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## Booster Ads

These ads are for personal use and not for advertising. They may incorporate pictures and text. The size of the ad will be approximately 2 inches high by 4 inches wide and will cost \$10.00 per month.

## Spotlight Ads

These are full page ads that relate to Square Dancing. They are to be used for "Spotlighting" Dancers, Callers, Cuers, or Clubs. They may incorporate pictures and text. The cost is \$15.00. There is a limit of one Spotlight Ad per issue.

*Who*



*Should*

*Be In The*

*Spotlight*

*Today?*

## **E**-*edition* **E***xtras*

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- 1) **Full color** on all pictures and ads presented in color.
- 2) All **pictures** submitted to the Editor will be published.
- 3) Link available in you inbox on or about the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month.\*

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# President's Message



*Hello Square Dance Friends,*

*Summer is upon us and boy did it come all at once! As we go into the Month of July we hope your holiday plans are to enjoy time with your family and Square Dance Friends.*

*We live in the most awesome Nation in the world, and our freedoms we have, came at a cost. Please let's not lose sight of that!! We need to celebrate our Independence and remember we are STILL the Greatest Nation under God!!*

*Let's remember the upcoming Fall Festival is approaching fast. FYI don't forget to register for the Festival early and have a chance to win your registration back!! Also, don't forget to get your club door prize baskets ready to go!! We will be having the delegates meeting there again this year, and we will probably have the meeting on Saturday morning again like Brenda did last year. There was a great turn out, so please plan on being there.*

*It's not going to be long until we as clubs need to be preparing to solicit new dancers. Be thinking what you and your club can do to reach these potential students.*

*Try to keep booster ads coming in and a challenge to all members to try to get some businesses to advertise with us as well. We invite all ads!!*

*So long for now, please stay cool and as always we hope to see you in our Square Soon!!*

*Scott & Angela Blackshear*  
*President – 2016*

# CIRCULATION NOTES

## **CLUBS! CALLERS! CUERS! LINE DANCE PROMPTERS!**

**Do you have a WEBSITE or a FACEBOOK PAGE?**

How would you like some free advertising?

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[wx1der@gmail.com](mailto:wx1der@gmail.com)

**We will post your link**

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# FROM THE EDITOR



Greetings Everyone!

Cathy and I are in the midst of preparing for our trip to Des Moines Iowa. Roundalab and the Nationals are on our agenda. For us this year preparing is not limited to only packing and getting the truck and camper ready, but also preparing lesson plans. This year at the Nationals we will be Showcasing and teaching a Phase IV Rumba that we choreographed called “Dance With The Rumba Queen”. As if that were not enough to put our nerves on edge (stage fright?), at Roundalab we are conducting an educational session involving FUN and Dancing.

While we were writing our session notes, it occurred to me that too often dancers put the responsibility for having FUN on the “Entertainer”. While it is true that the caller or cuer is there to entertain and there would be no DANCE or FUN without them, it is also true that the entertainer lives, breathes, and performs based on the atmosphere. Atmosphere? ? ?

*How **WELCOMING** is your club?*

*How **LIVELY?** ... **UPBEAT?** ... **ENERGETIC?***

*Are the members there to **DANCE** or sit and socialize?*

*Are there **SMILES** and **LAUGHTER?***

*Can you feel the **LOVE OF DANCING** and **FOR ONE ANOTHER?***

The successful clubs and dancers understand what atmosphere is. If dancing is a part of who you are ... if you love what you do ... if the words above mean something to you ... than let the world know. Your club needs new students. Without YOU there will be none!

**REMINDER:** June 30<sup>th</sup> Channel 7 Arkansas Midday Show  
Scott and Angela will be appearing. They will be telling Arkansas about their love of Square Dancing.

Can you? Will you? Remember ... YOU ARE YOUR CLUB !

*You can't dance without being active!*

*Fred Fisher*

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*Today?*



*Levis & Lace want to honor our friends  
Gene & Carolyn Gancarczyk.*

They unselfishly devote their time & effort to make our club great.

**Gene**

Calls for us

Volunteers  
for expos

&

Anything  
else we  
come up  
with.



**Carolyn**

is

always

by his side

supporting

him.

*Thank you to this awesome couple!!*

*We love you!!*



## Education & Publicity

When we promote and sell square dancing to the outside world, we often focus on the social, and both physical and mental attributes of our activity. The long term effects of the physical aspects of exercise should not be overlooked when selling square dancing – even to the extent of the music we enjoy. “There’s no question, anecdotally at least, that music has a very stimulating effect on physical activity” said David Tarsy, professor of neurology at Harvard Medical School. “And I think that applies to dance as well.”

Millions of Americans dance, recreationally or professionally. How many of us who ballroom dance, break dance, round dance or square dance realize that we are doing something positive for our brains?

Older people who exercise in this manner end up with metabolic younger hearts, according to a study at Washington School of Medicine in St. Louis. By at least one metabolic measure, women benefit more than men from the training. Scientists have given little thought to the neurological effects of dance until recently when researchers began to investigate the complex mental coordination that dancing requires. In a 2008 article in *Scientific American*, a Columbia University neuroscientist posited that synchronizing music and movement – such as square dancing - constitutes a ‘pleasure double play.’ The music stimulates the brain’s reward centers, while the dance activates its sensory and motor circuits.

Studies have further identified the brain regions that contribute to the learning and performing of square dancing. These brain regions include the motor cortex, somatosensory cortex, basal ganglia, and cerebellum. (Technical jargon ... sorry.)

The motor cortex is involved in the planning, control, and execution of voluntary movement. The somatosensory cortex, in the mid region of the

brain, is responsible for motor control and also plays a role in eye-hand coordination. The basal ganglia, a group of structures deep in the brain, works with other regions to smoothly coordinate movement, while the cerebellum integrates input from the brain and spinal cord and helps plan fine and complex motor actions.

