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Presidents' Notes

Swing around the Maypole as winter has passed and we are looking forward to a great fun-filled and exciting summer and fall. There are many square dance activities in the coming months – just check your

Doin's when the mailman places it in your mailbox. If you just check the schedule page or your local club page in the Doin's, you are losing money as there is a wealth of information in each issue.

Your Doin's will keep you updated on the various club dances, district dances, festivals, national caller dances, state festival and national convention.

Now is the time to register for the 2016 Missouri State Festival hosted by the Northwest District (have your Blue Bird attire ready for Friday evening) and the 2016 National Convention hosted by the Iowa Federation. And while you are registering for the above events, you should support and register for the 2018 National Convention hosted by the Missouri Federation of Square 'n Round Dance Clubs. Registration forms for these events may be found on the Federation website.

If your club has an abbreviated summer schedule, we encourage you to visit other clubs (try banner raiding & retrieving). Be sure to attend your district dance and be in the square from your club that attends another district dance - a step toward "Lets Toot Our Horn" award.

Look for us across the square as we will be looking for you.

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District Dance April 23, 2016

Duck 'n' Dive

Rolla

1st & 3rd Saturday

Doug Mallory/Guest Callers

Duck 'N' Dive square dance club of Rolla welcomes Lynn Nelson to be our caller on 7 MAY 2016. Lynn always promotes a cheerful dance and throws in a few line dances too.

On 21 MAY 2016 we will dance to the calling of Wayne Primeau. Wayne has been challenging us with a few new combinations of calls of late.

On 4 JUN our caller will be Tom Roper. Tom keeps the snowbirds around Mesa on their toes during winter months.

Then on 18 JUN our caller will be David McKinnon. David has called for us many times and always puts on a great dance.

Duck 'N' Dive dances on the 1st and 3rd SAT of each month in the Eugene Northern Building, also known as the firehouse across the railroad tracks from the court house and up the hill from Kroger. We begin at 7:30 PM and dance till 10:00 PM. Good food is provided and we welcome everyone.

Ozark Whirlers

Eldon

1st, 3rd & 5th Saturdays

Guest Callers

Barb Skorupan - Cuer

It is once again the good ole summer time so come and spend 2 evenings with us in May and June. We will not have a dance on May 7; but on May 21, Bill Roles will call. June 4, we will not dance, but we will have our annual WEDNESDAY night dance with Romney Tannehill calling on June 15. This is always a fun dance, so notice the dance is on Wednesday night and not on Saturday. Due to Nationals, we will not dance the end of June either. Have a fun time.

Sharon & Don



DUCK 'N' DIVE

Rolla, MO

May 7 • Lynn Nelson

May 21 • Wayne Primeau

June 4 • Tom Roper (NC)

June 18 • David McKinnon

Eugene Northern Community Hall

Fourth & Main Streets • Rolla

1st & 3rd Saturdays • 7:30 – 10:00 p.m.



Travelers
St. Robert
2nd & 4th Thursday
Guest Callers

Tom Roper (NC) is back from Arizona and calling for the Travelers on May 12th. Wonder what little critter will come crawling up our arms at this dance. We are fortunate to have a great fairly local guy, John Stuart, calling our May 26th dance. It's always good to see John at our dances.

Jim Wright will call on June 9th. We enjoyed Jim last year around this same time. Our June 23 dance has been cancelled due to the National Convention. Please visit us next month.

Jan & Bruce

Twilight Twirlers
Richland
1st, 3rd & 5th Fridays
Larry Dudgeon/Doug Mallory

The Twirlers would like to extend an invitation to everyone to begin their summer dance schedule with us. May and June will bring us three good callers which promise three good dances.

On May 6th, Larry Foster from Willow Springs will be calling our dance. Then on May 20th John Eubanks will be our caller.

June will bring us only one dance, but it will be a good one. Jammer Cochran will be coming back to call



Pre-Rounds

Barb Skorupan 7:00 p.m.

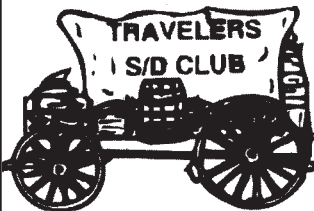
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May 7 No Dance
 May 21 Bill Roles
 June 4 No Dance
 June 15 Wednesday - Romney Tannehill
 June 22-25 Nationals - Des Moines, IA



St. Robert Municipal Center,
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CALLER SCHEDULE

May 12 - Tom Roper (NC)
 May 26 - John Stuart
 June 9 - Jim Wright (NC)
 June 23 - At National Convention
 Des Moines, Iowa

2nd & 4th THURSDAYS
7:00 – 9:30 p.m.

for us. So you see, three good dances which we hope everyone will make plans to attend.

We know spring and early summer are busy times for most of us, but we do hope you will take time to relax in the evenings and join us for some good dancing, good food and fine fellowship.

Happy Dancing!

James & Fran



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May 8th

Twilight Twirlers

7:30 - 10:00 p.m.

- May 6 • Larry Foster
- May 20 • John Eubanks
- June 3 • Jammer Cochran



Richland Community Center • Shady Dell Park

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District Dance April 16, 2016

Beaux & Belles

Macon

Every Other Saturday

Kenny Bailey

May 14 we will have Kenny Bailey calling for us. May 28 is CANCELED for MEMORIAL DAY.

June 11 we will have our own Kenny Bailey for the evening.

June 25 Merle Hall, a new caller from here, is doing the calling. Come dance with us. We always welcome visitors.

Carolyn

Capital City Squares

Jefferson City

Various Saturdays

Guest Callers

Greetings from Central Missouri. Spring has sprung and we are hoping that this finds you well and ready to travel and join us around the square.

Our May 14 dance will bring Jerry Junck back to our Club. We are looking forward to another excellent evening dancing and enjoying your fellowship.

Our June 11 dance brings Darryl Lipscomb, national caller, to Jefferson City. We're certain to have a lovely evening of dancing as well as enjoying good food and great company.

Unfortunately, our club is suspending

round dancing until further notice. Our dances begin at 7:30 and are still held at McClung Park.

Planning is underway to celebrate our 45th year of square dancing in Jefferson City. Please stay tuned for details to be published in the next Doin's.

Bob and Ty

Little Dixie Squares

Moberly

Every Other Saturday

Leroy Conrad

Spring is here and summer is just around the corner. Tom Manning will be calling for us May 7th. Your pick from the Kentucky Derby may not have won, but you can still have a fun time prancing around the dance floor. Leroy Conrad is back calling for us on May 21. Enjoy a little moonlight stroll under the full moon.

Be sure to check our schedule to see where we are dancing in June! June 4th Kenton Sullivan will be calling for us. It should be a great dance. Kenton was the 2015 Caller Hall of Fame recipient. On June 18th we will be hosting a Salad Dinner in honor of Leroy Conrad's Birthday. Dinner is at 6:30 and dancing is at 7:30. You may have already guessed who our caller will be, none other than, Mr. Conrad himself. Hope to see you all,

Pat

Tanglefoot Squares

Brookfield

1st & 3rd Saturdays

Leroy Conrad

Our club would like to thank everyone who came and made our Annual Western Roundup a fun night. It was great to have 12 clubs represented and no one went home hungry. Always good to see longtime

friends and make new ones.

On May 7 we will be celebrating the club's 40th anniversary and will be dancing to Kenny Bailey. This is a change from the schedule as Leroy Conrad has a conflict for that night.

Tom Roper will be calling a fun dance on Wednesday, May 18 at the regular location.

Kenny Bailey will be back with us

for the May 21 Armed Forces Dance.

June starts our summer schedule for casual wear. Leroy Conrad will be at the mike for our T-shirt Dance on June 4.

There will be no dance on June 18 due to Father's Day.

Lois

Congratulations from the Capital City Squares

Marilyn Graham has decided it is time to unplug her microphone and retire from round dance cueing. The Capital City Squares want to thank her for the many years of cueing for our club and providing many enjoyable dances for all.

Thank you so much Marilyn.



Beaux & Belles

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MAY 14

Kenny Bailey

MAY 28 - Cancelled

Memorial Day

JUNE 11

Kenny Bailey

JUNE 25

Merle Hall

Take me out to the ballgame!

July 8-10 Annual Campout

MACON COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS

Caller: Kenny Bailey

Friday - Potluck 6 pm, Dance 7:30 pm

Saturday - Potluck 6 pm, Dance 7:30 pm

Sunday - 8:30 am - Gospel Sing

**Mark
Your
Calendar**

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District Dance July 23, 2016

Time is flying by and our Northwest District Dance is just around the corner on July 23rd. Watch for flyers advertising our annual dance. Then the big one! The State Festival, October 21-23 (a 3rd Friday/4th Saturday weekend) will be held at Truman High School, and we are so excited to be planning this yearly event in our District. Our committees are working hard, getting organized, and we look forward to dancing with you in October. Watch the Doin's and keep checking the website (www.Festival.SquareDanceMissouri.com) for special events, hotel info and everything you will want to know about the festival.

Fred and Carolyn

B-N-R Squares

Gladstone

2nd Friday

Lynn Nelson

Our May dance comes early this year to accommodate the HASSDA Festival being held in KC. We will have our annual Hawaiian Dance on May 6th. Come cool, comfy, casual and colorful and plan to have a good time.

The following weekend you will find us at the KCI Expo Center

enjoying the calling of Bear Miller, Eric Henerlau and local favorite, Mike Hogan. Even tho' it's a singles convention, they welcome ALL dancers so come and join us.

Our summer specials start in June this year. Lynn will turn 65 and celebrate 20 years of calling with a special dance on June 18. Jerry Junck will be behind the mic. That's our only special in June this year but there is a BIG change. ALL of our dances will be at Gashland UMC. Special dances have Plus at 7:30 followed by MS from 8-10 and all special dances are casual if you wish. Watch your calendar for the rest of our schedule. We have some surprises for you this year.

Hope to see you at the National in Des Moines, as it's so close. Have a great summer and wherever you roam, please come...

Be in our Squares.

Lynn

Crosstrailers

Kansas City

3rd Saturday

Stan Brooke

Rounds/Stash Tosio

Lines/Carolyn Goucher & Karen Craig

May 21st will find us at Graceway Fellowship Hall celebrating with a "Garden Party" and lots of tasty salads. We have pre-rounds at 7:00 and square dancing starts at 7:30. Crosstrailers will be on vacation June thru August but look forward to seeing all our Square Dance Friends at lots of dances thru the summer.

Hugs to all,

Louise



Dan's Dancers
Liberty
4th Thursday (Summer only)
Dan Robinson

Finally summer is here. Our season starts June 23rd with some summer themed songs and smooth patter. We dance Mainstream with a Plus tip or two depending on the number of Plus dancers. Dances continue through September on fourth Thursdays, 7:30 to 10 at Our Lady of Mercy Country Home in Liberty, a great air conditioned hall. Casual dress is welcome. Come dance with us this summer.

Dan

Kansas City Plus Club
Leawood, KS
2nd & 4th Sunday
Dana Schirmer
Rounds/Stash Tosio

KC Plus upcoming dances are scheduled with Dana Schirmer calling and Stash Tosio doing the rounds We use the CALLERLAB Plus Program offering plenty of dance fun for all who attend. We start at 7 pm. Dress is casual or square dance clothing optional.

Our dance schedule is the second and fourth Sunday of each month with some exceptions due to holidays and

conflicting schedules. We will NOT dance on May 8th as this is Mother's Day but will dance on May 22 at the Leawood Presbyterian Church.

On June 12, we will have a special dance at the Graceway Fellowship Hall with National Talent, Tim Marriner from South Carolina calling. This will also be a fundraising event for the 67 NSDC Education and Publicity Committees to help with their committee needs. Come have a great time dancing to one of the greats while also helping with the upcoming Kansas City Nationals.

We will not dance on June 26 as many are going to the National Square Dance Convention in Des Moines, IA.

Save the Dates... Andy Allemao from California will be calling a special Plus Dance on Friday July 15th.

Thanks to all who attend our dances and we will be looking forward to seeing you soon.

Hope to see you dancing soon!

Dana and Donna Schirmer



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Lotawana Sailors
Blue Springs
2nd Friday
Jay Krebs

On May 13th the Lotawana Sailors will have a Mexican Hat Dance. This will be our last dance for this square dance season. Come join us for a hand-clapping, foot-stomping good time dancing to Jay's great calling. With Linda hosting this dance, what a fun finish to this dance year.

We will be on vacation during June, July and August. We will be back on September 9th. Until then, we plan to see you in a square somewhere this summer.

Many of the Lotawana Sailors will be going to Branson for the weekend of July 14th, 15th and 16th. If you are interested in participating in the Branson trip, please call 816-254-4908 for information.

Have a safe and enjoyable summer.
Alva and Dorothea

Maysville Wranglers
Maysville
1st Saturday

Chris Wildhagen & Guest Callers

Happy spring! Made it through another winter okay and we're ready for flowers, gardens and dancing! Our May 7 dance will feature Dana Schirmer and it will be

our Cinco de Mayo dance! We will be serving Taco Salads! YUM! Should be a lot of fun.

Our June 4 dance will feature National Caller Lanny Weaklend. What a smooth caller! This should be a terrific dance! Summer Cruisin'. We will also have the latest line dances and tons of laughing.

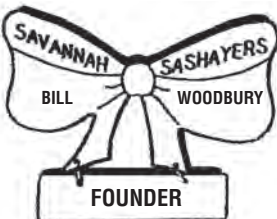
We dance on the first Saturday night of each month at the Maysville School at 7:30. See you in a square!!

Eldon & Connie

Ramblers
Liberty
3rd Friday
Bill Kanai

May 20, 2016 is the Ramblers last scheduled dance until September. So our theme is "Save the Last Dance for Me." We will be serving ice cream sundaes with all the toppings. We are sure our caller Bill Kanai will have some fun tips up his sleeve to liven up the evening. Plan to arrive at 7:15 pm and we'll dance until 9:45 pm. We have had some wonderful turnouts for our dances and we appreciate each and every one of you. You won't be disappointed if you come and save that last dance for us.

June, July and August we will be on vacation but we will be out there



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SAVANNAH SASHAYERS

2nd & 4th Sundays Year Round
 7 - 9:30 p.m.

May 8 - No Dance - *Holiday*

May 22 - Larry Liebig

June 5 - Dean Dederman (NC)

June 26 - Rick Hampton (NC)

Thanks to all of you for keeping Square Dancing going!

dancing at many festivals and special dances throughout the summer, The Show-Me Doin's and the Fed Facts will have them all listed. You can also go on line for information about summer dances. We hope to see many of you in Des Moines for the 65th National Square Dance Convention. They are working hard to make this a fun-filled convention. Des Moines isn't far and you can still register, come on up! We will see all soon. Have a wonderful, fun filled safe summer.

