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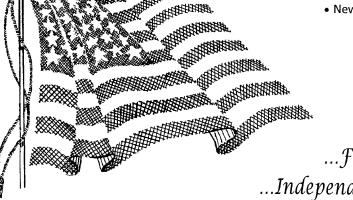
## CALENDAR of Coming Special Events

List early — your event stays in until it happens!

#### 2009

7/19Geneva Friendship Squar	esDance–Ray Taylor/Bill Newman	Sun
8/1Callers' Co-Op	Summer Sizzler Dance–10 Callers/5 Cuers	Sat
8/28-30Ken Ritucci	C-1 Blitz Weekend	Fri.–Sun.
	Red Bates A2 Weekend at Rockies	
	Fall Frolic (Watkins Weekend)–Ken Ritucci/Alice Bu	
	Promenader Benefit Dance	
	Northeast Callers School	
10/16-18	Bennington, Vermont Tumbling Leaves Festiva	alFriSun.
	py CatsDance with Joe Saltel/Mary Hinkle	
	Dance–Tim Crawford	
• 10/25Geneva/Penn Yan Friend	dship SquaresFLAC Fall Dance–Steven Jacques/Judy [	DoaneSun.
• 11/14Country Twirlers	50th Anniversary Dance–Gary & Alice Bubel	Sat.
	New Year's Eve-Hip Boot Boyz	
2010		
• 3/27Country Twirlers	Dance-Tim Crawford	Sat.
• 4/24Cloverleaf Squares, Cou		
and Village Squares	Tri-Club Dance-Roy & Betsy Gotta	Sat.
	Dance-O-Rama*	
	Promenader Benefit Dance	
	25th Anniv. Dinner Dance–Mike Callahan	
	Dance with Tim Marriner/Mary Hinkle	

- \*These dances invite class people.
  - New or changed listing.



Wishing All a Happy...
...Flag Day – the 14th of June

...Independence  ${\it Day-the\ 4th\ of\ July}$ 

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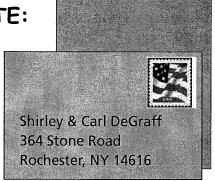
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#### PLEASE NOTE:

The Daphne-Norma Leadership Award recognizes continuing leadership efforts in the square dance community. Take a moment today to express



your thoughts about someone whom you feel is a deserving candidate. Send your note to our 2009 recipients, Shirley and Carl DeGraff, at the above address or at: cdegraff@juno.com.

#### About the Tromenader...

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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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

#### Presidents' Corner...





As we write our last column of our three-year term as Presidents, we report on the very successful DOR this year with 301 in attendance. Of that number, there were 34 dancers from outside the Rochester Area Federation. The comments were very favorable with the program and many of the new dancers commented how they enjoyed the dancing and how helpful everyone had been. Our dance community should be very proud. Thank you to all who helped make this event a success.

Our 50/50 at DOR gave out 7 prizes of one \$50, four \$25 and two \$20. The **baskets** again were very successful bringing in over \$1000. The winners were as follows (with the donor club noted):

- Copy Cats......Linda Woodward
   Friendship Squares.....Phil Schneider
   Village Squares.....Bob Gross
- 4. Cloverleaf Squares ......George Ahn

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5. Water Wheel Squares.	Dean Fincher
6. Dalton Gang	Joy Bookmiller
7. Victor Swing-a-Longs	Marion Kelly
8. Batavia Silver Stars	Bill Stephenson
9. Country Twirlers	Kim McNulty
10. Lilac Squares	Kendra Lee
11. Cayuga Cut-Ups	Gene Miles
12. Grand Squares	Jack Hole
13. Copy Kittens	Barb Green
14. Belles 'N' Beaus	Marge O'Shea
15. Silver Squares	Bill Schafer

As the Federation starts another year, the new officers will be: Barb Green and Sharon and Chuck Meyer as copresidents; Gail and Lou Trabalzi as vice presidents; Marge O'Shea as secretary; and Mary Ann Lane as treasurer.

It has been our pleasure serving the Rochester Area dance community.

George Ahn & Mary Lou Altman

Federation Presidents

#### **Federation Cabin Party** Sunday, March 29

Dick and Shirley White, from New Hampshire, vice presidents of the Eastern Region of USDA, were our special guests. They gave us an overview of USDA and danced with us. CCR provided the calling and cueing. Over 60 members of the Federation Clubs attended. The Federation provided the ham and everyone brought side dishes and desserts for a very enjoyable afternoon.



ABOVE: group picture of the attendees of the Cabin Party.

**RIGHT:** Back row: Federation officers Barb Green, George Ahn & Mary Lou Altman, Joe & Jan King, Chuck & Sharon Meyer, Marge O'Shea. Front row: Sally Baechle, Federation USDA Rep, and Dick and Shirley



annual recognition of someone in the

Town of Gates who has contributed to

#### Thank You from the Promenader

The Dance-O-Rama Committee announced at the May Federation meeting that they will be donating \$500 to the Promenader.

