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Presidents' Notes

It is finally Spring, and an amazing **National Square Dance Convention** is about to begin in Kansas City this June. Missourians can take great pride in this convention.

If you haven't yet, please register right now! Use the blank registration form in this edition of the DOINs, or visit the convention website (www.67nsdc.com) to sign up.

There are three great opportunities for Missouri dancers at the Kansas City Convention.

First, you can get a \$50 rebate if you sign up for and complete the Leadership Certification Program (LCP). This is good for you and the future of our dancing activity. Check out the ad in this edition of the DOINs for details.

Second, if you are a youth dancer, you can also get a \$50 rebate for attending. Follow the link on the home page of the Federation's website (www.SquareDanceMissouri.org) for details.

Third, if you are a caller or cuer or are interested in becoming a caller or cuer, rebates are available for you too. Find the link to details on the home page of the Federation's website.

You can also make this convention very special by volunteering to help with some aspect of it. Visit the convention website and find an area in which you would like to volunteer. Contact the chair for that area or give us a call or email, and we'll get you connected.

And, don't forget the **Missouri State Festival** coming to Lebanon in October. In this edition of the DOINs, you will find a registration form. Please fill it out and send it in as soon as you can.

You and we have a serious responsibility for the future of square dancing. Its success depends on us. Please think about what you can do to grow your club. Share your ideas with others and volunteer. Together we can ensure that there will be a vibrant dance community in Missouri for many years to come.

We look forward to meeting each of you at dances across the state and at the Great National Square Dance Convention in Kansas City in June.

Good dancing and safe travel,

Ron and Marie Selfors

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Editors' Notes



Please read this issue cover to cover and share with other dancers that might not get the magazine. This issue has many things about the 67th National Square Dance Convention in it that we hope will spark your attention and get you as excited as we are about attending. We have attended 29 National Square Dance Conventions since we began dancing in 1987. Each one has had something that makes us remember it differently than the others. Of course when we started dancing, it was nothing to have over 30,000 dancers at the Nationals, and here we are hoping and praying that we can get 4,000 dancers to come to Kansas City in June 2018. That is so sad. And we would make it happen if all our Missouri (and Kansas) dancers showed up. We would be well over that number. So get excited, get registered, volunteer to help out in some capacity, and show the world, and all our square dance friends coming to Kansas City, that we know how to throw a party

The next deadline is May 25, for the July/August issue. Half the year is already over – or so it would seem. Sending early is always greatly appreciated.

Requesting copies for the *Doin's* for new graduates – we provide one issue for each new dancer. There's a form to make your request on; please use it. That form is available online or by requesting it from us. Please request your free copies to give out to your new dancers at graduations and make them aware of the magazine.

All the forms for sending items in for the *Doin's* are available and interactive on the web at www.squaredancemissouri.com/Missouri. Click on Federation Information, then Show Me *Doin's*. Send direct from the web or print out.

Happy Dancing!

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"When I was a boy of 14, my father was so ignorant I could hardly stand to have the old man around. But when I got to be 21, I was astonished at how much the old man had learned in seven years." - Mark Twain

"A good father is one of the most unsung, unpraised, unnoticed, and yet one of the most valuable assets in our society." - Billy Graham

**"The most important thing a father can do for his children is to love their mother."
- Henry Ward Beeche**

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District Dance April 28, 2018

Duck 'n' Dive

Rolla

1st & 3rd Saturday

Doug Mallory/Guest Callers

Duck 'N' Dive Square Dance Club has four dances scheduled for May and June of 2018:

May 5 we have Lynn Nelson as our caller; May 19 Wayne Primeau. June 2 we have Jay Wright, and June 16 Tom Roper (NC).

All four dances will be held at our regular location, Eugene Northern Community Hall in Rolla, on above-mentioned Saturdays from 7:30 to 10 p.m. Please come to join us for a fun and friendly evening. Light snacks will be provided as usual.

*Warmly,
Le*

Ozark Whirlers

Eldon

1st, 3rd & 5th Saturdays

Guest Callers

Barb Skorupan - Cuer

These two months are lovely times to dance, since the weather is usually very nice. May 5, Stan and Beth Heidecker will call and on May 19, Kevin Bersing will call. June 2, we will welcome Tommy Russell to our club, and then on June 16, we will have Jay Wright. There will not be a dance on June 30 due to Nationals in Kansas City. This should be an exciting time and many have looked forward to this dance for a long time.

Sharon & Don

Travelers

St. Robert

2nd & 4th Thursday

Guest Callers

Time has really sped up or I am just slow. Anyway, the Travelers want to thank all of those who came to the 2nd Annual Memorial Dance for Dee. All of the proceeds went to Ellis Fischell Cancer Center in Columbia to pay for mammograms for those financially stressed.

May is an exciting month, as May 10 will feature the greatly talented Doug Mallory calling for us. Mr.

DUCK 'N' DIVE

Rolla, MO

May 5 • Lynn Nelson

May 19 • Wayne Primeau

June 2 • Jay Wright

June 16 • Tom Roper (NC)

Eugene Northern Community Hall

Fourth & Main Streets • Rolla

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



Top Hat, Ray Crowley, will venture down with his calling expertise from Columbia to call our May 24 dance.

We have only one dance in June this year. Merle Hall will be calling our colorful "Wear a Hawaiian Shirt or Blouse" dance on June 14. Don't forget to wear a lei too. Hope all of you have a fun-filled time dancing.

See you across a square soon in Kansas City the end of June!!

Dave

Twilight Twirlers
Richland
1st, 3rd and 5th Fridays
Doug Mallory & Guests

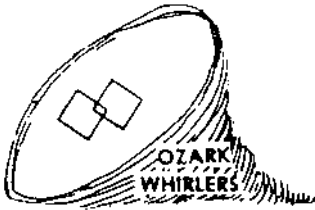
It is hard to think it is already May and we are getting ready for summer, but here it comes ready or not. The Twirlers will be having only one dance each month during May and

June. On May 4, John Eubanks will be with us to call his usual smooth dance. Our second dance would have been May 18, but has been cancelled.

Coming in June we have Jay Wright calling on June 1. Jay always calls a fun upbeat dance. We will not be holding a dance on June 15.

The Twirlers invite everyone to join us for both these dances. We can promise you good entertainment, good fellowship, and good food! Both dances will be held at the Richland Community Center in Shady Dell Park, 7:30-10 p.m. each evening!

Sharon & Don



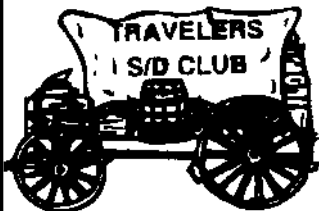
Pre-Rounds
Barb Skorupan 7:00 p.m.
 Lessons: Wednesdays 7-9 p.m.

OZARK WHIRLERS

Fairground Building • Eldon, MO

TIME: 7:00 - 10:00 p.m.

May 5..... Stan & Beth Neidecker
 May 19 Kevin Bersing
 June 2 Tommy Russell
 June 16..... Jay Wright
 June 30..... At the National Dance



St. Robert Municipal Center
 194 Eastlawn Avenue
 St. Robert, MO

CALLER SCHEDULE

May 10 • Doug Mallory

May 24 • Ray Crowley
Crazy Hat Dance

June 14 • Merle Hall

Wear a Hawaiian Shirt or Blouse

2nd & 4th THURSDAYS

7:00 – 9:30 p.m.

BLUEBIRD SWIRL...