Steve & Sue

***Santa Fe Trailers
Independence
1st or 4th Saturday***

Stan Brooke

Our final dance for this season will be on the first Saturday, May 7th. It will be a dance we will call "Simply Salads".

We will have no scheduled dances for the months of June, July and August, as our dance location is unavailable to us during the summer months. The Trailers would like to thank all who visited us this season, for we enjoyed hosting a dance for you. We will be going to the National in Des Moines, and hope to see many Missouri Dancers there.

See you in September for a new Season of Square Dancing!

Bob & Shirley

***Savannah Sashayers
Savannah
2nd & 4th Sundays
Guest Callers***

Hi everybody! Our summer dances here at Savannah start on May 22 with Larry Liebig coming back into our square dance world, so we're all happy to welcome Larry and Kathy back.

Then on June 5, we've changed up our schedule (for this dance only) to a 1st Sunday and it will be an afternoon dance from 3-5:30 with Dean Dederman. So be prepared, you D.D. fans, cause you never know what mischief he's got in mind!

Then on June 26 we'll have Rick Hampton, an international caller from California, coming thru from the Nationals to entertain you.

That's a big WOW to start off our summer dances and Connie Graham teaching you the latest line dances between tips!

Hope you can join us. Remember, we're only 12 miles north of St. Joe.

As always, thanks to ALL of you for keeping square dancing going!

Jeannie



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MS/Plus/Lines
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3rd Saturdays except March & October

May 21

End of the Straw
Ice Cream Floats & Finger Foods

June 18

Minnie Pearl Dance
Howdy!!!
(Wear a hat with a dangling tag)
Finger Food

Shooting Stars
Kearney
2nd Saturday
Stan Brooke

May 14th thought we would do something different and have a "Chicken Dance". You can earn a dangle for this one. We will be serving finger food.

June, July and August we will be on vacation enjoying the summer. Thank you so much for attending our dances. You are what make the dances so much fun!!!

Have a great summer.

Betty & Jerry

Silver Dollar Squares
Kansas City, MO
3rd Saturday
Caller- Gene Miller

This time of year we are thankful for the blessings of warmer weather, birds chirping, & flowers coming up- all signs of spring!

MAY 21st will be our "End of the Straw" dance, with ice cream floats and finger foods. Now what sounds better than that? Enjoy a fun time, wood floor, and a lively welcome to the month of May.

The Silver Dollars have had a great year so far, but we are NOT DONE yet! We will be dancing in June also- JUNE 18TH! So mark your calendars for our "Minnie Pearl" dance and wear your hat with a dangling tag!! See who wins best hat!

Stay tuned for our next season schedule!

Mary



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1st, 3rd & 5th Tuesdays • 7:00 - 9:45 **WOOD FLOOR**

Caller: Jay Krebs

Cuer: Pam Young

May 3..... Mother's Day Dance

June 7..... Flag Day Dance

May 17..... 50th Anniversary Dance

June 21..... Father's Day Dance

May 31..... Pie Dance

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6:30 Rounds
7:45 Introductions

**Check Program Booklet
For List of Events
and Times**

SATURDAY

9:00 Meetings & Clinics
10:30 Workshops and Dances
7:45 Grand March

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Club _____

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Make Check Payable to: **The Kansas Square Dance Convention.** No advance tickets sold by mail **after May 22, 2016.**
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LET'S TOOT OUR HORN

A PROJECT OF THE PROMOTIONS COMMITTEE

This award is to promote publication of square and round dance club activities in local and state media; to increase participation in district and state functions; to improve public relations with non-members and to encourage clubs to set and attain goals they can be proud of.

The first year a "Horn" will be presented to each qualifying club that can be pinned to their club banner. A bar will be added for each completed year after the first. Horn or bar awards will be mailed or presented to each club completing the requirements.

During the program year, January 1 through December 31, a club must complete at least six items out of the twelve proposed items. The first two are required and must be two of the six.

REQUIRED:

1. Place at least three items in a local media during the year that reaches all the public and mentions square dancing. This can include local or regional newspapers, radio stations, television station, billboards, or any announcement that reaches the public. This does not include articles in local church papers or postings in grocery stores.
2. Have at least one square (8 dancers) at your home District Dance.

Plus complete a minimum of 4 items from the following:

1. Place at least four (4) articles or ads in the Doin's.
2. Perform three philanthropic activities during the year (i.e. holding a benefit dance, conducting a fund raiser for needy persons or organization, providing a scholarship of some kind to someone, assisting in a food pantry collection, be part of an adopt-a-family for a holiday, or bell ringing for the Salvation Army, etc.)
3. Visit a public or private organization in the local community and conduct a square dance for their entertainment and to promote square dancing.
4. Participate as a club in a community event such as a fall festival, national holiday celebration, or any other type of city, county or local event. This can include helping in the necessary set-up, working in a booth, taking part in a parade, or making a club contribution to the event.
5. Have at least one square (8 dancers) at Missouri State Festival
6. Place an ad of any size in the State Festival Book
7. Host a Missouri Federation State Board meeting
8. Have a current District officer or State officer or delegate from club membership
9. Conduct a complete set of lessons
10. Visit at another districts' District Dance with at least one square (8 dancers)

Reporting is to be done to the Promotions Chairman on this form as soon as the project is completed (no later than February 1 of the year following) within the guidelines of January 1 through December 31 of the current year.

A list of all clubs that complete the current year will be printed in the Doin's.

LET'S ALL BE A "HORN BLOWER."

Deadline: February 1, 2017 for 2016 Completion

Send items for completion of 2016 requirements to:

Jack and Becky Rockaway, Chairman

7519 E. 52nd Terrace, Kansas City, MO 64129-2338

816-665-8425 or 913-529-9666

Email: rockawayj@aol.com

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT

President

Ray & Vicki Wittman

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Vicray01@aol.com

District Dance - Feb. 14, 2016

Jefferson County Squares

Festus

3rd Sunday

John Stuart & Guest Callers

Guest Cuers

We have had a nice early spring season. Now we can enjoy summer, vacations and square dancing.

Dennis Mineau will be the caller for our Sunday, May 15 dance. Donna Bark will be cueing the rounds. Our food for the day will be a salad bar.

Our June dance date falls on Father's Day and we will not have a dance. Celebrate Dad's on their special day.

Our Sunday, July 17 dance will have Stan Mangogna doing the calling. The rounds will be done by Pat Hilton. Our theme for the day is Red, White and Blue to celebrate the 4th of July and

show our patriotism for our country.

We are looking forward to seeing you at our third Sunday club dances in Festus, MO.

See you dancing across the square.

Harold & Ginny Hunt

Missouri Promenaders

Florissant

1st & 5th Fridays

Guest Callers/Cuers

Hello Friends! I am so happy to get to talk to you again! Have I said how much I thank you for coming to NoCo to our dances? We are so appreciative of all the clubs in our region who diligently work together to keep our historic hobby alive!

We're gearing up for an extraordinary weekend of fun and dancing at the 68th Annual St. Louis Jamboree on May 6 & 7. You know it's a weekend to look forward to! Since we will all be at the Jamboree, Mo Promenaders will not host a dance on May 6th.

So, please join us on May 27th when we'll be having a blast in NoCo! You'll want to drop by our dance to enjoy Bob & Debbie Pyles cueing Rounds. Of course, we'll have squares going too and we'll need you to fill them up! 8PM Sharp! Looking forward to seeing you!

Come back on Friday, June 3rd and Mo Proms will do it all again –

HELP WANTED

Advertising Manager for Show Me Doin's

As most might know, Dee is having health issues. Dave and Dee have dedicated 16 years to the Advertising Manager position. BUT IT'S TIME TO HANG UP THE TOWEL!

Call for a rundown of the job responsibilities.

Dave Shafer (573) 759-6874 Jim Weber (816) 781-3598

just for YOU! We're excited to host LANNY WEAKLEND calling. He'll be joined by Bob & Debbie Pyles on Rounds. YAY! You love them!

Then, June just keeps getting better! Mark your calendar for the FREE St. Louis Metro Picnic at Teimeyer Park on Sunday, June 5th. We'll look for you there!

Kari Hughes, Secretary

**West County Spinners
Chesterfield
1st, 3rd, & 5th Mondays**
*Guest Callers
Pat Hilton, Cuer*

The Spinners are heading into the summer with gusto! Our dance schedule is fantastic, our members are involved with raids and retrieves, and our new dancer classes continue to attract students.

In addition, a number of Spinners new dancers, along with new dancers from clubs throughout the St. Louis area, participate in a mainstream/plus workshop once a week sponsored by the very talented local caller, Aaron Wells. The new dancers sharpen their dance skills and obtain much desired floor time.

The following are our dances for May and June, all of which will be called by National Callers: May 16, Tom Roper, cued by the Tevlins; and May 23, Jerry Story, cued by Pat Hilton. We'll also have a great time at the Trail-in dance for the Des Moines Nationals with Ken Burke on June 20 and a Trail-out dance with Jay Henderson on June 27.

We invite guest dancers to join us for any or all of these dances! They are promised an evening of dancing fun, laughter, fellowship, and tasty treats!

Memorial Day

May 25th



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Youth: _____ Youth: _____

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Phone: (____) _____ Mobile: (____) _____

Amount paid (U.S. currency only) \$50.00 each x _____ = \$ _____

If born after June 21, 2000 (1/2 price) \$25.00 each x _____ = \$ _____

Check # _____ Cash: _____ Credit Card _____ **Total \$** _____

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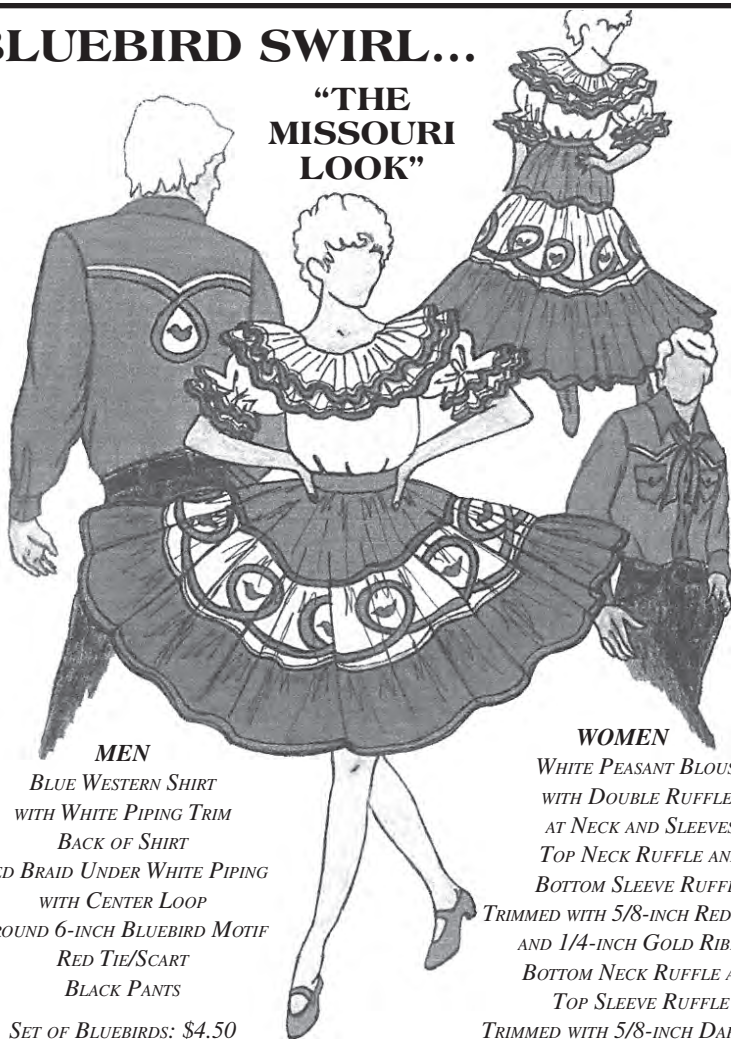
Convention Badge required for entrance to all convention activities. Dressy casual attire allowed until 6:00 p.m.
 Proper square dance attire required after 6:00 p.m. for all dancers.

Form accepted by: _____ Date: _____

\$10 cancellation fee per registration ♦ No refunds after April 30, 2018
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SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

Presidents

Larry & Sharon Crisel
(573) 222-6137

sharoncristel@gmail.com

District Dance July 9, 2016

SE Southeast District has been in full swing this spring with clubs continuing dancing and classes. Hope some of you can come and dance with our clubs in Southeast District this year. We are planning on have a great District dance on July 9th at Fredericktown, which is closer for a lot of you. Would be a good time to get your Travel Missouri badge. Hope to see you in a square in good old southeast Missouri.

Presidents

Larry and Sharon Crisel

Puxico Country Squares
Puxico
2nd & 4th Saturdays
Guest Callers
Rds & Lines/Donna Barks

Puxico will only be dancing once during May. On May 14th Kevin Bersing will come to Puxico to call for us. We always enjoy Kevin's pleasant personality when he comes.

We skip Memorial weekend and don't dance again till June 11th. John Stuart will be calling that dance. Change in location for that dance. We will dance at the Puxico School Activity center (cafeteria) as we will host the Missouri Federation State meeting there the next day.

Not everyone from our club goes to the nationals so we will dance as usual on June 25th. That will be back at the VFW Hall. Dan Halliburton will call for us. We always enjoy Dan's singing.

Sharon & Larry



*Southeast Missouri Federation of
Square and Round Dance Clubs*



**38th
Annual
District
Dance**

**July 9, 2016
7:00 pm - 9:30 pm**

SWING

**Caller FRED WALKER - Salem, Illinois
Cuer/Lines DONNA BARKS - Glen Allen, Missouri**

Donation: \$5.00 per person

Host Club: Arcadia Valley Do-Si-Do's
Location: Madison County Farm Supply
320 North Mine La Motte Avenue
Fredericktown, Missouri 63645
More info call: 573-778-6124

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Country Western Squares of Potosi 576-438-6323

SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

Presidents

Bill Thomas

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Sharon White

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squaredancer@socket.net

District Dance – May 21, 2016

Spring is Nature's way of saying Let's Party! – Robin Williams

It's festival time! Join us at the MARC in Mt. Vernon on May 21 for a fun time at the Southwest District Festival. See the ad in this issue of the Doin's for details. Don't forget the District meeting at 11:00 a.m., also at the MARC; we will be voting on changes to the District Dozen rules.

And speaking of festivals, the Nationals are just around the corner (June 22-26 in Des Moines). If you haven't registered yet, now is the time since rates go up May 1st.

Meanwhile, don't forget the three C's – Clubs Callers Cuers – get out there and support them.

See you across a square.

Sharon & Bill

Alton Flutterwheels

Alton

Every Thursday

Pat Christe

3rd Saturday

Guest Callers

The Alton Flutterwheels will not have a special Saturday night dance in May. Saturday, June 18, we

look forward to John Stuart calling our special 50's dance. We will have a great time and lots of good dancing with John.