We are very grateful for this generous contribution toward helping us to continue to publish and communicate with the square dancing community in our region.

#### **Gates Lions Club Honors Ken and Kay Georger**

For almost 60 years, the Gates Lions Club has been a strong supporter of the Town of Gates community. They have donated and delivered food baskets at holiday times to those in the area that are in need, held Blood Drives for the American Red Cross, supported Hope Hall in ways too numerous to mention, annually funded scholarships to two seniors at Gates Chili High School, purchased eyeglasses for people who weren't able to afford them. helped at the Greenbriar House, helped build Gates Lions Park, adopted Elmgrove Road in the "Adopt-A-Highway" clean-up

the betterment of the Town through volunteering. This year, after careful consideration, the Board of Directors of the Gates Lions Club voted to honor Ken and Kay Georger as "Citizens of the Year" for the many contributions they have made to the Town of Gates by volunteering at the Gates Historical Society, Gates Senior Medical Transport Service, Gates Library, St. Helen's School, Holy Ghost Church and many

program, and performed many other charitable functions.

One of the events the Lions are most noted for is their

Their efforts were celebrated on Friday, May 8, at a dinner held at Rick's Prime Rib House, 898 Buffalo Road.

other local volunteer programs.

#### Best D-O-R Ever...

OK, so I have been known to exaggerate, but no matter how you slice it, Presidents Mary Lou and George, together with their hard-working and innovative staff, did one heck-of-a job with this one — and in spite of challenges that turned all of their plans upside down! At the last minute they discovered that the big gym, where everything historically happens, would not be available. The floor was being refinished!

Well, if you were there, then you know, like we do, that everything turned out just great: we were greeted by friendly staff and hugs at every turn; early rounds and squares co-existed with refreshments and the splendid array of donated baskets (thank you very much), all in the bright and sunny atrium-like dinning room, that was if anything too spacious until the later crowd showed up.

Meanwhile, in the new "Big Hall," The Hip Boot Boys were getting things cranking to a floor full of dancers, new and old. We met some new dancers from Oswego that dance with the Shirts and Skirts in my original "Home Town" of Fulton...and old friends from Buffalo, Hank and Harlene Holzschue. Marie and Larry Packer drove all the way up from Pennsylvania with Kenny and George Parcells from Bath, N.Y. Cayuga Cut Ups were knee deep, including our joined-at-the-hip friends, Andy and Kay Anderson.

When Dave Eno started his Introduction to "A" dancing, all of us fell in over in the multi purpose hall to enjoy his fine calling...and of course, Gary and Alice Bubel...and Jerry Carmen as he did double duty calling and cueing.

Our new Daphne Norma Leadership Award Winners are Carl and Shirley DeGraff; our congratulations to these good friends and fellow "A" dancers from Mike Callahan's Tuesday night Shamrock Squares.

Well, without stealing anyone else's thunder, let me just let me conclude with my thanks to everyone for the planning, for all the "doing," and to the rest of you for traveling from all over and, again, making this great "Happening," the best DOR we ever had.

...and a special thanks to the Copy Cats for graduating such a fun bunch of new dancers. Those were two great skits. Thank you very much ...and for those great Money

Baskets too. I am sure they added manyfold to our coffers. You always go the extra mile.

> Dick and Irma Halstead, Roving Reporters











#### ...The Grand Marchers Sparkled









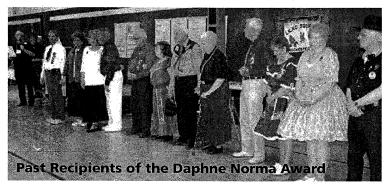


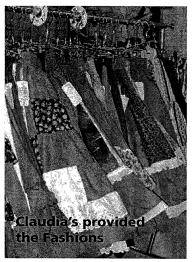






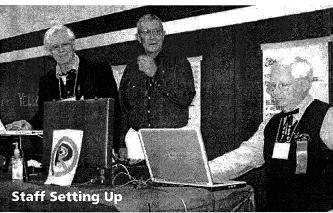
#### Ceremonies and Fashion Shopping Interlaced the Dancing Fun...











#### **NOW** is not too early to

think about your choice of a candidate for next year's
Daphne Norma Award! If you don't take the time to nominate them,
they could miss out.

The Daphne Norma Leadership Award is the way that our dancing community recognizes a couple or individual dancer who has demonstrated leadership for an extended period of time, furthering the cause of square and round dancing.

Leadership styles vary greatly as each person is different. But going that extra mile for the sake of other dancers, and of dancing itself, is something we want to recognize. If you know someone whom you feel stands out in their continuing service to square dancing and to others, please help us to celebrate and take note of them.