"THE MISSOURI LOOK"



MEN

*BLUE WESTERN SHIRT
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BOTTOM SLEEVE RUFFLE
TRIMMED WITH 5/8-INCH RED RIBBON
AND 1/4-INCH GOLD RIBBON
BOTTOM NECK RUFFLE AND
TOP SLEEVE RUFFLE
TRIMMED WITH 5/8-INCH DARK BLUE
RIBBON AND 1/4-INCH GOLD RIBBON
THREE-TIERED SHORT/LONG SKIRT
FIRST TIER ... RED
5/8-INCH DARK BLUE RIBBON AT BOTTOM
SECOND TIER ... WHITE
6-INCH BLUEBIRD MOTIFS
ENCIRCLED IN LOOPS OF RED BRAID TRIM
THIRD TIER ... DARK BLUE
5/8-INCH RED RIBBON AT BOTTOM*

RED PETTICOAT - PETTIPANTS - SHOES

It's a Bluebird Evening!

Wear your State Bluebird Dress Friday Night at the State Festival

Twilight Twirlers

7:30 - 10:00 p.m.

May 4 • John Eubanks

June 1 • Jay Wright

Richland Community Center • Shady Dell Park



– REMINDER –

May 25th is the deadline for the July/August Doin's

SEND INFO EARLY

THINGS I LEARN AS I GROW UP — Dave Shafer

I have found that food does not always have to have the same bland taste. A little manipulation or imagination can change what we eat and how it taste. Take for instance “OATS” or “OATMEAL.” In most cases, they come in tubular boxes and are either “Minute”, “Quick” or “Regular.” Personally I like the regular oats because I can manipulate how they taste. The Minute and Quick Oats cook too fast.

With Regular Oats, water is boiled and the oats added. The oats are then cooked for five minutes and served with sugar, or honey and milk. Some folks add fresh fruit such as, blueberries, raspberries, sliced peaches, or other fruit after the oats are cooked.

I've learned that if I put one cup of water on to boil and add $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of chopped walnuts and the prescribed oats, I get a very good nutty flavor added to the oats. If I add $\frac{1}{2}$ of a mashed banana I get a delicious banana-nut oatmeal. On other days I may add $\frac{1}{2}$ diced apple and $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon of cinnamon to the oatmeal and nuts. Thus Cinnamon Apple-nut oatmeal. Other variations include adding blueberries, raspberries, craisins, diced peaches and nectarines, and other fruits to the cooking oatmeal and nuts. Craisins enhance the flavor of apples. Cinnamon tastes good in all of the variations. I usually add the apples, craisins and blueberries to the water as it heats, and then add the oats when the water is at a high boil and cook the oats as directed on the box. I add the bananas, peaches, nectarines and most other softer fruit when the oats have been cooking about three minutes. A major secret of good tasty oatmeal is to stir the oats while they cook so they do not dry out on the bottom or burn onto the pan.

NORTHEAST DISTRICT

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District Dance April 21, 2018

Beaux & Belles

Macon

Every Other Saturday

Kenny Bailey

We will have Tom Roper calling a dance Wednesday, May 2 for us. He always call a fun dance. Come and enjoy with us. May 12

Kenny Bailey is our caller. May 26 is CANCELED for Memorial Day.

June 9, once again Kenny Bailey will be calling. June 23 we will have Jay Wright as our caller.

Come dance with us. We always welcome visitors

Carolyn

Capital City Squares

Jefferson City

Various Saturdays

Guest Callers

Well it's that time again to let everyone know about what's coming up in May and June for the Capital City Squares.

For May 12 our caller is Mike Hogan. For June 9 Don Boyer will be calling for us AND we will be having a salad bar with many delicious salads.

Beaux & Belles

Zion Lutheran Church

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Church 660-395-7021 • Morford 660-415-7992

Dances 7:30 - 10 pm or as noted below

*Are you registered for the
National Square Dance Convention at KC June 20-23*

MAY 2 (WED)

National Caller – Tom Roper

MAY 12 – Caller: Kenny Bailey

MAY 26

Canceled – Memorial Day Weekend

JUNE 9

Caller: Kenny Bailey

JUNE 23

CALLER: Jay Wright

July 20, 21 & 22 is fast approaching, so mark your calendars

For the Beaux & Belles Annual Campout - World Travelers

Check our website for details & a great trip!

www.Belles.SquareDanceMissouri.com

All dances will begin at 7:30 pm, doors open at 7:00 p.m., so please come on out and have a great time with us.

Linda

**Tanglefoot Squares
Brookfield
1st & 3rd Saturdays
Leroy Conrad**

Our club would like to say a big **THANK YOU** to each one that attended our annual Western Roundup in March. It was a wonderful time with all the guests and some that have completed their lessons. Leroy Conrad and Kenny Bailey make it so much fun.

Merle Hall will be calling May 5 and Kenny Bailey on May 19 in our regular location.

Only one dance in June due to Father's Day, and that will be relocated to First Christian Church, 1416 N. Main on June 2. We will have ice cream and cake for Leroy's Birthday. This will be starting of casual wear for the summer.

We are so excited to have gained three couples from lessons and from that have enough to do another session of lessons; it is wonderful.

Lois

Flag Day June 14th



IN MEMORY

RODNEY EMMETT COMSTOCK

SEPTEMBER 2, 1945 – FEBRUARY 16, 2018

Rodney Comstock, 72, of Excello, Missouri went home to the Lord on February 15, 2018 surrounded by his loving family. Rodney served in the United States Air Force from 1964 - 1968 and then rejoined in 1972, retiring from the Air Force in 1992. Rodney married Deanna in 1966 and they enjoyed over 51 years together.

Rodney and Deanna joined the Macon Beaux & Belles in 1994. Rodney loved square dancing and all of the people that fellowshiped with them throughout Missouri. He loved to design and make new square dance outfits with Deanna's help. He served the Beaux and Belles as secretary/treasurer, vice president and president. He was also Northeast District Treasurer for some years. Rodney was an active member of the Macon club and will be missed by all.



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, 2019 for 2018 Completion

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District Dance July 21, 2018

See you all at the National Square Dance Convention® coming up in June. The National needs a few more good volunteers – one hour or however much time you want to help. Contact anyone on the Board, or us, and we will get you signed up. We need more people to help welcome our “out of town and out of country” guests!

Fred and Carolyn

B-N-R Squares

Gladstone

2nd Friday

Lynn Nelson

May 11 we will have our Annual Hawaiian dance. Wear something cool, comfortable and colorful. We will also be celebrating

Lynn's first 20 years as club caller. We hope you will join us. Who would have dreamed it would last this long? It's been quite a ride with lots of changes over the years but we're still having fun and we want you to be part of it.

June 9 we will have Lanny Weakland from Omaha behind the mic. Lanny is a local favorite and you won't want to miss him. As a reminder, the format for our special dances is a little bit different - Plus at 7:30 and MS 8-10pm. All of our summer specials are casual if you wish, however square dance attire is always appropriate.

We also hope that we will see many of you at the National Square Dance convention in Kansas City, June 27-30th. It's the biggest dance party of the year and it will never be any closer. It's never too late to get registered. Let's show our visitors from all over the world some good old-fashioned Midwest hospitality.

Always a good time to be had when we get together so please come...

Be in our Squares,

Lynn



THE CROSS TRAILERS
GRACEWAY FELLOWSHIP HALL 5460 Blue Ridge Cms Off KC, Mo
Club Caller: Stan Brooks Rounds: Stash Tesie
Pre Rounds 7-7:30; Fun dance 7:30-10
Lynn & Carolyn Goucher
MAY 19TH * CROSS TRAILERS 68TH ANNIVERSARY DANCE - ICE CREAM SOCIAL *
JUNE STARTS OUR VACATION FOR THE SUMMER. SEE YOU IN A SQUARE! JOIN US AT THE 67TH NATIONALS IN KANSAS CITY.

Crosstrailers
Kansas City
3rd Saturday
Stan Brooke
Rounds/Stash Tosio
Lines/Carolyn Goucher

Can you believe Crosstrailers' 68th Anniversary is coming up in May? We will be celebrating with an Ice Cream Social. Who doesn't like ice cream! Bring a friend and help us celebrate on Saturday, May 19.