While some imaging studies have shown which regions of the brain are activated by dancing, other studies have explored how the physical and expressive elements of dance actually alter brain functions. Much of the research on the physical activity associated with dance echoes findings on exercise, showing benefits that range from memory improvement to strengthening neural connections.

An earlier study in the *New England Journal of Medicine* by researchers showed that dancing can decidedly improve brain health. The study investigated the effect that leisure activities had on the risk of dementia in the elderly. The researchers looked at the impact of 11 different types of physical activity, including golf, swimming, and tennis, but found that only one – dance - lowered participants' risk of dementia. The combination of mental effort and social interaction made the difference, according to researchers.

Other studies have shown that dancing helps reduce stress, increases levels of the feel-good hormone serotonin, and helps develop new neural connections, especially in the regions involved in the executive function, long-term memory, and spatial recognition.

Additionally, dancing has been found to be to be therapeutic for patients with Parkinson's disease. More than one million people in this country are living with Parkinson's, with 60,000 new cases annually, according to the Parkinson's Disease Foundation,. Parkinson's belongs to a group of conditions called motor-system disorders, which develop when the dopamine-producing cells in the brain are lost. The chemical dopamine is an essential component of the brain's system for controlling movement and coordination.

Lastly, (Square) dancing can also be considered a form of rhythmic auditory stimulation (RAS). Studies of the effects of dancing have found significant improvements in gait and upper-extremity function.

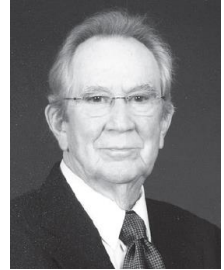
Bottom line people .... 15 ways exercise can improve your health by square dancing.

- |                                     |                                  |
|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1) Improve your brainpower          | 9) Lower your blood pressure     |
| 2) Fight off a cold                 | 10) Manage arthritis             |
| 3) Lower your risk of heart disease | 11) Cure insomnia                |
| 4) Fight depression                 | 12) Lower your risk of diabetes  |
| 5) Reverse pre-diabetes             | 13) Build strong bones           |
| 6) Lose weight                      | 14) Reduce your risk of cancer   |
| 7) Boost your IQ and think better   | 15) Relieve chronic knee pain    |
| 8) Increase your energy levels      | 16) Slow down your aging process |

Promote health in all its aspects, physical, mental and social, while recruiting new dancers. Do it for the HEALTH of it!

*Gordon & Sue White*

*J. K. Fancher*



## History & Change

History is full of cycles. All dance forms have a history of rising from the ashes of a past form to crest and then fall again into near oblivion. The leaders and dancers in any given cycle put their own distinctive spin on the activity and for that moment in time believe that their ideas and the dance they support are not too be violated. Our current square dance cycle began just after the end of World War II (circa 1946).

The period from 1946 until 1986 witnessed a number of changes and drastically changed the face of square dancing. Those changes included: radical redo of the dress code; invention of the club concept; use of public address systems; explosion of new calls; development of singing

calls without a walk-thru first; new caller techniques; air-conditioned halls; snooty attitudes; choreography as a science; caller as a professional entertainer; the dynamics that spread modern western style square dance world-wide; the demographics that changed the average age of a dancer from thirty-five to sixty-five; just to name a few.

The advent of Callerlab in 1974 smoothed out the playing field and stabilized some bad practices. Despite all the good that Callerlab did establishing common sense practices, its critics claim they contributed to the free fall in the number of dancers by the mid-1990s. The sad truth was that most of the problems came about due to caller and dancer misuse of the Callerlab programs. They were created to provide a niche for all choreographic interests in the square dance world. Callers and dancers alike chose to modify the use of those programs. The organization of a second professional caller's organization in the early 1990s, while needed for a competitive balance, may have created some caller mistrust in caller and dancer ranks.

Since 1996 we have been at the bottom of our cycle. There has been little progress in the last twenty years and many are still resisting change.

Our present actions and upcoming changes to the Arkansas State Square Dance Federation (ASSDF) will be writing our (future) history:

1. Remember that your editor Fred Fisher brought the *Modern Square* into the digital era over six months ago. Subscribers can now read it in digital format around the middle of the month rather than the end as with the printed version. One big advantage - ANY NUMBER OF DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHS may be submitted and will be used in the **E**-*edition*. Plus if submit in color, THEY WILL BE APPEAR IN COLOR. This benefit alone could be our first itsy bitsy baby steps into social networking for square dancing in Arkansas. It doesn't cost anyone anything. Someone in one of the pics could easily be holding a poster with all kinds of information on it as a starter.
2. A Bylaws Review Committee is at work updating bylaws that were put in place when the Federation had an enormous dancer population (95 squares at the 1986 fall festival) and when Arkansas was subdivided into districts which had their own sets

of officers and special district dances under the overall banner of the ASSDF. If any reader has input, please contact Fisher now. Hopefully the proposed new bylaws will be complete and ready to be voted on at the Fall Festival Delegate's Meeting.

I keep screaming that we in the square dance world have got to make practical use of social media networking. We can make it work for the square dance community when we decide we want to. It's there (here) now. The problem is that we as a group have to get beyond the belief that it is idle and senseless nonsense. Information flows so effortlessly today. We need to utilize it. Send selfies of square dance activities! Text about the next square dance or lesson or event! Editor Fisher has offered us a painless way to start. We all need to start running with it!

I promised last time to re-visit the history of what has come to be known as the modern western style square dance. So along with timely topics we will be weaving a story (not necessarily in chronological order) that begins on the village greens of England and the British Isles during the 1400s, through English Elizabethan times, to France, back to England, the colonization period, west across America, and back east across America. We in Arkansas catch the movement going both ways.

So where will that history come from? Up until a few years ago it would have all come from the PRINTED PAGE and for all practical purposes it still does. But all of that is changing. More and more is being digitalized. The Lloyd Shaw Foundation was one of the first organizations to catch the digital wave of the future. However, most of the material I will use comes from, what I have always termed, my trusty time machine. That includes files of old square dance magazines, hooks, note services, and just about anything that has been printed for the past seventy-five years. And yes ... I will fill in the blanks from the internet.

