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Editor's

Note:



CORRESPONDENTS - You're doing an excellent job... We really appreciate the concern you've shown for making our job as easy as possible. We hope those of you who are replaced with the new year will pass along to the new correspondents all the information you can to make the transition as smooth as possible.....

One of the areas that seem to be most difficult is that of writing in the past tense about things which have not happened yet. Writing the column nearly a month ahead is a real challenge. Be careful to not get caught with your "going to" news already in the past.

Copy for the next issue is due JAN. 10. Enjoy your Holidays and vacations!

We're also interested in copy and photos of general interest to local dancers. A Club Correspondent is not restricted to only the Club Column; if you have something to talk about, we'd like to hear from you.



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The editors reserve the right to omit, edit, or delete material submitted for publication. We also welcome suggestions and constructive criticism on how we can better meet and serve the needs of area dancers.



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SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

This special calendar of events is a project of the Rochester Area Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs. Its purpose is to aid area clubs in planning their activities and to avoid the conflict of big events on the same dates.

Dates already booked for special events (National Callers, etc.)

Table with 3 columns: 1976, 1977, 1978. Lists dates for special events for each year.

For further information, call NEIL & JEAN STEWART (The keepers of the calendar) 716-293-2031



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There is an extra charge of \$5.00 if we make up the ad. Please be sure the copy of the ad you submit is SHARP and DARK for good reproduction!

We also print WANT & SWAP ads for \$2.00 for 20 words plus 5c extra for each additional word.

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THE LEGACY OF '76

With the approaching holidays, we're also drawing toward the close of our Bicentennial Year and celebration. While Western Square Dancing as we know it is a relatively young activity, the Bicentennial emphasis has made us more aware of the colonial dance forms from which it grew.

Many dancers have learned that the folk dances and contras are as enjoyable today as they were to our forefathers. 1976 has been a year for broadening the range of dance styles open to the square dance enthusiast, and we expect that the interest in the traditional dances will remain alive and well long after the last Bennington Flag is put away in the attic.

On to the third hundred years -----

Comments or opposing opinions are welcome - Ed.

CORNER



We congratulate the editors of the PROMENADER on their fine publication. We've received many favorable comments to pass along to Dotti, Jerry, Florence, and Paul.

We use this space in the PROMENADER to keep you posted on Federation Activities. It is also used to re-emphasize our goal -- PARTICIPATION. And here's how you can help. Neil & Jean Stewart are keeping the special events calendar. Let them know of any changes or additions. Let's give the "Holding Club" idea a fair trial. Chuck Prister can use your help and ideas.

John & Daphne Fink are still welcoming volunteers for the Dance-O-Rama. What would you like to do to help?

If you've been dancing any length of time, our bet is that most of your friends are dancers too. People whom you met when you were officers or committee members. Another plus for PARTICIPATION.

We hope this holiday season will be the happiest ever for all of you.

Don & Mary

ATTENTION!

ARTISTS - DESIGNERS - ANYBODY

The LOGO (Theme Emblem) for DANCE-O-RAMA '77 will be chosen from designs submitted to the Dance-O-Rama Committee by ANY of you dancers out there with a good idea.

FIRST PRIZE - will be two free tickets to Dance-O-Rama '77.

SECOND PRIZE - will be a beautiful hand-fashioned jewelry box.

The CHOSEN design will be used throughout the promotional materials for the dance next May.

The THEME for Dance-O-Rama '77 is "DANCE AROUND THE WORLD."

ENTRIES are DUE no later than DECEMBER 21, 1976.

MAIL entries to: Frank Salvagio
37 Park Circle Drive
Fairport, NY 14450



AND HERE'S THE ROUND ^{OF} THE MONTH!

Round of the Month selections for
December are:

OLD FASHIONED LOVE - High Hat #950

ANN'S SONG - Chaparral C-601

For information call Sylvia Copeland
at 247-3383

Next meeting - January 8

A SQUARE

A ROUND

TOWN

Well the holidays are nearly here. That happy time of the year for exchanging greetings and gifts. Gee! I hope I don't receive any more of those Western type gifts. My relatives seem to have the wrong conception of what a square dancer wears.

Like that belt I received last year, six inches wide, turned out to be a motorcycle belt, with studs. I also received two pairs of blue denim shorts. They must have been made in Australia, they itched down under.

My Aunt knitted me a sweater with two dancing figures on the back, a cowboy and his horse. I didn't mind that but it had three sleeves. She's such a good person and means well, soooo I wear it and use the third sleeve as a muffler.

There's more! A pair of spurs, loggers boots and a ten gallon cowboy hat. The hat was soooo large the only time it fit my head was New Years morning.

Nothing was the right size except a fruit cake and even that was a little small. So much for presents.

My Taw has written some New Year resolutions for me. I didn't ask her why. I was afraid she would tell me. Here are the "don'ts" for me.

1. Don't try to pay half price by saying you only dance half as well as anyone else. (Even though it's true.)
2. Don't put your thumb in your mouth before shaking hands.
3. Don't laugh when the President makes announcements.
4. Don't wear the club badge when there are guests present. (the club doesn't like it)
5. Don't chew gum and blow bubbles in a set.
6. Don't criticize the caller when he doesn't use English.
7. Don't blame me for your low-zay (that's French for "bad") round dancing.
8. Don't object or duck when people hit you for goofing.
9. Don't forget your deodorant.
10. Don't say _____

Thanks anyway,

Hal Abberger

We, Fran and Hal, wish you all a Happy Xmas and a Merry New Year! (dancing isn't the only thing I do backwards)

Next Federation Meeting --

Jan. 11 Tue.

*8:00 p.m. at the Unitarian Universalist Church
Corner S. Clinton and Court Streets
Rochester, NY

ALL YOU EVER WANTED TO KNOW ABOUT C.C.R. ---
(AND CALLERS' EDUCATION)

C.C.R. stands for CALLERS' COOPERATIVE OF
ROCHESTER. We try to make "Cooperative" mean something.

Once a month, on the first Sunday, between 2 & 5 p.m. we meet at the Covenant United Methodist Church at 1124 Culver Road near Parselles. Everyone is welcome to attend our meetings as a visitor and anyone interested in leadership or calling and cueing is invited to join C.C.R. We have non-calling members, rank amateurs, and some with 15 and more years of experience plus everything in between. We hire guest speakers, present some programs ourselves and help each other improve as callers and leaders. New members find us willing and eager to instruct, exchange ideas and information but also find us highly individualistic in our approaches.

We do not regulate but attempt to promote high ethical standards. Our two moderators merely guide our activities since there are nothing but chiefs, all with equal influence in making decisions. We also boast a hard working secretary-treasurer who doubles as choreographer and editor of helpful hints for both caller and dancer types.

We'd like to see clubs adopt the CALLERLAB published vocabulary range designations to establish their club programs, color code it if you must, but publish or define your club's dancing vocabulary with lists of calls. Most of our members have been following the Callerlab sequence for teaching classes so that class dances will not hold unpleasant surprises. Remember, however, that not ALL callers working in Rochester are members of C.C.R. If a caller does a good job: applaud like crazy; if he leaves you standing or confused and unhappy, tell him so - HISS AND BOO if you must. A caller should be held responsible for what goes on in front of him on the dance floor - BUT don't let him guess at what you want, tell him what you want, like, and expect BEFORE THE NEXT DANCE.

Getting to know each other, our weaknesses and strengths and helping each other grow professionally helps us to become better leaders. Help us by TALKING TO YOUR CALLER so that he may serve you better. Honestly, he WON'T bite!!

C.C.R. is a Federation member, just like any other area club: support your Federation and Square Dancing by making sure YOUR Federation representatives attend meetings.

COMMUNICATIONS IS STILL OUR BIGGEST PROBLEM-----
Promote and subscribe to PROMENADER.

"Chuck" Prister - C.C.R.

M D DANCE - 1977

TO ALL OF OUR SQUARE DANCING FRIENDS -

We wish to announce that the MUSCULAR DYSTROPHY DANCE has been confirmed. The date of the dance will be APRIL 23rd, 1977 at the same school, CHURCHVILLE-CHILI HIGH SCHOOL. Come and join us for an evening at the CASINO or dance in DODGE CITY. So-ooo you have two choices -- (Right, Art Shencup?)

See you ALL there, at 7:00 p.m. to BROWSE, or 8:00 p.m. to DANCE, rain, shine, or wind.

MORE INFORMATION to follow, as soon as we get away from the drawing board!