A person or persons who are service-minded on a club level often become service-minded on a federation and sometimes even a national level, and are also those who serve their community in general. So please tell us what you know about your nominee's participation in all activities.

If you don't know their life history... tell us as much as possible of what you do know. And possibly, others can fill in some of the information.

Now is a great time to act. Tell us who you think deserves this award. Send your nominations to Shirley & Carl DeGraff, 364 Stone Road, Rochester, NY 14616, or email to them at: cdegraff@juno.com.

#### **DeGraffs Named 2009 Daphne Norma Leadership Award Recipients**

An internet search yields the following list of qualities in that represent leadership in an individual: passion, humor, empathy, strength of character, general maturity, patience, wisdom, common sense, trustworthiness, reliability, creativity, sensitivity.

The 2009 recipients of the Daphne-Norma Award, Carl and Shirley DeGraff, have demonstrated sustained leadership in the Square Dance community at a local and national level, and continue to display the qualities mentioned above.

Carl has been dancing since 1962 when he joined Teen Twirlers. He participated in many activities with this group including dancing at New York's World's Fair in 1964. He has also danced with Lima Grand Squares, Swinging Singles, and Cloverleaf Squares and has held offices in the latter two. He is currently president

Shirley has been involved with square dancing for as long as she can remember. She was exposed to the activity at a very early age when her parents were members of Boots 'n Slippers. She took lessons when she was 13 and danced with Hilton Hillbillies teen square dance club, Shirts and Skirts in Chili, and Whisk-A-Ways in Greece. She also danced with her Dad at Boots 'n Slippers.

of Cloverleaf Squares.

After earning a bachelor's degree in Music Education, she joined Cloverleaf Squares where she met Carl. Shirley also belonged to Swinging Singles and has held many offices in both clubs over the years, including two years as Cloverleafs' president in 2004 and '05. She also attended a square dance leadership seminar in New Jersey in 2007.

Both Carl and Shirley served on committees when Cloverleaf Squares hosted the National Singles Dance-A-Rama, sponsored by Single Square Dancers USA in 1988 and again in 2006. Carl also serves presently as the By-laws chairman for the national organization, with Shirley as one of his committee members.

Carl and Shirley were married in 1988 and have continued to dance regularly for the 20 plus years of their marriage. They are very active with Cloverleaf squares and both angel consistently for class. At any dance, with any club, both are often found dancing with other partners to ensure that everyone present gets a chance to dance. Shirley dances both the ladies' and men's parts proficiently.

They travel often to square dance festivals and have missed only a few of the National Sin-

gles conventions that are held in a different city each year. Several years ago they added to their square dance skills by learning the Advanced calls and now dance regularly with Shamrock Squares as well.

Beyond square dancing, both Carl and Shirley are very active in their church. Carl has served as deacon, elder and for the last 10 years, has served as the church treasurer. Shirley has sung with the church choir, volunteered in the finance office, has also served as elder, and is currently serving as a deacon.

The 2009 Daphne-Norma Leadership Award committee has chosen Carl and Shirley as this year's recipients. They are true leaders in our square dance community in every respect.



#### Thank You

We would like to say Thank You to the dancers who nominated us and to the committee that selected us to be the 2009 recipients of the Daphne-Norma Leadership Award. It is an honor just to be considered for this special award, but when we were drawn out of the crowd and escorted to the front of the hall, it really was a surprise! It was a wonderful, happy experience to receive all your warm congratulations.

The candy dish has already started its travels. We look forward to dancing with you in a square somewhere. Square dancing truly is "friendship set to music."

THANK YOU ALL!!
Carl & Shirley DeGraff

#### In Memoriam: Lou Stevens

Bob and Lou met at the Silver Squares when they were both single. They married and started dancing with the Belles 'N' Beaus, where they were vice presidents in 1998-2000, and presidents in 2001 and 2002. They were Federation vice presidents in 2000 & 2001, and then presidents in 2002 & 2003, and served on the DOR committee for seven years. Bob and Lou were behind the effort of getting the month of September declared Square Dance Month in Monroe County.

In recent years, the Stevens divided their time between New York and Florida. They usually left for Clearwater, Fla., after they celebrated Christmas with their children who lived in the

Rochester area, and then stayed in Clearwater through April. The Stevens maintained a lovely two bedroom condominium which was situated on a golf course right in Clearwater, and they spent many hours on that course. This year they belonged to a golf league and were taking golf lessons. They often frequented the local YMCA, and Lou was taking line dance classes as well. For the first five or six years that they spent time in Clearwater, they also square danced.