Newcomers interested in square dance history should go to the internet. However, you will miss that nostalgic tactile feel of dusty musty old books or magazines that can be so enchanting as you travel back in time.

Square dance publications were initially established to announce where dances were being held. Later, additional information about dancers, clubs, etc. began to be added. Thus from a one page announcement, another page was added and a magazine was born. Yes, the *Modern*

Square was created by Lloyd and Hazel Wilson (president 1962) in 1962 for the same reason. The *Modern Square* has been published monthly since that date. Arkansas square dancers can be proud of that history. I have been a subscriber (since 1966) to Missouri's square dance magazine the *DOIN's*. That magazine went to an every other month publication several years ago as have other states. Sadly some states have even had to completely discontinue publication of their magazine. In Arkansas we have been close to a cease publication decision more than once.

We have to thank our *Modern Square* Editor, Fred Fisher, for pulling us out of the fire this year with new innovations and interest. But we have to remember it's only a beginning, We are not out of the woods yet. Not by a long shot. The opportunity is great! As Fred said, ...

"It Is Your Organization ... Promote It!"

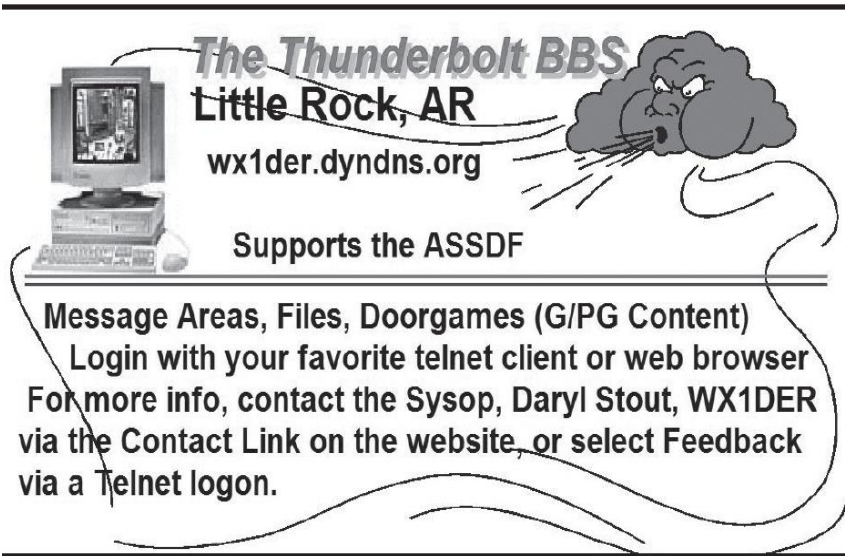
Until next time remember ... *Dance often and with style!*

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## "Special Events"

JULY 2016

**8th** Heber Springers

Start Time – 7:00

Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud

**Red White & Blue Dance**

Caller – Ron Wise

**13<sup>th</sup>** Twirling Funtimers

Start Time – 6:00

Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home

**Watermelon Splash Dance**

Caller – James "Jammer" Cochran

**29th** Skokos Promenaders

Start Time – 7:00

Location – Kibler United Methodist Church, 19 E Kibler Hwy, Alma

**Ken Bower Special**

Caller – Ken Bower

# WHERE IS THE DANCE TONIGHT?

	<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>	<b>Saturday</b>
<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	Bella Vista Pine Bluff	Conway Kibler	Hot Springs Village Mountain Home	Charleston Conway Jonesboro Little Rock Hot Springs Village	Little Rock Royal	
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	Bella Vista Pine Bluff	Conway Kibler	Hot Springs Village Mountain Home	Charleston Conway Jonesboro Little Rock Searcy Hot Springs Village	Royal Texarkana Rose Bud	Little Rock
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	Bella Vista Pine Bluff	Conway Kibler	Hot Springs Village Mountain Home	Charleston Conway Jonesboro Little Rock Hot Springs Village	Little Rock	Harrison
<b>4<sup>th</sup></b>	Bella Vista Pine Bluff	Conway Kibler	Hot Springs Village Mountain Home	Charleston Conway Jonesboro Little Rock Searcy Hot Springs Village	Royal Texarkana Rose Bud	Little Rock
<b>5<sup>th</sup></b>	Bella Vista Pine Bluff	Conway Kibler	Hot Springs Village Mountain Home	Charleston Conway Jonesboro Little Rock Searcy Hot Springs Village	Little Rock	Harrison Little Rock

# **THREE AMIGOS SQUARE DANCE!**



When: 7:30 Saturday, July 16, 2016

Where: American Legion Hut  
Mann Road – Mabelvale

Admission: 8.00 (single) or \$15.00 (couple)

Callers: Phil Moorehouse and Gene Gancarczyk

## AUGUST 2016

**10<sup>th</sup>** Twirling Funtimers “Hot&Dry” Ice Cream Floats Dance  
Start Time – 6:00 Caller - Doug Mallory  
Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home

**26<sup>th</sup>** Heber Springers Ice Cream Social  
Start Time – 7:00 Caller – Ron Wise  
Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud

## SEPTEMBER 2016

**10<sup>th</sup>** Blue Belles & Beaus Pioneer Ho-down Dance  
Start Time – 7:00 Caller – Phil Moorehouse  
Location – Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson St. Judsonia

**14<sup>th</sup>** Twirling Funtimers Autumn Fest Dance  
Start Time – 6:00 Caller – Dave Roush  
Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home

## OCTOBER 2016

**5<sup>th</sup>** Twirling Funtimers Club Anniversary Dance  
Start Time – 7:00 Caller – Pat Christe  
Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home