Squarely yours,
Shaws & Committee

FOR YOUR DANCING PLEASURE



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BASIC
(1-38)

1. Circle left and right
2. Forward and back
3. Do sa do
4. Swing
5. Promenade family
(Full, 1/2, 3/4)
 - A. Couples
 - B. Single file
 - C. Wrong way
6. Allemande left/arm turns
7. Grand right and left- weave
8. Pass thru
9. "U" turn back
10. Split the couple/ring
(around one, two)
 - A. Couples separate/divide
 - B. Courtesy turn
11. Chain family
12. A. Two ladies
13. C. 3/4 chain
14. Do paso
15. Right and left thru
16. Star family (2 to 8)
 - A. Right hand
 - B. Left hand
17. Inside out- outside in
18. Couples lead right/left
19. Circle to a line
20. Bend the line
21. All around the left hand lady
22. See saw (taw)
23. Grand square
24. Box the gnat/swat the flea
25. Square thru family
(Full, 3/4, 1/2)
 - A. Standard
 - B. Left
 - C. Mixed sex
 - D. Same sex
26. California Twirl
27. Dive thru
28. Cross trail (thru)
29. Couples wheel around
30. Single file turnback
31. Allemande thar/wrong way thar
32. Shoot that star
(1/2, 3/4, full)
33. Slip the clutch
34. Half sashay family
35. Standard
 - A. Roll away
 - B. Ladies in, Men sashay

MAINSTREAM
(1-68)

55. Centers in/out
56. Cast family
(3/4, 1/2, 1/4)
 - A. Off
 - B. In
 - C. Right
 - D. Left
57. Cloverleaf
58. Slide thru
59. Fold family
(1-8)
 - A. Boys
 - B. Girls
 - C. Ends
 - D. Centers
 - E. Cross
60. Dixie style
(R/L)
61. Spin chain thru
62. Peel off
63. Tag family
(Full, 1/2)
 - A. Line
 - B. Partner
64. Curlique
65. Walk and dodge
66. Scootback
67. Fan the top
68. Hinge family
 - A. Couples
 - B. Single
 - C. Partner

MAINSTREAM PLUS

- Clover Flow
- Dixie grand
- Grand parade
- Outsiders in and out
- Pair off
- Peel the top
- Red hot, ice cold
- Single circle to ocean wave
- Spin chain the gears
- Split circulate
- Tea cup chain
- Triple scoot
- Triple trade
- Turn and left thru

CALLERLAB EXPERIMENTALS

- Chase right
- Anything and roll
- Coordinate
- Ferris wheel
- Half tag, trade & roll
- Pass the ocean
- Recycle (Ocean wave only)
- Track II
- Touch (1/4, 1/2, 3/4)

Callerlab Experimentals are to be part of the Mainstream Plus program. They will be added to and deleted from each year. Others will be added as they are released.

The MAINSTREAM PLUS program is a two part program. That is, a) Standard (SPC) positions and b) All Position (APC)

If a club wishes to be an "APC" MAINSTREAM PLUS club, they will be expected to dance the Mainstream and the Mainstream Plus list from ALL of the various positions.

The CALLERLAB MAINSTREAM LIST

SPC - Standard position concept
Normal couples-standard positions

APC - All position concept
Mixed couples-all positions

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Redman's Club 1001 Lexington Ave.




LET'S GO DANCING!!

FEDERATION SQUARE DANCES



DECEMBER 1976

1 Wed	Which Way Whirlers Rainbow Squares Singing Squares	Bruce Shaw Ken Boss Al Howe	Pavilion Central School Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave. Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road	8:00 8:00 8:00
2 Thu	Genesee Dancers Wayne Westerners	Mike Callahan Harold Pierce	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport Marion Elementary School	8:30 X 8:00
3 Fri	EKC-O Squares Country Twirlers Boots 'n Slippers Promenading B's WYCO Promenaders Web Spinners Lima Grand Squares	Ed Fraidenburg Jerry Carmen Mystery Ride Ron Fotch Chip Kellogg Ken Boss Dick Casper	Kodak Park, Bldg. 28 Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Merton Williams Jr. High School Byron-Bergen Elem. School, Bergen Warsaw Elem. School, Warsaw Klem Road School North, Webster Lima Town Hall	8:00 RN 8:00 - 8:30 8:00 J 8:00 *Gu 8:30
4 Sat	Batavia Twirlers Swinging BB Swingin' Eights	Larry Dunn Bob Brunshidle Bruce Shaw	John Kennedy School, Vine St., Batavia Town Line School, Spencerport Hosea Rodgers School, 219 Northfield	8:00 RW 8:00 8:30 X&
6 Mon	Village Squares Belles & Beaus Merry Mixers Swinging Singles Glass Slippers	Dick Casper Art Harris Ben McGilvery Jerry Carmen Ron Fotch	First United Methodist Church, Fairport Holmes Road School Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Rd. St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester Campus School, Brockport	8:00 RW 8:00 X 8:00 RE 8:00 R& 8:30 ww
7 Tue	Triggers Tecumseh Squares	Myron Huss Bruce Shaw	Parkland school, 1010 English Road Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00 RW 8:00
8 Wed	Singing Squares Rainbow Squares Spin 'n Wheel Which Way Whirlers	Mike Callahan Ken Boss Jerry Carmen Bruce Shaw	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave. Albion Middle School Pavilion Central School	8:00 8:00 8:00 8:00 ww
9 Thu	Genesee Dancers Wayne Westerners	Jerry Carmen Harold Pierce	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport Marion Elementary School	8:00 T 8:00
10 Fri	EKC-O Squares Swinging BB Boots 'n Slippers Rochester Rollaways Lima Grand Squares Promenading B's Friendship Sqs. of Geneva Web Spinners	Ken Anderson Bob Brunshidle Mike Callahan Deuce Williams Dick Casper Ron Fotch Don Pratt Bill Wilcox	Kodak Park, Bldg. 28 Town Line School, Spencerport Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Oakview School, Irondequoit Lima Town Hall Byron-Bergen Elem. School, Bergen Carter Road Firehouse, Geneva, NY Klem Road School North, Webster	8:00 RN 8:00 8:30 X 8:30 # 8:30 8:30 8:00 8:00 *
11 Sat	Country Twirlers Copy Cats Henrietta Friendship Sqs. Kuntry Kuzzins Irondequoit Squares	Jim McQuade Mike Callahan Ben McGilvery Bruce Shaw Bill Wilcox	Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Bay View YMCA Bay Road, Webster Pinnacle Lutheran Church, 275 Pinnacle Rd. Kelly School, Newark Laurelton School, Helendale Road, Rochester	8:00 C 8:00 C 8:00 8:00 C 8:00 CJ
12 Sun	Cloverleaf Squares	Mike Callahan	Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave.	8:00
13 Mon	Belles & Beaus Village Squares Swinging Singles Glass Slippers Merry Mixers	Art Harris Dick Casper Jerry Carmen Ron Fotch Mike Callahan	Holmes Road School Green Lantern Inn, Fairport St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester Campus School, Brockport Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Road	8:00 X 7:00 C* 8:00 R& 8:30 8:00 R
14 Tue	Triggers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road	8:00 RWCE
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16 Thu	Genesee Dancers Wayne Westerners	Mike Callahan Harold Pierce	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport Marion Elementary School	8:30 *C=0 FC
17 Fri	EKC-O Squares Country Twirlers Boots 'n Slippers Rochester Rollaways Belles & Beaus Lima Grand Squares WYCO Promenaders Promenading B's Merry Mixers Web Spinners	Chuck Stinchcomb Jim McQuade Mike Callahan/Al Howe Ross Howell Art Harris Dick Casper Leo Parsons Ron Fotch Ben McGilvery Bill Wilcox	Kodak Park, Bldg 28 Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Oakview School, Irondequoit Three Acre Party House Lima Town Hall Warsaw Elem. School, Warsaw Byron Fire Hall, Byron Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave. Klem Road School North, Webster	8:00 RN 8:00 8:30 X 8:30 #C 6:30 C=Z 8:30 P 8:00 CPZ 8:30 C 7:00 C 8:00 *C

