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## An Irish Blessing...

May you live a long life Full of gladness and health, With a pocket of gold As the least of your wealth. May the dreams you hold dearest, Be those which come true, The kindness you spread, Keep returning to you.

May the friendships you make, Be those which endure, And all of your grey clouds Be small ones for sure. And trusting in Him To Whom we all pray, May a song fill your heart, Every step of the way.


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| Meeting Room" (NOT the |  |
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Phyllis \& Gene Eseltine

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## President's Corner

Do you ever wonder what the Rochester Area Round \& Square Dance Community will look like five years from now? When we hear that the number of dancers registered for insurance has dropped over $13.5 \%$ from 741 to 641 , we should be concerned! When we find that the Promenader for February, 1994 listed 32 clubs and the latest February, 1999 issue lists 23 clubs plus one line dance club, a drop of $28 \%$, we should start looking for some solutions. Some food for thought: How is your club doing? How many squares at an average dance? Where are those 100 dancers? Have any joined your club? Are they "free agents" because of burnout? More important - are they still dancing? How do you feel about merging with another club? What about alternating dance nights? How about a combined dance schedule? Would you support the idea or would you only go to the dances at "your" club? Think about it! Talk about it! Try it - you may like it! Remember "ALONE WE CAN'T WIN, TOGETHER WE CAN'T LOSE!!"

Happy Dancing!

Ken and Kay Georger<br>Federation Presidents

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Emerald Squares will not be dancing during February and March. Next dance will be April 12 with a welcome back dance for the snowbirds. For information call Bob Ellis at 315-462-7477.

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## Wednesday Night Bunch C1:

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## CALENDAR OF COMING SPECIAL EVENTS

## 1999

3/4 .......Victor Swing-A-Longs ..Friendship Dance-Mike Herne* ..Thurs.
3/6 ........Country Twirlers..........Hank Lutcher/B. Slomcenski ............Sat.
3/6 ........Dalton Gang .................Casino Night-Will Herzog ................Sat.
3/13 ......Batavia Silver Stars......Leprechaun Twirl-Meagher/Fincher ..Sat.
3/13 ......Cayuga Cut Ups...Steak Roast Dinner \& Dance-Taylor/P.Eno .Sat.
3/14 ......Cloverleaf Squares.......St. Patrick's Dance-Callahan/Thone..Sun.
3/17 .....Village Squares.............Amateur Caller Night......................Wed.
3/19 ......Wayne Westerners .......Yellow Rock Charity-Bubel/Bubel* ..Fri.
3/26 ......Promenading B's ..........Black Light Dance-Carmen/Herzog..Fri.
4/10 .....Country Twirlers.........Tim Crawford/Mark Thone...............Sat.
4/16 .....Lima Grand Squares, Victor Swing-A-Longs,
Village Squares ............Tri-Club Fashion Dance-P.Eno/Saintey*.Fri.
4/17 ......Copy Cats.....................Dessert Social Swap Around-Callahan...Sat.
4/18 ......Friendship Sqs. Gva.....Gary Pruyne/Bill Saintey.................Sun.
5/1 ........Federation.....................Dance-0-Rama* ................................Sat.
5/21 .....Wayne Westerners .......Apple Blossom-Mike Callahan*........Fri.
6/5 .......Dalton Gang.................Round Up-Gary Bubel* ....................Sat.
6/11-13 .June Jamboree Weekend-Shoemake/Newmans/Bower .........FS
7/16-18 . Wayne Westerners .......Genesee Campout-Brown/Reed........FS
7/23-25 .Village Squares ............Genesee Campout-Carmen/Carmen.FS
$7 / 25$......Friendship Sqs. Gva.....Mike Callahan/Bill Newman............Sun.
8/22 ......Friendship Sqs. Gva.....Jim Shay/Linda Carnegie.................Sun.
8/27 ......Tecumseh Squares.......Gourmet Dessert Night-Tom Miller Fri.
8/29 ......Champagne Whirl-A-Ways ..Super Summer Dance-Tim Crawford ..Sat.
9/17-19 .Friendship Sqs. Gva. ...W. Glen Fall Frolic-Bates/Schweitzer/Newman
9/25 ......PROMENADER..............Promenader Benefit Dance ........Sat.
10/9 ......Belles 'N' Beaus...........Dance-Mac McCall...........................Sat.
10/30 ....Country Twirlers.........Tim Crawford....................................Sat.