**14<sup>th</sup>  
&  
15<sup>th</sup>**

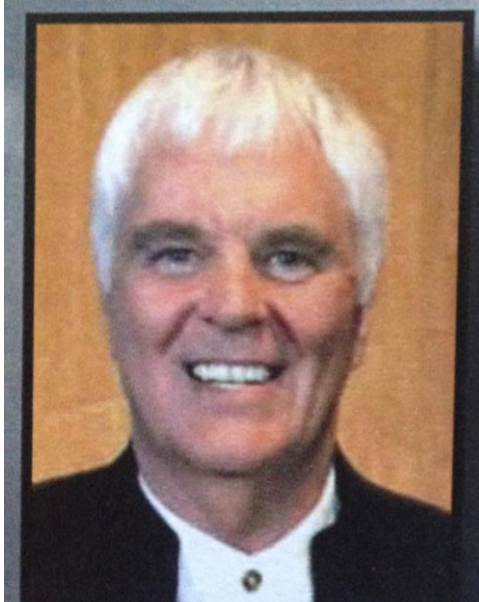
# ASSDF Fall Festival

Location – Betty’s Big Country Dance Hall  
102 Crystal Palace Dr., Caddo Valley AR

**21<sup>st</sup>** Heber Springers 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Dan Nordby Special  
Start Time – 7:00 Caller – Dan Nordby  
Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud

**28<sup>th</sup>** Heber Springers Halloween Dance  
Start Time – 7:00 Caller – Ron Wise  
Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud

# Coming to the Heber Springers



**Ken Bower**

**Palm Desert, CA**

Thursday July 28, 2016

7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

\$7 per person

Rose Bud Community Center

5916 Highway 36 W

Rose Bud, Arkansas

For Info: call Ron Wise 870-267-0702

## Book Early for Motels or Hotels

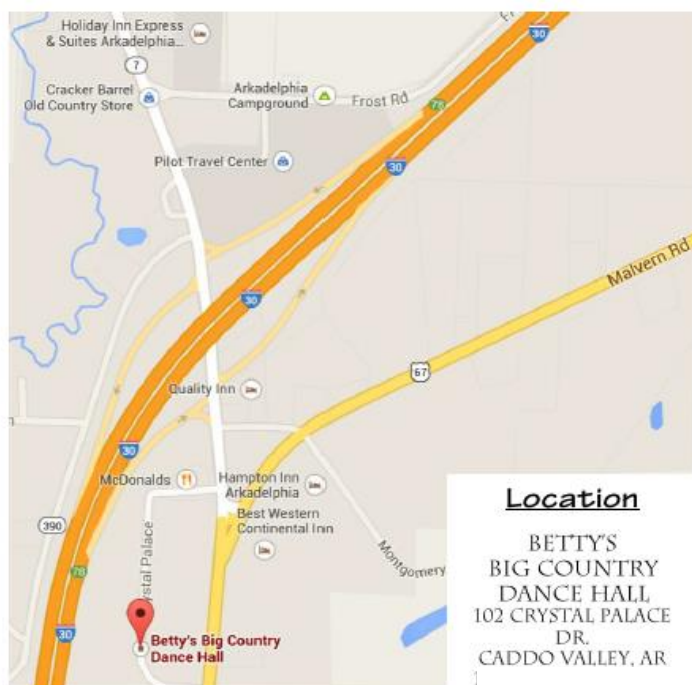
Name	Telephone	Name	Telephone
<b>Holiday Inn</b>	<b>(870) 403-0880</b>	<b>Quality Inn</b>	<b>(501) 693-1378</b>
<b>Best Western</b>	<b>(870) 246-5592</b>	<b>Americas Best Value Inn &amp; Suites</b>	<b>(870) 247-5855</b>
<b>Comfort Inn</b>	<b>(870) 246-3800</b>		

Most of these are within about one block walking distance of Betty's Country and Western Dance Hall.  
Hampton Inn, Super 8 and Super 6 are also available.

### Eating places - most within one block of Betty's Country and Western Dance Hall

<b>Cracker Barrel</b>	<b>Ta Molly's</b> (Mexican Food)	<b>Wendy's</b>	<b>Subway</b>
<b>Waffle House</b>	<b>Fat Boys</b> (BBQ, Chicken, Fish)	<b>McDonald's</b>	<b>Taco Bell</b>

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# 67<sup>th</sup> Fall Festival

October 14 & 15 2016



Mike Bramlett

## Friday

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Squares  
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7:45



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## Saturday

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## NOVEMBER 2016

**9<sup>th</sup>** Twirling Funtimers **Red, White & Blue Dance**  
Start Time – 6:00 Caller - “Cherokee” Bill Cochran  
Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home

**12<sup>th</sup>** Blue Belles & Beaus **Military Dance**  
Start Time – 7:00 Caller – Phil Moorehouse  
Location – Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson St. Judsonia

**11<sup>th</sup>** Heber Springers **Can Goods Admission Dance**  
Start Time – 7:00 Caller – Ron Wise  
Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud

**25<sup>th</sup>** Heber Springers **DARK**

## DECEMBER 2016

**9<sup>th</sup>** Heber Springers **Christmas Dinner Dance**  
Start Time – 7:00 Caller – Ron Wise  
Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud

**10<sup>th</sup>** Blue Belles & Beaus **Christmas Dance**  
Start Time – 7:00 Caller – Phil Moorehouse  
Location – Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson St. Judsonia

**14<sup>th</sup>** Twirling Funtimers **Holiday Celebration Party Dance**  
Start Time – 6:00 Caller - James “Jammer” Cochran  
Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home

**23<sup>rd</sup>** Heber Springers **DARK**

**31<sup>st</sup>** Blue Belles & Beaus **Black Light Dance**  
Start Time – 8:00 Caller – Phil Moorehouse  
Location – Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson St Judsonia

### Order of Listings for Special Events Section Date, Club Name, Dance Name, Start Time, Caller, Location

Please notify the *Modern Square* Editor of your club’s special events (up to one year in advance) with all information included as listed above. The earlier all information is provided, the earlier the listing will appear.



