

# "PROMENADER"

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# CALENDAR of Coming Special Events

List early — your event stays in until it happens!

## 2009

4/4Copy CatsSpring Fling–Todd Fellegy/Mary HinkleSat.
4/18Copy CatsTrain Dance–Don YostenSat.
4/25 Cloverleaf Squares, Country Twirlers,
Village SquaresTri-Club Dance-Dick Schweitzer/Mark ThoneSat.
5/2All ClubsDance-O-Rama*
5/9Country TwirlersHawaiian Ice Cream Night–Gary & Alice BubelSat.
5/11Silver SquaresLilac Dance/Silent Auction free to all guests-CallahanMon.
5/20Village SquaresAmateur Caller Night–Jerry CarmenWed.
5/29Dalton GangRound-Up–Gary & Alice BubelFri.
7/19Geneva Friendship SquaresDance–Ray Taylor/Bill NewmanSun.
• 8/1Callers' Co-OpSummer Sizzler Dance–10 Callers/5 CuersSat.
8/28-30Ken Ritucci
• 9/11-13Red Bates A2 Weekend at RockiesFriSun.
• 9/18-20Geneva Friendship SqsFall Frolic (Watkins Weekend)–
Ken Ritucci/Alice BubelFri.—Sun.
9/26Promenader Benefit DanceSat.
10/8-12Ken RitucciNortheast Callers SchoolThMon.
• 10/16-18Bennington, Vermont Tumbling Leaves FestivalFriSun.
• 10/17Cloverleaf Squares & Copy CatsDance with Joe Saltel/Mary HinkleSat.

#### 2010

9/25 PROMENADERPromenader Benefit Dance	Sat.
10/23Silver Squares25th Anniv. Dinner Dance–Mike Callahan	Sat.
10/30Cloverleaf SquaresDance with Tim Marriner	•

<sup>\*</sup>These dances invite class people.

ROCHESTER AREA FEDERATION OF WESTERN ROUND AND SQUARE DANCE CLUBS PRESENTS... 51st ance-O-Rama

"Dancing is Fine in 2009"

Saturday, May 2, 2009

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**American Square Dance Subscription:** To subscribe to the monthly publication, *American Square Dance*, write to P.O. Box 777, N. Scituate, RI 02857. Subscriptions are \$27.50/yr.

# CCR CALLER'S CO-OP

At our February meeting we had Ken Ritucci as our guest speaker. Ken gave us a few ideas on different topics and new activities that the CCR can get involved with. At our March meeting we will be discussing the topic of One Night Stands (Beginner Parties). We are also looking forward to the Federation Cabin Party on March 29. After a short business meeting and lunch, we will be calling for the enjoyment of the dancers who attend.

\*\*\*NEWS FLASH\*\* The CCR is planning to have a special summer dance with all of us calling. Tentative date is Saturday, August 1. Be looking for flyers!! We hope to see you all there!!

Information: Mike Callahan, (585) 352-7877

# About the Iromenader...

This publication includes information to help Round and Square Dancers stay informed abut dance activities planned for Rochester, NY, and surrounding areas. It is divided into three parts:

- 1. The **Front** section includes info about subscribing, advertising & contacting us; an Events Calendar (for planning and as a quick-glance reference), classified ads, editorial & Federation info, and special event coverage, such as D.O.R.
- 2. The **Club News** section includes reports from the clubs, arranged *in alphabetical order*, interspersed with full and partial page ads

arranged as nearly as possible *in chronological order*. Both the articles and the ads provide expanded information about upcoming events.

3. In the **Schedules** section, found near the back of the *Promenader*, you can look up dances arranged according to the day of the week. Each entry includes date, club, caller/cuer, location, starting time & symbols indicating additional details.

We hope this publication will keep you as informed as possible about Square and Round Dancing. Please contact us if you have any suggestions.

Betty & Andy Ludwick

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#### FEDERATION MEETINGS

Thursday, April 23, 2009 Tuesday, May 12, 2009 Monday, Sept. 14, 2009

Thursday, Oct. 15, 2009

Wednesday, Nov. 11, 2009

**MEETING LOCATION:** First Baptist Church of Rochester, 175 Allens Creek Rd. (corner of Clover Street), starting at 7:30 p.m. Meetings are open and everyone is welcome!

#### Federation Website: www.squaredancingrochester. org/RAF.html

# **PROMENADER Material Due**

Please plan your schedule in time to get us your information for our JUNE/JULY issue

> ON OR BEFORE THE **MAY 1 DEADLINE!**

Promenader Archive Web Page: promenader-notes.blogspot.com

Do you have a photo to share with our readers? Send it to the Promenader for possible use on a space-available basis: twodancinghearts@hotmail.com.