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18 Sat	Batavia Twirlers Swinging BB Henrietta Friendship Sqs. Swingin' Eights	Larry Dunn Bob Brunshidle Ben McGilvery Bruce Shaw	John Kennedy School, Vine St., Batavia Town Line School, Spencerport Pinnacle Lutheran Church, 275 Pinnacle Road Ukrainian Civic Center, 831 Joseph Ave.	8:00 CZ 8:00 C 8:00 C- 6:30 CØ
19 Sun	Cloverleaf Squares	Mike Callahan	Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave.	8:00 CØ
20 Mon	Belles & Beaus Village Squares Swinging Singles Glass Slippers Merry Mixers	Art Harris Dick Casper Jerry Carmen Ron Fotch No Dance	Holmes Road School First United Methodist Church, Fairport St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester Campus School, Brockport Merry Christmas	8:00 X 8:00 RW 8:00 R& 8:30
21 Tue	Tecumseh Squares Triggers	Bruce Shaw No Dance	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00 CPØ
22 Wed	Singing Squares Rainbow Squares Spin 'n Wheel	Mike Callahan Ken Boss Jerry Carmen	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave. Albion Middle School	8:00 C- 8:00 C 8:00
23 Thu	Genesee Dancers	No dance	Merry Christmas	
24 Fri	Web Spinners	No Dance		
27 Mon	Village Squares Swinging Singles Glass Slippers Merry Mixers	No Dance Jerry Carmen Ron Fotch No Dance	St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester Campus School, Brockport Happy New Year	8:00 R& 8:30
28 Tue	Triggers	No Dance		
29 Wed	WYCO Promenaders	Leo Parsons	Letchworth Central School	(9-1) Y
30 Thu	Swingin' Eights Genesee Dancers	Bruce Shaw Mike Callahan	Hosea Rodgers School, 219 Northfield Road Green Lantern Inn, Fairport	8:30 X& 8:30 X
31 Fri	Country Twirlers Boots 'n Slippers Rainbow Squares Lima Grand Squares Cloverleaf Squares Triggers Web Spinners	Jim McQuade Mike Callahan Ken Boss Gary Bubel Mike Callahan Myron Huss Bill Wilcox	Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave. Lima Town Hall Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave, Chili Center Church of the Masters, 3495 Lake Ave. Fireman's Hall	8:00 Y% 8:30 X=Y YP 9:00 P 8:00 % 9:00 Y% Y

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8 Sat	Batavia Twirlers Country Twirlers Swinging BB Copy Cats Henrietta Friendship Sqs. Kuntry Kuzzins Irondequoit Squares	Jim Wheeler Jim McQuade Bob Brunshidle Deuce Williams Ben McGilvery Bruce Shaw Larry Dunn	John Kennedy School, Vine St., Batavia Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Town Line School, Spencerport Bay View YMCA, Bay Road, Webster Pinnacle Lutheran Church, 275 Pinnacle Road Kelly School, Newark Laurelton School, Helendale Road, Rochester	8:00 RW 8:00 8:00 8:00 8:00 8:00 8:00
9 Sun	Cloverleaf Squares	Guest Caller	Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave.	8:00
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28 Fri	Rochester Rollaways EKC-O Squares Promenading B's WYCO Promenaders Friendship Sqs. of Geneva Web Spinners	Ross Howell Ken Anderson Ron Fotch Leo Parsons Don Pratt No Dance	Oakview School, Irondequoit Kodak Elmgrove Plant, 901 Elmgrove Road Byron-Bergen Elem. School, Bergen Warsaw Elem. School, Warsaw Carter Road Firehouse, Geneva	8:30 # 8:00 RN 8:30 8:00 8:00

JANUARY 1977 (cont'd)

29 Sat	Country Twirlers Swingin' Eights	Orphie Easson Dick Schweitzer	Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Hosea Rodgers School, 219 Northfield Road	8:00 8:30 X&
30 Sun	Cloverleaf Squares	Mike Callahan	Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave. Chili Center	8:00
31 Mon	Belles & Beaus Village Squares Swinging Singles Glass Slippers Merry Mixers	Art Harris Dick Casper Jerry Carmen Ron Fotch Ben McGilvery	Holmes Road School First United Methodist Church, Fairport St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester Campus School, Brockport Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Road	8:00 X 8:00 RW 8:00R&ac 8:30 8:00 R

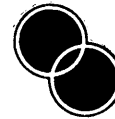
FEBRUARY 1977

1 Tue	Triggers Tecumseh Squares	Myron Huss Bruce Shaw	Parkland School, 1010 English Road Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00 RW 8:00
2 Wed	Singing Squares Which Way Whirlers	Al Howe Bruce Shaw	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Pavilion Central School	8:00 8:00
3 Thu	Genesee Dancers	Bill Peterson	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport	8:00 T
4 Fri	Boots 'n Slippers Lima Grand Squares EKC-O Squares Promenading B's	Mike Callahan Bruce Shaw Art Harris Ron Fotch	Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Lima Town Hall Kodak Elmgrove Plant, 901 Elmgrove Road Byron- Bergen Elem. School, Bergen	8:30 X 8:30 8:00 R 8:30
5 Sat	Batavia Twirlers Swinging BE Swingin' Eights Kuntry Kuzzins	Larry Dunn Bob Brunshidle Bruce Shaw Mike Callahan/ Debbie Wilkinson	John Kennedy School, Vine St., Batavia Town Line School, Spencerport Hosea Rodgers School, 219 Northfield Road Kelly School, Newark	8:00 RW 8:00 8:30 X& 8:00
7 Mon	Swinging Singles Merry Mixers	Jerry Carmen No Dance	St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester	8:00 R&

G - Christmas Dance/Party	O - Open House	Y - New Years Eve Party	* - Dinner
E - Election of officers	P - Pot Luck Dinner/supper	Z - Dinner @ 6:30	& - Workshop 8:30-9:00
H - Hobo Night	R - Rounds at 7:30	e - White Elephant Exch.	% - Reservations Required
I - Midterm & Beginners' Ball'	S - Snowflake Dance	ac - Amateur Callers Night	Ø - Class invited
J - Special Dance	T - Touring Caller	Gu - Guest Night	= - Closed-members only
N - National Caller	W - Workshop at 8:00	ww - Workshop Dance	# - Closed - For information call 244-2944
	X - Rounds at 8:00		



FEDERATION ROUND DANCES



DECEMBER 1976

1 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
8 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
14 Tue	Tecumseh Rounds	The Slomcenskis	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00
15 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Doud Post, 898 Buffalo Road	6:15 C
28 Tue	Tecumseh Rounds	The Slomcenskis	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00

JANUARY 1977

5 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
11 Tue	Tecumseh Rounds	The Slomcenskis	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00
12 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
19 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
25 Tue	Tecumseh Rounds	The Slomcenskis	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00
26 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B

FEBRUARY 1977

2 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
8 Tue	Tecumseh Rounds	The Slomcenskis	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00

B - Beginners' Rounds at 7:30

Non-Federation Notes

COUNTRY DANCERS OF ROCHESTER will be presenting a CONTRA DANCE on January 14 (Friday), featuring National Caller DICK LEGER. Some square dancing and folk dancing will also be included. For:

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COUNTRY DANCERS OF ROCHESTER will be dancing with DUKE MILLER from Gloversville, NY and the BLACKTHORN CEILIDH BAND (live) on December 23 from 8 - 11 p.m. Featuring CONTRAS and also including some square dancing polka, waltz, and folk dancing. 12 Corners Presbyterian Church, S. Winton Road.

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HAPPY NOTES (RELAXED)

DECEMBER 1, 15

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Caller: Mike Callahan

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Teen Topics

The S.T.A.R. TWIRLERS are having their Christmas party Saturday, December 11th, at the Genesee County Fairgrounds, 7:30 to 10 p.m. Class and club teens are invited and we enjoy company. Our January dance will be Saturday, Jan. 8th. We brought home a blue and two red ribbons from the state fair this summer and all enjoyed a beautiful sunny day at the fair. RON FOTCH calls for us. We wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year of happy dancing.

EXPERIMENTAL WORKSHOP CALL OF THE MONTH

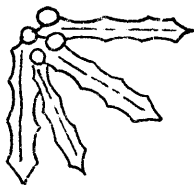
The workshopers picked BRING US TOGETHER as their selection for this month. Other calls workshoped were TOUCHDOWN and YO-YO CIRCULATE.

HEADS (SIDES) BRING US TOGETHER

by

Lee Kopman, Wantagh, NY

From a static square position, on the call HEADS BRING US TOGETHER, the head couples circle left half-way, then slide (not veer) to the left so they are offset one couple position. The side couples quarter-right individually and promenade single file outside the circling head couples. When they reach the vacant couple position on the other side of the nearest head couple, they turn one quarter left to result in facing lines of four in sequence.



