated 50 happy years of marriage in January. Congratulations to Sandy and Bernie Beck and to Rita and Ray Keywork. The Becks received a very special gift - the arrival of their first grandchild, baby Traci. Congratulations to Bob Krieger, a regular Rockytops guest, who celebrated 58 years of marriage to his Valentine, Helen, on February 14. A cruise to the Caribbean was a special treat for Patsy Lisak in February.

Special get well wishes to Lauren Zales. We miss you, Lauren, and we hope you are back dancing with us very soon.

Joan Schierlitz (dancinggrandma@verizon.net)

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CALENDAR of ADVERTISED DANCES

Listing of dances, weekends, and workshops prepared from ads appearing **IN THIS ISSUE**. See ad for details. *Student Dances are italicized*. Abbr: A=Advanced; Alt=Alternate; B=Basic; C=Challenge; CW=Country & Western; MS=Mainstream; PL=Plus; RD=Rounds; TBA=To Be Announced; WS=Workshop

Date	Club	Caller/ Cuer/ Leader	Place	Program
May				
8	Spinning Wheels	Foote/ Gesumaria	Oakland, NJ	MS/ CW/ PL tip
9	Lakeland Squares	Foote	Montville, NJ	MS/ PL tip
10	Cross Trail Squares	Kapnick	Caldwell, NJ	Alt. MS & PL/ A tip
12	Bee Sharps	Landi/ Roberts	Bound Brook, NJ	Alt. MS & PL/ RD/ A tip
	Kittatinny Rangers	Applegate	Andover, NJ	Alt. MS & PL
	Middletown Ramblers	Franks	Leonardo, NJ	PL
	RocklandRockytops	Snyder	New City, NY	MS/ PL tip
	Y Squares	Koft/ Koft	Clark, NJ	MS/ RD/ PL tip
15	Spinning Wheels	Gittelman/ Gesumaria	Oakland, NJ	MS/ CW/ PL tip
16	Lakeland Squares	Gittelman	Montville, NJ	MS/ PL tip
17	Belles & Beaux	Foote	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/ PL tip
	Mountain Squares	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-2
19	Hunterdon Flutterwheels	Kerns	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt. MS & PL
	Ironia Reelers	Koft/ Koft	Randolph, NJ	PL/ RD
	Middletown Ramblers	Landi	Leonardo, NJ	PL
20	Belles & Beaux	Mystery Bus Ride	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/ PL tip
	Harmony Dancers	Landi/ Ellen & Tom	Springfield, NJ	PL/ RD/ A tip
21	Al e Mo Squares	Gotta/ Gotta	Brooklyn, NY	Alt. MS & PL/ RD
	F.A.D. Squares	Martellacci	Paramus, NJ	MS/ PL tip
	Motiv8ors	Leber	Elmwood Park, NJ	A-2/ C1
22	Spinning Wheels	Snyder/ Gesumaria	Oakland, NJ	MS/ CW/ PL tip
23	Hi Taws	Leber	Paramus, NJ	C1, C2
	Lakeland Squares	Kapnick	Montville, NJ	MS/ PL tip
24	Cross Trail Squares	Gittelman	Caldwell, NJ	Alt. MS & PL/ A tip
26	Bee Sharps	Kaltenthaler/ Gotta	Bound Brook, NJ	Alt. MS & PL/ RD/ A tip
	Circle Eights	McFarland	Haworth, NJ	MS/ PL tip
	Kittatinny Rangers	D. Page	Andover, NJ	Alt. MS & PL
	Middletown Ramblers	Gittelman	Leonardo, NJ	PL
	Y Squares	Anfinsen/ Kushla	Clark, NJ	MS/ RD/ PL tip
30	<i>Lakeland Squares</i>	<i>Johnson</i>	<i>Montville, NJ</i>	<i>Barn Dance</i>
June				
2	Hunterdon Flutterwheels	Kerns	Stanton Station, NJ	Alt. MS & PL
	Ironia Reelers	Kaltenthaler/ Pickett	Randolph, NJ	PL/ RD
	RocklandRockytops	Leber	New City, NY	PL/ A-1 tip
3	Five Clubs	Jacobs/ McCabe	Springfield, NJ	2 MS/ PL/ RD
4	F.A.D. Squares	Leber	Paramus, NJ	MS/ PL tip
	Motiv8ors	Jacobs	Elmwood Park, NJ	A-2/ C1
5	Acey Deuceys	Moger	Colonie, NY	A-2/ C1
	Spinning Wheels	Leber/ Gesumaria	Oakland, NJ	MS/ CW/ PL tip
6	NNJSDA & NJPAC	Koft	Newark, NJ	Public Demo
7	Belles & Beaux	Kaltenthaler	Elmwood Park, NJ	MS/ PL tip
	Mountain Squares	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-2
9	Middletown Ramblers	Richman	Leonardo, NJ	PL
	RocklandRockytops	McFarland	New City, NY	MS/ PL tip
11	Al e Mo Squares	Coy	Brooklyn, NY	Alt. MS & PL
12	Acey Deuceys	Gotta	Colonie, NY	A-2/ C1
	Spinning Wheels	Richman/ Gesumaria	Oakland, NJ	MS/ CW/ PL tip
13	Hi Taws	Jacobs	Paramus, NJ	C1, C2
	Lakeland Squares	Gotta	Montville, NJ	MS/ PL tip
14	Cross Trail Squares	Leber	Caldwell, NJ	Alt. MS & PL/ A tip
15	Hix & Chix	Miller, Harrison/ Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL/ RD
16	Middletown Ramblers	Applegate	Leonardo, NJ	PL
17	Five Clubs	Kaltenthaler/ Bradt	Springfield, NJ	2 MS/ PL/ RD