# Presidents' Corner...

#### Dear Dancers,

Spring is finally here after our brutally cold winter and dancing couldn't be a better way to keep in shape and renew friendships. Spring also means the 51st Dance-O-Rama with our "Dancing is Fine in 2009" Dance on Saturday, May 2, 2009. Again this year, we will feature dancing in two halls all day. The main hall will have mainstream and some rounds and the second hall will have plus, Intro to A1 and rounds. We will have an excellent staff of callers and cuers. See the schedule in this issue. The basket raffle will continue with Cloverleaf Squares stepping up to coordinate. Classes are doing well this year and we hope to see many of them attending. Come one, come all! Same great price for all day dancing. Buy tickets in advance at your club for \$8, and at the door for \$10. Let's see everyone wearing those bright green ribbons.

The Federation is here to promote square and round dancing and help coordinate activities of the Rochester area clubs. If you have any new ideas for demos, please contact Eileen Okolowicz, our Promotion chair.

To continue as a Federation, we need new officers and we thank those dancers who have volunteered. An election will take place at our May 12 meeting.

It was the year of Square Dancing and a Square thing to do in 1973. Why not in 2009?

Keep smiling and see you on the dance floor.

George Ahn & Mary Lou Altman

Federation Presidents

### **Silver Club Booklets**

The **Silver Club** is a way of recognizing dancers who have danced to 25 callers/cuers at club dances.

These dancers receive the Silver Club badge dangle.

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Sponsored by the Rochester Area Federation

At least 15 of the 25 caller/cuer signatures must be gotten at dances of clubs affiliated with the Rochester Area Federation of Round and Square Dance Clubs. A maximum of 10 callers/cuers at non-affiliated clubs may be included. Dance-O-Rama callers/cuers may also be included.

The same caller or cuer may be used more than once, as long as they are calling/cueing at a different club.

When the required number of signatures are collected in a Silver Club booklet, it is shown to the Federation presidents or their reps, who will verify the names and authorize the dancer to wear the special Silver Club badge dangle.

Silver Club booklets will be available at D.O.R. Just ask at the registration table.

If you have any questions, contact a Federation officer (see page 4).

**Welcome...** A special welcome to all our NEW DANCERS! The *Promenader* is pleased to be giving you this issue as **a complimentary gift**. We hope that you will want to subscribe for the remainder of the subscription year. We strongly urge you to clip or copy the subscription form below, and send it in now, so you won't miss out on any of the up-

coming events!

Our note on page 3 of this issue explains how this publication is set up. We rely on our advertisers, subscribers, and other supporters in order to continue operating. Once a year, on the last Saturday of September, we schedule our annual fun event for all – the Promenader Dance and Used Fashion Sale. This

year it will be on Sept. 26, featuring a wonderful staff of callers and cuers!

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CLUB

Please make every effort to attend Dance-O-Rama on May 2. This is always a wonderful celebration for all dancers. Our advertiser, Claudia's Western Shoppe, will be on hand for your shopping convenience. Don't miss it!

-The Editors

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# 2009 New Class/New Grads, & Refreshers (Former Dancers who are refreshing their skills)

### Belles 'N' Beaus

Instructor:
Mike Herne
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Sarah Ditondo
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Richard Raichlin

### Cayuga Cut Ups

Instructor:
Ron Brown
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Kay Kraatz
Steve Kraatz
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Instructor:
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Jim Alexander
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Helen Allen
Mitzi Bainbridge
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Ray Batz
Wendy Beaumont

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### Copy Cats

Instructor:
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Instructor:
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Dave Hodan
Jacqueline Milligan
Nelson Misso
Glenda Ott
Mel Ott
Phil Schneider



ROCHESTER AREA FEDERATION OF WESTERN ROUND AND SQUARE DANCE CLUBS PRESENTS...



"Dancing is Fine in 2009"