We do not host a dance in June because it marks the start of our vacation time. Don't let that stop you from dancing though! Find some friends and find a dance.

Hope to see a lot of you at the National in June, right here in K.C.

Hope to see you in a square,
Carol Schloegel

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

The summer season is here. We will not have a June dance so we can join you at National Square Dance Festival in downtown Kansas City, MO. Our first 2018 dance will be our Beach Party Dance on July 26, at Our Lady of Mercy Home in Liberty, MO. Some beach and island

songs to pair with some smooth patter and a few favorites to round out the evening. Our dances continue through September on the Fourth Thursdays, 7:30 to 10 PM, Mainstream with Plus tips and Lines. Casual dress always welcome.

Come dance with us at the National Square Dance Festival in June and then later this summer at Dan's Dancers.

Dan

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

KC Plus has a new location, Colonial Church of Prairie Village, 7039 Mission Road, Prairie Village, Kansas. We dance advanced 6-7 p.m. and Plus starts at 7. Dress is casual or square dance clothing optional.

Our dates for May are the 13th and 27th. In June we will only have one dance on the 10th. We have cancelled our dance on the 24th for the Nationals.

Thanks to all who attend our dances!
Hope to see you dancing soon!

Dana and Donna Schirmer

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Lotawana Sailors
Blue Springs
2nd Friday
Jay Krebs

The National Square Dance Convention will be held here in Kansas City on June 27-30. If you have not volunteered or registered for the Convention, you should do so now. We will have the opportunity to have some very good dancing right here in Kansas City area this year.

We continue our dance schedule with our Hawaiian Luau dance on May 11 at Vesper Hall, 400 NW Vesper St. Blue Springs, MO. Luau refreshments will be available. This is our final dance for this season. See you all at the National Square Dance Convention in June.

Richard and Marlys

Maysville Wranglers
Maysville
1st Saturday

Chris Wildhagen & Guests
Lines/Connie Graham

Springtime! Finally! Still some good dancing to be had! We start out on May 5 with Leroy Conrad. We will be serving Taco Salads as a special treat to celebrate Cinco de Mayo and do some great dancing.

On June 2 we will welcome

National Caller Dean Dederman to call our dance. He always has a great time with us and is more fun than a barrel of monkeys!

Also, remember to mark your calendars for the annual Ice Cream dance on July 7 with Stan Brooke! We dance on the first Saturday of each month at the Maysville High School at 7:30. See you in a square!

Eldon & Connie

Ramblers
Liberty
3rd Friday
Bill Kanai

At our dance on May 18th, we will have our eyes focused on Kansas City. You will hear us say "Kansas City, Here They Come". The excitement will build for the coming convention as we discuss the plans and events. On the refreshment table you may even taste a few recipes that were published in the convention cookbook. You will leave the dance with a feeling of "ah" for the work that has been done and plans that have been made.

As many of you know, we do not host a dance during the summer months. That doesn't mean we are on vacation. It means we will work and plan for the dances that will start again in September. It also means we



Recent graduates and new Savannah Sashayers

will still be able to visit other clubs that are hosting a dance. So instead of saying good-bye, we can just say, see you later.

Gloria and Dixon

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

Santa Fe Trailers is having our vacation for May and June. So thank you for dancing with us at our dances. We will be back to see you in September. There are other dances in the area so please join them. Have a great summer. See you

www.Trailers.WeSquareDance.com
Leigh Bruce

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

Boy do we have summer treats for you! Starting with May 20, our caller, Larry Liebig will be wowing you with some Texas-style calling.

On June 10 we welcome Mike Hogan back to Savannah and you all know how much fun Mike is.

Then to top off June, guess who is coming to Savannah on the 24th? Yup, it's the grand master, National and International caller, Jerry Story. This dance (and only this dance) will be at a different location — the new Savannah Middle School, 10500 State Route T, on the west side of town. You'll enjoy the wood floor, air conditioning, no steps, huge dance space, and snacks. For you round dancers, we have the "cream of the

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Dance 2nd and 4th Sundays Year 'Round
Mainstream, Plus, Lines, and Country Western

May 13 - No Dance
May 20 - Larry Liebig

June 10 - Mike Hogan
(National Caller)

June 24 - Jerry Story
(National Caller)

For This dance Only
Location: Savannah Middle School
10500 State Route T, Savannah, MO

Clasby Center
300 East Duncan Drive
Savannah, Missouri
17 miles north of St. Joe, MO (west of The High School)

Contact:
Jeannie Woodbury
816-238-0781

crop” cuer, Stash Tosio, between tips.

All our dances are 3-6 p.m. year round and we will be signing your visitation cards for all our dances.

Keep dancing—it makes everything better, and as always, thanks to ALL of you for keeping square dancing going!

Jeannie

Shooting Stars
Kearney
2nd Saturday
Stan Brooke

May 12th is our “Derby Dance”. Ladies wear you finest hat, we might have a contest. We will also be having a cakewalk. You might go home with dessert tonight. Looking forward to seeing you real soon.

June, July and August we are on vacation. Have a great summer!!!

Betty & Jerry

Swingin’ Singles
Shawnee, KS
1st, 3rd & 5th Tuesday
Jay Krebs
Pam Young/Cuer

Now that summer’s here, we’re going a little crazy with our dance themes. Our National Mother Goose Day dance is May 1. Look for a small surprise for a chosen few. Brush up on your nursery rhymes! May 15

is our National Chocolate Chip Day dance. with lots of goodies to share.

May 29 we will take a more reflective turn to make time to honor friends, family and square dancers who have gone before us.

June 5 the Gingerbread Man will be running to Shawnee for our National Gingerbread Day dance.

We’ll be celebrating National Watch Day June 19. If you have a special watch and would like to share your memories of it with us, please wear it.

Come dance with us!

Sherre

2 State Steppers
Bethany
3rd Saturday
Connie Graham

Our first year with our new caller, Connie Graham, is drawing to a close. We’ll dance on May 26 (4th Saturday) to end the season. Join us as we close this year with some great dancing, food and fellowship. We dance at 7:00 at the South Harrison Elementary School. Please drive around the back of the school and come in the north side of the building. No stairs! Then we will see you again in September!

Eldon and Connie

SILVER DOLLAR SQUARES



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7:30-10:00 pm
MS/Plus/Lines
Caller: Gene Miller





EMERGENCY CALL FOR MEDICAL AID

- 1. When a dancer goes down, a second dancer attends to him/her.**
- 2. Remaining dancers join hands and take a step backward. This will allow the injured person and attendant air and room.**
- 3. Raise joined hands as high as possible in the form of an arch.**
- 4. On seeing this signal, the caller or hall monitor will immediately place an emergency call for aid.**

ST. LOUIS DISTRICT

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*Jefferson County Squares
Festus
3rd Sunday
John Stuart & Guest Callers
Guest Cuers*

Our club is enjoying the spring weather after a long winter.

Our caller for Sunday, May 20, 2018 will be Doug Mallory. The cueing will be done by Donna Barks and include some line dancing.

Remember we do not have a club dance in June. The third Sunday is always a conflict with Father's Day.

Stan Mangogna will be our caller for Sunday, July 15, 2018. Bob Pyles will be doing the cueing. What a pair to add fireworks to our July dance.

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
Overland
1st & 5th Friday
Guest Callers/Cuers*

Hello Neighbors! Missouri Promenaders are excited to invite you to our upcoming events!

Since we will all be at the **METRO JAMBOREE** for the first weekend in May, we will not be opening the doors here in NoCo for our standard 1st Friday night dance. We will see you at the JAMBOREE!

But, we will be bringing down the house on **May 18** with **RON BETZELBERGER** calling squares and **BOB PYLES** cueing. We will have a fantastic night of fun, and as this is our only May dance, you just can't miss it.