June continued

19	Acey Deuceys Spinning Wheels	Bates McFarland/ Gesumaria	Colonie, NY Oakland, NJ	A-2/ C1 MS/ CW/ PL tip
20	Lakeland Squares	D. Page	Montville, NJ	MS/ PL tip
21	Belles & Beaux	Applegate	Elmwood Park, NJ	MS/ PL tip
23	Circle Eights Middletown Ramblers	Anfinsen Icenhower	Haworth, NJ Leonardo, NJ	MS/ PL tip PL
26	Acey Deuceys	Rubright	Colonie, NY	A-2/ C1
27	Hi Taws Lakeland Squares	Steckman Snyder	Paramus, NJ Montville, NJ	C1, C2 MS/ PL tip
29	Hix & Chix	Matthew/ Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL/ RD
30	Middletown Ramblers NNJSDA	Anfinsen Reardon, Snyder/ Eum	Leonardo, NJ Lincoln Park, NJ	PL MS/ PL/ RD

July

1	Five Clubs	Anfinsen/ Kushla	Springfield, NJ	2 MS/ PL/ RD
2	F.A.D. Squares	McFarland	Paramus, NJ	MS/ PL tip
5	Belles & Beaux	Snyder	Elmwood Park, NJ	MS/ PL tip
7	Middletown Ramblers	Landi	Leonardo, NJ	PL
10	Acey Deuceys CCNJ	Fellego Many Callers	Colonie, NY Little Falls, NJ	A-2/ C1 MS
11	Lakeland Squares	Reardon	Montville, NJ	MS/ PL tip
13	Hix & Chix	Williamson/ Williamson	Elmwood Prk, NJ	PL/ RD
14	Middletown Ramblers RocklandRockytops	Richman Corey	Leonardo, NJ New City, NY	PL MS/ PL tip
15	Five Clubs	Snyder/ McGee	Springfield, NJ	2 MS/ PL/ RD
16	F.A.D. Squares Motiv8ors	Applegate Stacy	Paramus, NJ Elmwood Park, NJ	MS/ PL tip A-2/ C1
17	Acey Deuceys	Clasper	Colonie, NY	A-2/ C1
18	Kittatinny Rangers Lakeland Squares	Applegate Richman	Blairstown, NJ Montville, NJ	Alt. MS & PL MS/ PL tip
19	Belles & Beaux	Coy	Elmwood Park, NJ	MS/ PL tip
21	<i>Middletown Ramblers</i>	Gotta	Leonardo, NJ	<i>Barn Dance</i>
24	Acey Deuceys	Baker	Colonie, NY	A-2/ C1
25	Lakeland Squares	Koft	Montville, NJ	MS/ PL tip
26	CCNJ	Many Callers	Little Falls, NJ	MS
27	Hix & Chix	D. Dougherty/ Raspa	Elmwood Park, NJ	PL/ RD
28	Middletown Ramblers	Amor	Leonardo, NJ	PL
29	NNJSDA	Reardon, Silva/ Pickett	Lincoln Park, NJ	MS/ PL/ RD
30	Motiv8ors	Bryant	Elmwood Park, NJ	A-2/ C1
31	Acey Deuceys	Stevens	Colonie, NY	A-2/ C1