Saturday, May 2, 2009



Rounds: II-IV

**Squares:** 

Mainstream and Plus with a few Advanced tips

Fashions by Claudia's Western Shoppe

Gift Basket Raffle will Continue

Advance tickets: \$8 per person
At the Door: \$10

Cuers: Alice Bubel and Mark Thone Callers: Hip Boot Boys, Gary Bubel, Dave Eno

# Ada Cosgrove Middle School

2749 Spencerport Rd., Spencerport **2 p.m. to 10 p.m.** 



#### **DIRECTIONS TO DANCE-O-RAMA AT COSGROVE MIDDLE SCHOOL, 2749 Spencerport Road**

#### From the South

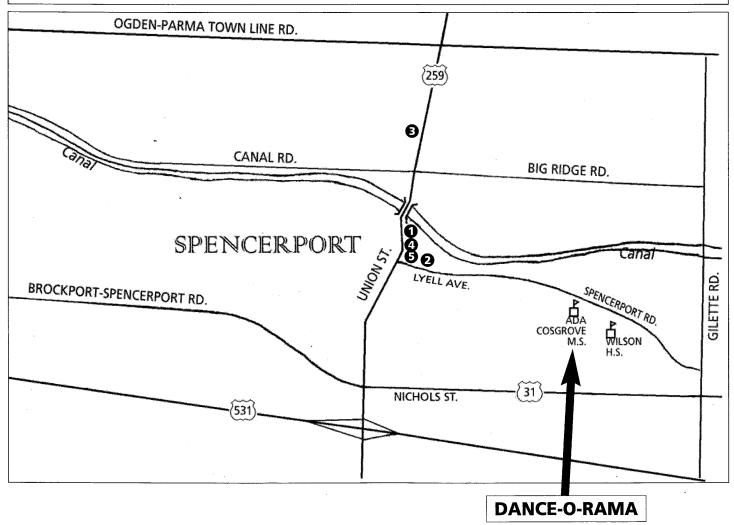
Take 390-N to Exit 20B on the left to merge onto 490 W toward Buffalo; Take right exit toward Spencerport/Brockport onto Rt-531 W; Then take the Rt. 259/Union St. (Spencerport) exit, turn right at end of exit ramp and proceed on Rt. 259 past the Rt. 31 intersection toward the Village of Spencerport (about a mile); Before the railroad overhead bridge, turn right onto Lyell Avenue (see DOR sign); Proceed about a mile until you see the DOR sign for the driveway to the parking lot.

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Nearby places to go for dinner break...

- Galley Restaurant, 94 So. Union St., Spencerport, 352-0200
- 2 Slayton Place, 54 Slayton Ave., Spencerport, 352-0260
- 3 Pineview Family Restaurant, 2139 Union St., Spencerport, 352-5599
- 4 Taste of Texas Bar-B-Q, 122 So. Union St., Spencerport, 352-4227
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### Florida Winter Festival

The Florida Winter Festival continues to be one of the premier festivals with the snowflakes sparkling, and the white lights twinkling in the snow. And all the snowmen were smiling – even the ones on stage in full "snowman gear" winding up the weekend with their fantastic calling.

Were you there? If not, you missed one of the best winter dances in Florida – the 3rd Annual Florida Winter Festival – held in Lakeland January 22-24. We would like to say a very special thanks to each of the 1,222 dancers, representing 38 states & three foreign countries, who attended this year, and urge all of you to mark January 21-23, 2010 on your calendar.

Grand Square Inc. not only sponsors a great dancing weekend, but also is very generous in rewarding you for attending. Early registration enters you and your partner into a drawing for a full dance refund of your registration fee. This year's Friday and Saturday winners were Herbert & Marilyn Silver and the Jim McMillans. A drawing for a free all-inclusive Maggie Valley Square Dance Vacation is also held – Sally & Fred Bonds were this year's winners. Grand Square Inc. also donates \$200 to the in-state and out-of-state club who pre-registered the most dancers, to be

used for the promotion of square dancing. The winners for 2009 were "Orange Blossom Squares" of Lady Lake, Fl. and "Sage Swinger" of Bath, Maine. The BIG winners of the 50/50 drawings were Tom Yager, Liz Harrow, Rudy Rowell, Mary Starling, Theresa Young, and Bonnie Willey.

This year's callers included your favorites – Dee Dee Dougherty, Tony Oxendine, Jerry Haag, Jerry Story, and Bill Harrison. Tom Miller did an excellent job of replacing Tim Crawford, who still has trouble "crossing the border." It took the whole staff to replace John Saunders, who by the way is recovering nicely from his recent triple-bypass surgery.

The positive comments by the round dancers showed the weekend was enjoyed greatly with a hall packed full of sparkling dancers. Cuing the rounds were Jimmy & Carol Griffin, and Bill and Martha Buck. Due to Barbara's emergency surgery, Jerry and Barbara Pierce were unable to attend. Stepping in and doing a fantastic job was Tim Eum & his partner, Cindy Hadley from Virginia. Round dancers enjoyed twirling amidst the wintery décor, and in their very sparkling attire looked like dancing with the stars!

The weekend is square & round dancing at its very best, so don't miss January 21-23, 2010!

Thank you, The Florida Winter Festival Staff & GSI, Inc.

#### In Memoriam Jane Avery – 1/16/09

A square dancer for at least 20 years, Jane, with husband Vernon, joined a Silver Squares class in 1986, under the tutelage of Mike Callahan. They also danced with Swinging Eights, a now defunct Irondequoit club. During square dancing's heyday, Jane and Vern travelled out of state to dance in such faraway places as Amarillo, Texas, and north into Canada. A very tiny lady, Jane made a lot of her own dance clothes, with matching shirts for Vern. When she bought ready-made skirts, they always had to be shortened.