## 2000

3/10 .....Tecumseh Squares.......Tim Crawford ....................................Fri.
4/8 ........Country Twirlers.........Tim Crawford....................................Sat.
5/19 ......Wayne Westerners .......Apple Blossom-Bruce Williamson*.....Fri.
*These dances invite class people.

To have your special event listed, send information and $\$ 5$ per date to:

> The Pramenader 15 MERTENSIA LANE HENRIETTA, NY 14467

## Chef's Corner...

I'm writing this column while there is still the residue of the "January Storm" melting outside. Hopefully by the time this column goes to print there will be nothing left but, perhaps, some not so happy memories. The following recipe was found while I was surfing the net and it comes from the Betty Crocker web site. It looked so good that I'm taking the liberty of sending it along without trying it in my own kitchen first. Be assured it will be tried before this goes to print.

## CRAB FETTUCCINE

8 oz . unccoked fettuccine
2 tsp. olive oil
1 garlic clove, finely chopped
1 small red bell pepper, chopped ( $1 / 2$ cup)
2 tsp. all-purpose flour
1-1/2 cups evaporated skimmed milk
1 lb. imitation crabmeat, cut up
1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese
1/4 tsp. salt - $1 / 8$ tsp. pepper
$1 / 8$ tsp. ground nutmeg


Additional grated Parmesan cheese, if desired.
Cook and drain fettuccine as directed on package.
While fettuccine is cooking, heat oil in a 10 -inch skillet over medium heat. Cook gartic and bell pepper in oil about 2 minutes, stirring occasionally, until pepper is crisp-tender. Stir in flour. Gradually stir in milk. Heat to boiling; reduce heat. Simmer uncovered until the mixture thickens.

Stir crabmeat, $1 / 4$ cup cheese, the salt, pepper and nutmeg into the bell pepper mixture; heat through. Place fettuccine in serving bowl. Pour crab sauce over the fettuccine; toss well. Sprinkle with additional cheese, if desired. Serve with plenty of warm French or Italian bread.



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## This-n-That from the Editar's, Desk...

Many thanks to those readers who came out to the last Federation meeting, where during our report we brought up suggestions about dealing with our budgetary shortfall. The current level of subscriptions and advertising may not completely sustain the Promenader through to the end of this subscription year (Oct. '99).

We reported our plans to have a Benefit Dance on September 25 , and repeated our request for someone to help out by being a Promenader ad rep.

We specifically discussed the idea some readers shared with our subscription editor of going to a bi-monthly publication schedule year-round. Those present approved the plan to start the regular bi-monthly schedule with the new subscription year in November. No changes will take place until then.

We especially hope this new set-up will work well for reporters, advertisers, and other contributors because of the regular easy-to-remember deadlines (the first of every other month), and no mid-month or three-month requirements. Reporters will have a break during the alternate months. Advertisers will get two months coverage for the price of a single issue.

We encourage reporters to continue, in their club news, as many already are, to talk about upcoming events for the month(s) covered by that issue, rather than speaking in the past tense about events mentioned in the previous issue that
have not yet happened when the article is being written.
With the promise of spring, there is a new enthusiasm in the air, and we look forward to lots of fun activities. Club officers, PLEASE remember to use the Promenader to publicize your events - it is after all, your magazine. Don't just put flyers out at the dances. Send one in to us - or give us a call if you are running late - sometimes we can work things in, even a few days after deadline, especially for full page flyer-size ads. Our ad rates are unchanged since 1983!! Clearly one of the best deals in town.