August

2	Belles & Beaux	Gotta	Elmwood Park, NJ	MS/ PL tip
3	Hix & Chix	Snyder, Reardon/ T & N Eum	Elmwood Prk, NJ	PL/ RD
4	Middletown Ramblers	Landi	Leonardo, NJ	PL
5	Five Clubs	Landi/ Kushla	Springfield, NJ	2 MS/ PL/ RD
6	F.A.D. Squares Motiv8ors	Kapnick Ritucci	Paramus, NJ Elmwood Park, NJ	MS/ PL tip A-2/ C1
7	Acey Deuceys	Jacobs	Colonie, NY	A-2/ C1
9	CCNJ	Many Callers	Little Falls, NJ	MS
10	Hix & Chix	R. Dougherty/ Raspa	Elmwood Prk, NJ	PL/ RD
11	Middletown Ramblers RocklandRockytops	Goss Richman	Leonardo, NJ New City, NY	PL MS/ PL tip
14	Acey Deuceys	R. Dougherty	Colonie, NY	A-2/ C1
16	Belles & Beaux	Coy	Elmwood Park, NJ	MS/ PL tip
18	Middletown Ramblers	Snyder	Leonardo, NJ	PL
19	Five Clubs	Reardon/ Bradt	Springfield, NJ	2 MS/ PL/ RD
20	F.A.D. Squares Motiv8ors	Leber Stevens	Paramus, NJ Elmwood Park, NJ	MS/ PL tip A-2/ C1
21	Acey Deuceys	Leber	Colonie, NY	A-2/ C1
22	Kittatinny Rangers	Applegate	Blairstown, NJ	Alt. MS & PL
23	CCNJ	Many Callers	Little Falls, NJ	MS

August continued

25	Lakeland Squares Middletown Ramblers	Johnson Amor	Montville, NJ Leonardo, NJ	Barn Dance Barn Dance
26	NNJSDA	Brown/ Gotta	Lincoln Park, NJ	MS/ PL/ RD
28	Acey Deuceys	Poisson	Colonie, NY	A-2/ C1