We have dancing and lessons every Thursday night.

All dances start at 7:00 p.m. and are held at the Alton School Multipurpose Room located on School Street.

Daisy

Kountry Kuzins

Springfield

2nd Saturday

Guest Callers

Spring has finally "sprung". May 14, will bring TOM ROPER. We will miss the Cinco de Mayo, so we will make it the FIESTA DE MAYO!! Good fun with Tom, as well as Mucho Gusto frijoles, and a CAKE WALK! This should be Muy Grande! Ok, ok enough of that, come dance, walk away with a cake, and have a Fantastico time with TOM ROPER and the Kuzins.

June 11th, we will have our favorite club instructor, JERRY ELLIS. We miss Jerry all winter, so are so glad to have him back with us to test our mettle. We might even have enough dancers for an A tip at the end of the evening.

DON'T FORGET THE SW DISTRICT DANCE ON THE 21ST OF MAY, AT THE MARC IN MT. VERNON. SEE AD IN THIS ISSUE.

Sharon White & the Kountry Kuzins

Lost Creek Promenaders

Neosho

2nd & 4th Saturdays

Johnny Eubanks/Guest Callers

Ahh!! Spring, a little rain and lots of flowers. Daylight hangs around a little later into the evening to lift us out of winter's doldrums and plenty of dances are available

May 7th, 2016

7:00pm-9:30pm

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Joplin, MO
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MAY 24, 2016

TUESDAY

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to keep us active and entertained. Some of those dances are in Neosho, Missouri. Come visit the Lost Creek Promenaders. We will be dancing second and fourth Saturdays in May, the 14th to our very own Johnny Eubanks and May 28th Richard Verge will come from Oklahoma to call a Memorial Day dance.

As June rolls around we begin our summer schedule dancing only once each month. This month our dance will be Saturday June 11th and feature Johnny Eubanks at the microphone. So if you want to have a fantastic evening dancing to great callers come visit the Lost Creek Promenaders in Neosho, Missouri. We dance at 7:30 pm in the Senior Center 1017 Carl Sweeney Drive.
Tom and Mary

MO-KAN Squares
Nevada
1st & 3rd Fridays
Jay Wright

Hurray! We are ready for May flowers and warm June weather, plus dancing in an air-conditioned hall. We want to say a big thank you to all the callers and cuers who have been helping with our 5th Saturday dances and dances following the SW District meetings. You are awesome! Mo-Kan Squares have been busy

planning activities for your enjoyment. Friday, May 6 our own Jay Wright will be joining us for a fun evening and great dancing. May 20 Kenton Sullivan will be with us. He always delivers a good time and great music. Don't forget the Southwest District Dance on May 21. Workshops from 3 to 5, opening ceremonies at 6, with dancing from 6:30 to 10 p.m. June 3 Jay Wright will return to entertain us. June 17 we will have Tom Roper (National Caller) for another delightful evening of dancing. Please join us for these dances.

Karen

Pommenaders
Wheatland
2nd & 4th Fridays
Guest Callers

Spring sprang! Yea! Now, for the beginning of the summer dance season.

The Pommenaders will be hostcaller, Johnny Eubanks on Friday, May 13th; yes it is "Friday the 13th". It's actually good luck! On May 27th Jammer Cochran is our scheduled caller.

In June, Stan Brooke will be our host caller on the 10th, followed by Doug Mallory on June 24th. This will be our annual Teddy Bear dance. So please bring a new or gently used stuffed animal for our outreach.

MO-Kan Square Dance Club
7:30 - 10pm 1st & 3rd Fridays

Jay Wright
Club Caller



May 6 • Jay Wright
May 20 • Kenton Sullivan
June 3 • Jay Wright
June 17 • Tom Roper (NC)

Fairgrounds Home Ec Building, Nevada, MO

A few Pommenaders will be attending this year's National Square Dance Convention in Des Moines, Iowa, June 22-25th, 2016. Please join us there for all or part of the convention and help support Square Dancing!

Come dance with the Pommenaders in Wheatland at the McCarty Sr. Center on 54 Highway beginning at 7:30 pm on the 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month!

Terri

**Rangers
Springfield
4th Saturday**
David McKinnon

In celebration of Memorial Day, we will be having a "Flags On Parade" dance, and hope you will join us in wearing your red, white, and blue. David McKinnon will be calling our dance, and you can be sure we will have a wonderful time with square and line dances. It is a busy weekend, but we hope you will spend a couple of hours dancing with us!

Our June dance has been cancelled due to the 65th National Square Dance Convention being held in Des Moines, IA. We hope to see you there, in a square!

Dee

**Traditional Dance and Music
Society of the Ozarks
Springfield
1st & 3rd Saturday**

Traditional Dance and Music Society of the Ozarks would like to invite everyone out to join us at our twice monthly contra dances on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays from 7pm – 10:30pm. No experience necessary as we do a brief introductory lesson ahead of each of our regular dances to introduce folks to contra dance from 7pm 'til 7:30. Plan to arrive by 6:45 to get signed in and be ready for the intro lesson. See website for location of May 21st dance. We feature wonderful live string bands and callers at each of our dances. Water is provided, bring a snack to share. If you'd like to be added to the email list, to receive schedule information, please e-mail springfieldcontra@hotmail.com. Check out our website www.springfieldcontra.org, and join us on Facebook. For more information call 417-862-8681. Join us at a dance!



THE POMMENADERS



- May 13.....Johnny Eubanks
- May 27.....Jammer Cochran
- June 10Stan Brooks
- June 24Doug Mallory - *Bear Dance*

7:30 - 10:00 p.m.

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Trail Blazers
Nixa
2nd Thursday
Kenton Sullivan

It's springtime in the Ozarks, time for honoring Mothers, Fathers, Service personnel, and time for graduations. The Trail Blazers will host a Graduation Dance at our regular 2nd Thursday dance, May 12th, in Nixa with Kenton at the mic. Come and welcome new dancers to this great and fun activity we all enjoy so much.

Then gear up for another Special evening of dancing on Thursday, May 26, as we welcome back a favorite National Caller, Marshall Flippo, from Arizona. This will be Marshall's last club dance in southwest Missouri as he will be retiring from his travel schedule. So you will not want to miss this dance with Marshall at Northview Center at 301 East Talmage in Springfield beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Our June 9th square dance is sure to be a grand time as the Dynamic Duo, Jay Wright and Kenton Sullivan, will be calling together again at the Nixa Senior Center, 404 South Main in Nixa beginning at 7:30 p.m. We hope to see you across a square!

Twirling Funtimers
Mountain Home, Ark.
Every Wednesday
Pat Christe/Guest Callers

Well, it's gone. Winter "has left the building" and it sure feels good. The winter, at least, in our neighborhood, has been very mild once again. But, it sure seems like it was long and reluctant to lose its grip. We have grown ever so slightly over winter so it's all good.

May flowers bring us Lt. Col. Phil Morehouse and a fine dance. He is

calling our "Spring Fling" special on Wednesday, May 11, and we'd like to put a nice group on the floor for him. So I encourage you to come out and join in.

One of our greatly anticipated specials each year takes place on Wednesday, June 8. It's our "Roll Your Own Sundaes" dance and who doesn't like ice cream. (If you have a topping you would like to see let us know, and maybe some Sprite will be provided or not.) To sweeten the affair, we have Missouri Hall of Fame Caller "Cherokee" Bill Cochran calling. As always, more dancers means more fun ,so come on out.

We welcome all Dancers to come join us for our special dances but we encourage you to come by on our regular Club nights. We dance each Wednesday, at the Van Matre Senior Activity Center, 1100 Spring Street (in Cooper Park), Mountain Home, Arkansas. We have an open hour from 6:00 p.m. to utilize for lessons or workshops with our regular Dance from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Y'all come...

Craig & Karen Grothaus

Western Grand Squares
West Plains
Every Tuesday
2nd Saturday

Bill Cochran
Co-Caller - James Cochran
Lines/Phyllis Cochran

The Western Grand Squares invite all to attend the May 14 CINCO DE MAYO dance with Jim Ryan calling and also the June 11 JUNE BUG dance with Pat Christe calling. You will have an enjoyable evening with these two callers. The dances will be held at the West Plains Civic Center 110 Saint Louis Street from 7:00 PM to 9:30 PM.

We also have lesson/regular dances at the same location each Tuesday of the week from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM with Bill Cochran calling and Phyllis Cochran doing lines. We have had an upswing of attendance lately which is appreciated.

Our election was in April. We are doing 2017 planning now and looking forward to a successful, busy 2017 year. Thanks to all who attend our dances.

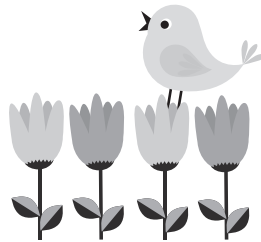
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Western Twirlers
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1st Saturday
Guest Caller

Coming up for May we will have 2 special dances! On the 7th we will have Joe Goins joining us again from the Nashville, TN area. We will

also be serving Mexican foods during this dance. We will also be having a special dance on May 24th. Mo-Kan Squares & Western Twirlers will be sponsoring the Gary Shoemaker dance. This is the 2nd year Gary Shoemaker will be back in Joplin. Remember this dance is on a Tuesday night. All dances start at 7:00pm. For more information you can contact us at WesternTwirlers@Aol.com, our FACEBOOK page or 417-439-1353. Come join us for a fun-filled month!

Shirley Winans
Secretary



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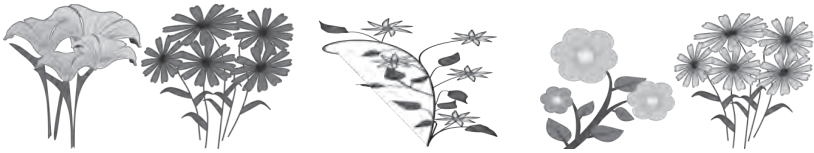
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“Annual Bloomin’ Dance”

56th Southwest District Square and Round Dance Festival

Saturday, May 21, 2016

**At “The Marc” in Mt. Vernon, MO
822 West Mt. Vernon Blvd**

Colors: Floral & Green

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\$7 per person • 16 Yrs & Under \$4 • Family of 5 or More \$20

Program:

- 3:00 – 3:35 Mainstream Square Dance Workshop – Kenton Sullivan**
- 3:40 – 4:15 Round Dancing Workshop – Carolyn Ahart**
- 4:20 – 5:00 DBD/Plus Square Dance Workshop – Jay Wright & John Eubanks**
Supper hour
- 6:00 – 6:30 Opening Ceremony and Introductions**
- 6:30 – 10:00 An Evening of Dancing – Local Callers & Cuers**
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WEST CENTRAL DISTRICT

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Liz Rooks

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On behalf of the Peppy Promenaders and the West Central District, a great big “Thank You” goes out to all who came and supported the Peppy Promenaders at their Saturday night dance on April 9 and to those who attended the State meeting on the 10th. We are glad to have had this opportunity to share our hospitality with the rest of the state.

Liz

Diamond B's

Sedalia

2nd Saturday

Larry Butler

We had a mild winter, and spring has sprung. We want to invite everyone to come a visit us anytime.

Attention all Square Dancers: We are dancing at the Missouri State Fair on Wednesday, August 19, 2016, 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. This year we have the honor of having Gene Miller to be our M.C. For FREE tickets contact Billie Jean Butler, 660-287-1443 call or text. Email lbjbutler@gmail.com. Can request Handicap parking, Deadline July 1, 2016

See you soon. Hope you have a safe summer.

Billie Jean

**Jacks N' Queens
Kansas City, MO**

1st Saturday

Ron Swartz

Everything is coming up roses! Come to our May 7 dance and celebrate the month with dancing and food. All the snow birds are back in town and summer is closing in fast.

We will be enjoying the summer and dancing whenever we can.

A big thank you to all the clubs that have attended our dances this past year. Visitations make a big difference - more squares and more fun.

Be safe and see you soon!

Ruth Ann

Peppy Promenaders

Chillicothe

2nd & 4th Saturday

Kenny Bailey

The Peppy Promenaders are going into “summer mode” and only have one dance a month. The May dance is on May 14 and features Barry Peck calling the dance for us. The theme is Flower Garden Party and should be a fun, colorful dance. Dig out your flowery, bright colored outfits and come dance to Barry. He is a wonderful caller from neighboring Iowa and his wife leads the line dances expertly. Remember, no dance on May 28 due to Memorial Day.

The June, 2016, dance is on June 11, and is the Red, White, and Blue dance, called by newer caller Merle Hall. He does a really good job and you will have a nice evening dressed in your patriotic colors. Wonder how the food table will follow up with those colors?! Come see. Again, there will be no June 25 dance due to summer scheduling. And, the summer

months allow for casual dress so put your formal dance outfits in the closet for a few months and be cool. We are dancing at our new location, The Grand River Multi-Purpose Senior Center located in the old Aldi's building at 607 W. Business 36. If you need directions when you get to Chillicothe, call Don Boyer's cell phone at 660-973-2338.

Enjoy your dancing and making new friends - take a new dancer with you!

Dub and Jan

River City Squares

Lexington

4th Sunday

Wade Morrow

Summer is coming...I know it is... Seven tho I am writing this on a very cool evening. Typical Missouri weather, cold one day, warm the next. Probably the only state where you can experience all four seasons in one day! However, we will be getting ready for summer at our dance on May 22 and hope you will come and join us. Wade will keep us moving with his good calling and we will do our best to see that you have a good time.

We will celebrate 25 years of dancing on June 26, 2016 at our Anniversary Dance. Please come and help us celebrate as we dance the night away to Wade's lively calling. We will have our usual good snacks and you will get a warm welcome. We have been doing some visiting and really have a good time. Come early and brush up or learn something new! Just come!

Shirley

Trenton T Squares

Trenton

1st Friday

Guest Callers

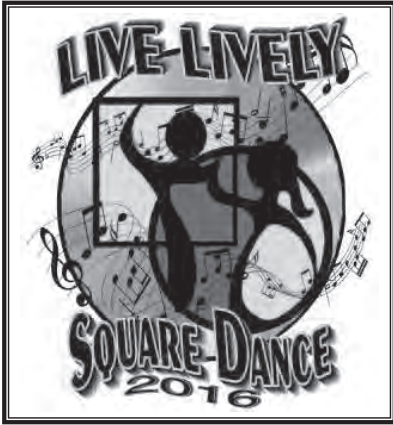
We are looking forward to Mike Kelly calling for Trenton T-Squares on Friday, May 6, at 8 p.m. This will be a great evening of fun, dancing and fellowship.

On Friday, June 3, Doug McCart will be calling. Doug is a great caller from Iowa who brings wonderful music, great dancing and lots of fun to his Missouri neighbors. Hope you can come and join in the fun with us.

All of our dances start at 8 p.m. in Trenton at the Fellowship Hall of the Wesley United Methodist Church on the corner of Hwy 6 and Washington Street.