Lou would have been 75 in June, and that was their anniversary month as well. The accident happened on April 14, and despite the fact that they had a substantial car (Lincoln Town Car), Lou was killed instantly when the speeding car (police estimated 90-100 mph) hit her side



of the car. That car then flipped over the top of the Steven's car and rolled several times after that. We know from driving with him many times that Bob is an excellent, careful driver. Their condominium gate keeper who saw the entire accident said they never had a chance to get out of the way. They were turning left into their home driveway, and the speeding car came from behind a slow moving car. The possibility exists that neither of them ever saw it. Lou's passing was instantaneous. Bob was on a respirator and heavily sedated after the accident, hav-

ing suffered broken ribs, punctured lung, broken vertebrae, and a crushed pelvis. It will be some time before any decision will be made on how to honor Lou's passing.

Lou had been Bob's right-hand-woman, in that she was his secretary in his law office, and did specialized work in that area for him. They loved square dancing, and put their whole hearts into the Belles 'N' Beaus and the Federation work. Lou was truly close to her daughters and their families, and often would come home from Florida for a week or so if one of the grandchildren was doing something special in school, etc. They were family people.

Lou was invariably kind and generous, and friendly to anyone who approached her. We will surely miss her.

-Excerpted from notes by Dave & Korleen Hanning

#### "On the Road" with Mike Callahan

Although I don't travel quite as much as some callers, I have done my share. Once in awhile, a caller has a great experience that he/she just has to share with other callers and dancers.

On April 25, 2009, I called for the Gateway Gliders Spring Festival. The Gateway Gliders dance in North Bay, Ontario, Canada about 250 miles due north of Toronto. The unique thing about the Gateway Gliders is that they don't have a caller, in fact, there are no callers that live in that area at all! The club is run by Ken & Joyce Brenner, who use every square dance tape, CD, and record that they can get their hands on for their club. They have over 20 peo-

ple in a new class. They also have a Plus night and even a group that is working on some A-1. I have sent them some teaching and workshop tapes in the past.

The dance was an afternoon workshop/evening dance. I even called an hour early for their beginners group. A group of dancers from Sudbury, Ontario (an hour and a half northwest of North Bay) also came to the dance. Their

club is called the Northern Lights and, you know what? They don't have a caller either! They do have three squares of new dancers taking lessons in someone's garage. So here I was calling for 12 squares of people who have no caller but you would never know it the way they could

dance. I even had people come to meet me because I taught them to dance through tapes and they had never met me! It was an awesome experience. When a real live caller comes to their area, it is a huge event. Square dancing in that area is kept alive by dedicated dancers and folks who love our activity. They drive hundreds of miles for a dance or to take a lesson.

How many times have we heard people say that it is just too long a drive from Chili to Victor or from Greece to Penfield or from Webster

to Auburn to go dancing? Dancers in this area are very fortunate to have the dedicated callers, cuers and dance leaders that we do have. So next time you dance to your caller or cuer, tell them how much you appreciate the enjoyment that they give you. Above all, encourage the new callers. They are the future of square dancing.



#### **Batavia Silver Stars**

Finally our cold weather is over with. In June, on the 22nd, will be our T-Shirt Dance. We get all kinds of T-Shirts. Funny, sexy, cute, you



name it, we've got it. Join us and wear your favorite T-Shirt. We will not be dancing July 27, our club likes to take one night off just to play games and have fun. This year we will be at the home of Leon & Becky Perry.

So far, we have nothing Special planned for August, so come and help us any or all the Monday Dances at the VA Medical Center in Batavia. We want to thank everyone who came to our Leprechaun Twirl. It was lots of fun, the Chinese Auction was supported by everyone and we had enough food for an army. Don't forget the Promenader Dance in September.

Have a wonderful and healthy year.

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585-762-9084 (Nancy)

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#### Belles 'N' Beaus

Our last dance for the spring and summer was held on May 4, with an ice cream social being the featured event. Most of our dancers will spend the summer traveling



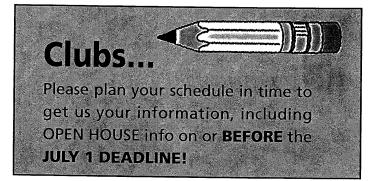
and enjoying outdoor activities. Our club dances will begin again in September.

Information:

585-227-1894 (Bob & Alice Hager)

Reporter,

Joanne Ligtenberg



#### **Boo Bull Rounds**

We completed the Rumba and Cha lessons and had a great time!

We began our two-step class in May. Everyone is enjoying themselves while learning to dance. If you want to brush up on the step, you are welcome to join the class anytime. Class is 7:00-8:30.

The club has had a lot of fun dancing phase 2 & 3 level. We continue to look at Phase 3 movements and review.

Come and join us sometime and enjoy dancing, fun, and fellowship!