September

3	F.A.D. Squares	Woerner	Paramus, NJ	MS/ PL tip
6	Belles & Beaux	Snyder	Glen Rock, NJ	MS/ PL tip
8	Kittatinny Rangers RocklandRockytops Y Squares	Applegate Leber Koft/ Koft	Andover, NJ New City, NY Clark, NJ	Alt. MS & PL MS/ PL tip MS/ RD/ PL tip
10	Al e Mo Squares	G. Hardy	Brooklyn, NY	Alt. MS & PL
11	Bee Sharps Spinning Wheels	Patton Richman/ Gesumaria	Bridgewater, NJ Oakland, NJ	Open House MS/ CW/ PL tip
12	Lakeland Squares Y Squares	Kaltenthaler Koft	Montville, NJ Clark, NJ	MS/ PL tip Open House
13	Cross Trail Squares	Leber	Caldwell, NJ	Alt. MS & PL/ A tip
15	Hunterdon Flutterwheels Ironia Reelers	Kerns Kaltenthaler/ Kushal	Stanton Station, NJ Randolph, NJ	Alt. MS & PL PL/ RD
16	Harmony Dancers	Kaltenthaler/ Ellen & Tom	Springfield, NJ	PL/ RD/ A tip
17	F.A.D. Squares Hunterdon Flutterwheels Motiv8ors RocklandRockytops	McFarland Kerns Priest Franks	Paramus, NJ Stanton Station, NJ Elmwood Park, NJ New City, NY	MS/ PL tip Barn Dance A-2/ C1 MS/ PL
18	Bee Sharps Spinning Wheels	Patton G. Hardy/ Gesumaria	Bridgewater, NJ Oakland, NJ	Open House MS/ CW/ PL tip
19	Lakeland Squares Western Wheelers	Coy Woerner	Montville, NJ Oradell, NJ	MS/ PL tip APD PL
20	Mountain Squares	Landi	Whippany, NJ	A-2
22	Bee Sharps Circle Eights Kittatinny Rangers Y Squares	Franks/ Bradt Reardon TBA Anfinsen/ Kushla	Bound Brook, NJ Haworth, NJ Andover, NJ Clark, NJ	PL/ RD/ A1 tip MS/ PL tip Alt. MS & PL MS/ RD/ PL tip
23	Western Wheelers	Landi	Oradell, NJ	PL/ RD/ A tip
24	Al e Mo Squares	Coy	Brooklyn, NY	Alt. MS & PL
25	Bee Sharps Spinning Wheels	Patton Leber/ Gesumaria	Bridgewater, NJ Oakland, NJ	Open House MS/ CW/ PL tip
26	Lakeland Squares Western Wheelers	Richman Woerner	Montville, NJ Oradell, NJ	MS/ PL tip APD PL
27	Cross Trail Squares	Richman	Caldwell, NJ	Alt. MS & PL/ A tip
29	Ironia Reelers	Harrison/ Pickett	Randolph, NJ	PL/ RD
30	NNJSDA Special	Callahan/ Kushla	Lincoln Park, NJ	PL/ A1 tip/ RD

November

12	NNJSDA 32nd Mini-Festival	Oxendine, Gotta, Page/ The McGees	Bridgewater, NJ	MS/ PL/ A/ C1/ RD
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Workshops At Every Dance

Circle Eights	first ½ hour of dance	Haworth, NJ	PL
Cross Trail Squares	½ hour before dance	Caldwell, NJ	PL
Mountain Squares	every dance as needed	Whippany, NJ	A-2
RocklandRockytops	¼ hour before dance	New Hempstead, NY	DBD MS
RocklandRockytops	¼ hour before dance	New Hempstead, NY	DBD PL
Spinning Wheels	first ½ hour of dance	Oakland, NJ	PL

Conventions, Festivals, Specials & Weekends

May

26-27	Hayloft Barn Weekend	Red Bates, Jack O'Leary/ Bev Boudreau-Mackay	Sturbridge, MA	PL/ RD
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June

21-24	55 th National Conv.	Many Callers/ Cuers	San Antonio, TX	All Levels
26	NNJSDA Special	Dennis Reardon, Jim Snyder/ Tim Eum	Lincoln Park, NJ	MS/ PL/ RD

Conventions, Festivals, Specials & Weekends continued

July

28-29	Dynamo Weekend	Red Bates, Jim Pulaski/ The Collipis	Sturbridge, MA	A2/ C1/ RD
29	NNJSDA Special	Dennis Reardon, Jay Silva/ Mary Pickett	Lincoln Park, NJ	MS/ PL/ RD

August

18-19	PA 13 th Convention	Many Callers/ Cuers	State College, PA	MS/ PL/ A/ C1/ RD
26	NNJSDA Special	Skip Brown/ Roy Gotta	Lincoln Park, NJ	MS/ PL/ RD

September

8-10	Dutch Treat Weekend	Crawford, Marriner, Miller/ The McGees	Lancaster, PA	PL/ DBD/ A/ RD
30	NNJSDA Special	Mike Callahan/ Karen Kushla	Lincoln Park, NJ	PL/ RD

October

6-9	N.E. Callers School	Ritucci, Poisson, L. Kopman	Manchester, NH	Learn to Call
20-22	Tumbling Leaves	Bates, Harrison, Marshall, Moger, Pulaski, Ritucci/ Collipis, Filardos	Bennington, VT	PL/ A1,2/ C1,2/ RD