Readers - please tell our advertisers you saw their ad in the Promenader. And if you can think of someone who could benefit from being seen by square dance readers, tell them so, and tell us about them!

To quote our Federation presidents, "Alone we can't win, together we can't lose!"

## Betty $\mathcal{X}$ Andy Cuduick

P.S.: On a production note, we were saddened to learn recently that due to medical problems, the Promenader's longtime printer, John Fink, must discontinue doing our publication.

We need to find a new printer soon, and are hoping that someone in the square dance community who is in the printing field will consider bidding on the job of printing our publication. Please call us at 334-2835 if you have any leads!


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# Club News 

## Batavia Silver Stars

Our winter flew by quickly, and we want to thank all the dancers that supported our club. March is here and so is our 11th Annual Leprechaun Twirl.
 All class and club dancers are invited to attend our fun-filled dance. Besides dancing our squares and rounds, we will also have one line dance. We will eat all evening and have numerous door prizes. Please come, one and all.

Our class is dancing really well and is looking forward to meeting new dancers from other clubs. Thanks to our caller, Bob Meagher, we learn something new almost every week. He really keeps us on our toes and makes us THINK. Our new class has also learned a few rounds. They will all be on the floor at our Leprechaun Twirl. One of our class is "Britt," a young lass from Germany. What a delight she is to us all.

Mark your calendar and plan to dance with us any Monday evening at 7:00. Bring a car full and don't forget March 13, Sat., for our Leprechaun Twirl.

| Information: | Reporter, |
| :--- | :--- |
| $716-762-9084$ (Nancy) | Nancy Fincher |
| or 716-467-8842 (Bob) |  |

## Belles ' $N$ ' Beaus

Here's hoping that Spring is in the air and the crocus are blooming, so our winter doldrums will be gone.

Thanks to Korleen and Dave Hanning for chairing the
 Valentine Dance and Pot Luck supper, as well as their committee. As usual our ladies provided a delectable fair. Gary \& Alice Bubel gave us another night of fine dancing.

As of February 24, our club will sponsor a Beginner's Round Dance Class. Alice Bubel will teach the class from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. every Wednesday for 10 consecutive weeks at a cost of $\$ 40.00$ per couple for non-club members, and $\$ 20.00$ for Belles $N$ Beaus club members. Square Dancing will begin promptly at $8: 00$ p.m. with 2 rounds between tips.

Guest night will be 3/3/99 - hope all our invited clubs will be able to attend.

March 17 will be the traditional St. Patrick's Day Dance and naturally the wearing of the green.

On March 31, Bob Ellis will be our guest caller.
Out deepest sympathy is extended to the Kanis family on the recent passing of Bob's mother. Also, please note that one of our previous club members, Ralph Slocum, recently passed away.

Remember our ill members in your prayers and thoughts.

Information:
716-235-7396

## Repartess,

Marita \& Edmund Fredette

## Cayuga Cut Ups

Besides our regularly scheduled dances and special events, our club has been out in the community doing a few demonstrations. We find it gives our club exposure and introduces the
 community to the fun and pleasure of square dancing. Our Beginner's Class is doing well, learning the calls on schedule. The club enjoys teaching them and we get to review the basics too. By the way, we "do" have snow storms on Thursday night, so if it is stormy where you are, call before you come to see if we are dancing. We always welcome visitors to all our dances, come and share our fun and refreshments. Our attendance is lower in the winter months until our snow birds return north in the spring. Good dancing to all!
Information:
$315-685-5397$

Ryporters,
315-685-5397
Margaret and Larry Abrahamson

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## Circul-8-tors

Join us for our next dance on March 21. We will meet at 2 p.m. at Covenant United Methodist Church, Culver and Parsells. Phil
 Eno will be the our caller and D. Pesce, our cuer. The Circul-8-tors is also a travel club and at our last dance we had a travel agent who presented our trip for 1999 . We will be travelling to London and Paris in November. If you haven't been to Europe, this will be your chance to see it for the first time. It sounds like a great trip. So come on March 21 to get the details. If you are not members of the Circul- 8 -tors, you may still be able to travel with us.
Information:
315-986-1384

> Reposters, Tony \& Mary Culotta

## Cloverleaf Squares

Our class continues to be enthusiastic and promising. We have started a class/club mixer followed by a singing call to get more interaction between class and club. This is providing the
 class with some experience and meeting the club members. As always, everyone at Cloverleafs had a good time!