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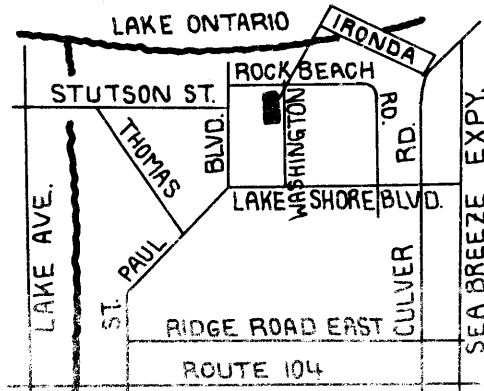
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Batavia Twirlers

Forty-three couples from the Country Twirlers ended their "Mystery Ride" by joining the Batavia Twirlers on November 6th. There were forty-eight couples of Batavia Twirlers, making a record breaking ninety-one couples who enjoyed the calling of Jim & Phyllis Dutton and the cueing of Betty Wolcott.

There was a fine representation of area clubs at the Annual Cancer Dance held in Batavia. A total of \$1446 was donated to the American Cancer Society. The "Cancer Dance" for '77 is scheduled for the third Saturday in October. Mark October 16, 1977 on your calendar now, to be with the Batavia Twirlers for a very worthwhile cause.

The Batavia Twirlers will be dancing to the calling of Larry Dunn at the John Kennedy School on December 4th and 18th. The 18th will be the club's Christmas Party. A tureen dinner will begin at 6:30. Each couple is asked to bring a large dish to pass, rolls for yourself and your table service. The '77 class members and the Star Twirlers will be the guests for the dinner and dancing.

Batavia Twirlers will be the guests of the Calico Squares at the Caledonia-Mumford School on December 9th.

On January 8th, Jim Wheeler will be calling and Betty Wolcott cueing for the enjoyment of the Twirlers and their guests, the WYCO Promenaders.

The Which Way Whirlers will be guests on January 15th when Larry Dunn will be manning the microphone.

Dave & Barb King



Belles & Beaus

We are in the process of electing new officers, as are many clubs. If you are called, don't be afraid to say "yes". Square dancers are great people and you will not lack for assistance and co-operation.

Many are square dancing in Florida this winter and we miss them. Some names that come to mind are Kay & Ken Fredrick, Si & Shirley Hulse, the McKeever's, and others.

We have missed Mary Waterman who is recuperating from operations on her feet and Marilyn Walker from an ear operation. Glad to see Hal Abberger back minus that cast.

We enjoyed Mike Callahan's calling at Belles 'n Beaus. He always does a great job and brings such fun and smiles. Thanks Mike.

At this writing we are looking forward to our annual Christmas party (dinner dance) at Three Acres Party House, Friday, December 17th. In lieu of grab bag gifts, we will give a donation to the Salvation Army. Christmas means giving and sharing and we all have much to be thankful for.



Boots 'n Slippers

Ever been afraid to go to another club because you didn't know what level they dance to? Boots 'N Slippers hope to do something to help by defining our level of our club. We dance to Mainstream plus quarterly Callerlab figures. I will try to explain this a little. Mainstream is everything you learned in class. Callerlab is the callers get together every three months and choose calls to teach to their clubs. This is done in hopes of making a more uniform set of calls and to make it easier to go to other clubs. For more information see your caller.

Our mystery dance on December 3rd, was enjoyed by all who went. There was a great bus ride and dancing after the ride.

The club enjoyed themselves again this year at the Turkey Trot the class gave for the club. It was held on class night November 23rd. Many thanks to the class.

Our Christmas Dance will be held on December 17th with the class invited. Mike Callahan and Al Howe will share the calling. This is a closed dance.

We will once again ring in the New Year with the class on December 31st. Don't forget this is a closed dance so sign up.

We will have three dances in January. The first two (Jan. 7th & 14th) will be called by Mike Callahan. Our guest caller for January will be Bill Wilcox on January 21st.

It has been fun writing this column for the Promenader. We want to wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Join us and square up ----

Al & Nancy Alton



Callers' Co-op

See Chuck Prister's Article on Page 4.....

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year..



The Harris Squares' Spaghetti dinner, workshop, and dance was, as usual, a success and a happy time. Many from here will be going back to Grand Island for New Years Eve. Quite a tradition!

It's not too early to plan for the National Convention in Atlantic City in late June. Should be great. Many side trips are planned also.

We wish you all happy and healthy holidays - and every-days!

Norm & Althea Rosenburgh

Cloverleaf Squares

The witching hour beckons, are there will be no glass slippers or pumpkins in evidence at the Chili Town Hall. A passing split-second will signal my personal midnight, and the new day will usher me into a world reserved for Past Presidents.

As I raise the microphone for that last time, the year will flash before me in an instant. And I can only guess that my reaction will be a curious blend of regret and relief.

Regret over all the things that didn't happen, yet might have. Regret over all the things that did happen, yet might have been done better. And most of all, regret over experiencing the fervor of the starting gate, yet heading out to pasture before approaching the stretch.

Relief, on the other hand, over the presence of dedicated and determined Cloverleafs who will carry out their new duties with dignity. Relief, too, over the transfer of the tribulations of power and authority, the release of the responsibilities of leadership and decision-making, to other less nail-bitten hands.

Certain emotions will also rush through my mind and my heart at that moment. A strong sense of admiration for Maria and Jose Bus and the achievements that only a special kind of person could accomplish. Never-ending astonishment over the unflappable Linda Wolf and the eternal optimism and genuine sincerity she radiates. Fond memories of Dance-O-Rama and the Singles Square Up and the spirit they harbored.

Three hundred sixty six days. Endless as they were counted, fleeting in retrospect. But educational and rewarding from any perspective.

I am proud and honored to have had the opportunity to experience this still largely inexplicable potpourri of sensations, for I know that someday, all of the issues and emotions, all of the people places and things, will solidify and fall neatly into categories to be picked apart, studied, analyzed and maybe understood.

In anticipation of that day, I am able to conclude, without reservation, that every minute was worth it. And I know that in that passing second, the blend of regret and relief will momentarily emulsify with yet another ingredient - satisfaction.

More than that, I could not have asked or expected. Thank you for the opportunity and the experiences. Clearly, they will never be forgotten.

Robert M. J. Dell
President
Cloverleaf Squares

Copy Cats

On October 23rd while pumpkin faces watched from amidst shocks of corn stalks, the Copy Cats in a wide array of costumes danced to the calls of Ross Howell. It was our Halloween party and everyone was having a grand time. Ralph and Nancy McGarrity with their committee did an outstanding job to make it a fun filled evening.

Club members brought their own pumpkin creations and prizes were given for the most creative, weirdest and funniest ones.

Beneath the make-up of what could have been a character from a horror movie was Lee Wiltse who was judged the best male in costume. A perky tramp and a sort of quiet witch who had been circulating around all evening without being identified turned out to be Jim and Helen Fordham. Best female in costume was declared no contest and the prize was given to Al(ice) Pheilshifter. (S)he also won the 50-50 drawing which was a basket full of assorted wines. Al, is it true you had sherry on your grapefruit the next morning?

The Copy Kittens will be joining us for the Christmas party December 11th. The place is Point Pleasant Fire Hall, dinner at 6:30 to be followed by dancing. Mike Callahan is scheduled to call.

Don't miss our first dance in 1977 on January 8th. National caller Deuce Williams will be on hand and the dance will be at Spry Junior High School in Webster village.

A reminder to those interested. Copy Cats will be sponsoring a bus to the National Square Dance Convention in Atlantic City. Any interested area square dancers may contact Jim Fordham at 671-2042 for further information.

Ellie & Norb Voellinger



Country Twirlers

We are pleased to announce we now have 77 couples in our club. We want to welcome all new members of our club this year.

Our Mystery Ride was a lot of fun, with 43 couples attending. We want to thank Bob & Nancy Wright for giving us good transportation and chairing this event. A job well done.

Also the Halloween party was enjoyed by all with very nice decorations and our thanks to the committee for them.

The Western Style Hoedown certainly was a memorable evening for everyone. Much thanks go to Al & Esther Fiege and their committee for a job well done. Also a big thanks to Jim McQuade for taking on this big endeavor with the band.

Our congratulations go out to Bill & Linda Oette who have adopted two children ages 8 and 9. We know these two little red-heads will make their home a happy one. Congratulations Bill & Linda!

Phyllis LaFontaine was hospitalized for minor surgery and we hope to see her dancing again soon. Also Connie Durbin had surgery recently and we are looking forward to seeing her again soon as well.

Dates to remember include Friday December 3rd with Jerry Carmen calling, Saturday December 11th the Christmas Party with the class invited, also the New Year's Eve party Jim McQuade will be calling and this will be held at the St. Helen's Hall. This will be reservation only with club people only as there is a limited amount of space.

The Christmas Dinner this year will be held at the Chili Baptist Church and will be potluck with dancing after back at Washington Irving School.

On January 29th, Orphie Easson will be our guest caller.