Janet Goodin, Secretary

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REGISTRATION Prior to September 1, 2016				REGISTRATION After September 1, 2016				
		# Attending	=	Amt Due		# Attending	=	Amt Due
All events	\$25.00 X		=	\$32.00 X			=	
Friday Only	\$16.00 X		=	\$18.00 X			=	
Saturday/Sunday	\$16.00 X		=	\$18.00 X			=	
Festival Program Book- While Supply Lasts	Included		=	\$ 5.00 X			=	
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Appropriate Dance Attire Required on Dance Floor Saturday evening please.

Mail completed registration form to: Jim & Edythe Weber 1316 Middlebrook Dr., Liberty, Mo. 64068 (816) 781-3598 / email: Edythe@SquareDanceMissouri.com	Make check payable to: Missouri State Festival	TOTAL ENCLOSED = 2/29/16
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HOST HOTEL- Quality Inn

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816.373.8856
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Dancers. All Reservations must be
made by September 21st to receive
these prices. The prices are much
higher after this date.**

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From I-70 take exit 14 (Lee's Summit Rd.) 3.3 to Hwy 12, and go W for 1.5 mi. **to Osage.**

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Once on Osage Turn South and go 5 blocks to Pacific (T intersection). Turn Right and go 1 1/4 blocks on Pacific. The entrance to the RV Park is on the right.

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Truman High School
Southeast end of Parking Lot

Campgrounds Contact: Richard & Julie Callahan

816.808.4532 Julie@SquareDanceMissouri.com

State Festival update on what's going on....



- Mark the dates, October 21-23 of this year. Register NOW by September 1 and get your Festival book included. If you have never danced to Deborah-Carroll Jones you will truly enjoy. What a voice. PLUS, for us Round Dancers, John Farquhar & Ruth Howell will give us such a great time. BONUS, our own great Mo Callers & Cuers too.
- Callers/Cuers we want YOU! Register by June 1 your profile for scheduling.
- Packets will be distributed to your district president at the April MO Federation to give out to your club President at the District meeting. Contained information and forms inside the packet, along with contact persons, to name a few, are:
- Square Dancer of the Year – Who do you want to nominate? Due August 1.
- Caller/Cuer Hall of Fame – Make your nominations! Due August 1.
- Silent Auction items – Should be something even you would want to bid on.
- Raffle Tickets – sell all 10 sets of tickets and keep ½ of the proceeds for your club. Turn the other half of the \$ & ALL the tickets to the State Festival.
- Quilt Raffle - Beautiful T-Shirt Quilt of the past 2001-2015 Tee's PLUS this year. Sell tickets and turn ALL money and tickets in at the State Festival.
- Fashion Show – Show off your favorite outfit with your club, individual or with a partner. Ask us to show any fun spots of your area. Entry by September 1.
- Festival Book Ad by August 1 – We challenge each club to purchase an ad!
- Club Banners – Bring your club banner to hang around the gym.
- Vendors – we will have a nice variety. Sheridan's Frozen Custard? YES!
- A surprise for you! – A great Chuck Wagon Dinner with Adventure Tour. Friday or Saturday times available. Join us. Deadline October 1.
- MORE! Solos and Youth, we want everyone to feel special for this dance. Under 18? Be a winner of our Youth Scavenger Hunt. We also will have some Clinics. Do you have ideas? Want to demo in one? Let us know by June 1 please.
- Last Square Standing Contest- Get your bunch and sign up.
- Get Excited! We are!
- All forms are available on the Missouri Federation website at www.Festival.SquareDanceMissouri.com



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57th Missouri State Festival-Oct 21-23, 2016

Chuck Wagon Dinner & Pioneer Trails Adventure

Fred and I went on a tour earlier and thoroughly enjoyed it. We knew this would for sure be a great time for all. Frank, our guide was witty, he knew the history and just plain made it fun!!! He even had FUN names for his mules... We are excited to enjoy a Chuck Wagon Dinner, as well.

So, let us ALL hop aboard a mule drawn wagon in Independence, Mo, where there has always been a magnet for pioneers, risk-takers, dreamers & doers.

Pioneer Trails Adventure Picks up at: 217 North Main Independence, Missouri 64050. (816) 456-4591 On the intersection of Truman Road and Main St., two blocks W. of Noland Road, on Truman Road. In front of the Ticket Center for the Truman Home and the 1859 Jail Museum. See Map for directions on website.

Menu: Brisket, Pulled Pork, Baked Beans, Potato Salad, Water & Cookies
All you can eat, good eating to the last lick on your fingers!

*Then you will hop back on board for our One-hour Pioneer Trails tour: Your guide will help you get acquainted with the Historic Independence Square & the old 1827 Log Courthouse plus the Wagon Swales carved by actual wagon trails. You will cast your eyes on the 1859 jail that once housed notorious outlaw Frank James & open your ears to hear of the Bleeding Kansas-Missouri Border War 7 years before the Civil War. You will also get a glimpse of the Bingham Wagoner Estate. **There is more!!!** You will learn the Harry Truman Story & see the birth place of Bess Truman. Go & have a good time.*

Register AND choose which day: Deadline October 1, 2016

\$ 42.00 Friday, October 21, 2016 2:00-3:30pm. How many?.....**Total \$**
Leave on tour from pick up area, 2:00, taken to eat buffet first & returned after tour completed around 3:30.

\$ 42.00 Saturday, October 22, 2016 12:15-1:45pm. How many?.....**Total \$**
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 **Lessons** 
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..... **MONDAY**

- **4/4/16 – 11/14/16; Kountry Kuzins; Mainstream Lessons**, Boys & Girls Club, 720 S Park Ave, Springfield, 7-9pm, Instructor: Jerry Ellis, Contact: Sharon White (417) 848-2459.

..... **TUESDAY**

- **1/12/16 – 5/24/2016; Rangers; Mainstream Lessons**, The Waterford at Ironbridge, 1131 E Lakewood St, Springfield, MO. 7-9 p.m. Instructor: David McKinnon, Contact: Don & Jo Ann Miller (417) 881-7178 or David & Emma McKinnon (417) 619-2668.
- **1/26/16 – 5/31/16; Meramec Valley Promenaders; Mainstream Lessons**, Community Room, Hilltop Manor, 11 Hilltop Village Center Drive, Eureka, MO, 7:15-9pm, Instructor: Bud Cutter, Contact: LaVerne LaBoube (573) 999-2324.

..... **WEDNESDAY**

- **Continuous, Twirl-A-Rounds; Beginning Round Dance Lessons**, Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, 6:45-8PM, Cuer: Carolyn & Tony Ahart, Info 417-425-1834, Southwest Dist.

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Click on "Forms" on the home page.

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Doin's Club Directory

Club Name	Contact Name(s)	Phone #
Alton Flutterwheels (SW)	Larry & Daisy Simmons	417-778-6164
Arcadia Valley Do-Si-Do's (SE)	Charles & Cassie Smith	573-783-4094
B-N-R Squares (NW)	Lynn Nelson	913-302-3742
Beaux & Belles (NE)	George & Cleva Roth	660-395-6122
Bluff City Twirlers (SE)	Tom & Betty Schalk	573-725-2972
Capital City Squares (NE)	Larry & Celesta Hager	573-636-5073
Country Squares (NE)	Dave & Ann Roush	660-423-5131
Country Western Squares of Potosi (SE)	Jim & Lois White	573-436-0169
Crosstrailers (NW)	Louise Coleman	816-509-6146
Dan's Dancers (NW)	Dan Robinson	816-741-8735
Diamond B's (WC)	Larry & Billie Jean Butler	660-287-1443
Duck 'N' Dive (C)	Fayette & Andy Stewart	573-578-2412
Jacks 'n' Queens (WC)	Ruth Ann Reynolds	816-318-9948
Jefferson County Squares (StL)	Ron McCloud	573-760-5894
Kansas City Plus Club (NW)	Dana & Donna Schirmer	785-554-7221
Kelly's Klassics (NW)	Mike Kelly	816-673-8400
Knot So Squares (NW)	James Shaw	816-820-8523
Kountry Kuzins (SW)	Sharon White	417-848-2459
Little Dixie Squares (NE)	Mary Sue Darwent	660-651-1842
Lost Creek Promenaders (SW)	Melvin Bond	417-389-3713
Lotawana Sailors (NW)	Al Ellison	816-461-3137
Maysville Wranglers (NW)	Don & Janet Graf	660-235-0168
Meramec Valley Promenaders (StL)	LaVerne LaBoube	573-999-2324
Missouri Promenaders (StL)	Jerry & Joyce Chancey	314-839-2134
MO-Kan Squares (SW)	Tom & Grace Harold	417-465-2241
Ozark Whirlers (C)	John Stover	573-345-4772
Ozark Zig Zags (C)	Bill & Anita Kling	573-378-4524
Peppy Promenaders (WC)	Don & Jolette Boyer	660-646-1906
Pommenaders (SW)	Ike & Linda Clay	417-876-9999
Puxico Country Squares (SE)	Larry & Sharon Crisel	573-222-6137
Ramblers (NW)	Richard & Joann Renfro	816-516-3341
Rangers (SW)	Connie & Kenny Hobbs	417-587-3636
River City Rounds (StL)	Bob & Gerry Tevlin	636-942-4052

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River City Squares (WC)	Shirley Guevel	660-259-3754
St. Peter's Squares (StL)	Mike & Karen Manley	636-240-2254
Santa Fe Trailers (NW)	Bob & Shirley Stock	816-761-8997
Savannah Sashayers (NW)	Jeannie Woodbury	816-238-0781
Shooting Stars (NW)	Charlie & Gina Baker	816-296-3779
Silver Dollar Squares (NW)	Gene & Mary Miller	816-229-1304
Singles & Doubles (StL)	Don Kramme	314-799-7056
Starlite Twirlers Family Sq/Dn Club (NW)	Mike Kelly	816-673-8400
Swingin' Singles (NW)	Darlene Harrell	913-31-4412
Tanglefoot Squares (NE)	John & Marjorie Krumpelman	660-734-1583
Tanglefooters Dance Club (SW)	Dale Simpson	417-782-3733
Traditional Dance & Music Soc. of the Ozarks (SW)	Vicki Strohm	417-862-8681
Trail Blazers (SW)	Kenton & Karen Sullivan	417-537-8658
Travelers (C)	Dave & Dee Shafer	573-528-9170
Trenton T-Squares (WC)	Ralph & Sarah Merservey	660-639-2261
Twilight Twirlers (C)	James & Fran Brackett	573-765-3464
Twirl-A-Rounds (SW)	Carolyn & Tony Ahart	417-425-1834
Two State Steppers (NW)	Karen Craig	660-845-2188
Twirling Funtimers (SW)	Craig & Karen Grothaus	870-424-2957
West County Spinners (StL)	Mike & Julie Pfister	314-265-8645
Western Grand Squares (SW)	Raymond Fine	417-256-2080
Western Twirlers (SW)	Wayne Donham	417-649-7828
Wheel-Around Squares (SW)	Mary Castleberry	417-782-0158
Wheelers & Dealers (StL)	Joan Howard	636-922-3669

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

There is a dance in every direction

Highlighted indicates Special Dances

Level of dancing is included for clubs according to the following key (keys are shown after club name). If more than one key is listed, the first is the **primary** dance level.

MS - Mainstream	P - Announced Plus tips	Plus - Plus
Lines - Lines	A - Advanced	Rds - Rounds
RR - Request Rounds		(NC) - National Caller

MAY 2016

SUNDAY, MAY 1

- **Wheelers & Dealers**; Plus/Rds; Memorial Hall, Blanchette Park, 1900 Randolph St, St. Charles, Caller: Rick Gittelman (NC), Rds/Pat Hilton, 7-9:30, St Louis Dist.

MONDAY, MAY 2

- **Country Squares**; MS; Country Aire Retirement Estates, 18450 State Hwy 16, Lewiston, Caller: Dave Roush, 7-9pm, Northeast Dist.
- **Tanglefooters Dance Club**; Intermediate Phase II-IV; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Rds/Paul & Linda Robinson, 6:45-8:15PM Lessons, 8:15-10 Dance, Southwest Dist.

TUESDAY, MAY 3

- **Swingin' Singles**; MS/P/Rds; Old Shawnee Town Hall, 11600 Johnson Dr, Shawnee, KS, Caller: Jay Krebs, Rds/Pam Young, RR@7 PM, 7:30-9:45, Mother's Day Dance, Northwest Dist.
- **Western Grand Squares**; MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Bill & James Cochran, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4

- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 8-9:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirling Funtimers**; MS/P/Rds; Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring (In Cooper Park) Mountain Home, AR, Caller: Pat Christe, Open Floor 6-7, Dance 7-9:30pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, MAY 5

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Kelly's Klassics**; Advanced; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.

FRIDAY, MAY 6

- **B-N-R Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Gashland UMC, 7715 N Oak, KCMO, Caller: Lynn Nelson, 7:30-10, Northwest Dist.
- **Bluff City Twirlers**; MS/P; Odd Fellows Hall, 200 W. Maude, Poplar Bluff, Caller: Kenton Sullivan, 7-9pm, Southeast Dist.

- **Missouri Promenaders;** CANCELLED, St Louis Dist.
- **Mo-Kan Squares;** MS/P; Vernon Co. Fairgrounds, Home Ec Bldg, 1600 E. Ashland, Nevada, Caller: Jay Wright, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **St. Louis Jamboree;** MS/P/Rds; Kirkwood Community Center, 111 S Geyer Rd, St. Louis; Callers: Ben Rubright & Randy Dougherty; Cuer/Chadd; 6-10:30pm (website- www.Jamboree.SquareDanceMissour.com)
- **Trenton T-Squares;** MS/P; Wesley United Methodist Church, Hwy 6 & Washington St, Trenton, Caller: Mike Kelly, 8-10:30, West Central Dist.
- **Twilight Twirlers;** MS/P; Richland Community Center, Shady Dell Park, Hwy 7, Richland, Caller: Larry Foster, 7:30-10, Central Dist.