Once again our club thanks Mary and Dave Fisher for hosting our annual ski party at their home in Hilton on the 30th of January. The good cooks in our club came up with six different kinds of chili. The snow was splendid and we all enjoyed the cross country skiing.

Cloverleafs invites all classes and clubs to a FREE dance for St. Patrick's Day on Sunday, March 14th. This will be held at Hope Hall, 1612 Buffalo Road, starting at 7:30 with Rounds and Class/ Club dancing at 8:00 p.m. Our caller will be Mike Callahan and our cuer will be Mark Thone. Our hall is spacious and last year we had 16 squares at this event. Don't miss the fun, plan on joining us for this one. See the flyer in this issue of the Promenader.

Please check our Information Line for more information 987-5972. We are updating it weekly for other club events. You can also visit our website at http://members.aol.com/Cloverl 12/Index .html.

Information:
716-987-5972

Reportes, Marion Kelly

## Copy Cats

Our Valentine's Day dance on February 13 was a great success. Mike Callahan was our caller, and it was an enjoyable evening for everyone who attended.


On March 13 we will be having our St. Patrick's Day dance with Ron Brown as our caller. At $6: 30$ p.m. we will be having a pot luck supper with dancing to follow. If you would like to join us for dinner, please bring a dish to pass and your own table service. On March 27 we will be having our regular dance with Mike Callahan as our caller and with the Silver Squares and the Dalton Gang as our guests.

As a reminder to all Copy Cat members, our dessert social in April has been changed from April 10 to April 17. This change will allow us to attend the Country Twirlers special dance on April 10 featuring Tim Crawford as the caller.

Please come and join us at any of our dances.
Information:
Reporter,
716-872-1926
Pat Hilton

## Country Twirlers

March should be a great month for dancing at the Country Twirlers.

We start the month with Hank Lutcher calling and Bob Slomcenski cueing on March 6.
 Hank is a good caller, come see for yourself. We all know about Bob's cueing.

Gary and Alice will do their usual good job on March 13 and 27.

Mike Callahan will be calling on March 20 for our St. Patrick's Day party. Come see the decorations, and dance to the Irish music. Get out your green (or wear any color you choose) and join our group.

Our guests this month will be Belles ' N ' Beaus and Wayne Westerners on March 13. Guests are always welcome - invited or otherwise.

Everyone loves TIM CRAWFORD. He is coming again on April 10. Mark Thone will be cueing. Mark your calendar and save the date.

Information:
716-2474932

Reparters,
Bill \& Edith Thomas


HURRYI Nominations for the Daphne-Norma Leadership Award should have been sent in by the end of February... Take a moment RIGHT NOW to write a note about someone whom you feel deserves this recognition. Send it to Carl and Elaine Mallaber, 15 Willard Avenue, Phelps, NY 14513-1117.

Come Join In With The

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## Dalton Gang

Our Christmas party is only a memory now good food and interesting gifts! We've had to cancel several dances due to fog, snow, ice - all that good stuff!

Now we're looking forward to our annual Casino Dance on March 6, 8 p.m., at the Dalton Elementary School. Will Herzog is calling - class members welcome. Lots of fun, many prizes, good food - hope all of you can make it. Watch for the fliers with the map on the back.

## Information:

716-476-5919

## Repaster,

Alice Thompson

## Dancing Shadows

Dancing Shadows is an easy/easy intermediate level (Phase 2-3+) Club that meets every Monday evening from 7:30-10:30 p.m. at the First
United Methodist Church of West Webster, 570 Old Ridge Road. (See schedule in back of this issue for specific dates.) We dance Phase II from 7:30-9:00 and Easy Intermediate from 9:00-10:30.