Then, we will get back on track for **Friday, June 1** when we'll have **LANNY WEAKLEND** commanding the stage for squares, joined by the lovely, **PAT HILTON** cueing rounds.

So, what a great line-up we have



WHEELERS & DEALERS

7:00 - 9:30 PM

May 6 - Lynn Nelson ☐
Gerry & Bob Tevlin ○

June 10 - Doug Mallory ☐
Bob Pyles ○

Memorial Hall • Blanchette Park
1900 Randolph Street • St. Charles, MO

coming up! Oh yes, closing out the month of June you'll want to head a little west on I-70 to Kansas City for the National Square Dance Convention! That's where all the festivities will be June 27-29, so we will meet you there!

Missouri Promenaders look forward to dancing with you every **1st & 5th Friday at 7:30PM** (except holidays) at All Soul's Catholic Church, 9550 Tennyson Ave, Overland, MO 63114. We look forward to seeing you!

Kari Hughes, Sec.

St Louis Area Mainstream Dances - Mainstream dancing only, no rounds, no plus. Second Fridays. The goal is to get all dancers out and dancing at the level they were taught. ALL dancers (all levels) are welcome to attend and enjoy these Mainstream dances.

- May 11 - Caller: Doug Mallory. First United Methodist Church, 801 First Capitol Dr., St. Charles. 7:30-9:30 PM
- June 8 - Caller: Wayne Primeau. All Souls Church, 9550 Tennyson Ave, Overland. 7:30-9:30 PM
- July 13 - Caller: Tom Murray. Blanchette Memorial Hall, 1900 W. Randolph St., St. Charles. 7:30-9:30 PM
- August 10 - Caller: George Dunbar. Kirkwood Community Center, 111 S. Geyer Rd, Kirkwood. 7:30-9:30 PM

Contact: Hershel Jenkins (Hershel_Jenkins@charter.net) for more information.



Future Missouri State Festival

| Date | Festival Hosts |
|------------------|--|
| Oct. 19-21, 2018 | Southeast District (59th festival) (3rd Fri/Sat/Sun) |
| Oct. 18-20, 2019 | Southwest District (60th festival) (3rd Fri/Sat/Sun) |
| Oct. 16-18, 2020 | West Central District (61st festival) (3rd Fri/Sat/Sun) |

SOUTHEAST DISTRICT

Presidents

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District Dance - Sept. 8, 2018

Our Southeast District Dance, the SEMO Summer Swing, has been moved from July to September 8 this year. Watch for more on this dance in the next issue of the Doin's.

We are working hard to get ready for the state festival in October at Lebanon, MO. Watch the Doin's and keep checking the website (www.squaredancemissouri.com) for special events, hotel info and everything you will want to know about the festival.

We look forward to dancing with you.

*District Presidents
Robert and Shirley Turner*

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

Spring is a good time of the year for dancing. Puxico is dancing on a new floor in the VFW Hall after waiting for the water damage to be fixed during January, February and March. We start May with Bill Cochran calling on May 12. Because of Memorial Day weekend that will be the only dance in May.

June 9 will bring John Stuart to call for us. June 23 dance is cancelled and we hope to see most of the Missouri dancers at the Nationals. Hope to see you in a square.

Sharon & Larry



Kevin Bersing



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**Missouri Federation of Square 'n Round Dance Clubs 59th State Festival
October 19-21, 2018 Cowan Civic Center, Lebanon, MO
Registration Form**

| LAST NAME | FIRST NAME | TITLE |
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| ADDRESS: | | |
| CITY: | STATE: | ZIP: |
| PHONE: | COUNTRY: | |
| MO DISTRICT: | ANCESTRY: | |
| Register Direct Organizations (if not a MFD club): | | |
| <small>Check (1) & (2) only. Registered Caller/Cuers & Section Head Federation President admitted to all events at no charge.</small> | | |

| Registration Prior to September 1, 2018 (per person) | | | | Registration After September 1, 2018 (Per person) | | | |
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| Trip: | Price: | # Attending: | Amount Due: | Price: | # Attending: | Amount Due: | |
| All (even/Adult) | \$25.00 | X | -- | \$27.00 | X | -- | |
| Friday Night Only (Adult) | \$15.00 | X | -- | \$18.00 | X | -- | |
| Saturday/Sunday (Adult) | \$10.00 | X | -- | \$12.00 | X | -- | |
| Festival Program Book (included) | | | | \$5.00 | X | -- | |
| Adm & Book for ARTS (Voluntary Donation) | \$3.00 | X | -- | \$3.00 | X | -- | |
| Make Checks Payable to: Missouri Federation | | | | Total Enclosed: \$ | | | |

Send Completed Registration Form To: **John & Dorothy Robbins, 5277 Township Line Road, Poplar Bluff, Missouri 63901-1821**
 E-Mail: Robbins@RegCommLive.com Phone: 573.429.0052; 573.785.4503

**Missouri Federation of Square 'n Round Dance Clubs
59th State Festival October 19-21, 2018
Cowan Civic Center, Lebanon, MO**

Caller/Cuer Registration/Profile

**Caller/Cuers Scheduled to Call or Cue an Spouse or Partner are Complementary
YOUTH DANCERS AGE 16 AND UNDER ARE FREE**

Callers/Cuers not registered prior to June 1, 2018 will not be on the schedule

| Last Name | First Name | CL=Caller CU=Cuer Y=Youth & Age |
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Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ E-Mail: _____

MO District: _____ MO Club: _____

Send Completed Registration Form to: Robert & Shirley Turner, Rt. 2 Box 665, Marble Hill MO 63764

Caller/Cuer Profile

I wish to call or cue at the Missouri State Festival: _____

I am an eligible caller/cuer as listed in Article XI, Section 5 of the MFSRDC Standing Rules: _____

I am a member of: ACA: CALLERLAB: ROUNDALAB: _____

I am the club caller for: _____

I have called 6 or more times for MFSRDC clubs between June 1 and may 31 of the previous year.
Please list clubs.

I am a recipient of the MFSRDC Caller/Cuer Hall of Fame: _____

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| I will Call: | Basic | MS | PLUS | A1 | A2 | C1 | C2 | DBD | CONTRA |
| I will Cue: | Phase II | | Phase III | | Phase IV | | Phase V | | Lines |

I am available to Call/Cue At the following times

| | | | |
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| Friday Night 6-11pm | | | |
| Saturday 9am-11pm | | | |
| Sunday 9-11:30AM | | | |

I understand that if I do not meet my time slots assigned by the Festival Caller/Cuer Committee, I will not be eligible to call at the next year's State Festival, as per State Standing Rules Article XI, Section 5.

If I am unable to attend I must contact the Caller/Cuer Committee Chairman by September 1, 2018.

Signature: _____

You will be contacted by the caller/cuer committee prior to the Festival to confirm your assigned time slot

SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

Presidents

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District Dance – May 19, 2018

Make plans to attend Southwest District Dance in Mt. Vernon, MO on May 19. Check the DOIN'S for details. Then travel north to Kansas City in June for the National Square Dance Convention. You won't want to miss this national event so close to home. Volunteer to help – an hour a day to rest your tired dancin' feet will make you feel good!

Co-presidents

Ann Cook and Carol Morris

Alton Flutterwheels

Alton

Every Thursday

Pat Christe

3rd Saturday

Guest Callers

The Alton Flutterwheels will not have a special Saturday night dance in May.

June 16 we look forward to Jim Ryan calling our Tropical Luau dance.

Dancing and lessons are every Thursday. All dances start at 7:00 p.m. and are at the Alton School Multipurpose Room on School Street.

Daisy

Hi-Hashers

Wednesdays - Ozark

Thursdays - Springfield

Jerry Ellis

Hi-Hashers are enjoying the challenge of "A" dancing at the Ozark Senior Center on Wednesdays; Jerry Ellis is putting the dancers to the test.