SATURDAY, MAY 7

- **Duck 'N' Dive;** MS/P; Eugene Northern Community Center, 400 W 4th St, Rolla, Caller: Lynn Nelson, 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **Jacks N Queens;** MS/P/Lines; Little Blue Barn, 8245 Noland Rd, Kansas City, Mo., Caller: Ron Swartz, 7-9:30, May Flowers Dance, West Ctrl Dist.
- **Little Dixie Squares;** MS/P; Moberly Area Technical Ctr, 1623 Gratz Brown, Moberly, Caller: Tom Manning (NC), 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Maysville Wranglers;** MS/P; Maysville School Lobby, 5 Blocks West of Jct 6 & 33, Maysville, Caller: Dana Schirmer, 7:30-10, Cinco de Mayo, Northwest Dist.
- **Ozark Whirlers;** CANCELLED, Central Dist.
- **Santa Fe Trailers;** MS/P; Sycamore Hills School, 15208 E 39th St, Independence, Caller: Stan Brooke, 7-9:30, Simply Salads, Northwest Dist.
- **St. Louis Jamboree;** MS/P/Rds; Kirkwood Community Center, 111 S Geyer Rd, St. Louis; Callers: Ben Rubright & Randy Dougherty; Cuer/Chadd; 9:30am - 10:30pm (website- www.Jamboree.SquareDanceMissouri.com)
- **St. Peters Squares;** CANCELLED, St Louis Dist.
- **Tanglefoot Squares;** MS/P/Lines; Catholic School Basement, 210 W John St, Brookfield, Caller: Kenny Bailey, 7:30-10, 40th Anniversary, Northeast Dist.
- **Traditional Dance & Music Society of the Ozarks;** Contra; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Caller: Gloria Scarlett, WkShp Learn the Basics 7PM, 7:30-10:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Western Twirlers;** MS/P/Rds; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Caller: Joe Goins (NC), 7-9:30, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, MAY 8

- **Country Western Square Dancers of Potosi;** CANCELLED, Southeast Dist.
- **Kansas City Plus Squares;** CANCELLED, Northwest Dist.
- **Savannah Sashayers;** CANCELLED, Northwest Dist.
- **Whealers & Dealers;** CANCELLED, St Louis Dist.

MONDAY, MAY 9

- **Starlite Twirlers;** MS/Lines; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, Lns/Pat Coster, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.
- **Tanglefooters Dance Club;** Intermediate Phase II-IV; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Rds/Paul & Linda Robinson, 6:45-8:15PM Lessons, 8:15-10 Dance, Southwest Dist.

TUESDAY, MAY 10

- **Western Grand Squares**; MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Bill & James Cochran, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 11

- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 8-9:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirling Funtimers**; MS/P/Rds; Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring (In Cooper Park) Mountain Home, AR, Caller: Philip Morehouse, Open Floor 6-7, Dance 7-9:30pm, Spring Fling, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, MAY 12

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Kelly's Klassics**; Advanced; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.
- **Trail Blazers**; MS/P; Nixa Senior Center, 404 S Main, Nixa, Caller: Kenton Sullivan, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Travelers**; MS/P; St Robert Municipal Ctr, 194 Eastlawn Ave, St Robert, Caller: Tom Roper (NC), 7-9:30, Central Dist.

FRIDAY, MAY 13

- **HASSDA Festival**; MS/P/A/Rds; Holiday Inn KCI Airport & Expo Center, 11728 NW Ambassador Dr, KCMO, Callers: Hogan/Miller/Henerlau; Cuer: Ahart; 9:00am-10:30pm (website- www.wesquaredance.com/HASSDA_Festival) Ad in March/April Doin's.
- **Lotawana Sailors**; MS/P/Lines; Vesper Hall, 400 NW Vesper St, Blue Springs, Caller: Jay Krebs, Lns/Krebs, 7:30-10, Mexican Hat Dance, Northwest Dist.
- **Pommenaders**; MS/P/Lines; McCarty Senior Center, Hwy 54, Wheatland, Caller: Johnny Eubanks, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **River City Rounds**; Rounds; Webster Grove Christian Church, 1320 W Lockwood, Webster Groves, Rds/The Tevlins & Pat Hilton, 7:30-10, St. Louis Dist.

SATURDAY, MAY 14

- **2 State Steppers**; MS; South Harrison Elementary School, 2213 Beekman St, Bethany, Caller: Karen Craig, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.
- **Beaux & Belles**; MS/P; Zion Lutheran Church, 32405 Bus 36 E, Macon, Caller: Kenny Bailey, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Capital City Squares**; MS/P/Rds; McClung Park, 1115 Chestnut, Jefferson City, Caller: Jerry Junck (NC), 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Diamond B's**; MS/P/Lines; ABC Advertising Building, 200 W 4th St, Sedalia, Caller: Larry Butler, 7:30-10, West Central Dist.
- **HASSDA Festival**; MS/P/A/Rds; Holiday Inn KCI Airport & Expo Center, 11728 NW Ambassador Dr, KCMO, Callers: Hogan/Miller/Henerlau; Cuer: Ahart; 9:00am-10:30pm (website- www.wesquaredance.com/HASSDA_Festival) Ad in March/April Doin's
- **Kelly's Klassics**; Plus; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.
- **Kountry Kuzins**; MS/P; O'Reilly Tefft Recreation Ctr, 1408 E Pythian St, Springfield, Caller: Tom Roper (NC), 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.

- **Lost Creek Promenaders;** MS/P; Neosho Senior Center, 1017 Carl Sweeney Pkwy, Neosho, Caller: Johnny Eubanks, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Peppy Promenaders;** MS/P; Grand River Multipurpose Center, 607 W Business 36, Chillicothe, Caller: Barry Peck, 7:30-10, Flower Garden Party, West Central Dist.
- **Puxico Country Squares;** MS/P; VFW Hall, PP Highway (Richardson Ave.), Puxico, Caller: Kevin Bersing, Rds/Donna Barks, Lns/Donna Barks, 7-9:30, Southeast Dist.
- **Shooting Stars;** MS/P/Lines; Radiant Life Church, 704 N. Jefferson St, Kearney, Caller: Stan Brooke, 7:30-10, Chicken Dance, Northwest Dist.
- **Singles & Doubles;** Plus/Rds; Webster Groves Christian Ch, 1320 W Lockwood, Webster Groves, Caller: George Dunbar, Rds/Bob Pyles, RR@7, 7:30-10, St Louis Dist.
- **Western Grand Squares;** MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Jim Ryan, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9:30pm, Cinco De Mayo, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, MAY 15

- **Jefferson County Squares;** Plus/Rds; Our Lady's Church, 1559 St Mary's Ln, Festus, Caller: Dennis Mineau, Rds/Donna Barks, 2:30-5, Salad & Soup Bar, St Louis Dist.

MONDAY, MAY 16

- **Country Squares;** CANCELLED, Northeast Dist.
- **Starlite Twirlers;** MS/Lines; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, Lns/Pat Coster, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.
- **Tanglefooters Dance Club;** Intermediate Phase II-IV; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Rds/Paul & Linda Robinson, 6:45-8:15PM Lessons, 8:15-10 Dance, Southwest Dist.
- **West County Spinners;** Plus/Rds; Trinity Lutheran Church, 14088 Clayton Rd, Chesterfield, Caller: Tom Roper (NC), Rds/The Tevlins, 7:30-10, St. Louis Dist.

TUESDAY, MAY 17

- **Swingin' Singles;** MS/P/Rds; Old Shawnee Town Hall, 11600 Johnson Dr, Shawnee, KS, Caller: Jay Krebs, Rds/Pam Young, RR@7 PM, 7:30-9:45, 50th Anniversary Dance, Northwest Dist.
- **Western Grand Squares;** MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Bill & James Cochran, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18

- **Tanglefoot Squares;** MS/P/Lines; Catholic School Basement, 210 W John St, Brookfield, Caller: Tom Roper (NC), 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Twirl-A-Rounds;** Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 8-9:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirling Funtimers;** MS/P/Rds; Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring (In Cooper Park) Mountain Home, AR, Caller: Pat Christe, Open Floor 6-7, Dance 7-9:30pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, MAY 19

- **Alton Flutterwheels;** MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Kelly's Klassics;** Advanced; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.

FRIDAY, MAY 20

- **Branson Extravaganza**; Advance & C-1 Dancing; Stone Castle Hotel & Conference Ctr, 3050 Green Mountain Dr, Branson; 3 days of dancing-May 20-22, Callers: Howell/Lipscomb/Shoemake; Advertised in March/April Doin's.
- **Meramec Valley Promenaders**; Plus/Rds; Eureka 66 Senior Ctr, 500 N Central, Eureka, Caller: Stan Mangogna, Rds/Jacqui Landau, 8-10:30, St Louis Dist.
- **Mo-Kan Squares**; MS/P; Vernon Co. Fairgrounds, Home Ec Bldg, 1600 E. Ashland, Nevada, Caller: Kenton Sullivan, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Ramblers**; MS/P/Lines; South Valley Middle School, 1000 Midjay Dr, Liberty, Caller: Bill Kanai, 7:15-9:45, Northwest Dist.
- **Twilight Twirlers**; MS/P; Richland Community Center, Shady Dell Park, Hwy 7, Richland, Caller: John Eubanks, 7:30-10, Central Dist.

SATURDAY, MAY 21

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; CANCELLED, Southwest Dist.
- **Crosstrailers**; MS/P/Rds/Lines; Graceway Church Fellowship Hall, 5460 Blue Ridge Cutoff, Raytown, Caller: Stan Brooke, Rds/Stash Tosio, Lns/Carolyn Goucher, RR@7pm, 7:30-10, Northwest Dist.
- **Duck 'N' Dive**; MS/P; Eugene Northern Community Center, 400 W 4th St, Rolla, Caller: Wayne Primeau, 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **Little Dixie Squares**; MS/P; Moberly Area Technical Ctr, 1623 Gratz Brown, Moberly, Caller: Leroy Conrad, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Ozark Whirlers**; MS/P/Rds; Fairground Building, 8th & S Maple, Eldon, Caller: Bill Roles, Rds/Barb Skorupan, RR@7PM, 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **Silver Dollar Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Little Blue Barn, 8245 Noland Rd, Kansas City, Caller: Gene Miller, 7:30-10, End of the Straw, Northwest Dist.
- **Southwest District Dance**; MS/P/Rds; The MARC, 822 W Mt. Vernon Blvd, Mt. Vernon, Mo., Caller: District Callers, Rds/District Cuers, 1:00-10:30pm.
- **St. Peters Squares**; Plus/Rds; First United Methodist Church, 801 First Capital Dr, St Charles, Caller: Dennis Mineau, Rds/Bob Pyles, RR@7PM, 7:30-10, Red, White and Blue Dance, St Louis Dist.
- **Tanglefoot Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Catholic School Basement, 210 W John St, Brookfield, Caller: Kenny Bailey, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Traditional Dance & Music Society of the Ozarks**; Contra; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Caller: Debra Harpe, WkShp Learn the Basics 7PM, 7:30-10:30, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, MAY 22

- **Kansas City Plus Squares**; Plus; Leawood Presbyterian Church, 2715 W 83rd St, Leawood, KS, Caller: Dana Schirmer, Rds/Stash Tosio, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.
- **River City Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Lexington United Methodist Ch, 1211 S Bus Hwy 13, Lexington, Caller: Wade Morrow, 6-8:30, Get Ready For Summer, West Central Dist.
- **Savannah Sashayers**; MS/P/Lines/CW; Clasbey Center, 500 E Duncan Dr, Savannah, Caller: Larry Liebig, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.

MONDAY, MAY 23

- **Starlite Twirlers**; MS/Lines; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, Lns/Pat Coster, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.

- **Tanglefooters Dance Club**; Intermediate Phase II-IV; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Rds/Paul & Linda Robinson, 6:45-8:15PM Lessons, 8:15-10 Dance, Southwest Dist.
- **West County Spinners**; Plus/Rds; Trinity Lutheran Church, 14088 Clayton Rd, Chesterfield, Caller: Jerry Story (NC), Rds/Pat Hilton, 7:30-10, St. Louis Dist.

TUESDAY, MAY 24

- **Western Grand Squares**; MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Bill & James Cochran, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Western Twirlers**; MS/P/Rds; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Caller: Gary Shoemake (NC), 7-9:30, Co-sponsored by Mo-Kan Squares, Southwest Dist.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 25

- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 8-9:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirling Funtimers**; MS/P/Rds; Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring (In Cooper Park) Mountain Home, AR, Caller: Pat Christe, Open Floor 6-7, Dance 7-9:30pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, MAY 26

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Kelly's Klassics**; Advanced; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.
- **Trail Blazers**; MS/P; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Caller: Marshall Flippo (NC), 7:30-10, No banners please, Southwest Dist.
- **Travelers**; MS/P; St Robert Municipal Ctr, 194 Eastlawn Ave, St Robert, Caller: John Stuart, 7-9:30, Central Dist.

FRIDAY, MAY 27

- **Branson Blowout**; Stone Castle Hotel & Conference Ctr, 3050 Green Mountain Dr, Branson; 3 days of dancing-May 27-29, Callers: Bower/Flippo/Bramlet/Shoemake; Cuers: Harris; Advertised in March/April Doin's.
- **Knot So Squares**; MS; Overland Park Presbyterian Church, 8029 Overland Park Dr, Overland Park, KS, Caller: Wade Morrow, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.
- **Missouri Promenaders**; Plus/Rds; John Knox Presbyterian Ch, 13200 New Halls Ferry Rd, Florissant, Caller: Guest, Rds/Bob Pyles, 8-10:30, St Louis Dist.
- **Pommenaders**; MS/P/Lines; McCarty Senior Center, Hwy 54, Wheatland, Caller: Jammer Cochran, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Singles & Doubles**; Plus/Rds; Webster Groves Christian Ch, 1320 W Lockwood, Webster Groves, Caller: Kenton Sullivan, Rds/Pat Hilton, RR@7:30, 8-10:30, St Louis Dist.

SATURDAY, MAY 28

- **Beaux & Belles**; CANCELLED, Northeast Dist.
- **Kelly's Klassics**; Plus; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Call Club Contact Before Going, Northwest Dist.

- **Lost Creek Promenaders;** MS/P; Neosho Senior Center, 1017 Carl Sweeney Pkwy, Neosho, Caller: Richard Verge, 7:30-10, Memorial Day Dance, Southwest Dist.
- **Peppy Promenaders;** CANCELLED, West Central Dist.
- **Puxico Country Squares;** CANCELLED, Southeast Dist.
- **Rangers;** MS/P/Lines; O'Reilly Tefft Recreation Ctr, 1408 E Pythian St, Springfield, Caller: David McKinnon, 7:30-10, Flags on Parade Dance, Southwest Dist.

MONDAY, MAY 30

- **Country Squares;** CANCELLED, Northeast Dist.
- **Starlite Twirlers;** MS/Lines; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, Lns/Pat Coster, 7-9:30, TBA, Northwest Dist.
- **Tanglefooters Dance Club;** Intermediate Phase II-IV; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Rds/Paul & Linda Robinson, 6:45-8:15PM Lessons, 8:15-10 Dance, Southwest Dist.