The next Saturday Night Round Dance Party will be held on March 27, at the above address in West Webster from 8:00 p.m.-11:00 p.m. We dance all levels and try to fit in as many requests as time permits at these dances. For future planning, the remaining date until fall, 1999 is Apr. 24.

Please note that there is no Saturday Night Dance from May through August. Be sure to check our schedule for changes or call Mark and Marlene if any question.

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Information:
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Reparters,<br>Mark and Marlene Thone

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## Dip 'n Twist

March is here! That means spring is right around the corner. Maybe. After
 all, this is Rochester! The early workshop is from 7:00 to 8:00. This is a good time to work on a spot that's been giving trouble.

The club dances Phase II \& easier Phase III dances from $8: 00$ to $9: 00$, with a Phase III teach at $9: 00$. From $9: 30-$ 10:30, the level is a little higher. It's a fun level for those who have been dancing for awhile and somewhat more challenging for those who are newer to round dancing. Classics and popular new dances, along with requests, are all included on the dance program. Please note the schedule in the back - Brian \& Cindy will be on vacation the first 2 weeks.
Information:
Reparter,
716-266-4692
Cindy Adams

## Finger Lakes Squares

Sad but true: there is no new news this month, since our caller and his child bride have abandoned New York's February winter for the warmer climes of Florida and other points south. Therefore, we'd better start making plans for the warmer months ahead. Do consider attending one of Bob and Carol's weekends at the Brown Barn in Boonville. Everyone who goes has a great time - it's required! As Bob says, "if you won't have fun, we won't let you go." ( Hmmm!) Memorial Day weekend will be plus program; July 4th, Labor Day, and Sept. $24-25$ will be A2. All have rounds as well as squares, food, and (guaranteed) fun. Non-club members can call us for a flyer. We will welcome Bob and Carol back with open arms on March 4 at the North Street School. (There, see how much you can say when there is no news.)

On the medical front, we were glad to hear that Ernestine Parry was out of the hospital and on her way to Florida. We wish Jeanne Carley a speedy recovery from knee surgery, and hope to see her dancing again soon.

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Information:
716-342-5867

> Mark Your Calendans... Promenader Benefit Dance September 25, 1999

Friendship Squares of Geneva
Plan now to celebrate your income tax refund (or at least getting the form sent in!) by coming to our next Sunday afternoon dance on April 18 at the American Legion in Geneva on the south edge of the city on Route 14, 2-5
 p.m. Gary Pruyne and Bill Saintey will call and cue, with early rounds at 1:30 p.m. Enjoy Happy Hour and the Legion's great buffet afterward for \(\$ 10.00\) apiece.

Our New Year's Eve Dance with the Penn Yan Friendship Squares drew 14 squares or more so that the Grange Hall was almost crowded. It was great! Folks came from Williamson, Pennsylvania and everywhere between!

Our dances in March are both on Fridays, the 12th and 26th, at the West St. School, with Dick Schweitzer calling squares and Bob and Nora Slomcenski as guest cuers, while Bill and Joan Newman take some time off. Dances start at 7:30 p.m. (not 8 anymore) at West Street School. The school is a few blocks north of Routes 5 \& 20; West Street begins at 5 \& 20 very near Arby's. Come join us!

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Other info:
315-568-5603 or 548-2540
Reporter,
Marje Aude
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\section*{Genesee Dancers}

Our annual Valentine's Dance was a great success, the committee did a great job, and our pot luck supper was superb. The next major event is the St. Patrick's celebration on March 11 with our Irish caller, Mr. Mike
 \(0^{\prime}\) Callahan. This will be a pot luck dinner starting at 6:30 p.m. with dancing at 8:00. Call Jackie \& Royce Rogers at \(388-0776\) to make reservations and sign up for a dish to pass. Remember to bring your own table service.

As a reminder, March 18 is our dress down night and Mike will do Line Dancing in between tips.