Our Thursdays are also giving us interesting evenings with Jerry calling the Plus Workshop. Hone your skills and come to the Boys and Girls Club on 720 Park in Springfield

Come see us any Wednesday or Thursday.

Kountry Kuzins

Springfield

2nd Saturday

Guest Callers

May 12, we welcome our old friend TOM ROPER, HE is NOT old, just our friendship. Tom makes it fun to be a dancer. We will do a "Mother Appreciation" night, with recognition of our moms.

June 9, we will have the calling of a newcomer to this area, ROBERT TOWNSEND from the Memphis area. I was at a State Meeting in the SE District a few years back and Robert was the caller, I REALLY enjoyed him, and hope you do too. Let's give him a Warm Missouri Welcome.

May 19 will be the SW DISTRICT Dance at the MARC in Mt. Vernon. It will be a "PROM NIGHT" theme, so come in your cutest prom attire. There will be local callers, auctions, and 50/50 pot etc. Come join us. See the ad in this issue.

June is going to be "INSANE". Our State Meeting on the 3RD at the Joplin Square Dance Center, hosted

by the Western Twirlers, dancing the night before to Bob Loyd.

AND most importantly THE NATIONAL CONVENTION IN KANSAS CITY. Be sure you attend

*Sharon White
& the Kountry Kuzins*

Lost Creek Promenaders
Neosho
2nd & 4th Saturdays
Johnny Eubanks/Guests

Summer is on the way and things are warming up. While you do all those summertime fun things, don't forget to remember that square dances will keep you in touch with friends you may not get to see anywhere else. Some of the best square dances are found in Neosho and hosted by the Lost Creek Promenaders.

We will have only one dance each month in May and June with Johnny Eubanks doing the calling for both so they will of course be excellent dances. Come visit us Saturday, May 12 and then again Saturday June 9.

We're located in The Senior Center 1017 Carl Sweeney Drive in Neosho, Missouri. We are looking forward to seeing you.

Tom and Mary

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

Yellow Rocks to all from the Mo-Kan Square Dancers. We have survived the cold winter and are excited that spring has arrived, welcoming back all the snowbirds. We have several dances planned to celebrate spring and hope to do even more traveling.

On May 4, Jay Wright will be with us for a night of great dancing. He returns on May 18 for more enjoyable singing, calling, and dancing. Then on May 19, we encourage everyone to attend the Southwest District Dance at the Marc in Mt. Vernon (volunteers are needed to help with the dance).

June 1 brings Dean Dederman, National Caller, to our dance for more celebrating. On June 15, we have Tom Roper, National Caller, with us for some humor and some challenging dance calls. Please join us in a square at any and all of our dances and at the District Festival in Mt. Vernon.

Karen

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

Jay Wright
Club Caller



Fairgrounds
Home Ec Building
Nevada, MO

May 4 • Jay Wright
May 18 • Jay Wright
June 1 • Dean Dederman (NC)
June 15 • Tom Roper (NC)

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

Traditional Dance and Music Society of the Ozarks invites everyone to join us at our contra dances on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays from 7pm – 10:30pm. Now dancing at Boys & Girls Club, Henderson Unit at 835 W. Calhoun, Springfield, MO.

No experience necessary as we do a brief lesson ahead of our regular dances to introduce folks to contra dance from 7pm 'til 7:30. Plan to arrive by 6:55 to get signed in and be ready to start. We feature wonderful live string bands and fun callers at each of our dances. Water and coffee is provided, please bring a snack to share. If you'd like to be added to the email list, to

receive event information, please e-mail springfieldcontra@hotmail.com. Check out our website www.springfieldcontra.org & join us on Facebook. For more information, call 417-862-8681. Come dance with us!

**Trail Blazers
Nixa
2nd Thursday – Nixa
4th Saturday - Springfield
Kenton Sullivan**

The yard needs mowing, the garden needs hoeing, but you need to be going -- to a square dance and the Trail Blazers have just the dances for you!

Thursday, May 10, DeeDee Dougherty-Lottie of Minneapolis will be calling in Nixa for your dancing pleasure and the Trail Blazers will be serving up "Mom's favorite recipe" in honor of all Moms for Mother's Day.

TRAVEL MISSOURI PROGRAM

TRAVEL MISSOURI is a statewide visitation program of the Missouri Federation of Square 'n Round Dance Clubs, Inc. designed to encourage dancers to visit other clubs, districts and attend the State Festival.

Participants may let people know what they have done by displaying the TRAVEL MISSOURI Bar with the District dangles identifying where they have danced. ALL SQUARE AND ROUND DANCES ARE TRAVEL MISSOURI DANCES.

Participation in TRAVEL MISSOURI cost nothing; however, the participant(s) may at their discretion obtain the Travel Missouri Bar and earn dangles from the Program Manager. To earn dangles you will need a TRAVEL MISSOURI card (which may be obtained from the Program Manager, District Presidents, or Club Presidents or by visiting www.squaredancemissouri.com). Each time a participant who has obtained the Travel Missouri Bar visits a different district, he or she may have a card signed by the host club. To receive the Dangles, send the signed card to the Program Manager and the dangles and a new card will be sent to you. One card is good per couple or individuals.

Jim and Loretta Marron, Program Manager
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Blue Springs, MO 64015
(816) 228-7485 Email: dancndad@swbell.net



58TH SOUTHWEST DISTRICT
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Saturday, May 19

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Then on Saturday, May 26, Kenton will call our "Memorial Day" dance in Springfield.

June brings us back to Nixa on Thursday, June 14, with caller Tom Manning of Iowa for a "Stars & Stripes" dance. For Saturday, June 23, you will want to be comfortable in your "Favorite T-shirt" while Kenton is back at the mic for your dancing delight.

See you across a square!

Twirling Funtimers
Mountain Home, AR
Wednesdays
Pat Christe

It sure seems like it was a long winter for us here in the Ozarks. As mild as it was we still ended up with several cancellations. But, we should have smooth sailing for the summer. Just remember that if you are planning to visit us give us a call to be sure. Always a good idea.

On Wednesday, May 9, we will be holding our Spring Fling special. We are pleased that once again Phil Moorehouse will be our guest Caller. He assures an exciting night of dancing that will keep you on your toes.

On June 13, we have invited Jay Wright, one of our Club Favorites, to call our Red, White and Blue Dance in celebration of Flag Day. This is an important occasion and Jay will give your head and your feet a workout.

Just a reminder that we have an open workshop hour prior to our dance which is dedicated to new square and round dancers to learn new steps or to polish old ones. This is "floor level" and all are invited to attend. We dance every Wednesday at the Van Matre Sr. Activity Center, 1101 Spring Street

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Craig & Karen Grothaus

Western Grand Squares
West Plains
Every Tuesday
Bill Cochran

Co-Caller – James Cochran
Lines/Phyllis Cochran

The Western Grand Squares election of officers was in April so we may have new people filling some offices. Updates will be made as needed. The rescheduled Doin's dance was great. I counted seven squares on the floor. More may have come later. A reminder to all who did not subscribe to the Doin's, please do so. They do a good job of keeping everyone current on scheduled dances and other items. It is \$15.00 a year. Also a reminder that the National Convention will be in Kansas City, MO. on June 27-30. For the WGS members, see Ray for all the details, for Doin's and Nationals.

We do not get many visitors at our Tuesday dances. I checked the mileage and found that it is about the same distance from West Plains to Springfield as it is from Springfield to West Plains. Just thought you would like to know. The Western Grand Squares (WGS) dances are each Tuesday in the West Plains

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BOOKING NON-BOOKING

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Civic Center from 7-9 P.M. Bill/Jammer Cochran are the callers and Phyllis does lines. We have special callers on 5th Tuesdays from 7-9:30. Check the web site for our 2018 schedule at www.westerngrand.squaredancemissouri.com. Thanks

Ray

Western Twirlers
Joplin
1st Saturday
Guest Caller

We're starting the summer season out right! For May 5, we will host Kenton Sullivan with our Mexican dance. Will serve Mexican

food during the dance. For June 2, Elvis will be in the building. Bob Loyd from Arkansas will be joining us. It's time to get those blue suede shoes and poodle skirts out!! Are you ready for Nationals?? It will be here before you can blink an eye!