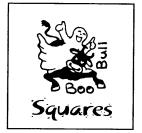
Information: 585-538-9887

Reporter, Alice Bubel

#### **Boo Bull Squares**

Summer is finally here and our snow birds are returning. We are happy to see them all!.

We will began the plus workshop the beginning of May. We look forward to seeing all the new dancers in the Rochester area and



Rounds

provide them with some fun times while learning the plus movements.

Please come and join us some Tuesday night.

Information: 585-538-9887

Reporters,

Gary & Alice Bubel

#### Boo Bull DBD Club

Exciting news! We are beginning a new DBD (dancing by definition) club on Monday nights at The Church of the Good Shepherd, 3318 East Henrietta Road. This dancing is for people who know the plus movements. We are really looking forward to teaching DBD and hope all will come and join us.

Information: 585-538-9887

Reporters, Gary & Alice Bubel



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#### Cayuga Cut Ups

Our thoughts and prayers go to Bob and Lou Stevens' families. We pray for a speedy recovery for Bob. We will miss Lou's beautiful smile. She always made everyone feel welcome. We will not forget her.



We enjoyed the calling and cueing of the Hip Boot Boyz for our steak roast dinner dance. Thank you to all our club members who worked together so well.

We will have our 4th of July Dish to Pass on June 25. Please join us if you can.

On April 23, we had guests Jerry and Donna Rodney from Gainesville, Florida. They are trying to dance in 50 states so they can receive their travelers' badge. They will be attending the Nationals in California.

Wishing all of you a "Happy Father's Day" and a safe and happy 4th of July. Have a nice summer. We still dance all summer. Join us any Thursday evening.

Information: 315-253-4141 or 315-776-8642

Reporters, Gene Miles & Carol Carter 315-685-5397

#### **Cloverleaf Squares**

June is here and we will be moving to our summer location at the air-conditioned Henrietta Fire Hall (corner of Lehigh Station Road and E. Henrietta Road beginning June 7. Summer hours are 7 p.m. to 10 p.m., with Plus teach starting at 7 p.m. dancing to Plus teach level for



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 8pm to 10pm.

Our graduation ceremony in April was a huge success and we hope that all our graduates will be joining us to dance at our summer location and learn the plus calls. We have a great group of graduates and want to congratulate all of them. We know it has been a long year, but we hope that our class members found it worthwhile and a lot of fun.

We had a great turnout for our St. Patrick's Day Dance at Deacon Hall, and we want to thank all those class and club members from Cloverleafs and other clubs who came out to dance and celebrate our Anniversary with us. As a result of your generous support, 214 pounds of non-perishable food was contributed to the Greece Ecumenical Food Shelf Inc. for those in need. Demand has been up this year at food pantries due to the economic situation, so your donations were very appreciated!!!

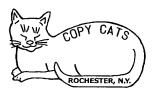
Check our Information Line for updates on events — or our website at www.cloverleafsquares.org.

Information line: 585-987-5972

Reporter, Teresa Gianni

#### **Copy Cats**

Our regular dance season for 2008-09 has come to a close. Our "Kittens" graduated in style just in time for



DOR 2009. They have all worked extremely hard to acquire the skill required to dance the mainstream calls. We congratulate them for all their hard work, their enthusiasm, and their accomplishments. We have invited them to continue coming to class on Tuesday evenings until the end of the school year in order to begin learning the plus calls. We also encourage them to continue learning the plus calls at the many dance opportunities that are available during the summer months as our dances are plus dances so they will need these skills in order to dance with us in the fall. We thank Ron Brown for his excellent instruction and our faithful "angels" who come weekly to help our class members.

Our summer picnic/meeting will take place Tuesday, August 11, at the White House Lodge in Webster Park. More information will follow.

This is the last issue of the *Promenader* for which we will be writing the news. Our term as secretaries is coming to an end. We thank the Promenader staff for all their help these last two years. We welcome our new secretaries, Gordon and Marcia McDugle, and wish them well as they take over. Our treasurer, Jerry Treuthart, will also be retiring after two years and Bob Gross will take over the treasurer's position. We thank Jerry for his service. The rest of the board remains the same for 2009-10.

Thanks to all who have supported our dances and events for 2008-09. Keep reading the *Promenader* for information on our schedule for 2009-10. Please come dance with us!

Information: 585-377-5655

Reporters,
John and Claire Benesch

#### Thank You ...

The *Promenader* wishes to thank Cloverleaf Squares for including some of the fashions from our Promenader Dance in the clothing sale at their Free Dance on March 15, and raising an additional \$55 for our operating expenses.



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#### **Country Twirlers**

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make the Rochester area the strongest in the state.

Where would we be without our *PROMENADER*? Thanks to Betty and Andy Ludwick who have managed to continue publishing in spite of health problems. Thanks also to Mike and Ann Herne who took over as subscription editors after the tragic death of Dorothy Woodams.