To all club members and friends, please remember our shut in, Judy Berray and husband Bob. Judy is recovering well from her injuries suffered from a car accident. She would enjoy hearing from everyone whether it is a phone call, card or personal visit. Their address is 6 Garden Circle, Fairport, NY 14450; 377-9463.

Rochester is covered with a blanket of cold white snow but inside our dance hall are some warm and friendly people - come join us for an evening of good square dancing.

Information:
716-377-3754
Reportess,
Donna Hober

\title{
'99 Clinton Festival \\ Central New York Square and Round Dance Association 37TH ANNUAL SQUARE AND ROUND DANCE Clinton Central School, Chenango Avenue, Clinton, NY Saturday Only, April 10th
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12 noon to 11:30 p.m (Dinner Break 5-7 p.m.) Soft-soled shoes required.
} Mainsteam Hall • Plus \& Rounds (2x2) • Round Dance Hall • Advanced Hall 2-3 p.m. and 9-10 p.m. Challenge Dancing
Last 1/2 Hour (11-11:30 p.m.) is "Pass the Mike"

Square Dance Callers
Jim Lee, ONT Dave Haas, CT Roy Leber, PA Jerry DeVaul, NY
Round Dance Leaders Linda Carnegie, NY Dolores Randall, NY



\section*{How Friendly Are We?}

Here is some food for thought taken from an article in a 4-H newsletter. With a few changes of words, it was adapt ed to square dancing, and appeared in the USDA News re cently.

A couple (or single), looking for a square dance club to join, devised the following point system:
- If someone smiled at them \(\qquad\) .10 pts.
- If someone sitting near them greeted them .............. 10 pts.
- If someone told them their name \(\qquad\) . .100 pts.
- If someone asked them to come back. \(\qquad\)
- If someone introduced them to another couple...... 300 pts.
- If someone introduced them to the caller \(\qquad\) .400 pts.

They visited eighteen clubs. Using the point scale, none of the clubs had more than 100 points! Their conclusion...

The club may be meaningful, do great things for their community, and be active and friendly,
but when a visitor finds no one cares whether or not he/she is there, that visitor is not likely to come back, let alone join your club.

If a visitor came to your next square dance, what rating would they give your club?
-Adapted from Oct. '97 Missouri State 4-H Newsletter


\section*{Kuntry Kuzzins}

Lambs and lions. We have them both in March. Yer Kuntry Kuzzins are having a casual (dress down or come-as-you-are) dance

\section*{Kuntry} Kuzzins

NEWARK, NY
 Saturday, March 13. I may come "regular" dress just because I love to do "skirt work" - wish more callers would encourage/teach/call/skirt work. It's fun - star left, star right etc. with skirt in free hand - pretty, too. Several conventions we've been to have had balconies overlooking the dance floor. Skirt work is an added dimension to the beauty of the dance. On the other hand, with the hustle and bustle of today's living, "casual" is a de-stressor and we all need that at times. Caller and cuer for this event will be Dave Eno and Dick Whyman.

Saturday, March 27, we hope the lion is not roaring so you can join us dancing to Dave Eno and Dottie Griffiths. We'll have all kinds of cookies waiting for you. See ya there.

\section*{Information:}

315-331-2001

\section*{Reparter,}

Steve \& Charron

\section*{Lima Grand Squares}

Spring is getting nearer. It's time to trade our winter boots back into dancing shoes and have some fun.

It's never too late to get
 back into square dancing. If you've been out for awhile, we'd be more than happy to help you get back into the swing of things.

We've had a lot of fun with Gary and Alice calling and cueing for us at Lima. We are dancing at the Elementary School, on college Street in Lima. We will be dancing on March 4 (casual night); 18 (St. Pat's) with special guests -the Federation Officers, Copy Cats \& Friendship Squares of Geneva (looking forward to a good time); and March 25.

We want to thank our officers, Ray \& Donna McCagg, Carl \& Betty Goodberlet, and Ted \& Barb Miller, for their fine job and dedication to our club this year.