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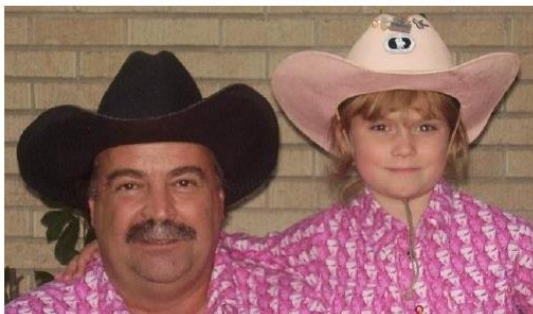
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# Club Reports

## BLUE BELLES & BEAUS

## Judsonia

If you're a Facebook fan, you might've caught the pictures of our caller Phil and his family on their trip to Alaska. It looked mighty cold. You sure wouldn't need the gear they were wearing! It's been so warm, even with the rain. The most you could see of them were their smiling faces. I'm sure they were having fun! We are always happy to have Phil back, and hear another episode of the "Moorehouse adventures".

Back to our weather . . . Don't know about you, but I thought our garden was ruined when I looked out the window to see it totally flooded. Fortunately, the seeds were just moved around a bit. Who needs perfect rows in a garden anyway?! Just like square dancing; you don't have to do it perfectly as long as you get what you intended as the end result; big red beets or fun!

Hope you all enjoyed our Hawaiian dance as much as we enjoyed hosting it. We're not having any special dances in July; I mean, how can you top the Nationals in Iowa??? If not just for the dancing, you can't beat the shopping. This is where all of the square dance vendors gather. You'll find all the newest skirts and tops with matching shirts (for the guys) and pettipants and slippers and shoes and badges and . . . Don't miss it!!! We're going and here's your fair warning: don't get between me and the vendors once they open those doors! Just sayin!!!!!!

You ask, "what's the best part of July besides the 4<sup>th</sup> and fireworks?" IT'S MY BIRTHDAY!!!!!! YAAAAAY. I don't much like the gettin' older part, but I sure like the presents. I think that after you turn 50, they should be called "present days" instead of "birthdays" and then you'd never have to say how old you are again. You with me? Others in the club who share this wonderful month are Carol Green on the 11<sup>th</sup> and Dee Williams on the 13<sup>th</sup>, and Jolynn Wilson on the 28<sup>th</sup>. Happy birthday girls! Let's PARTY!! All of you out there, come help us celebrate.

Hope to see you in a square soon!!!

*Jeanne Carter*

**CONWAY ROUNDERS****Conway**

June is a short dance month for the Rounders. Fred and I will be off to Roundalab and the National Square Dance Convention. As I write this report my nerves are a little touchy. This year at Roundalab we are conducting a presentation on how to use “fun” to teach dance concepts. To add to my frayed nerves, we choreographed a Phase IV Rumba entitled “Dance With The Rumba Queen”. We will be showcasing and teaching it during the convention. I have stage fright already and we’re not even there yet! I’ll be sure to give everyone a full report in the August Modern Square.

We will be back to dancing on the 30<sup>th</sup> of June. That is of course if my legs and feet hold out! Classes will start up again in September. Come join us and give Round Dancing a try!

See you on the dance floor!

*Cathy Fisher*

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**DIAMOND SQUARES****Hot Springs Village**

We ate ice cream and celebrated our eighth year of dancing and teaching in the Hot Springs area at this season's trail end dance on June 16. We officially welcomed our enthusiastic and dedicated new dancers into the square dance community: Lou and Fred Carnal are "returning dancers," having previously danced with Star Steppers in Pine Bluff. Adonna Anderson is new to square dancing. She joined our new dancer program in January. Adonna enjoys all types of dancing, and was anxious to get acquainted with other clubs, so Gordon introduced her to Twirling Lariats' Monday new dancer program, and we attended her graduation at the Twirling Lariats dance on June 3.

We are ever so grateful for our dedicated angels, who come regularly to fill in our squares and extend the right hand of fellowship to our new dancers. Fran and Bill Bazemore have been "movers and doers" in the Arkansas square dance community for many years. Fran becomes "Fred"

sometimes, filling in the "man's" part when needed. Ned Cole, also well known to the Arkansas community, has overcome significant health challenges in the past few years. He comes most weeks to be sure we have enough dancers. Alana Clegg, who has danced with us for several years, supports several clubs in the area. Small clubs, especially, rely on angels to fill in the squares in their new dancer programs. Thank you!

Diamond Squares will resume dancing in early October. Look for our announcements in Modern Square, [wheresthedance.com](http://wheresthedance.com), and your local newspapers. Have a great summer, and Dance, Dance, Dance.

*Sue White*

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## **GUYS 'N DOLLS**

## **Texarkana**

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## **HEBER SPRINGERS**

## **Rose Bud**

Greeting from the Heber Springers!

May was a wonderful month. We were blessed with a lot of spring showers. That is just what old farmers needs for their gardens. Cool nights and breezy days were filled with nature coming alive. We have a really nice frog family that lives in the backyard with all the other critters. Their croaking calls are not only pleasant to listen to but they keep the mosquito population down as well. Mosquito larva makes great frog food. We are so blessed to get to live in such a place.

Before I go on any further I want to thank a few folks. First our secretary, Teresa Holly, for typing up a club roster. Ellen and James Herdman for doing a great job of keeping up with the money. Then there is Micky Watts who entertains the club between tips. His fancy dances are great fun. Our Caller Ron Wise, who just gets to be a better caller each week. Then there is Wilma Sanders who keeps most everything in line. Our Presidents Roger and Lueene Skipper are such fun to be around. I could say that about our whole club. It is really doing well.

Our May the 27<sup>th</sup> dance was special. Chuck Hasting filled in for Ron Wise and several of his long ago fans came to dance to his calls. It had been a long time since we had heard him. It is really smooth dancing to his music. Several members of his family added to the crowd. I might

list a few of our visitors. Robert and Sherry Shawn, Mike and Lanita Hammett, Joe and Debbie Keller, Alvin and Ellen Gentry, Lura and Wayne Wade, Royce and Cathy Beesley, Jimmy and Carol Green. I hope I did not miss anyone.