TUESDAY, MAY 31

- **Swingin' Singles;** MS/P/Rds; Old Shawnee Town Hall, 11600 Johnson Dr, Shawnee, KS, Caller: Jay Krebs, Rds/Pam Young, RR@7 PM, 7:30-9:45, Pie Dance, Northwest Dist.
- **Western Grand Squares;** MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Bill & James Cochran, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

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WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1

- **Twirl-A-Rounds;** Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 8-9:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirling Funtimers;** MS/P/Rds; Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring (In Cooper Park) Mountain Home, AR, Caller: Pat Christe, Open Floor 6-7, Dance 7-9:30pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, JUNE 2

- **Alton Flutterwheels;** MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Kelly's Klassics;** Advanced; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3

- **Bluff City Twirlers;** MS/P; Odd Fellows Hall, 200 W. Maude, Poplar Bluff, Caller: Bill Cochran, 7-9pm, Southeast Dist.
- **Missouri Promenaders;** Plus/Rds; John Knox Presbyterian Ch, 13200 New Halls Ferry Rd, Florissant, Caller: Lanny Weakland (NC), Rds/Bob Pyles, 8-10:30, St Louis Dist.
- **Mo-Kan Squares;** MS/P; Vernon Co. Fairgrounds, Home Ec Bldg, 1600 E. Ashland, Nevada, Caller: Jay Wright, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Trenton T-Squares;** MS/P; Wesley United Methodist Church, Hwy 6 & Washington St, Trenton, Caller: Doug McCart, 8-10:30, West Central Dist.
- **Twilight Twirlers;** MS/P; Richland Community Center, Shady Dell Park, Hwy 7, Richland, Caller: Jammer Cochran, 7:30-10, Central Dist.

SATURDAY, JUNE 4

- **Duck 'N' Dive**; MS/P; Eugene Northern Community Center, 400 W 4th St, Rolla, Caller: Tom Roper (NC), 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **Little Dixie Squares**; MS/P; Moberly Area Technical Ctr, 1623 Gratz Brown, Moberly, Caller: Kenton Sullivan, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Maysville Wranglers**; MS/P; Maysville School Lobby, 5 Blocks West of Jct 6 & 33, Maysville, Caller: Lanny Weakland (NC), 7:30-10, Summer Cruisin', Northwest Dist.
- **Ozark Whirlers**; CANCELLED; Central Dist.
- **St. Peters Squares**; Plus/Rds; First United Methodist Church, 801 First Capital Dr, St Charles, Caller: John Stuart, Rds/Jacqui Landau, RR@7PM, 7:30-10, Strawberry Dance, St Louis Dist.
- **Tanglefoot Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Catholic School Basement, 210 W John St, Brookfield, Caller: Leroy Conrad, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Traditional Dance & Music Society of the Ozarks**; Contra; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Caller: Gloria Scarlett, WkShp Learn the Basics 7PM, 7:30-10:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Western Twirlers**; MS/P/Rds; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Caller: Johnny Eubanks, 7-9:30, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, JUNE 5

- **Savannah Sashayers**; MS/P/Lines/CW; Clasbey Center, 500 E Duncan Dr, Savannah, Caller: Dean Dederman (NC), 3-5:30, Northwest Dist.

MONDAY, JUNE 6

- **Country Squares**; MS; Country Aire Retirement Estates, 18450 State Hwy 16, Lewiston, Caller: Dave Roush, 7-9pm, Northeast Dist.
- **Tanglefooters Dance Club**; Intermediate Phase II-IV; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Rds/Paul & Linda Robinson, 6:45-8:15PM Lessons, 8:15-10 Dance, Southwest Dist.

TUESDAY, JUNE 7

- **Swingin' Singles**; MS/P/Rds; Old Shawnee Town Hall, 11600 Johnson Dr, Shawnee, KS, Caller: Jay Krebs, Rds/Pam Young, RR@7 PM, 7:30-9:45, Flag Day Dance, Northwest Dist.
- **Western Grand Squares**; MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Bill & James Cochran, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 8-9:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirling Funtimers**; MS/P/Rds; Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring (In Cooper Park) Mountain Home, AR, Caller: "Cherokee" Bill Cochran, Open Floor 6-7, Dance 7-9:30pm, Roll Your Own Sundaes, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.

- **Kelly's Klassics**; Advanced; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.
- **Trail Blazers**; MS/P; Nixa Senior Center, 404 S Main, Nixa, Caller: Kenton Sullivan & Jay Wright, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Travelers**; MS/P; St Robert Municipal Ctr, 194 Eastlawn Ave, St Robert, Caller: Jim Wright, 7-9:30, Central Dist.

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

- **Pommenaders**; MS/P/Lines; McCarty Senior Center, Hwy 54, Wheatland, Caller: Stan Brooke, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **River City Rounds**; Rounds; Webster Grove Christian Church, 1320 W Lockwood, Webster Groves, Rds/The Tevlins, 7:30-10, St. Louis Dist.

SATURDAY, JUNE 11

- **2 State Steppers**; CANCELLED, Northwest Dist.
- **Beaux & Belles**; MS/P; Zion Lutheran Church, 32405 Bus 36 E, Macon, Caller: Kenny Bailey, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Capital City Squares**; MS/P/Rds; McClung Park, 1115 Chestnut, Jefferson City, Caller: Darryl Lipscomb (NC), Rds/Marilyn Graham, RR@7-7:30, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Diamond B's**; MS/P/Lines; ABC Advertising Building, 200 W 4th St, Sedalia, Caller: Larry Butler, 7:30-10, West Central Dist.
- **FFSDA**; MS/P/Rds; Holmeswood Baptist Church, 9700 Holmes Rd, Kansas City, Mo; Caller: Bear Miller (NC), Rds/Stash Tosio, RR@7, 7:30-10, Trail Thru Dance (Highlight as special)
- Puxico Country Squares – change location to Puxico School Activity Center, 443 N Hickman St, Puxico.
- **Kelly's Klassics**; Plus; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.
- **Kountry Kuzins**; MS/P; O'Reilly Tefft Recreation Ctr, 1408 E Pythian St, Springfield, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Lost Creek Promenaders**; MS/P; Neosho Senior Center, 1017 Carl Sweeney Pkwy, Neosho, Caller: Johnny Eubanks, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Peppy Promenaders**; MS/P; Grand River Multipurpose Center, 607 W Business 36, Chillicothe, Caller: Merle Hall, 7:30-10, Red, White Blue Dance, West Central Dist.
- **Puxico Country Squares**; MS/P; VFW Hall, PP Highway (Richardson Ave.), Puxico, Caller: John Stuart, Rds/Donna Barks, Lns/Donna Barks, 7-9:30, Southeast Dist.
- Western Grand Squares; MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Pat Christe, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9:30pm, June Bug Dance, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, JUNE 12

- **Country Western Square Dancers of Potosi**; MS/P/Lines; Sayers Senior Center, 109 Lawrence St, Potosi, Caller: Doug Mallory, Lns/Steve Denbow, 2:30-5:00, Southeast Dist.
- **Kansas City Plus Squares**; Plus; Graceway Church Fellowship Hall, 5460 Blue Ridge Cutoff, Raytown, Caller: Tim Marriner (NC), Rds/Stash Tosio, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.
- **Savannah Sashayers**; CANCELLED, Northwest Dist.
- **State Federation Meeting**, Noon, Puxico School Activity Center, 443 N Hickman St, Puxico.

- **Wheelers & Dealers**; Plus/Rds; Memorial Hall, Blanchette Park, 1900 Randolph St, St. Charles, Caller: Kevin Oneslager, Rds/The Tevlins, 7-9:30, St Louis Dist.

MONDAY, JUNE 13

- **Starlite Twirlers**; MS/Lines; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, Lns/Pat Coster, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.
- **Tanglefooters Dance Club**; Intermediate Phase II-IV; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Rds/Paul & Linda Robinson, 6:45-8:15PM Lessons, 8:15-10 Dance, Southwest Dist.

TUESDAY, JUNE 14

- **Western Grand Squares**; MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Bill & James Cochran, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15

- **Ozark Whirlers**; MS/P/Rds; Fairground Building, 8th & S Maple, Eldon, Caller: Romney Tannehill (NC), Rds/Barb Skorupan, RR@7PM, 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 8-9:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirling Funtimers**; MS/P/Rds; Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring (In Cooper Park) Mountain Home, AR, Caller: Pat Christe, Open Floor 6-7, Dance 7-9:30pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, JUNE 16

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Kelly's Klassics**; Advanced; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.

FRIDAY, JUNE 17

- **Meramec Valley Promenaders**; Plus/Rds; Eureka 66 Senior Ctr, 500 N Central, Eureka, Caller: Bud Cutter, Rds/The Tevlins, 8-10:30, St Louis Dist.
- **Mo-Kan Squares**; MS/P; Vernon Co. Fairgrounds, Home Ec Bldg, 1600 E. Ashland, Nevada, Caller: Tom Roper (NC), 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Twilight Twirlers**; CANCELLED, Central Dist.

SATURDAY, JUNE 18

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: John Stuart, 7-9:30, 50's Dance, Southwest Dist.
- **B-N-R Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Gashland UMC, 7715 N Oak, KCMO, Caller: Jerry Junck (NC), 7:30-10, Northwest Dist.
- **Duck 'N' Dive**; MS/P; Eugene Northern Community Center, 400 W 4th St, Rolla, Caller: David McKinnon, 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **Little Dixie Squares**; MS/P; Moberly Area Technical Ctr, 1623 Gratz Brown, Moberly, Caller: Leroy Conrad, 7:30-10, Leroy's Birthday & Salad Dinner @ 6:30, Northeast Dist.
- **Ozark Whirlers**; CANCELLED, Central Dist.
- **Silver Dollar Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Little Blue Barn, 8245 Noland Rd, Kansas City, Caller: Gene Miller, 7:30-10, Minnie Pearl Dance, Northwest Dist.

- **St. Peters Squares**; Plus/Rds; First United Methodist Church, 801 First Capital Dr, St Charles, Caller: Tom Roper (NC), Rds/The Tevlins, RR@7PM, 7:30-10, Trail Thru Dance, St Louis Dist.
- **Tanglefoot Squares**; CANCELLED, Northeast Dist.
- **Traditional Dance & Music Society of the Ozarks**; Contra; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Caller: Debra Harpe, WkShp Learn the Basics 7PM, 7:30-10:30, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, JUNE 19

- **Jefferson County Squares**; CANCELLED, St Louis Dist.

MONDAY, JUNE 20

- **Country Squares**; MS; Country Aire Retirement Estates, 18450 State Hwy 16, Lewiston, Caller: Dave Roush, 7-9pm, Northeast Dist.
- **Starlite Twirlers**; MS/Lines; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, Lns/Pat Coster, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.
- **Tanglefooters Dance Club**; Intermediate Phase II-IV; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Rds/Paul & Linda Robinson, 6:45-8:15PM Lessons, 8:15-10 Dance, Southwest Dist.
- **West County Spinners**; Plus/Rds; Trinity Lutheran Church, 14088 Clayton Rd, Chesterfield, Caller: Ken Burke, Rds/Bob Pyles, 7:30-10, Trail In Dance, St. Louis Dist.

TUESDAY, JUNE 21

- **Swingin' Singles**; MS/P/Rds; Old Shawnee Town Hall, 11600 Johnson Dr, Shawnee, KS, Caller: Jay Krebs, Rds/Pam Young, RR@7 PM, 7:30-9:45, Father's Day Dance, Northwest Dist.
- **Western Grand Squares**; MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Bill & James Cochran, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22

- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; CANCELLED, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirling Funtimers**; MS/P/Rds; Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring (In Cooper Park) Mountain Home, AR, Caller: Pat Christe, Open Floor 6-7, Dance 7-9:30pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, JUNE 23

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Dan's Dancers**; MS/P/Lines; Our Lady of Mercy Country Home, 2115 Maturana, Liberty, Caller: Dan Robinson, 7:30-10
- **Kelly's Klassics**; Advanced; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.
- **Travelers**; CANCELLED, Central Dist.

FRIDAY, JUNE 24

- **Knot So Squares**; CANCELLED, Northwest Dist.
- **Pommenaders**; MS/P/Lines; McCarty Senior Center, Hwy 54, Wheatland, Caller: Doug Mallory, 7:30-10, Bear Dance, Southwest Dist.

SATURDAY, JUNE 25

- **Beaux & Belles**; MS/P; Zion Lutheran Church, 32405 Bus 36 E, Macon, Caller: Merle Hall, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Kelly's Klassics**; Plus; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.
- **Lost Creek Promenaders**; CANCELLED, Southwest Dist.
- **Peppy Promenaders**; CANCELLED, West Central Dist.
- **Puxico Country Squares**; MS/P; VFW Hall, PP Highway (Richardson Ave.), Puxico, Caller: Dan Halliburton, Rds/Donna Barks, Lns/Donna Barks, 7-9:30, Southeast Dist.
- **Rangers**; CANCELLED, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, JUNE 26

- **Kansas City Plus Squares**; CANCELLED, Northwest Dist.
- **River City Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Lexington United Methodist Ch, 1211 S Bus Hwy 13, Lexington, Caller: Wade Morrow, 6-8:30, 25th Anniversary Dance, West Central Dist.
- **Savannah Sashayers**; MS/P/Lines/CW; Clasbey Center, 500 E Duncan Dr, Savannah, Caller: Rick Hampton (NC), 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.

MONDAY, JUNE 27

- **Starlite Twirlers**; MS/Lines; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, Lns/Pat Coster, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.
- **Tanglefooters Dance Club**; Intermediate Phase II-IV; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Rds/Paul & Linda Robinson, 6:45-8:15PM Lessons, 8:15-10 Dance, Southwest Dist.
- **West County Spinners**; Plus/Rds; Trinity Lutheran Church, 14088 Clayton Rd, Chesterfield, Caller: Jay Henderson (NC), Rds/Pat Hilton, 7:30-10, Trail Out Dance, St. Louis Dist.

TUESDAY, JUNE 28

- **Singles & Doubles**; Plus/Rds; Webster Groves Christian Ch, 1320 W Lockwood, Webster Groves, Caller: Rick Hampton (NC), Rds/Jacqui Landau, RR@7:30, 8-10:30, Trail Out Dance, St Louis Dist.
- **Western Grand Squares**; MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Bill & James Cochran, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 29

- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 8-9:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirling Funtimers**; MS/P/Rds; Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring (In Cooper Park) Mountain Home, AR, Caller: Pat Christe, Open Floor 6-7, Dance 7-9:30pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, JUNE 30

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Kelly's Klassics**; Advanced; Eastgate Christian Church, 4010 S River Blvd, Independence, Caller: Mike Kelly, 7-9pm, Northwest Dist.

(Subject to Board Approval - April 10)

MISSOURI FEDERATION OF SQUARE N' ROUND DANCE CLUBS, INC.

Minutes of February 14, 2016

President George Roth called the meeting to order at 11:00 a.m. at the Northview Center in Springfield, Missouri.

Invocation: Carol Morris

Pledge of Allegiance to the American Flag: Bill Thomas

Pledge of Allegiance to the Missouri Flag: Sharon White

Roll Call: Ruth Ann Reynolds

Introduction and Welcome of Guests: Sharon White introduced the hosts from the Kountry Kuzins, Lisa and Ray Corbitt, Maria Lombardi, Loretta Compton, Carol Morris, and Bill Thomas.