Come dance with us.
Happy Holiday Season to all of you, until we square up again.

Frank & Nancy Austin



EKC-O Squares

Our club will be dancing at Kodak Park thru December. On January 7th, we'll be at Elmgrove thru February 25th. On December 3rd Ed Fraidenburg from Midland, Michigan will call; December 10th Ken Anderson; December 17th, Chuck Stinchcomb from Beltsville, Maryland. There will be no dance on December 24th and December 31st. Calling at Elmgrove on January 7th will be Clint McLean; January 14th Ken Anderson; January 21st Butch Stowell; January 28th Ken Anderson; February 4th Art Harris from Buffalo; February 11th Ken Anderson; February 18th Dick Schweitzer from Syracuse and February 25th Ken Anderson. Betty Wolcott cueing rounds at 7:30 to 8:00. Dancing 8:00 to 10:45.

Congratulations to Si Hulse retiring after 33 years at Kodak. We wish Si and Shirley well as they leave for Florida for the winter months. They said they'll see us in the spring.

Walt & Sally wish to thank all those who so graciously helped them throughout their year as presidents.

Election of officers will be December 10th. Our nominating committee Chuck & Helen Spiegel and John & Dot Himmelsback worked very hard getting candidates. Acquaint yourselves with them before voting and find out their ideas on improving our club. Above all, support those chosen.


We wish to thank all the out-going officers for a tremendous job in getting us through a very difficult year during the transition of changing nights and places to dance. We are especially grateful to Walt & Sally Baechle who proved to be very capable presidents, working very hard to do everything possible to give both club members and guests enjoyable evenings of dancing and socializing.

Congratulations to the newly elected officers! Philip & Irene Warner, our new presidents, need each member's loyal support to make this the kind of club everyone wants to belong to. Help whenever asked, volunteer to do something during the year. The class always needs club members to assist. Ask where you can help!


May everyone have a very blessed holiday season and a happy, healthy, and prosperous New Year.

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Gloria & Anton Betlem



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Genesee Dancers

It's the time of year for gifting, and we have some awards to give. Based on our interpretation of the new workshop figures Mike Callahan introduced this fall, here's the Workshop Figure of '76 Award winners:

Both the "Chase Right" and "Veer to the Left" Awards were won by Presidents Joe & Angie DiBitetto because they've managed to keep us all happy. The "Track II" Award naturally goes to the VP's, Jim & Ruth Madison with our hope that they will consider moving to "Track One".

Without question, the winners of our "Transfer the Column" Award were George & Shirley Lupold who did an excellent, if unsung, job of transferring your funds into the right columns of the club's cash ledger. We were going to give the "Red Hot" Award to Alice Jeffery, but she hasn't worn her mood ring lately, so we couldn't tell if she was ready for it.

Jim & Rosalie Tears and Bob & Norine Callahan win the "Pass the Ocean and Spread" Award for their dedicated efforts in keeping munchies available and the coffee hot. For the clever and handsome posters which publicize our dances this year, we award the "Split Circulate" to Carl & Betty Hansen.

Our "Ping Pong Circulate" Award went to Joe & Carm Della Pietra for the best attendance at both club and class. (We would have liked more competition for this award. We currently have 19 couples in class who are doing fine but always need people to fill out that 5th square.) And for signing up the future touring callers this year, we give the "Grand Prowl" Award to Harold & Hazel Conklin.

Our board has named Ray & Eva Seymour honorary members this year, and they also get our nod for the "Slip the Clutch" Award (Ray's now out of the hospital and doing well.) A "Coordinate" Award for the terrific job on decorations is shared by Joe & Mary Micelotta and Bob & Bev Yantz.

Winner of the "Back to the Bar" Award is Joey Ransco, because he always knows when the bar is open! If we were to give any "Star" Awards, they would have to go to Mike Callahan and Bob & Nora Slomcenski, our callers, who surely are the stars of our club dances. Did you notice that Mike came out to dance with us on his night out, when we had a visiting caller? That's real "star-like" behavior!

Last, but not least, Dick Castor is the lucky winner of the "Yellow Rock" Award, even if he does complain he doesn't get enough practice.

Sure hope you've enjoyed reading our Genesee Dancers' news this year half as much as we've enjoyed writing them for you. We hope the square dancing spirit of fun and friendship, which to us is the real "Spirit of '76", be with you all through the coming year. Remember, Happiness in 1977 is dancing with the Genesee Dancers!

See you Thursday,

Carter & Jeanne Perkins

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Geneva Friendship Squares

We are now dancing at the Carter Road Firehouse in Geneva, New York from 8 p.m. to 11 p.m. Everyone is enjoying the new place and there is plenty of parking for everyone. We have only one dance scheduled for December, which will be on the 10th and will be our Christmas Party. Our January dances are scheduled for Friday the 14th and the 28th.

Hope to see you at one of our dances!

Estelle & Sandy Katz



Glass Slippers

My, hasn't 1976 gone by fast! Why it just seems that we were all looking forward to the Bicentennial Year. And now it's almost gone. With co-operation from all involved in the square dance circle, 1977 can be as good, if not better than '76 was for all of us.

A happy birthday goes to two of the boys in our club. Both Mike and Al are legal now. Yes, they have each reached that magic age of eighteen. How's it feel boys? Also, we, the Glass Slippers, were saddened by the loss of Mary's sister.

Well, please come and see us in the month of December. We will dance on the 6th, which is the workshop, 13th, 20th, and the 27th. We dance from 8:30 until 11 at the Campus School in Brockport. Also try to start off the New Year with a dance at the Glass Slippers. We do it every Monday night. Please join us. We will be looking forward to seeing you in one of our sets.

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Henrietta Friendship Squares

At the Halloween Dance everyone seemed to let their hair down more than usual, with their original and crazy costumes. The effects of a night of drinking cider seemed to help take the edge off things. We enjoyed dancing with our guests, The Genesee Dancers and the Merry Mixers.

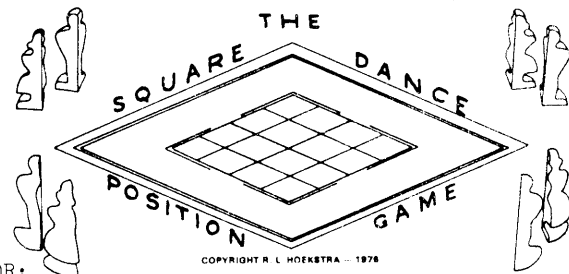
We will miss not having Mil & Laura Craft in our club. They will be moving to Virginia where Mil will be starting a new position. The Club's best wishes go with them. Laura has been our pianist for our sing-alongs.

We look forward to our next month's guests who are the Village Squares and Rainbow Squares. Our class joins us for our Christmas Dance. As many of our class members are teenagers, we hope they slow down enough to allow Mom & Dad to keep up with them.

We want to wish our club members and all our fellow square dancers a joyous Christmas. It is customary to make resolutions on New Years. As many square dancers seem to drop away after the classes, let us each resolve to try to bring one such couple back into square dancing. Remember, we dance the second and fourth Saturdays and visitors are always welcome.

Have a Happy!

Larry & Jackie Herendeen



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Irondequoit Squares

On the 6th of November, two bus loads of Irondequoit Squares traveled to Syracuse as guests of the Pairs and Squares. We enjoyed a great evening of dancing and the usual warm hospitality offered by that club. We look forward to hosting the Pairs and Squares next year.

Hope you all had a nice Thanksgiving. Speaking of Thanksgiving reminds me that, by now, Fran & Marge Clark should be in Tuscon, Arizona, starting their retirement. They were to leave Rochester around Thanksgiving time. Fran & Marge were long time loyal members of our club and will be sorely missed around the squares. We extend our very best wishes for a long and happy retirement to a wonderful couple.

Our annual Tureen Supper was held on November 27th and nominations for your 1977 club officers was part of the business meeting held that evening. Names of your new officers will be made known in your next Promenader report.

Tis the Season to be Jolly!

By the time you read this report, the sights and sounds of Christmas should be everywhere. It's a wonderful, gay time of year. One of the social highlights of your dancing year is our annual Poinsetta Dance which will be held on Saturday December 11th. This promises to be a festive evening and make sure you mark it down on your calendar. In keeping with the festive theme of this night, all the girls are asked to wear long skirts. Bernie & Doris Root are chairing this occasion and have requested your cooperation and support in contributing materials for this event. So if you can, call Bernie or Doris (544-6961) and let them know if you are able to help out.

As this is the final report for 1976 by your correspondents, we wish to extend our sincere best wishes for a joyous holiday season and a New Year filled with prosperity and happy dancing.