The Country Twirlers are looking forward to fall 2009, when we will be celebrating the club's 50th Anniversary. Mark your calendars for November 14, 2009.

We are confident that Tim Crawford will be able to be with us again and so we have him scheduled for October 24, 2009 and also on March 27, 2010.

Our Tri-Club dance with Cloverleaf Squares and Village Squares will be on April 14, 2010 with Roy and Betsy Gotta.

Our thoughts and prayers go out to Bob Stevens at the loss of his lovely wife, Lou. We pray for his complete recovery. We were privileged to work with Bob & Lou on the D-O-R committee for seven years and enjoyed their friend-

ship for many years. Rest in Peace, Lou!

Have a safe summer!

Information: 585-247-7259

Reporters, Ken & Kay Georger

#### **Dalton Gang**

We are looking forward to Summer Sounds, whether it be happy voices of children out of school, the early morning bird chorus or Will and



Muriel playing the song, "Summer Sounds," for us to dance to. The Dalton Gang will be dancing twice a month in June and July in the basement of the Methodist Church in Dalton, which is both near the school and cool — without the sound of an air conditioner to compete with our caller. I know summer is busy; it is also a good time to introduce guests and family or friends to the joys of square dancing. We would be happy to see you in Dalton on Tuesday eve, perhaps after a day at Letchworth State Park, which is only a few miles away from Dalton.

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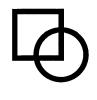
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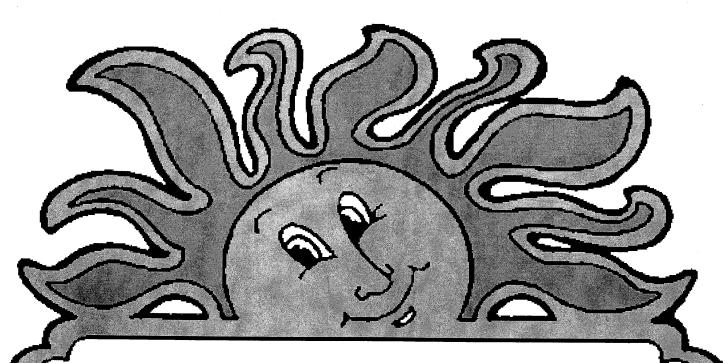


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#### **Dancing Shadows**

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.)



We dance a combined program of Phase III and Phase IV with emphasis on Phase IV instruction. Dress is comfortable/casual.

NOTE: Dates listed after mid-July are subject to cancellation. Cancellations will be addressed in advance during club announcements, so if you do not dance with us regularly and are considering coming mid to late July, please call first.

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

There will be a Special Dance on July 19 at the American Legion in Geneva. Ray Taylor will call, and Bill Newman will cue for your midsummer dancing pleasure. See the ad in this issue of the *Promenader*. The Legion is located on Route 14, just south of Geneva.



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The special Fall Frolic Weekend will occur on Sept. 18-20 at Clute Park in Watkins Glen. Ken Ritucci and Gary Bubel will share the calling, and Alice Bubel will do the cueing. This will be a memorable weekend. An ad will appear in the next issue of the *Promenader*.

Have a great Summer!

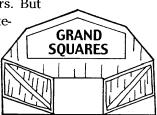
Information: 315-789-0013

Reporter, Ed Woodams

#### **Grand Squares**

The past dancing season has been a challenging one with the last minute loss of our regular dancing location, the need to adjust to new surroundings twice (George even nicknamed us the Gypsy Squares), and the absence of sev-

eral of our regular club members. But on a more positive note, we gratefully welcomed several members of our 2008 graduating class into our ranks — thanks for sticking with us! We are also most grateful to Mike Cal-



lahan for his superb calling and cueing and to Terry for her stimulating line dancing, to those who took the time to find out where we were dancing and to visit us on one or more evenings (Thank you, Don and Andy!) and especially to our established members who have helped keep the club going by their presence and contributions throughout the year.

We are looking forward, even if a bit hesitatingly, to the 2009-2010 season. With the expectation of a regular dance site, we are again contemplating starting a class for beginning or refreshing dancers. So keep Thursday evenings available for the fall and try to line up some new dancers to join the festivities. With our 50th anniversary approaching in 2010, we have something to look forward to in the future. Stay tuned and have a great summer!

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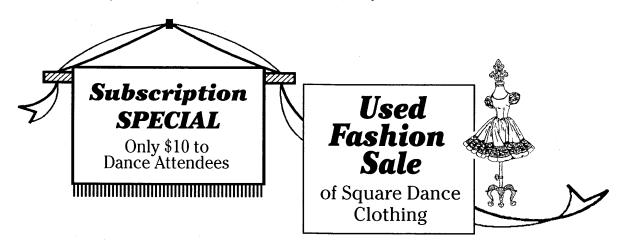
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#### Lilac Squares

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.