November

12	NNJSDA 32 nd Mini-Festival	Oxendine, Gotta, Page/ The McGees	Bridgewater, NJ	MS/ PL/ A/ C1/ RD
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December

1-3	Holiday Jubilee Weekend	Don & Dot Coy, Chuck & Gerry Hardy	Ellenville, NY	MS/ PL/ A/ Lines
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"Circle Eight in the Lone Star State"

Going to be in San Antonio for the convention June 21-24, 2006?
Plan on seeing "It's About to Get Western." Mike Siler and The Short Notice
Band performing Country/ Western Music at its best!
"The Best Little Square Dance House in Texas"
is an entertaining fashion show set for Saturday at 1pm.
For reservations for these special events log on at registration@55thnsdc.org or
call 210-521-7185

Hoedown for Humanity II

We're doing another **Hoedown for Humanity** with caller Johnny Preston! Like the Hoedown last year, this one will benefit Morris Habitat for Humanity in its mission to provide decent, affordable housing to deserving families.

The event will be held in Jefferson Township (Lake Hopatcong), New Jersey on **Saturday, September 16** from 5-9:00 PM. Watch for details about specific activities at the Hoedown in addition to square dancing for beginners. (Last year there was line dancing, magic show, live music, chair massages, silent auction, and a bake sale run by local square dance clubs.) Please mark the date on your calendar and encourage your non-dancing friends to attend. Johnny Preston, national caller and founder of the national Hoedowns for Humanity organization, will gear the square dancing to people who have never tried it before.

If you would like to help, please contact me at lise.greene@montclair.edu or 973-663-4396.

Lise Greene, Ironia Reelers and Kittatinny Rangers

Club Presidents Alert

The **NNJSDA Questionnaire** was distributed via email and at the May Delegates' Meeting. Please return one to the Kanters at 3461 Amboy Rd., SI, NY 10306 or BNKanter@verizon.net by **June 15th**.

Spinning Wheels

WE DANCE MAINSTREAM EVERY MONDAY NIGHT - SEPT. Through JUNE

Dogwood Hill School, 25 Dogwood Dr., Oakland, NJ
 Valley Middle School, 71 Oak St., Oakland, NJ
 Dogwood Hill School, 25 Dogwood Dr, Oakland, NJ

Sept., Oct., Nov.
 Dec., Jan., Feb., March
 April, May, June

INTRODUCTION TO PLUS - 8:00 - 8:30 pm

LAST TIP - PLUS

Refreshments provided by Members **WESTERN DANCING WITH DOLORES**

<i>May 1st, 2006</i>	<i>Howard Richman</i>	<i>At Dogwood Hill School</i>
<i>8th</i>	<i>Ed Foote</i>	"
<i>15th</i>	<i>Rick Gittelman</i>	"
<i>22nd</i>	<i>Jim Snyder</i>	"
<i>29th</i>	<i>NO DANCE - Memorial Day</i>	