Jane and Vern continued to dance together at Silver Squares until 1994, when Vern suffered a fatal stroke while golfing. After a period of mourning, Jane returned to Silver Squares, dancing with the club at the Greece Community Center and at Redmen's Club, when Silver Squares moved there in 1995. In 1999 the Redmen's Club sold their building, forcing Silver Squares to relocate. After a week of mostly fruitless phone calls, a life-saving call came from Jane. She and her husband had been members of the Ira Jacobson American Legion Post in Charlotte, where Jane at one time served as Auxiliary president. She called to advise that she had received permission for Silver Squares to dance at the Post. Jane continued to dance with us there until she broke her foot and, no longer able to dance, in 2006 moved to Fleming Point, a senior living center.

Jane claimed one chair at the Post as her own. When she was gone, we still looked for Jane in that chair.

#### In Memoriam Alice Fegan – 1/22/09

An avid square dancer, Alice joined several area clubs - Belles 'N' Beaus, Cloverleafs, Country Twirlers, Merry Mixers (now defunct) and Silver Squares. She learned to dance at Cloverleafs, where Mike Callahan was, and still is, caller and instructor. In the early '90s, Alice joined Silver Squares and faithfully came to dance every Monday afternoon she could. Filled with boundless energy, she rarely was off the dance floor, during both square and round dancing. As is true for many organizations, females often outnumbered males at Silver Squares. Women then helped out by dancing the men's parts. Alice often took on this not always easy task.

Offering her services in other ways, Alice served Silver Squares for many years as Hostess and Food Coordinator. When she wasn't helping in some way, she was walking around talking with everyone.

Something now seems missing from the picture without Alice's presence every Monday.

#### **Batavia Silver Stars**

Our Winter is over. We are glad and expect to enjoy ice cream sundaes on April 20. We love to have visitors, especially on the evenings of our Special Events.



Our Special Event for May is our Tropical Night which will be the 18th of May. We would enjoy having any dancers who are free, to join with us for a really fun night of dancing.

Then, of course, on May 2, we plan to attend Dance O Rama. We always look forward to meeting all the new dancers, and of course, all the older dancers, too.

It is always a good idea to give us a call when you plan to join us, as sometimes the VA needs to use the auditorium, which is where we dance, and then we move to a different area at the VA.

See you in a Square!

Information:

585-762-9084 (Nancy) (716) 517-6012 (Bill Ryan) Reporter, Nancy Fincher

#### Belles' N' Beaus

Our regular dances are beginning at 7:00 rather than 7:30 for the rest of the year. Gary & Alice Bubel will be our guest caller & cuer on April 13. On April 20, our cooks are bring-



ing out their special dessert recipes for our homemade dessert auction. I personally know of a fantastic homemade cheesecake that is coming, but there will be many more great desserts for you to bid on. On May 4, we will be ending our dance year with an ice cream social for your enjoyment.

We did hold a class this year for newcomers and seven people have graduated and are enjoying the fun of square dancing. For our part of the "stimulus package" we are inviting guests to come and dance with us for half price through the end of April, so we hope to see a lot of you there.

Information:

585-227-1894 (Bob & Alice Hager)

Reporter, Joanne Ligtenberg

#### **Boo Bull Rounds**

By the time this goes to press, Gary and I expect to have returned from Hawaii, rested and ready to begin dancing again.

The club completed cha-cha and rumba lessons. We had a great class and a lot of fun. Throughout April we will be reviewing the chacha and rumba steps and just have fun practicing them.

In May we will begin our two-step class. Please see the ad in this issue.

We hope to see you all on the dance floor. The classes are from 7:00 to 8:30 and club dances from 8:30 to 9:45. Come and join us for a night of fun and fellowship.

Information: 585-538-9887

Reporter, Alice Bubel

#### **Boo Bull Squares**

Alice and I expect to be ready to get back to dancing after returning from a great time in Hawaii.

We may have had a cold winter but we have stayed warm dancing and being with our friends. However, we are glad to have most of the winter behind us.



Rounds

We are looking forward to seeing new dancers, the snow birds, and all our other friends joining us for this spring/ summer dancing season.

Come and join us for an evening of fun, fellowship and exercise.

Information: 585-538-9887

Reporter, Gary Bubel

Clubs: please plan your events in a timely manner so that your reporters do not have trouble meeting publication deadlines. There are only six each year, and they occur the 1st of each odd month, preceding our publication dates. They are: Jan. 1, Mar. 1, May 1, July 1, Sept. 1, and Nov. 1.

# Boo Bull Rounds

Dance Schedule for

# APRIL AND MAY, 2009



# **April 1, 8, 15, 22, 29 Rumba/Cha Review**

Time: 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Club Dancing 8:30 to 9:45 p.m.

# May 6, 13, 20, 27 Two-Step Lessons

Time: 7:00 to 8:30 p.m.

Club Dancing 8:30 to 9:45 p.m.