Our special dance , the Red , White and Blue Dance will be July 8<sup>th</sup>.

Marge Osterhout fell and broke her hip. She is doing well now. Larry Adams missed the golf ball and hit his big toe with the driver. That slowed down his dancing. His wife Wanda has a birthday July 7. Morgan Younts has one on the 21<sup>st</sup>. Jim Sanders will grow older on July 16<sup>th</sup> . May all of you have a wonderful Summer.

*Bob Hall*

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## KINGSDALE SQUARES

Bella Vista

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## LEVIS & LACE

**Royal**

Happy July 4<sup>th</sup>! ... Never forget the price paid for that independence!

We have had a busy month dancing and visiting. We made a lot of people smile at our expo dances, especially at Heritage Nursing Home. Brooke Blackshear came to cheer us on. She was so sweet to the residents. Scott, Angela & Bailey, Lee Connor, Stan Stander & Harry Atchley came to make sure we had enough people. Norm & Judy Schaffner, James Main, Carolyn Gancarczyk, Marsha Sargent, Ted & I were there, too. It was a wonderful, rewarding day.

Amity Trade Days was a great time, too. Hopefully, we stirred some interest. We are going back in the fall, right before lessons. We enjoy doing these expos, plus being with our square-dance family. We will have more expos soon. A special thanks to Gene for an awesome job calling our dances and expos.

Our Maypole Dance was so much fun. We had ages from two to 90 plus. Everyone danced around the Maypole, then we ate & square danced. We had an absolutely awesome time! Juanice made sure we had awesome decorations to use. That's the way this L & L family is!

Several couples from our area went to the Branson Blowout. Marshall Flippo was sick, but Ken Bower, Mike Bramlet & Gary

Shoemake were outstanding. We had so much fun. We stayed another night, visiting with special friends & with Ken & Dee Bower. If Ken wasn't calling, he could be a stand-up comedian. Remember the Three Amigos Dance. July 16th at the Legion Hut. It starts at 7:30 with Gene Gancarczyk & Phil Moorehouse calling.

Scott & Angela Blackshear, our ASSDF President, will be on channel 7 at noon on June 30th promoting Square Dancing in Arkansas. Please tune in. Tape it, if you can.

Yellow rocks to me on my July 1st birthday & Gene Gancarczyk on the 21st. Then more yellow rocks to Scott & Angela Blackshear on their anniversary on the 1st & to Juanice & Jerry on the 2nd. Love those yellow rocks!





Please come & dance with us!

*Phyllis Keeney*

## MAVERICK MIXERS

## Little Rock

It was Memorial Day weekend and I was contemplating what to write in my next club report. I realized that it would be the July issue. Memorial Day and Independence Day caused me to think about what a wonderful country we live in. Of course, there are some things I would love to see changed, but we have an enormous amount of freedom. These freedoms were paid for by men and women willing to pay the ultimate sacrifice. To them we owe a tremendous amount of gratitude. Thank you to all of our veterans – past, present and future!

Freedom ... Freedom to dance ... Freedom to visit the Maverick Mixers!!! I just wanted you to know that you are ALWAYS welcome to stop in at the Legion Hut on Mann Road in Mabelvale on the 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Saturdays of each month!

We've been busy lately. Our caller, Phil Morehouse, has been on a "little" well-deserved vacation, but we have carried on. Guest caller, Joey Duhamel, called a terrific dance to close out May. I loved "rectangle dancing" with 6 couples in the square. Our very own, Carolyn Quinney has called during Phil's absence too. What fun!!!

The Twirling Lariats held a fund raiser for repairs on the Legion Hut.

Those repairs benefit the Maverick Mixers too. Many, many thanks to those who came and supported them.

Several of our members will be traveling to the National Square Dance Convention in Des Moines, IA later in June. (Safe travels!)

We have visited the Levi's and Lace, Heber Springers, Twirling Lariats and 60's Swingers.

We also want to welcome our newest member, Larry Sheridan. Congrats on your recent graduation and welcome to our family!

As always, drop in and visit us. We would LOVE to see you in a square. See you soon.

*Lanita Hammett*

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## **PISTOLS & PETTICOATS**

**Jonesboro**

Hello Everyone! We want to wish you a Happy and Safe July 4<sup>th</sup> !

We are back in summer. Hope this one will be a cool one. Ha! Ha!

We need to start planning our Ole Timers Dance. It won't be long. This year has gone by so fast. We will let everyone know the date of the dance later.

Pistols & Petticoats got to do a demonstration square dance for the Arkansas History Program at Nettleton University Heights Elementary School Parents Night. We danced and taught parents and students a few square dance moves. We enjoyed the night.

We were saddened by the loss of caller Dusty Rhoads on March 18, 2016. He was a very good caller and so much fun to be around. We will truly miss him. We are praying for his wife Billie and his three daughters.

We have several birthdays in the month of July: Linda Bland (3<sup>rd</sup>), Larry Billing (10<sup>th</sup>), and Vaughndel Kious (29<sup>th</sup>)

**Happy Dancing Everyone!**

*Linda Bland*

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## **SKOKOS PROMENADERS**

**Kibler**

## **STAR DUSTERS**

**Harrison**

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## SIXTIES SWINGERS

Little Rock

This month's report starts on a sad note. We are mourning the passing of long time dancer Helen Weber Kirkman. Her first husband, Joe, passed away several years ago, and this Reporter remembers dancing with both of them years ago. Condolences to her widower, Richard Kirkman, and their families.

Two former square dancers, Ann Trickey, and Mary Jane Taylor, visited us at a dance in early June. It was good to chat with them and share memories. Kathy Tankersly from the Heber Springers is dancing with us during the summer months, now that school is out.