Minutes of December 13 Meeting: President Roth asked for any corrections or additions to the minutes. There were no corrections and a motion was made and seconded to approve the minutes as written. Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report: Carl Boone reported for Rosa Davis who was absent. As of December 1, 2015, the beginning checking account balance was \$6,302.32. Revenue was \$4,703.01 with expenses totaling \$3,031.67 for an ending balance on February 7, 2016 of \$7,973.64. Total CDs and interest were \$40,172.85 with Total Funds on Hand of \$48,146.49.

Carl reviewed the budget. He compared the year end to the original budget for 2015. Receipts are down considerably, but with the additional Northeast State Festival figures that will be added in, we did well this year. Expenses were less. DOIN's Revenue continues to decline slightly. Subscriptions and Advertising was down a bit, puzzle sales amounted to \$180, and donations to the DOIN's was \$1,200 this year. At the end of the year we ended with cash on hand of \$48,319.57.

Membership and Club Longevity: Carl Boone announced and presented longevity awards for the following clubs:

Club	Years	District
Twilight Twirlers	40	Central
Ramblers	55	Northwest
Silver Dollar Squares	65	Northwest
Maysville Wranglers	35	Northwest
Meramec Valley Promenaders	40	St. Louis
Tanglefoot	40	Northeast
Swingin' Singles	50	Northwest
Duck	60	Central
Santa Fe Trailers	50	Northwest
West County S	35	St. Louis
Capitol City Squares	45	Northeast
Peppy Promenaders	40	West Central

The club roster indicates this year's dues have been paid for 57 clubs and at the present time there are 1,901 club members.

Correspondence: Ruth Ann Reynolds reporting. A card was passed around from Dee Shafer thanking everyone who sent cards and words of cheer while she is recovering.

Boundaries and Relations: Ray and Vicki Wittman – Absent, no report.

Constitution and Bylaws: Dan Reedy – no report.

Publications: Carol Morris reporting. She thanked everyone for making the transition to Publications for the Webers so easy. Renewals are coming in daily and they are planning to use a heavier bond paper for the next postcard due to the treatment they receive coming through the mail.

Carol requested help in recruiting a new ad manager. Dave Shafer has given notice that he would like to be relieved of his duties. Please mention this opening at your club or district meetings. There is also a “Help Wanted” in the DOIN’s. Dave or Jim Weber will be glad to discuss job responsibilities with all interested parties.

DOIN’s Editor: Edythe Weber reporting. She reminded everyone of the next deadline – March 25. The club name should always come first in the subject line and then chatter or article reference. A contact person should always be listed with a working cell phone number who will be at the dance in case of an emergency. There are three clubs dancing at a new location starting in March:

Peppy Promenaders, Grand River Multi-Purpose Center, Chillicothe, Mo;
Knot So Squares. Overland Park Christian Church, Overland Park, Kansas
KC Plus, Leawood Presbyterian Church, Leawood, Kansas

Make sure you notify Dan Wheeler when you make changes in your clubs so he can keep the web site up to date. The forms for all information are on the DOIN’s web site at www.squaredancemissouri.com/missouri.

DOIN’s Circulation: Jim Weber reporting. He has rewritten a program using Microsoft Access since the mail list no longer works. The new program is working very well. We have 336 paid subscriptions, 1 advertiser, 2 exchange, DOIN’s staff and post office for a total of 352 March/April mailing. Renewals received were 69, 1 new subscription, 2 student copies and 21 expiring DOIN’s post cards to be mailed.

The Profit and Loss statement, January 1 through February 13, shows total Income of \$1,170 and Expenses of \$1,070 for an ending balance of \$100. A check for \$1,014 has been given to the Treasurer.

DOIN’s Advertising: Dave Shafer reporting. For the period from December 13 through February 14, we had a beginning balance of \$100 plus 2 subscriptions, \$30; four puzzle sales, \$40; and revenue from ads and Caller/Cuer directory listings, \$378 for a total revenue of \$548. Total Expenses were \$36.45. Disbursement of \$411.55 payable to the Missouri Federation left a balance carried forward, February 14, 2016, of \$100. We have made \$1,035 on the puzzles so far and we have 97 puzzles on hand. You can buy 2 puzzles for \$10 each or one puzzle for \$15.

Promotions and Recruiting: Jack Rockaway reporting. There are six clubs receiving “Toot Your Horn” awards today:

Beaux & Belles

Tanglefoot Squares

Western Grand Squares
Rangers

Mo- Kan Squares

Puxico Country Squares

Next year, when your club submits information for the Toot Your Horn Award, please use the web site to print off the form that is under Publicity.

State Festival Site Screening: Dan Reedy – No report.

Insurance Coordinator: Jim Weber reporting. Dancers insured through Missouri total 1,389 with 403 insured through other federations for a total of Missouri dancers at 1,792 with 57 clubs. A reminder to all clubs holding lessons. You must submit a class form to cover new dancers in lessons. There is no cost for this. They are insured only at and during lessons at your lessons location. After graduation they must join a club and pay the insurance premium to be insured and the club submits an additional enrollment form. They are not insured until the national insurance coordinator receives the enrollment form. The 2016 premium is \$4.75 per dancer. Remember to document all accidents and keep on file.

Beginning balance on the insurance account was \$419.90. Insurance payments income from clubs was \$460.25. Expenses of USDA insurance payment \$496.05 and postage, \$6.14 left total expenses of \$502.19. The ending balance as of 2/13/2016 was \$377.96.

We have 57 clubs at this time.

Travel Missouri: Jim Marron reporting. As of January 12, 2016, danglers passed out in Missouri were 415.

Central	376	St. Louis	333	Southwest	379
Northeast	363	Southeast	323	West Central	354
Northwest	328				

Total per all districts is 2,871

We have a total of 274 members. A balance carried over from 2015 amounted to \$48.18 and income for February with 14 new rows and 2 new members amounted to \$100 for a total income of \$148.18. There were no expenses during this time and total money in account was \$148.18. A check will be made out to the Treasurer for \$48.18.

Blue Bird Coordinator: Connie and Kenny Hobbs – Absent, no report.

Webmaster: Dan Wheeler reporting. When you make forms to be listed on the Federation web site, and the form is to have an e-mail address on it, request a Federation email address from me. Using a Missouri Federation e-mail address will require no changes for you. We look more professional, and the email can be sent to more than one person. Your personal email address does not appear on the internet. If you start receiving large amounts of spam at the Missouri Federation address, Dan can turn that address off. He requested that copies of flyers for special dances be sent to him so he can post on the web site. The on line forms are all working correctly and all the forms have the correct e-mail address.

He requested that a handbook from each district be sent to him, preferably in MS Word. If using Open Office to send a copy of a text file to someone, convert it to an MS Word file. Click on “Save as”. When the menu opens, click on the down arrow at the right of “Save as type”, click on “Word Document.doc” and then save.

He reminded everyone to make sure that all the forms that belong to their section are current.

Historian: Dan Wheeler reporting. The Caller/Cuer Hall of Fame information is now on the history section of the Missouri Federation web site and also 2015 Square

Dancers of the Year. He has added more past minutes of meetings as far back as 2010. From 2000 to 2010, there are still some minutes yet to be found and put on file.

License Plate: Sharon White reporting. Since the last report of August 14, 2015, License Plate Income lists one 1-year renewal, one 1-year new and three 2-year new people for a total income of \$200. License Plate Expenses were rebates of two 1-year rebates and three 2-year rebates for a total of \$80 which leaves \$120 to go to the Missouri Federation. New balance as of February 14 is \$60.

USDA: Edythe Weber reporting. The Executive Committee held their winter meeting in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina, January 22-23. Everyone on the committee had the same report – square dancing is down, what can we do to help. Some new publications are being produced that might be of use in marketing square dancing and retaining dancers. Publications should be ready for distribution at the National in Des Moines.

USDA Executive Committee members are assisting or presenting in six educational panels or seminars. We will have the titles later, but please support the Leadership Certification Program (LCP). Check it out on the Des Moines web site.

Also, check out the Showcase of Ideas. There is good information about what other areas of the country are doing and USDA always has the most tables of educational materials there.

The Youth Scholarship Fund is dwindling and soon will disappear without the help of affiliates. The scholarship fund and the fund to assist handicapped dancers to attend the Nationals were funded by a credit card program that gave USDA a subsidy for each card held and each transaction made. That program ended about eight years ago. Without more contributions to the youth scholarship fund, the program is in jeopardy.

ARTS: Edythe Weber reporting. ARTS is doing two seminars at the National in Des Moines on the Live Lively Square Dance Reimaging campaign and new logo and slogan. The meeting will be held on Sunday, June 26 possibly at the Iowa Events Center. We will confirm the location at a later date.

Jim has the reimaging logo stickers for sale. Place in the back window of your car. They are \$1.00.

District Presidents' Report: Sharon White reporting. There were five districts represented at the President's meeting. Southeast and St. Louis could not attend. Mary Sue Darwent, President of the Northeast District, will chair the Square Dancer of the Year Committee.

Discussion was held on ways to attract new dancers. One recommendation was family friendly dances. There will be a youth hall at the state dance this year. This may help bring some of the youth throughout the state together in one place. Once again, we do need a new advertising chairman.

Youth and Children Dance: Sharon and Larry Crisel – Absent, no report.

Bill Morris Memorial Scholarship: Bob and Shirley Turner reporting – Absent, no report. George Roth stated he had received an email from Bob with the reminder that scholarships have to be postmarked by March 1 in order to qualify for the scholarship.

2015 State Festival: Annette Thornhill reporting. Annette thanked everyone for all the help and participation the members gave in making a very successful festival last year. We made a total of \$11,825.52 which included the \$2,500 lent to us from the

State. After that deduction, she presented a check for \$9,325.52 to the Federation and the books are ready for audit.

2016 State Festival: Fred Goucher reporting. He reported everything is going well. So far, 103 registrations have been sold and they are working with the hotels and motels in the area for that date. You can register on line and pay by credit card.

Before moving to Unfinished Business, President Roth stated that Dave Shafer, who has been in charge of the Showcase of Ideas will be unable to do that this year. He made a request for volunteers to step forward and assume this responsibility going forward. The Federation budgets \$100 towards travel expenses for anyone assuming this role.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

2016 Budget: Carl Boone reporting. Carl reviewed the proposed budget for 2016 with the estimation that we can maintain around 60 clubs. Total Revenue for General Fund will be around \$21,850. Total General Fund Expenses amount to approximately \$12,500. The DOIN's Fund Revenue is estimated at \$7,625 with Expenses at \$11,550. The Combined Summary of Total Revenue is \$29,475 with Total Expenses at \$24,050 for a Total Net Revenue projected for 2016 of \$5,425.

A motion was made by Dan Reedy and seconded to approve the 2016 budget. The motion was approved.

NEW BUSINESS

President Roth presented a plaque and gavel for 2015 to Carl and Cindy Boone for their dedication and outstanding leadership in serving the Missouri Federation Square and Round Dance Clubs. He gave them an honorary Lifetime membership card that gives them free admission to various activities in the Federation.

National Convention: Carl and Cindy Boone reporting. He introduced Dave and Penny Byers, Peppy Promenaders from Chillicothe, who were responsible for putting together the cookbook for the National in 2018. It is at the printers being proof-read and he stated they have done a wonderful job working on the National Committee. They are also new delegates for the West Central District.

Carl passed around the final design for the belt buckle. Dave Shafer's daughter did the graphics. It is a copyrighted artwork with royalty rights and designed for the 67th National. It features the blue bird, wagon and oxen team, Missouri mule, jazz music and the Dogwood. The buckles will be available in pewter or brass. The cookbooks and belt buckles should be ready for sale within the next several months.

Carl also recognized Jack and Becky Rockaway for the excellent job they have done on the Ways and Means Committee.

Cindy reported that they will travel to Cincinnati for the Ohio pre-convention dance the first part of March. The following year, 2017, will be our turn to showcase the Missouri dancers. She encouraged everyone to register for the dance and also volunteer to work on one of the committees. Work with your clubs to get involved because it is all about Missouri.

Caller/Cuer Hall of Fame Committee: Carl Boone reporting. One of the duties of the Past President is to be the Chairman of the Caller/Cuer Hall of Fame Selection Committee. It is made up of six members. Cindy and Carl (as Past President) four (each from a different district) elected by the Federation body and the last recipient

of the award, which would be Kenton Sullivan, member-at-large. Cindy and Carl represented the Northwest district. He asked for nominations or volunteers to be on the committee. Volunteers included: Annette Thornhill, Northeast; Liz Rooks, West Central; Sharon White, Southwest; Ron Selfors, Central; Dan Reedy, Southeast. Voting was done by secret ballot.

Carl Boone announced the members of the Caller/Cuer Hall of Fame Committee for 2016. They are Liz Rooks, Annette and Terry Thornhill, Sharon White, Ron and Marie Selfors. A motion was made and seconded to destroy the ballots. Motion carried.

Liz Rooks asked about plans to place an advertising ad in the State Fair brochure for the August State Fair Dance. The amount of the ad last year was \$550. There will also be an ad in the DOIN's . A motion was made by Dave Shafer and seconded that Liz come back with a proposal to advertise in the State Fair as a matter of business for our next meeting. Motion was approved.

Jim Weber brought up discussion regarding Missouri support of the USDA \$1,000 scholarship. Dave Shafer made a motion, seconded by Fred Goucher, to approve \$300 for the USDA scholarship fund. After discussion, a vote was taken and motion was approved. Jim Weber recommended that the USDA delegate going to the Des Moines National present the check at that time.

President Roth thanked the Southwest District for hosting the great luncheon and the DOIN's afternoon dance.

Calendar of Events

The next State Board meeting will be hosted by the West Central District on Sunday, April 10, 2016. The meeting will take place 12:00 noon at the Grand Oaks Camp Dining Hall, 94563 Hwy 190, Chillicothe, Mo.

Saturday, April 16 Northeast District Dance.
Moberly Municipal Auditorium,
201 West Rollins, Moberly, Missouri.
Colors – yellow and black
Grand March at 7:00 p.m. until 10:00 PM

Saturday, April 23 Central District Dance.
St. Robert Community Center,
114 JH Williamson, Jr . Drive,
St. Robert, Missouri.
7:00-10:00 PM, Pre-rounds at 6:30 p.m.
Caller: Ken Burke, Cuer: Carolyn Ahart

Saturday, May 21 56th Southwest District Dance.
“The Marc” in Mt. Vernon, Mo.,
822 West, Mt. Vernon Blvd.
Colors – floral and green
3:00 to 5:00 workshops, 6:00 Opening Ceremony – 10:00 PM

A motion was made and seconded to adjourn. Motion was approved. The meeting adjourned at 1:10 p.m.