Come on out and have a good time.
\(S\)-pring into action
P-res. (good job) — Thanks
R-ounds with Alice
I-'m glad winter's almost over
N -ever too late to start square dancing
G-ary's a great caller! (Thanks)
P.S.: Please note that all mailings sent to Lima Grand Squares during March and April should go to: Ray \& Donna McCagg, 435 Mendon-Ionia Rd., Honeoye Falls, NY 14472. Their phone is: 716-624-2560.

\section*{Information:}

716-226-8085

\section*{Reparter,}

Margaret Hamler

\section*{Promenading B's}

Although we have dropped square dancing, many of the B's are still line dancing. The time has been changed, but not the night. We begin at 7 p.m., and continue until 8:30.


Will and Jerry do a teach or walk-through for every dance, and they are both very patient instructors. We welcome anyone who has an interest in learning to line dance, or who'd like to become more proficient, to give us a try.

Each week we review earlier dances and tackle new routines, so it's truly a forward-moving process.

You're encouraged to come give line dancing a try. Just wear casual, comfortable clothing.

Happy Saint Patrick's Day to all - the Irish and nonIrish!

\section*{Information: 716-637-4755}

Reparter, Elsie Epke

\section*{Silver Squares}

Everyone is weary of snow and cold and navigating the snow banks. Spring should be just around the corner and surely it will be warm

\section*{Gilver squares} again. The schedule for March is set and an invitation has been extended to COPY CATS and COUNTRY TWIRLERS to be our guests on Monday, March 8. We look forward to seeing our friends from those clubs again. Of course St. Patrick's day will be celebrated on Monday, March 15, with the wearing of the green. With a caller by the name of Callahan how could we do otherwise. So get out the green dresses, skirts, shirts, and ties, etc., for a great St. Patrick's party.

The celebration in January of our third year at the Red Men Party House was a great success. It was well attended and all had a good time. The February Valentine's party was also fun. The great refreshments club members supply always makes attendance a happy occasion.

Come join us for a Monday afternoon of dancing. Couples and singles are always welcome.

Information:
\(716-225-2249\) or \(621-7249\)
Reposter,
Nancy Root

\section*{SPECIAL ALERT TO ALL THOSE SENDING INFORMATION, INVITATIONS, ETC. TO LIMA:}


\section*{PRESIDENTS ARE AWAY...}

BARB \& TED WILL BE AWAY UNTIL APRIL 15.

PLEASE SEND ALL MAILINGS for Lima Grand Squares to:

Ray \& Donna McCagg 435 Mendon-lonia Rd. Honeoye Falls, NY 14472

You can call Ray and Donna at (716) 624-2560.

\section*{Tecumseh Squares}

The Mid-Term Ball dance was a great success. We thank the chairpersons, Rhea and Harold Feinberg, and their helpers for making this event memorable.

Our Class, consisting of three and one half couples, is progressing well. Through the teaching of Ron
 Brown, and the class members' frequent attendance of class level dances sponsored by other Clubs, we have achieved a group of highly proficient dancers.

Two squares from the Copy Cats recently stole our banner. As we are all aware, this activity is a way to have fun as well as a way to support other area Clubs. Our Club has not been as active in this area as we could or should be. Bruce and Shirley Shaw will be coordinating banner stealing activities for our club in hopes of increasing our participation in this fun event. We will be hearing more about this subject in the weeks ahead.

We recently experienced the death of one of our members, a loss of a friend and gentleman, Marv will be missed. He left us with words from a hymn that portray a philosophy we should live by:
"If I have wounded any soul today, If I have caused one foot to go astray, If I have walked in my own way, Dear Lord, forgive."

A reminder that there will be no dance on April 2, because of the GOOD FRIDAY holiday.
Information:
716-865-0413
Reparters, Angelo \& Jennie Siena

\section*{Tel-O-Mark Rounds}

Tel-O-Mark Rounds is an Intermediate Level Round Dance club. We meet every Wednesday evening from 8 10:30 p.m. at the First United
 Methodist Church of West Webster, 570 Old Ridge Road, West Webster. (See schedule in back for specific exclusions).