You likely saw information on the Lily Pad Dance in last month's issue; but several of our members, including our caller Ron Wise, and his partner, Kathy Tankersly, were at the dance, enjoying the calling of Phil Moorehouse. Ron and Kathy also joined several dancers from other clubs at a fun square and round dance weekend in Branson, Missouri, over Memorial Day Weekend.

Speaking of special dances, make your reservations PROMPTLY for the ASSDF Fall Festival in Caddo Valley. Due to a college homecoming event in Arkadelphia, hotel rooms will sell out fast. By the time you read this, several dancers will be on their way home from the 65<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention in Des Moines, Iowa. We voted to be dark on June 23 and it was too late to get it into the club report for June. It was noted on our Facebook page, and on the ASSDF website. For updates on any other last minute cancellations, please contact Ginny Short at 501-888-8013, to be sure we're dancing or as noted, check out our page on Facebook.

It's hot as a firecracker outside, and the yellowrocks are in abundance like the fireworks displays. We invite you to join our visitors, and us each Thursday at The Centre at University Park at 6401 West 12<sup>th</sup> Street in Little Rock from 2pm to 4pm, where our own Ron Wise has interesting calls as spectacular as any fireworks show.

*Daryl Stout*

Given the long lead-time for journal reporting this will seem somewhat belated but, we would like to express our thanks and congratulations to the Southwest District of the Missouri Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs for the successful and fun District Dance they put together in Mount Vernon, Missouri on May 21<sup>st</sup>. Those of you that didn't attend missed a heck of a party. Our appreciation to all the Clubs that came together in support of the event.

Summertime is upon us and we continue to dance every Wednesday evening at the Van Matre Senior Activity Center (in Cooper Park), in Mountain Home, Arkansas. We invite all to come out and join the fun and fellowship. We have an open hour from 6:00 – 7:00 p.m. that we use for lessons, workshops or pre-Rounds with our regular Club Dance following from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. with our Club Caller, Pat Christe regularly calling. And on many nights we're favored with the Cueing of Marge Sherrill.

We have a Special Dance planned for Wednesday, July 13<sup>th</sup>. It is our "Watermelon Splash" Dance with James "Jammer" Cochran calling. It will be fun and at least a little challenging. And, the watermelon will be cool and sweet. We will be dancing that night from 7:00 – 9:30 p.m.

On Wednesday, August 10<sup>th</sup>, we have yet another sweet special dance. It will be our "Hot and Dry" Ice Cream Float Dance. Bringing a tropical flavor from Cuba (Missouri that is) will be our guest caller, Doug Mallory. Come on down, or up, or over and, join in the fun. Dancing will be from 7:00 – 9:30 p.m.

*Craig and Karen Grothaus*

## **Before traveling call ahead first!**

A club could cancel a dance at the last minute!

**NOAA Weather Radios** are available at most electronics/department stores. Be sure to get one with the **SAME** Warning Alarm Capability and a battery backup. The voice of the National Weather Service alerts you to severe weather 24 hours a day.

Also available is **weather.gov**. Click on Arkansas for the latest forecasts, watches, warnings, and advisories.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY!  
GOD BLESS THE U.S.A.!

Say happy birthdays to Mary Green (14th), Judy Vinciguerra (14th) & Pat Veregge (28th) along with happy anniversaries to Henry & Jeanette Heritz (22nd). Then give them all yellow rocks!

Thanks to everyone for making our American Legion Hut Fund Raiser such a success! It was great fun too!

To say it was raining on June 3rd would be an understatement; it was actually monsooning! We must be part duck because we had people near and wide show up for our graduation! There were seven (7) squares! Awesome turn out! Thanks to everyone that came out on an awful night to support our graduates! Welcome to the wonderful world of square dancing to new graduates Adonna Patyk, Larry Sheridan, Nathanel Izard & Evelyn Snow.

This is a three dance month: the 1st, 15th & 29th! It doesn't get any better than that! Plus lessons 6:30 to 7:30. 7:30 to 9:30 squares by Dave Towry and lines by Martha Wyre. Won't you come line dance to the Funky Cowboy with us?

We'd love to see your smiling face!



*Carolyn Birdsong*





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Order of Directory Listings			
Club Name, Type & Level of Dancing, When, Location, Club Contact, Caller			
Type of Dancing		Level of Dancing	
S	Square	BS	Basic
R	Round	M	Mainstream
L	Line	P	Plus
O	Open to couples & singles	A	Advanced
		2-6	Round Dance Phases

### BELLA VISTA

**Kingsdale Squares**      S-M/P      Mondays      7:00p.m.  
 Riordan Hall, 2 Riordan Drive

**Contact** – Bill Allen      **Caller** - John Eubanks  
 33 Newquay La., Bella Vista, AR, 72714 (479) 876-5066

### CHARLESTON

**Circle Up Squares**      S-M/P      Thursdays      6:30p.m.  
 Hug Chevrolet, 407 East Main

**Contact** - Patsy Burris      **Caller** - Danny Burris  
 19408 US Highway 271, Spiro, OK 74959 (479) 462-2317

## CONWAY

**ConwayRounders** R-2/3/4 Lessons \_\_\_ Thursdays 6:30p.m.  
Club Level\_ Thursdays 7:30p.m.

Salem United Methodist Church, 1018 Salem Rd.