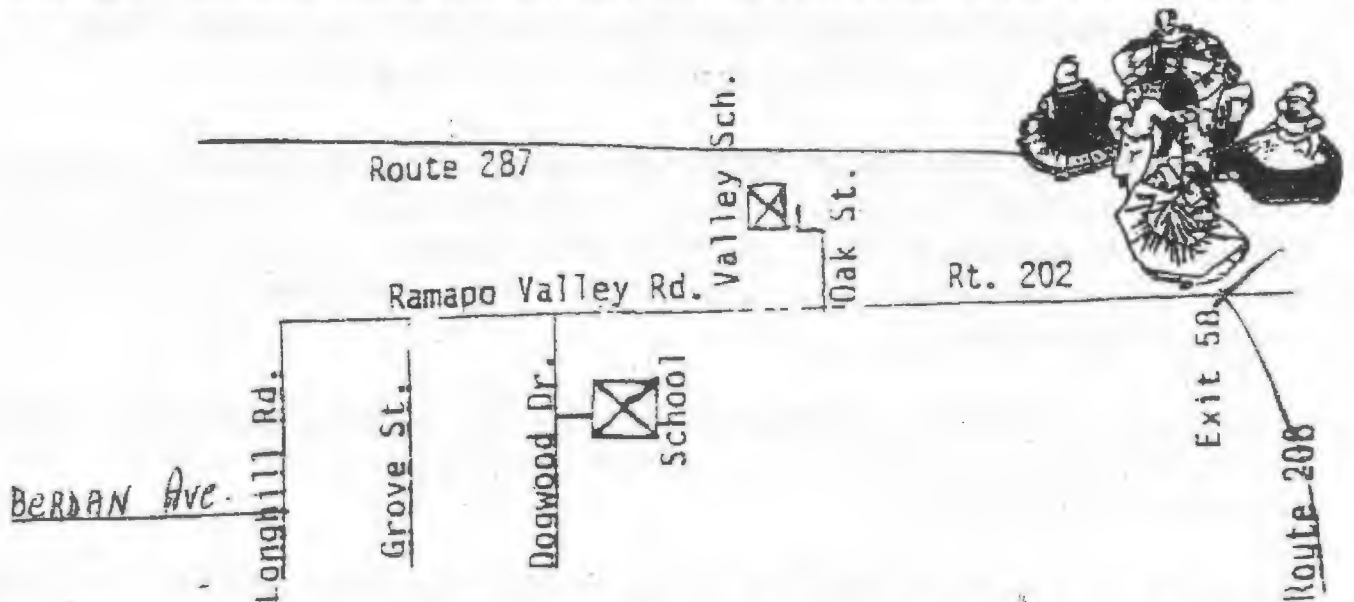


<i>June 5th, 2006</i>	<i>Roy Leber</i>	<i>At Dogwood Hill School</i>
<i>12th</i>	<i>Howard Richman</i>	"
<i>19th</i>	<i>Mickey McFarland</i>	"

<i>Sept. 11th, 2006</i>	<i>Howard Richman</i>	<i>At Dogwood Hill School</i>
<i>18th</i>	<i>Gerry Hardy</i>	"
<i>25th</i>	<i>Roy Leber</i>	"

INTRODUCTION TO PLUS: offers all square dancers the opportunity to learn the Callerlab Plus Program from many callers. One Plus figure is reviewed from the previous week and one new figure is introduced

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 For info. call: Dolores Gesumaria 201-337-8365 or Nora/Tom Burke 973-694-1750



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RocklandRockytops

PLUS With A-1 Aftertip First Friday - 8:00 to 10:30 PM		MAINSTREAM With Plus Aftertip Second Friday - 8:00 to 10:30 PM	
05/05/06	Ed Foote	05/12/06	Jim Snyder
06/02/06	Roy Leber	06/09/06	Mickey McFarland
07/21/06	Cancelled	07/14/06	Sandy Corey
08/18/06	Cancelled	08/11/06	Howard Richman
09/01/06	No Dance	09/08/06	Roy Leber
09/17/06	Mark Franks (<i>Special 15th Anniversary Dance – MS/Plus</i>)		
10/06/06	Jim Snyder	10/13/06	Mickey McFarland
11/03/06	Mark Franks	11/10/06	Ed Foote
12/01/06	Joe Landi	12/08/06	Don Coy
01/05/07	Howard Richman	01/12/07	Roy Leber

DBD Workshops from 7:45 to 8:00 PM

Singles Welcome

New Hempstead Presbyterian Church
Corner of New Hempstead Road and Old Schoolhouse Road
New Hempstead (New City), New York

From Palisades Parkway going North: Take Exit 11. At traffic light at end of ramp go left on New Hempstead Road. Proceed a total of 0.4 miles going through 1 traffic light and turning right on Old Schoolhouse Road which is just before the next traffic light at Rt. 45. Turn right into 2nd driveway and park. Murchison Hall will be directly in front of you.

From Palisades Parkway going South: Take Exit 11. At traffic light at end of ramp go right on New Hempstead Road. Proceed 0.3 miles turning right on Old Schoolhouse Road as above.