The next Saturday Night Round Dance Party will be held on March 27, at the above address in West Webster from 8:00-11:00 p.m. These dances are all levels and all requests, so make a list of your favorites and come join us!!

For future reference, the remaining date until fall, 1999 is Apr. 24.

Please note that there is no Saturday Night Dance from May through August. Dates are subject to change, so please check the Promenader each month for updates.

\section*{Information:}

716-226-8984

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Reparters,
Marlene and Mark Thone
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\section*{Victor Swing-A-Longs}

On March 4 we will be having our annual "Friendship Dance." This dance is free to dancers of all other clubs. It is an opportunity to recycle square dance attire which you
 no longer use. Please mark each item with your name, size, and price. This should be done on a plain white envelope to enable the buyer to seal money inside. We hope to see lots of dancers and used clothes on this night.

Our St. Patrick's Dance will be held on March 18. We have invited four clubs to be our guests for this dance. They are Wayne Westerners, Kuntry Kuzzins, Country Twirlers and Cloverleaf Squares. We look forward to seeing them.
Information:
716-924-2273
Repartes, Aline Kingsley

\section*{Village Squares}

There is still time to sign up for a slot at the Village Squares Amateur Callers Talent Hunt on Wednesday, March 17. We are already expecting partici-
 pants from several clubs, and the more the merrier. Jerry Carmen has offered to help out with music and tips, and your own callers would probably also be happy to offer do the same - if they are not afraid of your competition!

Hunt organizers Harold and Gerry Schwartz have escorted the grand prize Frog to several dances, so many potential contestants have seen what a unique conversation piece they will be winning. He's cool; he's green; he's good at jumping jacks; and he's good at catching fly balls.

The amateur Caller Hunt is one of the most enjoyable dances of the year, and the Village Squares are looking forward to welcoming contestants and the dancers who come out to cheer for their friends. We hope you will all hop over to East Rochester's First Presbyterian Church on March

17 for a lively evening of fun and laughter as the callers and cuers of the new millennium get their start.

The Village Squares have been enthusiastic banner bandits for several years and we recently struck again. We crashed the Genesee Dancers Christmas Party and captured their banner (with advance permission from a highly placed mole in their leadership). Then, one dark and stormy January night, five couples invaded the Copy Cats' lair. That night we all agreed we never would have left the comfort of our living rooms if it were not for the prospect of such an enjoyable evening with such a welcoming group of dancers. We also have banners from Tecumseh and Cloverleafs and we are looking forward to their return visits. And, who knows? By the night of the Amateur Caller Contest YOUR club's banner might be decorating our hall!

> Information:
(716) 657-6136

\section*{Reparters,}

Sally and Peter Emmel

\section*{Wayne Westerners}

Here it is March, traditionally known as the "Wearin O' the Green" month. Well, at Wayne Westerners we celebrate March with the "Wearin 0 ' the Yellow." This month we sponsor our 7th annual "Yellow Rock for Charity
 Dance" on Friday, March 19. As this is one of our special dances, the location will be at the Wayne Middle School, Route 350 in Ontario. The fun starts at \(8 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}\). with that dynamic duo of Bubel \& Bubel. Classes are invited with all proceeds donated to Charity.

On Friday, March 5, we will be dancing with Ron Brown at the Williamson Primary School from 8-10:15. Please join us if you can, visitors are always welcome.

Wayne Westerners is a club on the move. At least once a month we try to plan a travel night to another club, and possibly add another banner to our collection. Your club may be next.

Happy Dancing Everyone!
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\(315-331-7528\) & Lois Van Derlinde
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P.............Plus Program

A1...........Advanced 1 Program
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A2...........Advanced 2 Program
R.............Rounds between Tips
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Sunday, March 14, 1999 Hope Hall, 1612 Buffalo Road
8:00-10:15 p.m.
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