Come join the fun. Dances start at 7:00pm. Excellent wood floor & A/C! You can contact us anytime on Facebook or WesternTwirlers@Aol.com.

Are you ready for the 2018 Nationals??

Shirley Winans, Secretary

Happy Mother's Day

1. When was the first Mother's Day observed?
2. Where was the first Mother's Day celebrated?
3. Who is the youngest mother in history?
4. Who is the oldest mother in history?
5. The average number of children that women today can expect to have?
6. Where are the flowers you buy Mom for Mother's Day grown?
7. What is the median age of women that give birth for the first time?
8. What are the odds of a mother delivering twins?
9. What is the most popular month in which to have a baby?
10. What is the most popular day of the week in which to have a baby?
11. Who is credited with founding Mother's Day?
12. What state was the first American Mother's Day celebrated in?
13. What flower symbolizes Mother's Day?
14. What television mom drove a flowered bus?
15. When is Mother's Day celebrated on?
16. Where does Mother's Day rank in popularity as a celebrated holiday?

Look up the answers. You'll be surprised.

Celebrate on May 13th

Calling all callers and cuers . . . AND Those who might have an interest in Being a caller or cuer



At the December 2017 Missouri State Board meeting, the Missouri Federation of Square 'n Round Dance Clubs voted to rebate the registration fee (up to \$50) of any **Missouri** caller or cuer who attends and completes the GSI Caller School prior to the 67th NSDC or the Rocky Mountain Round Dance Teachers College immediately prior to the 67th NSDC. This opportunity is also being offered to any **Missouri Federation Club** dancer who is seriously interested in becoming a caller or cuer and attends and completes either of these programs. You **MUST** be registered for the National Square Dance Convention to qualify.



The Caller School will be held in Kansas City, June 24-28, 2018, at the Convention Center. The Round Dance Teachers College will be held in Topeka, Kansas, about 1 hour away from Kansas City, June 21-26, 2018.

You **MUST** complete the program and provide documentation, such as a completion certificate or letter, to be reimbursed your registration fee up to \$50.

Information on both the Caller School and the Round Dance Teachers College can be found on the 67th National Square Dance Convention® website – www.67nsdc.com. Click on the links to flyer in “Calling all Callers, Cuers, Prompters” or also “Convention Activities”.

This is a rebate for the caller or cuer only to be paid following completion of the school. Proof of attendance and completion must be furnished to the Missouri Federation to receive the rebate.

Contact: Jim Weber, (816) 781-3598 or registration@67nsdc.com.





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SEW AND SAVE NEEDS YOUR HELP

One of the most visited sections of the National Square Dance Convention® is the Sew and Save section. It is one part of the Education Program. This is where you can trace patterns for blouses and skirts, silhouettes, and other great stuff. There are workshops, a raffle for donated items, and other interesting things going on here, also.

We are in need of assistance.

If you are or know someone who is crafty, we are looking for people to do a one-hour craft. This is called the "Make and Take". This is easy and quick.

We are also looking for presenters for a sewing project. This would be a one-hour presentation. Handout directions and explanation of the project is a part of the presentation.



We are in need of donated items for the raffle room. Clubs and/or individuals can donate these items, such as material/accessories to make a dress/shirt; sewing items; unique non-sewing items; pre-made dresses; square dance silhouettes; etc.



Volunteers to work two hours shifts to monitor the room are also needed. These volunteers would greet dancers as they enter and hand out the daily tickets for the raffle items.

Interested in helping or have questions: contact Judy Tumbleson, Education Chairman at education@67nsdc.com.
Phone: (785) 286-6804.

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Are you registered for the 67th NSDC?

Have you made your housing reservations?

Did you convert your short form to the long form?

Are you familiar with the education Leadership Certification Program (LCP)?

Don't forget to check out the available tours!

Plan to attend the opening ceremony - you can dance and be entertained by the 5 Star Jazz Band!

Check out the other pages in this issue on the opportunity for Callers and Cuers, the LCP rebate, and Youth Dancer rebate - ONLY for Missouri Federation Club dancers.



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Ice Cream Bicycle comes to 67th NSDC

You don't have to look for the Ice Cream Bicycle, just listen. You'll hear the bell ringing for you and your pal in the Kansas City Convention Center. No need to chase after this ice cream truck, it'll come to you! With a variety of novelties aboard, we are sure this sweet treat will meet with the approval of the dancers attending the 67th NSDC.



67th National Square Dance Convention®

“Show-Me Kansas City 2018”

Registration Form

June 27, 28, 29, 30, 2018 Kansas City, Missouri

Online Registration - Website www.67nsdc.com



For Convention Use Only

Registration # _____
Date Received _____
Check # _____

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
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Phone: _____ Cell: _____
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Registrations are non-transferable.
Registration fee per Registrant: Adult \$60.00.
Youth born after June 30, 2000 \$30.00; 5 and under - born after June 30, 2013. Free admission. A \$10.00 fee per Registrant will be imposed for cancellations or changes. **Prices will increase May 1, 2018 to: \$75 for adults, \$37.50 for Youth born after June 30, 2000.** Registrations received after April 30, 2018; e-mail confirmation only.
 PLEASE CONTACT ME FOR HANDICAP EQUIPMENT ACCESSIBILITY INFO

Number of Past Conventions _____
For badges: First Name Last Name Subtotals
Adult _____ .00
Adult _____ .00
Adult/Child: _____ DOB / / _____ .00
Adult/Child: _____ DOB / / _____ .00
Adult/Child: _____ DOB / / _____ .00
Program Book widely schedules (\$15.00 after 4/30/2018) _____ .00
Syllabus: Rounds _____ # _____ @ \$10.00= _____ .00
On CD: Rounds _____ # _____ @ \$10.00= _____ .00
Syllabus and CD: _____ # _____ @ \$16.00= _____ .00
Sew & Save Book - "Sew with MO" _____ # _____ @ \$10.00= _____ .00
Cookbook - "Kansas City Cookbook" _____ # _____ @ \$13.00= _____ .00
Wednesday Special Event, Dinner & Show "Duke Mason" _____ # _____ @ \$47.00= _____ .00
Tours - Please see reverse for details & instructions Show Only _____ # _____ @ \$25.00= _____ .00
Tours Total _____ .00
RV Camping (4 nights minimum/pricing on reverse side) _____ # _____ @ \$ _____ .00= _____ .00

(U.S. Funds) Grand Total _____ .00
No Refunds/Cancellations after April 30, 2018
ALL campers MUST Register. You will receive a profile form when your payment is received. **T**
Camp together; you must stay in same camp area, and you must attend all camping privileges together.
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Check Enclosed # _____ **Visa** **MasterCard** **Discover** **American Express**
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Registration-Jim & Edythe Weber: 816-781-3598 Fax: 816-781-3041

Please identify at which Dance Program you intend to spend most of your time dancing
(**one check mark per person**):
Squares: M P D B D A 1 A 2 C 1 C 2 Rounds: 2 3/4 5/6
Other: Contra Line Dancing/Western

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

HOUSING

Complete the housing portion of this form below or go on line at www.67nsdc.com click on Housing for a direct secure link to the Hotels
 I completed Housing Reservation online