Harold & Agnes Hughes



Kuntry Kuzzins

As I write this news letter it is snowing and the wind is blowing. This is the first snow of the season. It reminds us that the wonderful holidays of Thanksgiving and Christmas are swinging in on us. We hope everyone's Holidays are super this year.

Our Christmas Party is December 11th, with Bruce Shaw calling. Help make it a real nice Christmas for Bruce and Shirley. As for me and Helen, we'll be in Florida enjoying the sunshine; however, we'll be thinking of you.

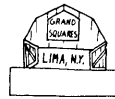
As of this writing all new officers should be nominated. A big round of applause to those who have served so well and another to those who are going to serve in the year to come.

On October 30, five couples took a ride to Watertown to dance with the Kountry Kuzzins there. We had a most wonderful time and all earned a badge called the Knot Head.

Wishing you all a happy holiday Season-

Yours in Dancing,

Woody & Helen Covey



Lima Grand Squares

Our class is coming along fine with Gary Bubel as their caller. They are dancing in the lower level of the Lima Town Hall while the club is dancing in the upper level. Round dance classes with Bernie Hayward are also coming right along. We have all enjoyed the class and appreciate Rita for being so helpful. A special thanks to Mike Callahan for calling our Halloween Dance. The decorations were very nice and we all enjoyed those who were good sports and came in costume. A special prize went to the Lissows for being the most original.

Several couples enjoyed the evening of November 3 with Which Way Whirlers. We are looking forward to the holiday dances. Our class will join us for our Christmas dance on December 17th for a pot luck supper at 7:00 with Dick Casper calling the squares. We will also be having a New Years Eve dance at 9:00 with Gary Bubel calling. There will be a pot luck supper after the dance.

We will be back to start the New Year off with our own Dick Casper on January 7th, 14th, and 21st. On February 4th we will have Bruce Shaw as guest caller. We wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and invite you to come to Lima and dance with us at any of our dances.

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Magic Squares

Holiday Greetings from Thruway Exit #43 and the Magic Squares of Manchester. At this writing, November is well under way and we are busy preparing for the holidays which will be soon upon us. It should be noted that dances on the 11th of December and January 8th will be held at the Red Jacket Primary Building - about 1½ miles south of our regular location off Route 21. Other dances will be held at our home location in Manchester.

We have been very pleased to see so many of our friends from area clubs at our Saturday dances. A good time has been had by all and we are looking forward to seeing many of you again, so make your New Year's Resolution early to dance with us. In January we will also be resuming our guest club schedule and urge you to join us when your club is asked, as well as the rest of the year.

With holidays nearing, two upcoming events will be highlighted in December. The Annual Class-Club Christmas Party is slated for December 18th. We invite all area dancers to join with us, as well as any members of a beginning square dance class who find they have the night free and wish to celebrate with us.

Do you like to go out on New Year's Eve and have a good time, inexpensively? Many Magic Squares are eagerly awaiting Bob & Nancy Ellis' New Year's Eve Square Dance Bash again this year. As we will only be having 20 squares, advance reservations are necessary. Many area clubs have fliers - so if you're planning on joining the festivities, reservations must be received and will be on a first come, first served basis.

Have a blessed and safe Christmas and New Year - and remember your New Year's Resolution to dance with us.

Until we square up with you again,

Bill & Mary Ellen Petty



Merry Mixers

Let's start off with November news: Nominations for 1977 officers held November 1st. Thanks to the nominating committee of Alma Boyd, Betty Brennan, Sam Lane, and Jim Labuzeta for a job well done.

Those nominated are:

Pres: Henry Cassia, Shirley Centola and Nancy Donald
 V-Pres: Ron Hinchey and Helen Kotwas
 Secretary: Ann Fogle, Barb Indovina and Ruth Statt
 Treasurer: Angela Battaglia, Betty Cowley, Vera Hollenbeck and Bob VanThaf

Club members, be sure to attend the dance on December 6th and cast your vote.

The Traveling Turtles got started November 12th, with dinner at the Ponderosa on W. Henrietta Road, and dancing with the Lima Grand Squares.

Other November travelers were Dolores Duffy, Vergie Faruta and Erik Michaelsen, who were off to Bermuda on a cruise headed by caller Dick Leger.

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Don't know the outcome at this time, but here's hoping "The Singles Square-Up" on the 20th was a great success.

Upcoming in December & January:

- December 3 - Guests at Country Twirlers
 6 - Election of officers
 13 - Guest caller, Mike Callahan
 17 - Christmas Party & Installation of officers.
 Buffet dinner at the Red Men's Club.
 Guests welcome. For tickets, contact Shirley Centola, 254-3804.
 20 & 27 - No dances. Merry Christmas & Happy New Year!

January:

Club dances every Monday, five in all. Join us for a fun time! Guest caller, Myron Huss in the 10th.

A hobo night is scheduled on the 17th. So, wear your oldies or come as you are. Fellow dancers know I'm all set for this one.

Happy Birthday, Jan. 8th, to our caller, Ben McGilvery!

Don't forget: Dancing at the Monroe Community Hospital 3rd. Saturday of December & January, 2-3 p.m.

All officers and committee people wish to thank the membership for their support and help on club activities this past year.

As this is my last article, to my successor, "Have fun. It's great writing for the Promenader."

Barb Indovina



Promenading B's

While writing this article I shiver when I think of the ghosts and goblins that showed up at our Halloween dance, along with some other characters. All had a scary good time.

Congratulations are in order to Ray Stoddard, hope he and Lucy have lots of pleasant hours of leisure and many happy years of retirement.

Congratulations reach out to Marvin & Dorothy Allen on their 25th Wedding Anniversary.

With the holiday season fast approaching we are looking forward to Santa greeting the club and the class at the club dinner party. After the dinner, Ron will be calling many joyous dances open to all clubs who wish to spend a merry December 17th with Santa at the Byron Fire Hall, Byron, N.Y. Remember the date -- December 17th.

Hope all the club members are reserving Friday December 31st for ringing in the New Year and chasing out the old. Ron's New Year's Party is something that isn't forgotten overnight. There will be plenty of refreshments and dancing till dawn. Club members, let's get your reservations in early to make this a big event.

At this time we would like to extend a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all clubs from the Promenading B's.

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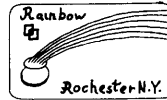
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Rainbow Squares

On October 20, the Rainbow Squares entertained several couples from the Singing Squares after a "Mystery Ride". Guests also were present from the Irondequoit Squares and Genesee Dancers. We hope all our visitors enjoyed it as much as the hosts did.

Although the "Hatfields" and the "McCoys" could not dance in each other's sets until a "truce" was declared at our November 17 dance, we all made it through the evening without a single fatality. Much credit should go to the Decoration and Refreshment Committees for the atmosphere, complete even with corn bread and fixin's for refreshments. We are singularly fortunate in having such good leadership always coming up with such original ideas.

Our Class and Club Christmas Party will be December 22, and we are eagerly looking forward to dancing with our Class members, after having had such a good time at the Halloween party.

Our New Years' Eve party will be both Class and Club also, as well as guests and friends. As we did last year, we will start dancing at 9:00 p.m. and have a pot luck supper at midnight to welcome in 1977. If you are interested in attending, tickets can be obtained from any member of the Rainbow Squares for \$4.00. Please bring a dish to pass and your own service. It is a great way to spend the evening -- dancing with old friends and meeting new people with whom you will be dancing in the future, topped off by a delicious meal (if last year's was any criterion).

Again we would like to mention that we are having Dick Leger, a national caller, for our Snowflake Dance on January 13th. This is a fun level dance, so we hope one and all are planning to attend.

Bill & Betty Pedersen



Rochester Rollaways

When you have a good thing going, why change it? Our ROLLAWAY Anniversary Dance is always in November, Ed Foote is always the caller, Betsy Stearns always provides a special, delicious cake, and the ROLLAWAY beneficiaries always enjoy both the food and the festivities.

Another party follows closely -- the Christmas party with the Jack of Hearts, on December 17 at Oakview school. Does Santa Claus dance by the numbers?

The migratory members have flown to Florida. We shall miss the Storks, Saperstones, Snows, and Moultons while the snow flies, and will greet their return as the first sign of Spring.

A PROMENADER SCOOP -- A ROLLAWAY DEBUT: John Stackman has been engaged to call our January 14 dance (caller to be announced when the schedule was printed.) John is from Elwood, Pennsylvania, and comes highly recommended.

Russ Jenkins



Singing Squares

October was a fun-filled month with our Mystery Ride October 20th and Halloween Party October 27th.