On June 4, we will usher in the summer season with our first Sundae Social. Then on the 18th we will honor all our fellows by observing Father's Day.

July 2 will be our Firecracker Dance so, of course, wear your patriotic colors. On July 9, we will enjoy some bingo, with prizes, between squares and rounds. Then on the 23rd we'll cool off with another refreshing Sundae Social.

The welcome mat is always out!

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 Phase II waltz and twostep and are also doing some basic cha cha, tango, rumba and fox trot. This club is especially geared towards the new dancer who has had some basic lessons and others who would like to brush up on their basic skills and/or who enjoy dancing at the easy level. So, 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.

NOTE: Dates listed after mid-July are subject to cancellation. Cancellations will be addressed in advance during club announcements, so if you do not dance with us regularly and are considering coming mid to late July, please call first.

Information:

Reporters:

585-226-8984

Marlene and Mark Thone

#### **Silver Squares**

It's summertime. We will be dancing every Monday throughout the summer. Silver Squares

Come and enjoy dancing

with us. We are dancing at the Greece United Methodist Church at 1924 Maiden Lane. That is just east of Long Pond Road.

We have been busy stealing banners. In March and April, we stole a banner from Copy Cats and Cloverleafs. When you come to steal our banner or if a group of 8 or more dancers come together, we will offer a discount and charge only \$4 per dancer.

Our annual picnic will be on June 29 at the Memorial Park in Gates. If you would like to join us, please contact Will Minges.

July 13 is our annual Ice Cream Social. Dancing is free to all visitors.

Please bring \$1 for the ice cream.

Information: 585-328-1758 Reporters, Jim & Sally Lee

(Will Minges)

#### Southern Tier Wheelers

Perhaps you have noticed that as members of the Rochester Area Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs, that our dance dates are included in the Master Schedule of Area Dances, conveniently located at the back of the

*Promenader.* I always go right to those pages when we are looking for a little extra fun. Like with all of our area clubs, you are always welcome.

Notice that early rounds start at 7:30. I also hasten to point out that we have workshops and all kinds of fun activities throughout the day, that typically start with a FREE breakfast! If you want the details, call the Host for the weekend. Club officers share these duties. The Camp Hosts for June are Lash and Nancy LaRue, 607-583-2016 or (nancylarue@yahoo.com); the Host for July is Shirley Atwell, 585-225-3418 (satwell11@rochester.rr.com).

Or, just show up to dance and have fun with a beautiful wooden floor-full of your friends. Be careful though, you may have so much fun you will want to join us...now we would love that!

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Information:

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#### Victor Swing-A-Longs

Victor Swing-A-Longs will have no dances in June and July. We thank all the guests who have come to our dances during this past season. We have enjoyed dancing with them and appreciate their sup-



port. We wish everyone a wonderful summer.

#### Information:

585-924-6991 (Ann & Mike Herne) 585-924-2273 (Aline & Ralph Kingsley) 315-986-7727 (Nancy Jennings)

#### Reporter.

Aline Kingsley

#### Village Squares

If you are reading this before our Trail's End dance Wednesday, June 3, consider yourself invited: 6:00 p.m. for fellowship, pot-luck at 6:30 p.m., dance at 7:30 p.m. We'd love to have you.



The end of each dance year has a degree of poignancy. Yes, we had a lot of great dances. We met new dancers and made new friends. We hope our next dance year will be similar, but, life being what it is, we know it won't be the same.

So, before the moment is gone, a snapshot for posterity is in order. To Jerry Carmen, our caller and cuer, we offer our enthusiastic applause. You have done more for us and to us than we had any right to expect. Club officers? First, it should be pointed out that what makes or breaks a club are not the officers, but those who voluntarily pitch in to make the many, many parts of a successful dance season come together. To name a few: federation reps, book sellers, dance sponsors, hall decorators, hospitality, sunshine, and those who physically adjust the hall for dancing. Thank you all, with the emphasis on all. Club officers? A few must have the temerity to accept these weighty titles, but, with the support our officers have enjoyed, the fun and fellowship of office can far outweigh the work involved. Let's put it this way: Have you signed the petition for term limits?

In the August/September issue of the Promenader, we will be laying out our programs for the new dance year. We are again sponsoring the Hip Boot Boyz New Year's Eve Dance. Mark your calendars.

One other dance to which you are invited, especially if you have ever danced with Village Squares, is the club's 35th anniversary celebration. Watch for the date and further details.

Information: 585-381-5049

Reporter, Carl and Susan Thomas

#### Waterwheel Squares

Spring is here and our snowbirds are gradually returning from Florida, and we are very happy to see them.

Our Election of Officers will be held on June 8; anyone interested in being an officer please see Judy or Al Prell. Our Flag Day dance will be Monday, June 15.