Housing Required? YES NO Please Circle Room Nights Needed:

| | | | | | | | |
|-----|-----|------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----|--------|
| Sun | Mon | Tues | Wed | Thurs | Fri | Sat | Sun |
| 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | July 1 |
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Hotel Preference (hotel code on back) _____
Please Check the appropriate box: All Rooms are Non-Smoking
 One King Bed 2 Beds (1-2 People) 2 Beds (3 People) 2 Beds (4 People)
 Wheelchair Accessible Room
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Requests for Shared Rooms or Same Hotel registrations must be mailed together in same envelope.
Same Hotel as: _____

For Assignment in Block Housing -- Requests are due by January 1, 2018
 Block Housing - 10 - 25 rooms E-Mail: _____
Block Leader Name: _____ Phone: _____

TO GUARANTEE YOUR ROOM RESERVATIONS, YOU MUST PROVIDE A CREDIT CARD NUMBER
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Expiration Date: _____ / _____

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PO Box 767, Liberty MO 64069-0767

Program info for Callers/Cuers/Etc. (☑ your expense)
Name: _____
Caller & Level (JM D B D A C) Cuor & Level (2 3/4 5/6)
 Caller for Youth Contra Prompter CW Lines Instructor
 Exhibition Group Educator
Go to www.67nsdc.com to update your Profile

67th Convention Badges REQUIRED at all times. Dressy Casual Attire allowed until 6:00 pm. Proper Square Dance Attire is Required After 6:00 pm for all Dancers.

03/02/2017

Map of Hotels



Instructions for Registration (left side)

1. **Print legibly** all names, address, city, state, zip code, country, and DOB of youth (age 5-17 by 6/30/2018—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 to anyone at the Convention. Most dancers will want to purchase the Program Book.
4. Correctly verify the Total and include credit card information (with signature), check or money order payable in U.S. funds to the 67th National Square Dance Convention* and return it with the Registration form. **Do Not Send Cash: No Single Day Registrations Sold.**
5. **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 served basis. There are 30 amp & 50 amp electrical service with water, Free Dump station available to registered guests. To camp together, you must stay in same camp area and you must spend in camping profile together. For more info, contact RV Vice Chairman, Gene & Mary Miller, phone: 816-517-8547.
6. **Tour fee and payments:** are to be mailed directly to: 67th National Square Dance Convention*, c/o Camping Registration Desk/line 01/01/18, PO Box 767, Liberty, MO 64068-0767. For Tour information and form go to www.67nsdc.com and click tours. Include completed four form with this Registration form.
8. A \$10.00 fee per registrant will be assessed for cancellation. **No refunds after April 30, 2018.**

Instructions for Housing (right side)

1. The 67th NSDC Housing Committee is partnering with Kansas City Convention & Visitors Bureau to provide website access for housing reservations. Complete the housing portion on the right side of the front of this form. This form must be received by April 1, 2018 to receive the 67th NSDC contracted room rates. If you request housing at hotel codes 1-3, you must stay a minimum of four (4) nights, including Wednesday through Saturday, June 27-30, 2018.
 2. Only one person per room should complete a hotel reservation request on the front of this form. Please list all room occupants. (The Housing Committee does not find or assign roommates.)
 3. Shared Rooms or Same Hotel Requests can be made through the online site or registrations must be in the same envelope and mailed to arrive together.
 4. All Block Housing requests staying in same hotel are due by **January 1, 2018** submitted with name and telephone number of leader to Jim & Edythe Weber, Registration & Housing Chairman at registration@67nsdc.com
 5. Indicate three (3) 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-served basis according to availability.
 6. **Hotel Reservations: Your reservations must be guaranteed with a credit card.** Your credit card will not be charged for the room in advance, an alternative form of payment may be presented at check-in.
 7. **Hotel Confirmations:** You will receive a hotel confirmation via email or mail. If you do not receive your confirmation by March 1, 2018, please contact the 67th NSDC Housing Committee by: (a) email: registration@67nsdc.com; (b) phone: 816-781-3598; (c) mail Registration to 67NSDC, PO Box 767, Liberty, MO 64069-0767 through April 1, 2018.
 8. **Hotel Changes:** After receiving Hotel Confirmation, if you need to change your Hotel Reservation you must contact the 67' Housing Committee by using the information provided above in #7. The policies vary for each hotel.
 9. **Hotel Cancellations:** Your confirmed hotel will assess a one-night room/tax charge for cancellations received less than 72 hours prior to arrival.
 10. **Hotel Early Departure:** An early departure fee may be charged unless the hotel is notified at check-in or before of a change in the planned length of stay.
- The "Show-Me Board Team" of the 67th 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 (816) 781-3598 or email registration@67nsdc.com

| Code | Hotel Parking Fees Apply at hotels 1, 2 & 3 Require 4 Night Minimum Stay Wed. - Sat Hotels 1 has Underground walkway to convention center | | 1 or 2 Beds | 2 Beds 3 People | 2 Beds 4 People | Distance |
|------|---|----------------------------|----------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------|
| | 1 | 2 | 1-2 People | \$145 | \$160 | 2 Blocks |
| 2 | Marriott Downtown (Headquarters) | Crowne Plaza / Caller Cuer | \$154 | \$164 | \$174 | 1 Block |
| 3 | Hotel Phillips | | \$169 | \$169 | \$169 | 3 Blocks |

CAMP GROUNDS

Bus service available for campers only (Wednesday through Saturday of Convention)

Camping Reservation Deadline 01/01/18

To Camp Together You Must Stay in Same Camp Area.

| | | | |
|---|-----------------|------|---|
| 1 | Camp Area C | \$45 | (Water & Electric w/50 amps) |
| 2 | Camp Area E & F | \$35 | (Electric 30 amps with water available) |

67th National Square Dance Convention®

Attention Youth Dancers!

Are you a youth dancer? Are you already registered or do you want to attend the upcoming National in Kansas City in June 2018?

We have something special just for you!!

Just register and attend the 67th National Square Dance Convention®.

After the Convention is over and your attendance is confirmed (and you have had all the fun you can possibly stand for 3 days), your registration fee of either \$25.00 or \$30.00 will be reimbursed to you.

This opportunity is only available for youth who belong to a club that is a member of the Missouri Federation. Is that you?

Questions? Contact Sharon Crisel,
Director of Youth Activities for the
67th National Square Dance Convention®.
573.222.6137 / Youth@67nsdc.com



Calling All Youth, see what we have planned for you!

During the 67th NSDC®, you will be able to build a really cool Missouri badge by dancing during the announced badge tips and win really cool prizes.

- Thursday's theme is "Going to the Beach".
 - Friday's theme is "Fiesta Celebration" with games, crafts, dancing. We might even have a Pinata and some maraca's.
 - Saturday's theme is "Mardi Gras" with beads, hats, masks, dancing, and snacks.
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1 EVENING DINNER (SATURDAY)

FRIDAY NIGHT PIZZA PARTY SATURDAY NIGHT ICE CREAM SUNDAE PARTY BOTH AFTER THE DANCE

REGISTRATION FORM

SMOKING NON SMOKING

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO: BRANSON EXTRAVAGANZA *(Regular weekend deposit \$50 per couple)*

Name (His) _____ (Hers) _____ Last _____
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Dance Level (please check one) ADV. C-1

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Include deposit with registration. Balance due May 1st, 2018.

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District Dance – Dec. 8, 2018

Diamond B's

Sedalia

2nd Saturday

Larry Butler

Diamond B's have been having fun traveling around.

Want to invite people to come dance with us on Wednesday June 20. This is a special dance for the National campers that will be at the Missouri State Fairgrounds. We will be dancing at the First United Methodist Church, 1701 W. 32nd St, Sedalia, MO; 7:30 to 10:00. Larry and other callers will be doing the calling.

We will be dancing at the Missouri State Fair in August again this year. Gene Miller will be my MC. Please contact me for your FREE Ticket and Handicap parking pass. The deadline is July 1. Looking forward to seeing everyone having fun.

We dance on the 2nd Saturday for each month.