Although the weather was only "fit for ducks", 13 couples braved the deluge and found a rainbow at the end of our wet ride. Our destination turned out to be "Rainbow Squares" at Harper's Park Rec. Hall, Linden Avenue. We had a wonderful time with all those friendly people, and enjoyed Ken Boss' calling - especially the two tips he called while being wound from head to toe with toilet tissue by several members of the "Singing Squares".

Many wierd looking characters were dancing at our Halloween Party. It wasn't easy to find your Taw looking through those slits in your mask; but the judges soon made their choice, prizes were given and masks whisked off just in time to see our president's trousers fall down and leave him "chasing right" in his shorts. Cider and delicious home made donuts and friedcakes for refreshments made our evening complete.

December news. No club dance December 15th, but all members are invited to dance with the class at the recreation hall, Wegman Road, Monday December 13th. Under Elwood Johnson's excellent instructions the past weeks, the class has passed the beginner's stage and are really dancing. So come join us.

December 22nd - Christmas Party for club and class members only. Please refer to dance schedule in the "Promenader" for January 1977 dances, and come square up with us.

May your Holidays be Holy, Happy, and Healthy.

John & Lorene Fratta

Swinging BB

First real snow on the ground -
There's a holiday air!

Our members are teaching the new
class to square -

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We've birthday wishes for Paul Krebs
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Spin 'n Wheels

Election of officers for 1977 will be held at our regular club dance on December 8th.

Last month club members entertained the patients at the Orleans County Infirmary in Albion with Jerry Carmen calling.

Our Christmas party will be on December 22nd with club and class. Jerry Carmen will be calling.

Wishing you all a very happy Holiday Season.

Bob & Elaine Stirk



Swinging Singles

The Swinging Singles members who went to the Northeast Singleton Association Dance in Schenectady claim they were "Bazongastized." Any guesses as to what really happened?

October 18 we had a change of pace with guest caller Mike Callahan.

On October 25 we were delighted to put the new graduates through their paces to make sure they were really worthy. Seriously, we do welcome Ed Allen, Gail Borrowman, Charles Cordaro, Ellen Covey, Pat DeMyda, Linda Doll, Larry Foos, Rita Foos, Ted Gerken, Mary Ann Hanes, Judy Hargrave, Gail Harrington, Jody Keevert, Tom King, Ellen Lambert, Bev Linehan, Tim Nau, Carl Paulson, Janice Satter, and Kim Wiard.

Halloween weekend saw Swinging Singles at the Circle C Ranch for horseback riding, hay riding, dancing and generally having fun. Why are those people walking so funny, though?

What do a robot, a pink elephant, a donkey, Broom Hilda, Irwin the Troll, some Raggedy Anns, a Raggedy Andy, Cinderella, an Arab Lady, a few bums, a clown, some monsters, a cowgirl, and a gypsy have in common? They were all seen fraternizing at our Halloween dance.

Cupid has struck again! Joanne Mitchell and Jim Baybutt are engaged.

The next few weeks would seem to be busy. Many of us are working hard to help make the Singles Square Up on November 20 a success. We hope to see oodles of single dancers. On December 17, we'll have our own Christmas Dance at St. Nicholas Hall. We'll also gather at Al Bertch's to ring in the new year right.

We'll start 1977 off with an open house and a new class. The Open House will be January 10, with the first class on January 17. Chip Kellogg will be teaching again. We're looking forward to a good year, so help us start it off by sending your non-dancing friends to us so we can begin making square dancers out of them. What better way to begin 1977!



Swingin' Eights

The Halloween Dance was well attended and well planned. Thanks to the Sheplers and Prados. A good time was had by all. Sorry we had to miss it.

On November 6, we had an enjoyable evening of dancing to Guest Caller Tom Trainor. It was good to see so many guests attending. Also at the same dance we had a surprise visit from an old friend - a member, Mary Carey from Florida, who was here visiting her family.

Bob & Marge Berner are celebrating their anniversary in Florida. There was a surprise party held at Barnes' before they left.

Sorry to hear Jon Crosby has been hospitalized - A speedy recovery, Jon!

Terry Yacobelli has been hospitalized for some testing on her heart. Hope things turn out well for her.

Congratulations to Bets Knudson on winning First Place!!! on her "Springerl Fern" Plant. The one that most of us have admired hanging in her dining room with the 'long, fern-like spikes'.

Enough news -- back to dance programs --- Hope you all have heard and made plans for the Christmas Dinner-Dance, Saturday December 18 to be held at the Ukrainian Civic Center, 831 Joseph Avenue.

Happy Hour	6:30 p.m.	Members \$10.50
Dinner	7:30 p.m.	Guests \$12.50
Dance	to follow	<u>Deadline - Dec. 11th</u>

See Ed & Linda Allen - 482-1810 for your tickets.

Your Committee for the Christmas Party is Bud & Fran Macomber (663-3750), Curly & Terry Crane (467-6180), Tom & Ellie Anderson (671-4779), Ed & Linda Allen (482-1810). Contact any of us for reservations.

The Class of '77 will be joining us for the Christmas party - Let's all be there to share and have fun together! Bruce Shaw o's and Mike Prado o's.

Dec. 30th - The Class has been invited to join us at the club dance with Bruce Shaw and Mike Prado at Hosea Rodgers School. They need everyone's support!

Jan. 15 - Club Dance - Bruce Shaw & Mike Prado

Jan. 29th - Guest Caller! Dick Sweitzer from Syracuse

Feb. 5th - Bruce Shaw & Mike Prado

Don't forget - See Ed & Linda Allen for Christmas Party tickets -

See you there! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

from
1/7 of the unholy seven -
Curly & Terry Crane





Tecumseh Squares

We have a really busy season coming up! December 21st is our Christmas Dance. We will have a pot luck dinner in the club lodge at 6:30. A dish to pass and your place setting are your admission to the dinner. All are welcome, including class members. Our dance will be "class level" for that night.

Mike Callahan will be our guest caller on January 18th. We're looking forward to a delightful evening with him.

Saturday, January 22nd, is our tribe's 6th annual MID-TERM AND BEGINNERS' BALL. The dance is the birth-place of Tecumseh Squares and is run by the tribe, our sponsor. There will be skits and a buffet dinner included. Tickets may be purchased that night for both the dinner and the dance. The class level dance with Bruce Shaw will be in the large room. The other room is for beginners. Bring your friends for a terrific night out!

We seem to have a rash of broken toes at our club. Ask Viv Muffley for her interesting tale.

Twos the night of our Tuesdays and all through the hall
Every creature was stirring to our old Bruce Shaw's call.

We dancers were nestled all snug in our squares
While visions of workshops cast away all our cares.

When up on the stage there rose such a clatter
That I sprang from my set to see what was the matter.

And what to my wondering eyes should appear?
But a Shaw and Slomcenski, each without peer!

With a caller and cuer so lively and quick,
I knew in a moment this would be some kick!

More rapid than eagles their calls they all came,
And they whistled and shouted and called them by name.

So join us on Tuesday December 21st.
Come see what has diligently been rehearsed.

Come for dinner - Pot Luck - Come one, come all!
It's open to square classes both large and small.

I sprang to my set and to my square gave a whistle
And away we all danced like the down of a thistle.

But they heard us exclaim ere we danced thru the night,
Happy Christmas to all and to all a Good Night!

Peace,
Ed & Sue Sulewski



Triggers

Our class members graduated on November 16. Fun was had by all, especially during their initiation exercise and candle ceremony. Our congratulations to:

Lucy Apton, Merilee Bates, Vaughn Bates, Fran Cooley, Ernie & Geri Francione, Vandy Fricke, Herman Giancola, Bruce Hollowell, Allen & Vicki Hill, Jo & Myra Kirenaer, John & Lucile Lamb, Ralph & Linda Leplane, Bob & Gail Maurice, John & Carol Parnell, Doug Record & Karen Stark, Bernie Sabernick Jr., Lisa Sabernick, Sue Sabernick, and Len & Lois Siebert.

Welcome to the square dance community of Rochester and good luck!

We'd also like to say "congratulations" to one of our club members, Jack Sadwick, on the success of his newly formed teenage square dance club, the "Jack and Jills", which started this past September in Irondequoit.

Our sincere sympathies to Luck Apton on the recent death of her mother.

Don't they ever stay home? Dad and Mom (Frank & Jo Manicone), Bernie & Irene Sabernick, and Vic & Audrey Bates were off again, this time to Toronto -- Wonder where they will go next?

And a special note to Gus Antinora. We miss your fuzzy friend - your moustache which was recently shaved off.

Dates to remember:

Our Christmas Party will be on December 14. Bring a "White Elephant" gift to exchange.