Cost: \$4/person per week



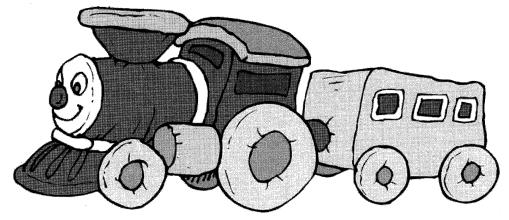
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#### Cayuga Cut Ups

We had a nice Valentine's Day Dinner and Dance. We had guests John and Gloria from Geneva, along with Dick and Mary Lee Schweitzer.



We honor the memory of Marion Quigg, who passed away Jan.

31, 2009, at the age of 97. She was an honorary member of our club. She also had danced with the Geneva Friendship Squares and the Senior Silhouettes of Geneva.

We wish all of you a happy Easter.

Information: 315-253-4141

315-253-4141 or 315-776-8642 Reporters,

Gene Miles & Carol Carter 315-685-5397

#### **Cloverleaf Squares**

Congratulations to our Cloverleaf Squares class! Please see the entire list of graduates in this issue of the *Promenader*. We have a large enthusiastic class this year. We look forward to celebrating their graduation on April 26, and



having them join us at DOR on May 2. Many thanks to the

patient, dedicated, kind and helpful Angels.

In February, two squares of Cloverleafs dressed in red, white and blue, "stole" into the Silver Squares President's Day Dance to retrieve our banner. While we were there, we nabbed their banner as well. Please contact our Banner Stealing Chairman, Colleen Vogt at 672-5568, or Carl DeGraff at 663-0737, if your club plans to retrieve your banner.

Thank you to all of those who joined us at our 39th Anniversary St. Patrick's Day Dance. The donations on non-perishable food items for the Greece Ecumenical Food Shelf were especially appreciated.

On Saturday April 25, don't miss the Tri-Club dance hosted by the Cloverleaf Squares, Country Twirlers and Village Squares. Dick Schweitzer will be calling and Mark Thone will be cuing at the Washington Irving School.

On May 3, we start our summer schedule with Plus teach starting at 7 p.m., dancing to Plus teach level from 8 p.m. to 9 p.m., and full plus dancing from 9 p.m. to 10 p.m. There will be rounds between tips from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. In June, we expect to be moving to our summer location at the air-conditioned Henrietta Fireman's Hall.

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# TRI-CLUB DANCE

Calling: Dick Schweitzer



Cueing: Mark Thone

# Saturday, April 25, 2009

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Donations: Couples \$10.00 Singles \$5.00

# Washington Irving School 2400 Chili Ave.

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Information: 585-381-5049



Information: 585-663-0737

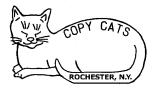


Information: 585-247-7259



#### **Copy Cats**

We are definitely looking forward to spring, but Copy Cats have been making the best of winter by enthusiastic dancing



and winter partying. Our winter party on February 8 provided wonderful food, dancing to the calling of Tom Mallory, good friends, and a variety of indoor games. We also enjoyed a repeat visit from Ken Ritucci on February 7 as we danced to his excellent calling.

We will try to welcome spring at our Spring Fling on April 4. Todd Fellegy will return to call for us and Mary Hinkle will cue. We continue a Copy Cat tradition with our Train Dance called by Don Yosten on April 18. Wear train clothes if you wish. Both these dances will begin at 7:30 and will be held at the First Baptist Church on 1862 Penfield Road in Penfield. Look for the Copy Cats sign at the entrance to the parking lot.

It doesn't seem possible, but we will be ending our regular dance season on May 9 with our Trails End dinner and dance. Please note that the dance is a week earlier than usual. We will begin at 6:00 with a picnic supper. Please bring a dish to pass. Then Mike Callahan will call and cue the evening away. This event will take place at the Dolomite Lodge in the Veterans Memorial Park. The Lodge is easily accessible from Jackson Road, north of Atlantic on the right if you are driving north.

Our Trails End dance marks the end of our scheduled dance season for 2008-09. Watch the *Promenader* for news of our 2009-10 season. In the meantime there will be many opportunities to dance during the summer months in order to improve and hold onto our dancing skills. Keep reading your *Promenader* for places, dates, and times to dance this summer.

Information: 585-377-5655

Reporters,
John and Claire Benesch

#### **Country Twirlers**

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Betty & Andy as Betty struggles thru the chemo and radiation treatments. We wish nothing but a complete recovery for this couple who have done so much for square dancing in the Rochester Federation.



Our only scheduled dance in April will be our Annual

Tri-Club Dance on April 25 with the Cloverleaf Squares and the Village Squares. Mark Thone will start the evening with rounds at 7:30. We know many of you enjoy Mark's cueing, so come early for this round dance party.

Dick Schweitzer from Auburn, N.Y., will be calling the squares. Dick has not been in this area for a while so we hope to see many of our friends from all over western New York.