**Contact** - (501) 428-9026 **Cuer - Cathy and Fred Fisher**  
47 Hays Hill Rd., Conway, AR, 72032 conwayrounds@yahoo.com  
ConwayRounds.com

## HARRISON

**Stardusters** S-M CALL FIRST Sundays 4:00p.m.  
First Presbyterian Church, Capps Rd. & Arbor Dr.

**Contact** - (870) 741-6345 **Caller - J.K. Fancher**  
407 Skyline Drive, Harrison, AR, 72601

## HOT SPRINGS VILLAGE

**Diamond Squares** O\_S-M Thursday 6:30p.m.  
(dancing September through June)  
Coronado Center Room 6

**Contact** – Susan White **Caller - Gordon White**  
6 Perfecto Place, Hot Springs Village, AR 71909 (501) 922-0803

**Village A-Team** S-A1/A2 Wednesdays 7:30p.m.  
Coronado Center

**Contact** - Fran Bazemore **Caller - Dave Towry**  
9 Celanova Ln, Hot Springs Village, AR 71909  
franbazemore69@gmail.com (501) 922-1287

## JONESBORO

**Pistols & Petticoats** O\_S-M/P Thursdays 7:00p.m.  
St. Paul United Methodist Church, 2201 South Culberhouse

**Contact** - Bonnie Hallett **Caller – Boyce Brownbarville**  
1613 Alonzo St., Jonesboro, AR 72401 (870) 932-7740

## JUDSONIA

**Blue Belles & Beaus** O\_S-M/P Thursdays 7:00p.m.

Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson Street

**Contact** - Robert & Cheryl Shaver **Caller** - Phillip Moorehouse  
146 Opie Road, Bald Knob, AR 72010 (501) 724-3930

## KIBLER

**Skokos Promenaders** S-M/P Tuesdays 7:00p.m.

Kibler United Methodist Church, 19 E Kibler Hwy, Alma

**Contact** - (479) 474-8500 **Caller** - Jay King  
1402 North 12<sup>th</sup> Street, Van Buren, AR 72956

## LITTLE ROCK

**Maverick Mixers** S\_L\_O 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Saturdays 7:00p.m.

American Legion Building, Mann Road & Leah Lane, Mabelvale

**Contact** – Harry Atchley **Caller** – Phil Moorehouse  
8711 Taliaferro Rd., Mabelvale, Ark 72103 (501) 813-5871

**Sixties Swingers** S-M/P Thursdays 2:00p.m

The Centre At University Park

6401 West 12<sup>th</sup> Street

**Contact** – Ginny & Jerry Short (501) 888-8013 **Caller** – Ron Wise  
618 East Woodson Lateral Road, Hensley, AR 72065

**Twirling Lariats** O\_L\_S-M/P 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> Friday 6:30p..m.

Mabelvale Legion Hut, Mann Road & Leah Lane, Mabelvale

**Contact** - Clifton Taylor & Carolyn Cullins **Caller** - Dave Towry  
9027 Hwy 5 North, Alexander, AR 72002 (501) 847-2157

## MOUNTAIN HOME

**Twirling Funtimers** S-P\_R Wednesdays 6:00p.m.

Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street

**Contact** - Craig & Karen Grothaus **Caller** – Pat Christe  
39 Crestview Road, Mountain Home, AR 72653 (870) 424-2957

## PINE BLUFF

**Star Steppers** S-M Mondays 7:00 - 9:00p.m.  
Central Presbyterian Church, 6300 Trinity Drive  
**Contact** - Bill and Roana Petrie **Caller** - **Phil Moorehouse**  
3114 Donaldson Rd., Pine Bluff, AR, 71602 870-247-2698  
Earl & Lynn Milroy (870) 879-1608

## ROSE BUD

**Heber Springers** O\_S-M/P 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays 7:00p.m.  
Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Highway 36W  
**Contact** - Theresa Holley (501) 592-2600 **Caller** - **Ron Wise**  
390 Woodvine Trail, Higden, AR 72067 or Bob Hall (501) 250-5170

## ROYAL

(Hot Springs area)

**Levis & Lace** S-M/P 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays 7:30p.m.  
First Baptist Church, 7402 Albert Pike  
**Contact** - Ted & Phyllis Keeney **Caller** - **Gene Gancarczyk**  
1807 Nubbin Ridge Road, Royal, AR 71968 (501) 991-3292

## TEXARKANA

**Guys 'N Dolls** S-M/P\_R 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays 7:00p.m.  
Eagles Lodge, 3407 East Broad Street  
**Contact** – Betty Ratliff **Caller** - **Nelda Eaton**  
1706 N. Rondo Rd., Texarkana, AR 71854 **Cuer** – **Guest Cuers**  
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M/P

*Pistols & Petticoats*

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Patterman08@yahoo.com

*Circle Up Squares*

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*Twirling Funtimers*

## **Duhamel, Joey**

10529 Highway 54 East

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*Traveling Caller*

## **Eaton, Nelda & Jon**

PO Box 1118

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Cell 903-278-8068

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*Guys 'N Dolls*

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*Kingsdale Squares*

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M/P

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## **Green, Jimmy & Carol**

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*Traveling Caller*

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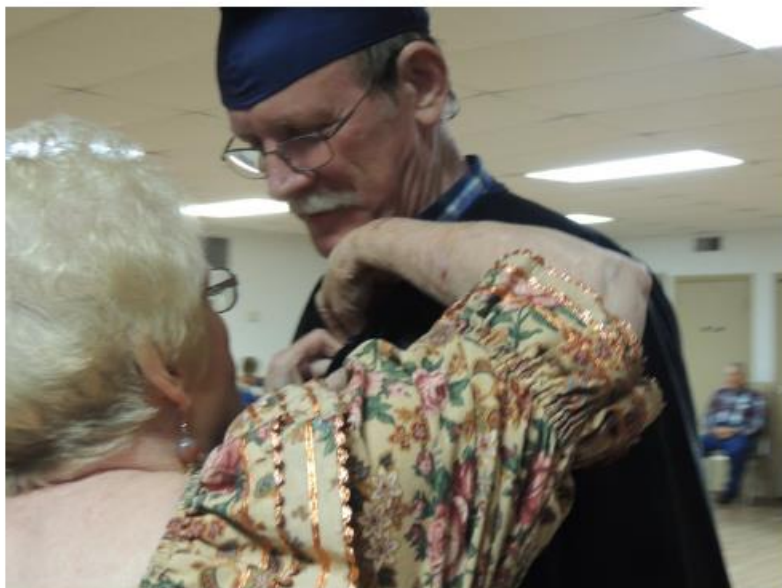
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