For the months of June, July and August, we will be dancing at the St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church on Eagle Street at the corner of N. Ellicott in Williamsville. Maps will be available at Waterwheels and we danced there last year.

There will be "NO" dancing on Monday, July 6, for Waterwheel Squares as the church is not available that night even though our schedule does list an Independence Day Dance. Our summer picnic dance will be held on Monday, July 13.

Information: 716-877-4064

Reporter, Karin Brady

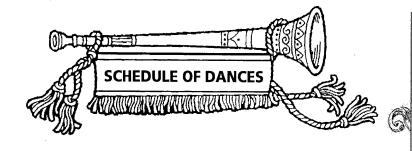
#### The Daphne-Norma Candy Dish

is passed on by former recipients of the Daphne-Norma Leadership Award to each new recipient as a symbol of hospitality and camaraderie that go hand-in-hand with square dance leadership. It is taken to dances attended by the current recipient.

When you see it, help yourself to a piece of candy, and think about and please let the committee know soon whom you would like to nominate for next year's Leadership Award!

Send our 2009 recipients a note: Shirley & Carl DeGraff, 364 Stone Road. Rochester, NY 14616, or e-mail them at: cdegraff@juno.com.





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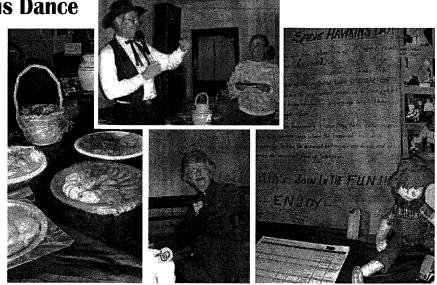
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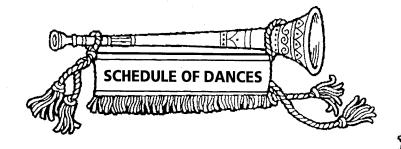
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#### Village Squares' Sadie Hawkins Dance

#### Thank You ...

The *Promenader* wishes to thank Village Squares for again donating the proceeds from their Sadie Hawkins Dance cookie raffle held on March 18. \$86 was raised to help with our production of this publication!





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MMainstream Program	<b>W</b> 1/2 hour Workshop or Teach at star
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A2Advanced 2 Program	RDCRound Dance Club (numbers following indicate levels)
RRounds between Tips  H1/2 hour of Rounds at start of	DDancing by Definition – must know plus movements

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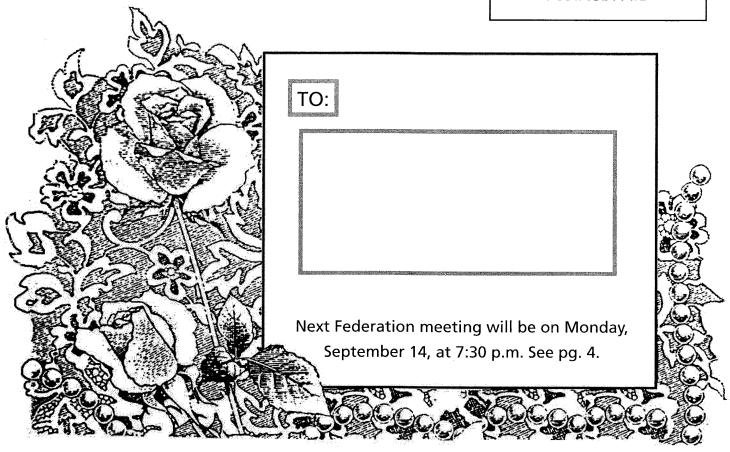
- 1) Clubs taking part in Banner Stealing must register with the Rochester Area Federation and have at least one "Traveling Banner" to be stolen.
- **2**) To steal a banner, the Stealing Club must have at least four couples who pay the visitors' fee. A representative must advise the Host Club's president at least 48 hours in advance. (If more than one club is going to steal a banner

the first club to notify the Host Club has preference.) It is the responsibility of the Stealing Club to safeguard the stolen banner and return it only to the owner's club.

- **3**) To retrieve your stolen banner, you must have at least four paying couples. To steal the Host's banner on the same dance night, you must have an additional four paying couples and notify the Host Club 48 hours in advance..
- **4**) If a banner has not been retrieved within a reasonable time (three months of the dancing season), the stealing club is allowed to send no more than four couples, as (non-paying) guests, to return the banner. The owning club shall be notified a week in advance of the plans.
- **5**) Banner stealing and retrieving shall be restricted to regular scheduled dances only. Special dances with a guest caller are subject to approval, in advance, by Host Club's president.

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## OPEN HOUSE INFO SHOULD INCLUDE:

- Club Name
- Contact Number(s)
- Day(s)
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- Location