Dig out those grass skirts and fancy shirts and join us for our last dance of the season on May 9. It's Hawaiian Night at Country Twirlers with Gary & Alice calling and cueing. To help you cool off, you can enjoy a make-it-yourself ice cream sundae!

By now classes have ended, so we WELCOME ALL NEW DANCERS to our party.

The Country Twirlers are looking forward to celebrating the clubs 50th Anniversary in the fall. Mark your calendars for November 14, 2009 with Gary & Alice. Watch for more details in future issues of the *Promenader*.

Have a Blessed Easter or Passover.

See ya'll at D-O-R.

Happy Dancing!

Information: 585-247-7259 Reporters, Ken & Kay Georger

#### **Dalton Gang**

The Dalton Gang is sad to report the sudden death of Arliss Ransom on Jan. 15, 2009. Arliss and his wife, Mary, were charter members



of the Dalton Gang when it was formed in 1972. He was a faithful member of the club for over 30 years. He continued to dance for several years after Mary was unable to do so. One of the things he regularly did was teach new dancers how to do the "Buzz step" when swinging. Arliss knew how to swing, and make it fun. Every woman in the club enjoyed dancing with him because he made it so easy, so smooth, and you felt like you had wings on your feet. Arliss not only was an active square dancer, but also enjoyed Contra and other types of folk dancing. He will be greatly missed by the Dalton Gang.

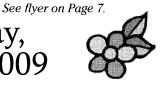
We did not dance in Feb but did gather on March 3 to enjoy Mike Herne's calling. Weather and other things permitting, we will once more be dancing regularly.

Information: 585-476-5919

Reporter, Lyne Boris



Saturday, May 2, 2009

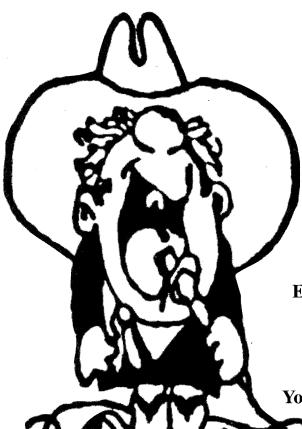


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#### Dancing Shadows

Dancing Shadows is an intermediate level (Phase 3-4) club that meets every Monday evening at the First United Methodist Church of West Webster. 570 Old Ridge Road. (See schedule in back of this issue for specific dates.)

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We dance a combined program of

Phase III and Phase IV with emphasis on Phase IV instruction. Dress is comfortable/casual.

Mark and Marlene will be participating in DOR on Saturday, May 2. We hope to see all of you there.

Please note: Beginning with the first dance in April (April 6) the time will change for the summer. We will be dancing from 8:00-10:30.

Information: 585-226-8984

Reporters:

Marlene and Mark Thone

#### Finger Lakes Squares

Schedule note: If you have not been attending regularly, or would like to attend a dance as a guest, please call before 3:00 p.m. to confirm that we are dancing.



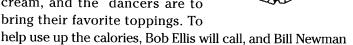


Reporters, Sue & Chick Wolfe

#### Friendship Squares of Geneva

Well, Spring is just around the corner as this edition goes to press. It is time to think of something cold! It is the ice cream at our annual Ice Cream Night on May 15. The club provides the ice cream, and the dancers are to bring their favorite toppings. To





will cue. Our other dances will occur on April 3 and 24 and on May 8. A business meeting will shorten the May 8 dance a little. We dance at West Street School, 30 West Street in Geneva. Go north on West Street from 5 & 20 near Friend-

ly's.

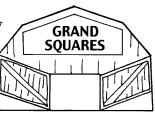
Place Sunday, July 19, 2009, on your calendars. Ray Taylor will call and Bill Newman will cue for a special dance at the American Legion in Geneva, N.Y. Early rounds will be from 1:30 to 2:00 p.m. with 2X2s from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. A full-page ad will appear in the next PROMENADER. See you there!

Information: 315-789-0013

Reporter, **Ed Woodams** 

#### **Grand Squares**

Spring is here! We can finally anticipate an evening of dancing without dodging patches of ice and changing from boots. And with daylight savings time, you can even find



Roth Middle School before dark. Once there you'll find plenty of chances to load the boat and spin the top with Mike Callahan and perhaps do some fancy stepping with line dances by Terry.

We have had several couples who have not been dancing due to illness or other circumstances and we really miss them. So before our regular dance on April 16, we will meet at FDR's for dinner. Even if dancing is not possible, we hope they can join us for dinner.

We are looking forward to seeing all of our dancing friends and meeting the new graduates at the DOR on May 2, and are filling our basket with lots of treasures. Our club will be dancing until May 21, with a couple weeks off in April. Why not take a drive out to dance with us some Thursday evening.