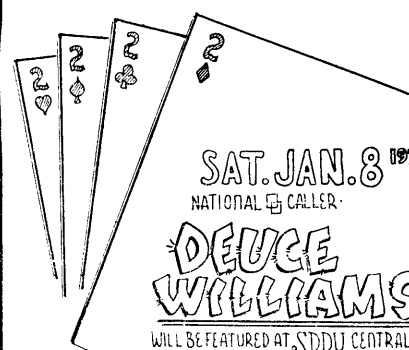
Our "New Years Eve Gala" will be at the Church of the Masters, 3495 Lake Avenue from 9 to 1. Limited reservations only for dinner and dancing, after Dec. 14. Ticket Chairpersons are Trudy & Charlie Cudahy, 865-6376.

Open House will be on Jan. 6 at the English Village School, 800 Tait Avenue from 8 - 10:30. There will be free dancing for all visitors. It will be a good time to bring in all those friends and relatives who were unable to begin September classes.

On Jan. 13 and Jan. 19 we will also be open for new beginners.

Hope you all have a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy, Happy new Year.

Bill & Judy Oliveri



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Congratulations - Chuck & Norma Dolan and Don & Connie Durbin who were among the big winners at the Cancer Benefit Dance.

Our class members are doing very well. We have a nice group of talented and congenial people of whom we are very proud.

Thanks to Don & Connie Durbin and Doug & Kathy Winstead, our Halloween Dance turned out to be a very bewitching party. We had quite a variety of costumes. ---Delicious sweet cider along with scrumptious donuts and all sorts of treats. --- Walt & Myrtle Pound won 1st prize in their unique Bull costume. --- It was nice to see George & Audrey Mura again"Come see us again, you two."

Our Bicentennial Affair was on November 10th and planned by George & Doris Hagberg and Don & Marg Tracy. "With these two super couples as organizers, this party has become part of our American Heritage."

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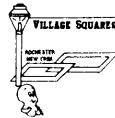
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Warm Holiday Wishes
Bob & Joan Donaldson



Village Squares

Folks at Village Squares are gearing up for the hectic holiday season that is almost upon us. Remember a square dance is a good relaxer for busy people! Of special note is our dinner dance at the Green Lantern Inn scheduled for December 13th; Happy Hour from 6:15, Dinner at 7:00, Dancing from 8:30 - 11:00. Please plan to come and remember to make your reservations by December 6th. Call Aileen and A.J. Leonard, 223-2273. Regular club members look forward to having the class members join in the fun.

The Nominating Committee has worked diligently the past weeks to come up with a slate of officers for 1977. Election night is December 6; so try to be there.

We are pleased to report that our Amateur Callers' Night on November 8 was a fun time. Hats off to three adventurous people who shared the mike and called some dances for us: Cliff Gollus, Sally Elmore, and Jeff Elmore. It's great to try new things once in a while. Besides, how else are new callers born? Keep up the good work, friends!

Holiday Best Wishes to all our fellow dancers out there! Just remember to put a dance on your weekly calendar, preferably at Village Squares on Mondays. Dick Casper calls the squares and Dorothy Jensen cues the rounds; they're both the greatest!

And a Happy New Year too!

David & Joanne Poland



Wayne Westerners

November was a busy month for the Wayne Westerners even though we only had one dance at the school in Marion where we ordinarily dance. The school was being used for other things, so we filled in our time with a Mystery Ride which really was a mystery --- Did you ever hear of a Mystery Ride that ended at three different dances? The next week we went together to dance with the Genesee Dancers. That was followed with our Thanksgiving Dance at which our class joined us.

In December we had election of officers and then our class joined us for the annual Christmas Pot Luck supper and dance.

January will see our new officers taking over - I hope they will have a good year. It is a lot of work to be a good officer -- but also a lot of fun and the club gives the officers a big "thank you"!

May you all have a Merry Christmas and a good New Year!

Aubrey & Alice Hale



Web Spinners

On October 29th all the ghosts and goblins were out in style at the annual Web Spinners Halloween Party. Fred & Norma Jenner took first place in the costume division as Spider Man and Spider Woman and their silver spider web or is it Web Spinner Web? Whatever, Fred and Norma you looked terrific, as did voluptuous Bob Bacher in his Hawaiian native girl attire -- grass skirt and bikini top (his cup runneth over!) Which brings to mind Mike & Coleen Cooper as the two beautiful southern belles -- shades of Gone With the Wind. Bob & Joanne Bacher and Judy & Bill Wilcox must have had a terrific vacation in Las Vegas, as they had to fly back in the baggage section of the plane. (Oh well, you can't win them all.)

The holiday season is upon us and as we get into the hustle and rush of the season, hopefully we'll all take time to remember all that we have to give thanks for as we gather round the table for our Thanksgiving meal with family and friends.

On December 17th, we will have our annual Christmas Party with the class. This is always a special treat for the club members as well as the class. Hope to see a big turnout this year.

To everybody -- Web Spinners, Class members, and all of our fellow square dancers out there we want to take this opportunity to wish you all a joyous, blessed and peaceful Christmas and a very Happy New Year. See you in '77.

Web Spinners
Sandy & Gayle Sinopoli

Which Way Whirlers

The Which Way Whirlers are being kept busy this month. On November 10, we have our special dance with Bruce Shaw and Mike Callahan. Should be a fun time. Monday, November 15 will find us at the Livingston County Infirmary entertaining residents of the home.

The Which Way Whirlers have a busy schedule the rest of this month.

Thursday, November 11, we are guests of Cal-i-co Squares, Caledonia.

Saturday, November 13, special dance with Bruce Shaw & Mike Callahan as square dance callers and Bernie Hayward as round dance cuer.

Monday, November 15 - will entertain residents of the Livingston County Infirmary, Geneseo, New York.

Wednesday, November 17 - regular dance.

Our workshops are gathering more participants each time. If you are interested in flip the diamond, diamond circulate, and cross the deuce, come join us. We will be glad to see you.

Our Christmas Party will be December 15. Our class will join us for this party. Class is moving right along.

A sneak preview - Mike Callahan will be our guest caller on Saturday, February 19. Mark your calendars for this event.

Visit the Which Way Whirlers for a fun filled evening.

Jake & Mary Weber



WYCO Promenaders

WYCO PROMENADERS are still enjoying their relaxed evening of dancing with their caller Leo Parsons. It is so nice to see our new members from last year's class keeping up with the old "regulars".

Save these dates on your dance program:

December 3 - Chip Kellogg, Guest Caller

December 29th - 6th annual New Year's Dance. The price is still going to be \$5. Tickets will be sold at the door but we would like to have as many reservations as possible in advance so that we can plan our refreshments. For those of you who have attended in the past, you know what a fun night we have. So don't forget -- same time: 9-1; same place: Letchworth Central School and same fine caller: Leo Parsons.

February 4 - Jerry Carmen, Guest Caller

April 30 - 2nd Annual Cancer Dance

We recently had one of our great Pot Luck Suppers where the ladies really showed what good cooks they are. We will be having more suppers in the future so come and join us sometime.

As you can see, our Presidents, Bob & Edna Meyer have planned a busy season for us and we hope to see you at our dances.

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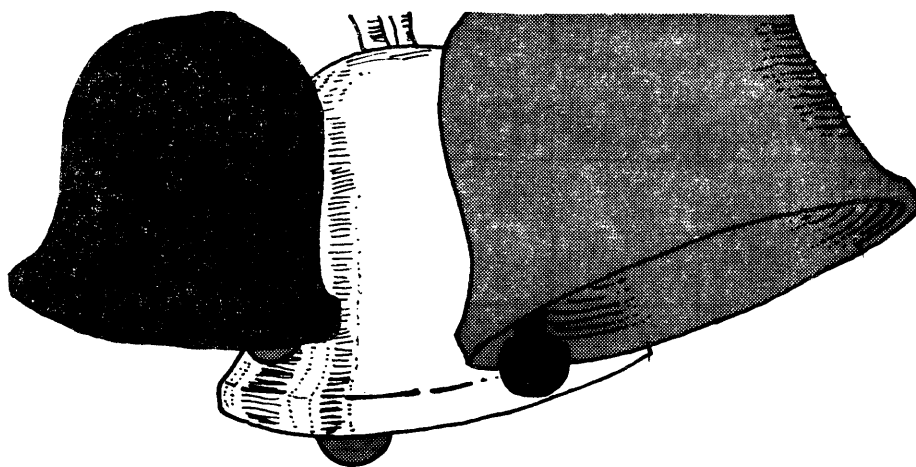
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