From New Hempstead Road in New City: Proceed to intersection of PIP North and continue for 0.4 miles as above turning right on Old Schoolhouse.

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Glen Rock Central School 600 Maple Ave. Sept. to May	Elmwood Park VFW Hall 6 Veterans Place June thru Aug.	1st & 3rd Wednesdays Mainstream with Plus Aftertip 8 to 10 PM
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May 3	Fran Wadel	Graduation	**Recycled clothing sale
May 17	Ed Foote	Over the Rainbow	



SATURDAY, MAY 20 MYSTERY BUS RAID



June 7	John Kaltenthaler	"Love and Marriage"
June 21	Wayne Applegate	"Bon Voyage" (Bring a book)
July 5	Jim Snyder	"Grand Old Flag"
July 19	Don Coy	"Yellow Rock Night"
August 2	Betsy Gotta	"Surf's Up"
August 16	Don Coy	Barn Dance
Sept. 6	Jim Snyder	Trains, Planes, Autos



Billy 201-385-3907 or Linda 201-261- 3513: BellesBeaux@Gmail.com



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MAINSTREAM

	Weeks of the Month:
Sunday: F.A.D. Squares. <i>c.c.oconnor@att.net</i>	1, 3 All Year
Rutgers Promenaders <i>president@rutgerspromenaders.org</i>	1, 3 Sept-June
Monday: Spinning Wheels <i>dollyges@verizon.net</i>	Every Wk. Sept-June
Tuesday: Kittatinny Rangers Lakeland Squares <i>lakelandsquares@hotmail.com</i>	Varied July-Aug. Every Wk. Sept-July
Wednesday: Belles & Beaux <i>bellesbeaux@gmail.com</i>	1, 3 All Year
Friday: Circle Eights <i>pmwhite22@yahoo.com</i> RocklandRockytops <i>rocklandrockytops@lycos.com</i> Tenakill Twirlers <i>dancinggrandma@att.net</i> Y Squares <i>ackenziora@verizon.net</i>	4 Sept-June Varied All Year 3 Oct-May 2, 4 Sept-May

ADVANCED & CHALLENGE

Sunday: Motiv8ors (A-2, C1) <i>rs222@verizon.net</i>	Varied All Year
Tuesday: Hi Taws (C1, C2) <i>bbeck123@aol.com</i>	Varied All Year
Wednesday: Mountain Squares (A-2)	1, 3 Sept-June

PLUS

	Weeks of the Month:
Thursday: Hix & Chix <i>bdexter@ups.com</i>	Special Dances June-Aug
Friday: Bee Sharps <i>aammons@hkhkfdn.org</i> Ironia Reelers <i>inars23.jean21@verizon.net</i> Masqueraders <i>theharthousehold@aol.com</i> RocklandRockytops <i>rocklandrockytops@lycos.com</i> Harmony Dancers <i>harmonysdc@aol.com</i>	2, 4 Sept-Feb 1, 3 Sept-June 1, 3 Sept-May 1 Oct-June 1, 3 Sept-May
Saturday: Western Wheelers <i>rhoemlein@optonline.net</i>	2, 4 Sept-April

ALTERNATE MAINSTREAM/ PLUS

Sunday: Al e Mo Squares <i>alamosquares@aol.com</i>	Varied Sept-June
Wednesday: Cross Trail Squares <i>smalessi@bellatlantic.net</i>	2, 4 Sept-June
Friday: Bee Sharps <i>aammons@hkhkfdn.org</i> Hunterdon Flutterwheels <i>pegfredb@comcast.net</i> Kittatinny Rangers <i>mikdon@goes.com</i>	2, 4 Feb-May 1, 3 Sept-June 2, 4 Sept-May
Saturday: Five Clubs <i>aammons@hkhkfdn.org</i>	1, 3 June-Aug

DANCES CANCELLED

May	June	July	August	September
29 Spinning Wheels	6 Lakeland 16 Ironia 18 F.A.D. 21 Mountain 28 Cross Trails	4 Lakeland 21 Rockland.	18 Rockland.	1 Ironia 5 Lakeland 6 Mountain

Many clubs change location/ dates for summer dances. Check ads and call before going.

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