Information: 585-533-9241

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We are a Gay and Lesbian square dance group, but open to all. We dance every Monday at 7:00 p.m. at the MCC Church at 740 Marshall Rd., Rochester, New York 14624. For more information, call Matt 520-5358 or Bob 467-6456. Call first to see if we are dancing that night; sometimes we need Angels.



Information:

585-520-5358 (Matt)

Reporter, **Bob Daniels** 

#### Lock City Curly Q's

The Lock City Curly Q's dance Thursday evenings, 7:30 to 9:30, at the Lockport Senior Center, 33 Ontario St., in downtown Lockport.

In April we will not dance on the 9th, Maundy Thursday. We have only one special theme night, the 23rd, our Muffin Mania night. Come and enjoy a great selection of muffins and spreads.

May is a busy month with our Mother's Day Dance on the 7th, a Pizza Night on the 14th, and a Patriots Dance on the 21st, in keeping with Memorial Day. Wear a combination of red, white and blue for Patriots Night.

We would be delighted to see you!

Information:

Reporters,

(716) 434-9830

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#### **Round Towners**

Round Towners is an Easy Level Round Dance club. We meet every Thursday evening at the First United Methodist Church of West Webster, 570 Old Ridge



Road, West Webster. (See schedule in back for specific exclusions).

We dance primarily Phase II with some Phase III. This club is especially geared towards the new dancer who has completed basic lessons and others who would

like to brush up their basic skills and/or who enjoy dancing at the easy level. If you are not getting enough round dancing at your square dances or if you are just looking for some fun and friendship, come out and join us. Dress is casual/comfortable. We are looking forward to seeing you on Thursday nights.

A very Happy Birthday to Luke Whicomb on May 20. Mark and Marlene will be participating in DOR on Saturday, May2. We hope to see all of you there.

Please note: Beginning with the first dance in April (April

2) the time will change for the summer. We will be dancing from 8:00-10:30.

Information: 585-226-8984 Reporters:

Marlene and Mark Thone

#### Silver Squares

Spring is on its way. Join us for our April Showers dance on April 20.

Silver Squares

Bring your umbrella. You might want to wear spring flowered dresses and shirts.

On May 11, we will have our annual Lilac Dance. It is a free dance for all visitors. Bring some extra money for our silent auction. There will be baked goods, hand crafts, and white elephant items.

There is no dance on Memorial Day, May 25.

Both Copy Cats and Cloverleafs have retrieved their banners and have taken ours. It was good to have so many visitors. We will be stealing again soon.

We have mourned the deaths of two of our dancers, Jane Avery and Alice Fegan. We will miss them.

Information:

585-342-8472

(Ed Esmay)

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#### Southern Tier Wheelers

Of course, the STW's do not dance during the winter months; however, it is not to early to start dreaming of those fun summer weekends, and this article should be of special interest for those of you that are NOT already members of our fun group. You see, in addition to being members of the Rochester Area Federation, we are also members of NSDCA.

That mouth full translates to the National Square Dance Campers Association, a volunteer organization devoted to the betterment of camping and Square Dancing. Between now and the end of the 2009 camping season, as a promotional thing, the NSDCA is offering a free \$20 camping coupon, for use by non-NSDCA members. Our Chapter President(s), Ed and Sybil Briggs are placing a copy of this offer in this issue of the promenader - and you can feel free to make copies for friends to join you.

This offer is good for any NSDCA member club, but of course it is our hope that you might choose to join us. All of our camp outs are at the Camp Bell Campground, 8700 SR 415, Campbell, NY 14821 (visit www.campbellcampground.com).

Our Dance/Camp out Schedule for 2009 is for the following weekends: May 29-31, June 19-21, July 10-12, Aug 14-16, Sept 11-13, and Oct 9-12...a long weekend. Contact any of the following Club Officers for further information: Ed & Sybil Brigs, Bill & Pat Mosher, Lash & Nancy LaRue, Shirley Atwell, Herb & Gerry Brown, Hank & Harlene Holzschu, Don & Debbie Bussell, Gary & Sue Irvine, and/or Irma and your friendly Roving Reporter.

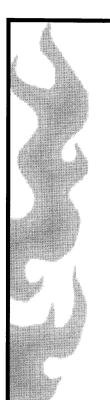
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#### Information:

Reporters,

585-594-9306 (Ed & Sybil Briggs) Dick and Irma Halstead Chapter 108, Southern Tier Wheelers

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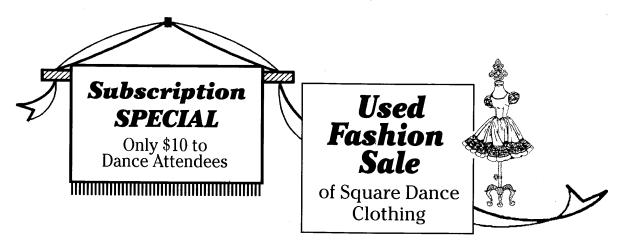
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#### Victor Swing-A-Longs

We will be having only two dances in April due to school closing for spring break. Our class is now almost ready to graduate. They are dancing with the club from 7:00 to 10:00. They have learned most



of the mainstream calls and will be ready to graduate on April 24. At present, Mike is calling a combination of main stream and plus tips.