Ruth Ann Reynolds and Pat Hunt
Secretary, Missouri Federation



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Please identify at which Dance Program you intend to spend most of your time dancing (one check mark per person):
 Squares: new dancer M P DBD HI Energy A1 A2 C1 C2
 Rounds: 2 3/4 5/6
 Other: Clogging Contra Line Dancing/Western Handicapable
 Low Energy Squares (Slower Paced Dancing)

Will you be participating in the Leadership Certification Program? Yes No

Registrations are non-transferable
 Registrations fee per Registrant: Adult \$60.00
 Youth born after June 25, 1998 \$30.00 .5 and under born after June 25, 2011, Free admission.
 A \$10.00 fee per Registrant will be imposed for cancellations or changes.
Prices will increase May 1, 2016 to: \$75 for adults, \$37.50 for Youth born after June 25, 1999.
 Registrations received after April 30, 2016 e-mail confirmation only.

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_____	Cookbook - "Swing into Good Eats"	# _____	@ \$13.00	_____
_____	Wednesday Special Event - "Glee Meets Stomp"	# _____	@ \$25.00	_____
_____	Bus Pass - 4 day pass (See Reverse)(\$60 After 4/30/16)	# _____	@ \$50.00	_____
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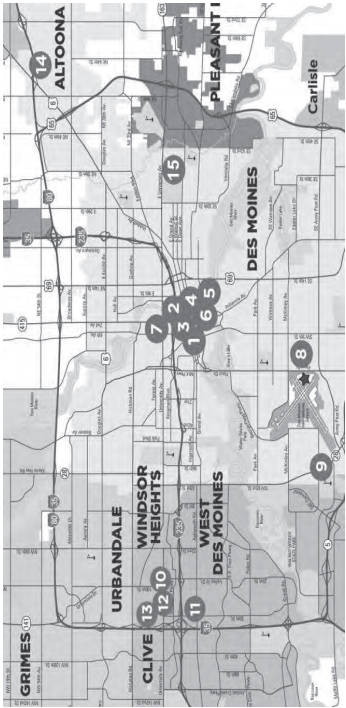
Instructions for Registration (left side)

1. Print legibly all names, address, city, state, zip code, country, and B/D of youth (age 5-17 by 6/22/2016 –1/2 price) to ensure correct registration.
2. Correctly enter all amounts in the Subtotals including registration fee for each dancer plus quantity and amounts for all other materials and tours.
3. **Important!** Daily schedules are only available with the purchase of a Program Book. Daily schedules will not be available separately at the Convention. Most dancers will want to purchase the Program Book.
4. Correctly calculate the Total and include credit card information (with signature), check or money order payable in U.S. funds to the 65th National Square Dance Convention® and return it with the Registration Form.
5. **Do Not Send Cash. No Single Day Registrations Sold.**
6. **RV Camping.** Indicate RV Camping on your Registration Form, and enclose the required fees (four-night minimum) to cover the nights that you intend to stay. Please check appropriate boxes. RV camp sites will be assigned on a first come, first serve basis. There are 30 amp & 50 amp electrical service with water, some full hookups. No dump station - pumping services for a fee. If you plan to camp together, you must arrive together. For more information contact RV Chairman,
7. **Letter & Mary Ann Smith:** RVprof@2016@hmail.com, home phone 641-342-9448 cell phone 340-941-7469
8. **Bus Pass** bus will stop at Convention sponsored hotels 1, 3, 9 and the State Fair Campground.
9. **Price after 4/30/16** will be \$60.
10. **Tour forms and Payments** are to be mailed directly to: 65th National Square Dance Convention®, PO Box 18, Preston, IA 52069. For tour information and form go to www.65nsdc.org and click tours. Include completed tour Form with this Registration Form.
11. **A \$10.00 fee per registrant will be assessed for cancellation. No refunds after April 30, 2016.**

Instructions for Housing (right side)

1. The 65th NSDC Housing Committee is partnering with Greater Des Moines Convention & Visitors Bureau (GDHCVB) Housing Bureau to provide **SEMI** direct access for housing reservations. Dancers can make reservations online by going to www.65nsdc.org. The GDHCVB Housing website can be accessed to view the hotels, see photos or rooms and make direct reservations. If you do not wish to make reservations online, you may call the Housing Bureau and make reservations by phone. Please note that the Housing Bureau does not make reservations for you. You must make your own reservations using the printed registration form, the website, or by phone.
2. Complete the housing reservation form if you choose to make reservations online. You must make your reservation by **Monday, June 15, 2016** to receive the 65th NSDC contracted room rates. If you request housing at hotel codes 1-7, you must stay a minimum of four (4) nights, including Wednesday through Saturday, June 22-25, 2016. You may make new reservations online until June 4, 2016.
3. Only one person per room should complete a hotel reservation request. Please list all room occupants. (The Housing Committee does not find or assign roommates.)
4. **Shared Rooms or Same Hotel Requests:** Online requests should be made by one person per room to guarantee that you will be in the same room. To guarantee reservations at the same hotel one person from the group should make the reservations. Please list all room occupants. Mailed registrations must be in the same envelope and mailed to arrive together.
5. All Block Housing requests staying in same hotel are due by **January 2, 2016** submitted with name and telephone number of leader.
6. Indicate four (4) choices of housing preference, by specifying hotel code number. Be sure to indicate 1 or 2 beds as well as preferences. Hotels will be assigned on a first-come, first-serve basis according to availability.
7. **Hotel Reservations must be guaranteed with a valid credit card, expiration date past the arrival date.** Your credit card will not be charged in advance of arrival and an alternative form of payment may be presented at check in.
8. **Hotel Confirmations:** You will receive a hotel confirmation via email or mail. If you do not receive your confirmation within 30 days, please contact the 65th NSDC Housing Committee by: (a) email: regchair@65nsdc.org; (b) phone 563-594-0117; (c) mail Registration/Housing 65NSDC, PO Box 18, Preston IA, 52069 through June 15, 2016. Please note hotels 3-8 and 12-14 will not issue physical confirmation numbers before July 1, 2015. After making your reservation via this form or online your physical confirmation will be guaranteed and you will receive an acknowledgment email. A confirmation email will follow in July.
9. **Hotel Changes/Cancellation:** After receiving Hotel Confirmation, if you need to cancel/change your Hotel reservation you must use the link provided in your hotel confirmation email or contact the 65th NSDC Housing Committee until June 15, 2016. As of June 16, 2016 contact the hotel directly for changes/cancellations. The policies vary for each hotel and will be noted in the room reservation agreement.
10. **Hotel Early Departure:** You must contact your hotel as the policies vary for each hotel.

Map of Hotels and Campground



Hotel Code	Hotel Name	1 Person	2 People	3 People	4 People	Distance
1	Des Moines Marriott Downtown (SOLD OUT)* #	\$134	\$134	\$134	\$134	.4 Miles
2	Quality Inn & Suites Event Center (Callee/Cueer Hotel)	\$125	\$125	\$125	\$125	.22 Miles
3	Renaissance Des Moines Savery Hotel * #	\$138	\$138	\$148	\$158	.45 Miles
4	Embassy Suites Des Moines Downtown * #	\$165	\$165	\$175	\$185	.52 Miles
5	Residence Inn Des Moines Downtown * #	\$149	\$149	\$149	\$149	.64 Miles
6	Hampton Inn & Suites Des Moines Downtown * #	\$169	\$169	\$169	\$169	.67 Miles
7	Holiday Inn Downtown at Mercy Campus * (Vendor Hotel)	\$140	\$140	\$140	\$140	.81 Miles
8	Holiday Inn Airport & Conference Center*	\$109	\$109	\$109	\$109	6 Miles
9	Baymont Inn & Suites Airport Conference Ctr *	2 Queens - \$129	1 King - \$139			9 Miles
10	Valley West Inn	\$95	\$95	\$95	\$95	8 Miles
11	Sheraton West Des Moines	\$149	\$149	\$149	\$149	9 Miles
12	Wildwood Lodge	\$139	\$139	Studio Double/Queen - \$159		9 Miles
13	Sterling Hotel & Suites	Studio Queen - \$99		Studio Double/Queen - \$119		9 Miles
14	Prairie Meadows	1 King - \$119	2 Queens - \$119			11 Miles
15	Iowa State Fair Campground*	\$35 Per Camp Site				3 Miles

* Bus Services Available - Parking Fees Apply
Hotels 1-7 Require a Night Minimum Stay, Wed., Sat

The "Together Team" of the 65th National Square Dance Convention® is committed to making our convention fun and enjoyable for you! Call or E-mail us if you have a concern or suggestion: Call (563) 594-0117 or Email regchair@65nsdc.org

EDUCATION

We welcome all attendees of the 65th National Convention to our “Kernels of Knowledge” Education Program. Some of the dance world’s top leaders, callers, and cuers will share their ideas and information in panels, seminars, and clinics. The Sew & Save *Field of Ideas* is awesome!

If you’re concerned about dwindling numbers of dancers in your area, consider signing up for the Leadership Certification Program.

And when you arrive, check out the presentations in the Showcase of Ideas.

It’s not too early to mark your calendar so you don’t miss the ORGANIZATION ROUNDTABLE - Grand Ballroom B at 1p.m., June 24, 2016. Who better to address some of the issues facing our favorite pastime than acknowledged leaders of national dance organizations? All dancers, leaders, instructors, callers, and cuers are welcome to attend and participate in this. The Roundtable is held to promote friendship among all leaders and dancers and to exchange knowledge, ideas, and programs.

SEW & SAVE

Check out the Sew and Save Workroom and Seminar Room in the Vendor area in Hall A. You will find something for everyone - experienced dancers, experienced sewers, inexperienced dancers, inexperienced sewers and even the non-sewer. A Sew & Save booklet and CD will be available for sale if you did not preorder. Repair Area: Sewing machine, safety pins, iron on tape, and help when you need something fixed. Patterns & Tracing Area: Trace patterns to take home for bodices, sleeves, men’s ties, and skirts. Be sure to check the handout area to see if there is a handout that matches. Free Table: Donated fabric, yarn, patterns and trims will be available to go to a new home. Make & Take: Come and enjoy making a variety of small craft items. Seminars and Demonstrations: Lots of sessions for sewing education. Ticket Raffle: Each time you enter the Workroom, you will receive tickets to deposit in containers in front of prizes on the Ticket Raffle Tables. Additional rules will be posted. Prizes must be claimed before 4 PM on Saturday.

FABULOUS “HEARTLAND MEMORIES” FASHION SHOW

“Heartland Memories” is the theme of the fabulous fashion show scheduled for Saturday, June 25! At 1:30 p.m. enjoy the pre-show music provided by our talented and humorous local square dance caller/recording artist Jack O’Leary. You will thoroughly enjoy the delightful and entertaining fashion show starting at 2 p.m. Creative and enthusiastic Central Iowa caller/recording artist and song writer Barry Peck will be providing songs he has written about dancing and memories.

On May 1, 2016 the dancer registration fee goes up to \$75 and the bus pass goes up to \$60.

Check out the distance your hotel is from the Event Center on the back of the registration form or use Google maps. If you think you need a bus pass purchase it prior to the convention.

OTHER STUFF

- The latest total for registrations is 2,577.
- There have been no bids received for hosting the National Convention in 2020.
- There are 179 callers and 65 cuers registered to participate at this convention.
- Mobility Scooters will be available to rent for \$53 for the entire convention. Contact Metro Rentals in Des Moines to make your reservation. All the scooters will be delivered in one shipment and stored at the convention center until they are picked; this saves everyone on the delivery charges. More info: Metro Rental, 2400 86th Street, Suite 14, Urbandale, IA 50322. Phone: 800-560-3408. Email: info@rentaliowa.com.
- There will be 26 exhibitions scheduled during the convention.
- Clogging will be offered from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. If enough interest is shown they will also schedule some evening time.
- With the low number thus far for contra, 79, they are considering not offering a live band.
- A photographer will be available in the convention center to take single, couple or group photos. You will be able to get these delivered to you during the convention, thus saving on mailing cost.
- Only have 44 signed up for the Saturday Pork Luncheon and there is still time to make your reservation.
- There were 299 signed up for the Wednesday evening program, Vocal Trash.

- So far have almost three buses available for those wanting to participate in the Flash Mob tours during the convention.

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED AT THE 65TH NSDC®

We will be having about 6,000 dancers visiting Iowa/Des Moines, many for the very first time, the last week of June 2016. We want to show off Iowa and Des Moines with Super Midwestern Hospitality.

Even if you no longer dance but still enjoy new and old friends, you will enjoy the excitement of a National Convention – the joy, the colors, the sounds, the laughter, the FUN! You are needed!

Below is a list of areas where we can use some help. If one of them interests you or makes you curious, contact your area dance leaders to find out more information or contact us [Jim & Janet Winslow at 815-772-2785 or 563-357-0712] and we will try to answer your questions. Our email address is genchair@65nsdc.org.

WE NEED HELP IN THE FOLLOWING AREAS:

Badge Making – most badges will be made ahead of time, but there will be some walk-in registrations, plus visitors need name badges.

First Aid – you would help with the record-keeping, no medical background is needed; we will have certified EMTs on staff.

Lost & Found – helping complete forms, placing the labeled item on shelf and return to rightful owner.

Showcase of Ideas – helping set up, take down, walking through to make sure all is in its proper place.

Vendor Loading / Unloading – helping where needed, not necessarily physically lifting or shoving.

Counters in dance halls – every 15 minutes the number of dancers needs to be recorded; every hour or two the numbers need to be turned into the Programming Office for record-keeping.

Counters in education rooms – every 60 minutes the number of attendees needs to be recorded and turned into the Education Office for record-keeping.

Hosts to introduce Education Presenters – read from a brief script introducing the presenters to those gathered. Also make note who is taking the session for LCP credit.

Hosts to support the Exhibition Teams/Groups – 6 teams are coming and need help storing costumes, checking out costumes and finding their way around the IEC.

Safety/Security throughout the whole facility and Sew & Save – all persons in our area of the IEC will need a name badge. Guests, visitors will need a name badge. If someone does not have a name badge, they need to be escorted to Registration to get one. Sew & Save will have a variety of items that need to remain where positioned.

Information Booth for Des Moines and for the Convention – The Convention Visitors Bureau has a large booth that will have information on Des Moines/Iowa. We need to have persons there who are able to read maps and can direct others around the convention center. We also want to have a smaller booth on the 3rd floor near the entrance.

Greeters at Shuttle Bus Stops at Iowa Events Center and at the different arrival points, including Hotels, Airport, Megabus terminal, the IEC various entrances, etc.

Ushers needed for the Opening Ceremony, *Vocal Trash*; Bid Session, Fashion Show, Parade of States and Closing Ceremony.

Hospitality Areas: Vendors, Education Office, Exhibition Room, International Room, USDA Meeting Room, Caller/Cuer/Talent at IEC & Hotel, NEC/VIP Room, Workers' Check-In Room, Press Room and other areas that need Super Mid-Western Hospitality! We hope you will help Iowa welcome our guests! Thank you.

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