Of course, we continue to enjoy rounds between square dance tips. In preparation for DOR, we will have an evening of reviewing. Class members from other clubs are welcome to join us. Mike will review any calls (mainstream or plus) that are requested from the floor. All are welcome.

Happy Dancing from the Swing-A-Longs.

Information:

Reporter,

585-924-6991 (Ann & Mike Herne) 585-924-2273 (Aline & Ralph Kingsley)

315-986-7727 (Nancy Jennings)

Aline Kingsley

#### Village Squares

Village Squares are looking forward to an exciting spring with our continuing plus workshop at 7 p.m., now featuring DBD (dancing by definition) calls, our April



25 Tri-Club Dance with Cloverleafs and Country Twirlers, and our always entertaining Amateur Caller Night, Wednesday, May 20.

Jerry Carmen already has been slipping quite a bit of DBD into the plus workshop so, almost without noticing, we are much more comfortable now when we find we're dancing in an unusual position. In addition to the DBD workshop, calling squares, cueing rounds and line dances, our Jerry of all trades has agreed to do a hot hash tip every week. He might start the evening with it; it might come right after announcements. Whenever he throws it at us, he guarantees that it will be fun. If you are apprehensive the first evening, just watch us breaking down and laugh: that will be fun, too.

It's not too soon to be thinking about participating in our amateur Caller Night. Where are the new callers going to come from? How about YOU? Whether you are a prospective new caller or just want to challenge yourself and see what it's like on the other side of the mike, here's your chance.

In addition to the honor, the winner gets to take home the grand prize, a large green frog (warts and all) with the winner's name forever immortalized on the frog's collar, along with previous winners Tom Turcotte, Ken Georger,

Bob Atkins, Gerry Schwartz, MJ Ebenhack, Chuck Meyer, and last year's winner, Gordon White. Since Gordon has moved out of town, the field will be wide open this year.

Jerry Carmen has offered to help with music and tip sheets, so it won't be as difficult as you might think. Jerry will loan you practice CDs with the music on one track and calls to that music on another.

If you would like more information or would like to sign up, call Gerry Schwartz (381-4696) or Peter or Sally Emmel (381-5049). You don't have to commit yourself right now but it's not too soon to start practicing.

The welcome mat is always out at Village Squares, where our visitors quickly become our friends. However, we particularly hope that you will join us on May 20 to cheer on the brave amateur callers and help us to crown the new 2009 Square Dance Federation Idol.

Information: 585-381-5049

Reporter, Sally Emmel

#### **Waterwheel Squares**

We are looking forward to "Spring in Buffalo" and the arrival of our snowbirds from Florida. Will Herzog of the Dalton Gang will be our guest caller on April 6. April 13 will be our Dyngus Day dance and also the 23rd Anniversary Dance of Waterwheel Squares.



April 27 will be our Hawaiian Dance and we always look forward to the colorful outfits worn by our dancers.

Our Clothing Sale will be May 4 and is a great way to get some new outfits at a reasonable price and benefit our club. Graduation for our new dancers will be on May 11. We will not dance on May 29 which is Memorial Day.

It is great to see Sis Schaefer back after her fall and we look forward to the day Sis can return to dancing.

Information: 716-877-4064

Reporter, Karin Brady





# TUMBLING LEAVES







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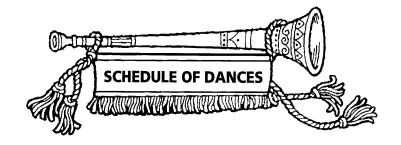
#### CONTACT INFORMATION: **RED BATES**

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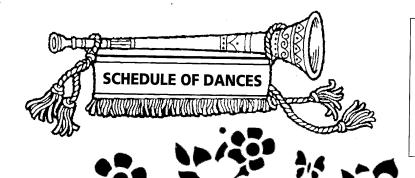
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- M .......Mainstream Program
  P .......Plus Program
  A2 ......Advanced 2 Program
  R ......Rounds between Tips
  H .......1/2 hour of Rounds at start of dance
- **W**......1/2 hour Workshop or Teach at start of dance
- **RDC**.....Round Dance Club (numbers following indicate levels)
- **RDP**......Round Dance Party (numbers following indicate levels)
- L....Line Dancing
- \*.....Classes Invited

  +....See Club News for
  more info.
- ^.....Visiting Cuer
- v.....Visiting Caller
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- **CA** ......Choice of Attire
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