See you around a Square -

Bille Jean



Peppy Promenaders
Chillicothe
2nd & 4th Saturday
Kenny Bailey

Spring is in full swing by now, and is a really good excuse to get out and dance with some of your neighboring clubs. We all need the visits from other clubs. We begin the month of May with Larry Liebig calling for us on May 12. Remember, we dance at the Multi-purpose Center at 607 W. Business Route 36 - the junction of 65 Highway and 36. No steps to climb, and a wood floor to dance on. Add to that, good food, great callers, and the best square dance friends you could ask for!!! We dance from 7:30 to 10:00. On May 26, because it is Memorial Day weekend, there is NO dance.

June is also a one dance month, being June 23, with Kenny Bailey calling for us. The dances in May, June, and July are casual dress dances so dress for the summer months to stay cool and relaxed. Of course, Kenny does a fantastic job of calling and even sings for us as we eat our supper. I guess you could say there is no cover charge for the entertainment. Drive carefully in your trips to dances. We need you! And, don't forget the National Dance in Kansas City in June.

Shirley

River City Squares

Lexington

4th Sunday

Gene Miller

The BAD NEWS is that we have cancelled our May Dance. With Memorial Day falling on that weekend, it seems that many people have places they need to go and things they have to do...leaving no time for dancing. We do want to remember and honor those who have

In Memory of Janis Kay Anslinger



Janis Kay Anslinger of Harrisonville, Missouri was born December 12, 1946 in Kansas City, Kansas the daughter of Richard W. and Maxine Erelene (Via) Lindsay. She departed this life after a prolonged illness on Sunday, March 11, 2018 at her home surrounded by love and family at the age of 71 years, 2 months and 29 days.

On February 12, 2005 Janis was united in marriage to Larry W. Anslinger in Harrisonville, Missouri.

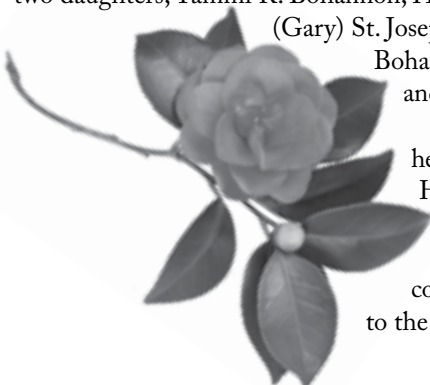
Janis was employed as an accounts payable clerk for Cass County Publishing Co., Harrisonville until her retirement in 2014. She was a member of the United Methodist Church, Harrisonville. Janis loved her family and grandchildren, traveling, camping, doing yard work and attending Red Hats events. She enjoyed square dancing and was a member of the Single Promenades, Hoot N Hollers, Jacks "N" Queens, Silver Dollar Squares, Trick Trackers, and Diamond B's, and Square Wheels Camping Club. She served as Vice-Presidents of Heart of American Federation of Kansas City from 2010 to 2012, served as President of the Missouri Federation in 2013, and served as President of the West Central District for 7 years, and for Hoot-N-Holler for many years.

Besides her parents, Janis was preceded in death by her late husband, Alfred Warren and her brother, John.

Janis is survived by her husband, Larry W. Anslinger of the home, six sons, Matt Bohannon, Harrisonville, Missouri, Jeff L. Anslinger, Savannah, Missouri, Gary D. Warren, Allen D. Warren, Timothy L. Warren, Bradley D. Warren; two daughters, Tammi R. Bohannon, Harrisonville, Missouri, Ann M. Becerra (Gary) St. Joseph, Missouri; two grandchildren, Sloan Bohannon and Brodi Becerra; other relatives and a host of friends.

A Celebration of Life Service was held on Thursday, March 22, 2018 at the Harrisonville United Methodist Church, Harrisonville, Missouri.

The family suggests that memorial contributions in Janis' name may be made to the American Cancer Society.



SPECIAL TRAILS-IN DANCE

**June 20
7:30 - 10:00 pm**

**Diamond B's
Caller: Larry Butler
First United Methodist Church
1701 W 32nd Street
Sedalia, MO**

Did You Know

**Your Missouri Federation Square or
Round Dance Club has a Website**

It is all set up and ready to use
You can find your club website at:
www.Website.SquareDanceMissouri.com

This is your club website to use
There are lots of things you could have there
Dance Schedule for the Year
Monthly Visitation Schedule
Club Newsletter
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Dan Wheeler - Webmaster
512 East Leslie Drive
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816.223.0603
Webmaster@SquareDanceMissouri.com

gone before us. Just plan to visit us in June and remember that we dance all summer.

The GOOD NEWS is that we will be dancing on June 24, which is just before the National Convention is held in Kansas City. So we are having a "Trail-in Dance". Just drop in and

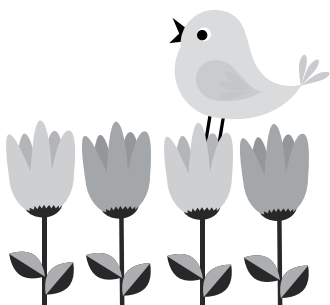
dance with us on your way to Kansas City for the convention. Larry Butler will call a good dance and you will receive a warm welcome as well as some good food and good fellowship. We hope to see you in a square soon.

Shirley

– REMINDER –

May 25th

**is the deadline for the
July/August Doin's
SEND INFO EARLY**



**SQUARE DANCE AT THE
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**WEDNESDAY,
AUGUST 15, 2018
10 am - 3 pm**

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- **4/9/18 – 7/30/18; Kountry Kuzins; Mainstream Lessons**, Boys and Girls Club, 720 S Park, Springfield; 7pm; Instructor: Jerry Ellis, Info: Sharon White, 417-848-2459. Southwest District.

..... **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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Doin's Club Directory

| Club Name | Contact Name(s) | Phone # |
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| 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 | 573-785-2972 |
| Capital City Squares (NE) | Rudy & Vickie Schroeder | 913-669-2979 |
| Country Squares (NE) | Dave & Ann Roush | 660-423-5131 |
| Country Western Squares of Potosi (SE) | Jim & Lois White | 573-631-5679 |
| 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) | Max & Susan Trueblood | 573-578-0752 |
| Hi-Hashers (SW) | Jerry Ellis | 417-865-0349 |
| Jefferson County Squares (StL) | John & Bev Stuart | 314-713-2309 |
| Kansas City Plus Club (NW) | Dana & Donna Schirmer | 785-554-7221 |
| 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) | Matt Sicking | 314-452-6677 |
| Missouri Promenaders (StL) | Jerry & Joyce Chancey | 314-277-1944 |
| MO-Kan Squares (SW) | Tom & Grace Harold | 417-465-2241 |
| Ozark Whirlers(C) | John Stover | 573-745-0056 |
| Peppy Promenaders (WC) | Don & Jolette Boyer | 660-973-2338 |
| Puxico Country Squares (SE) | Larry & Sharon Crisel | 573-222-6137 |
| Ramblers (NW) | Steve & Adyline Christensen | 816-918-1726 |
| River City Rounds (StL) | Bob & Gerry Tevlin | 636-942-4052 |
| River City Squares (WC) | Shirley Guevel | 660-259-3754 |
| St. Peter's Squares (StL) | Hershel & Carolyn Jenkins | 636-978-6857 |
| Santa Fe Trailers (NW) | John & Linda Oelklaus | 816-931-5353 |

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| Club Name | Contact Name(s) | Phone # |
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| 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 |
| Swingin' Singles (NW) | Bill Foreman | 913-238-1256 |
| Tanglefoot Squares (NE) | John & Marjorie Krumpelman | 660-734-1583 |
| Tanglefooters Dance Club (SW) | Keith Stammer | 417-439-2699 |
| 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 Shafer | 573-528-9170 |
| Twilight Twirlers (C) | James & Fran Brackett | 573-765-3464 |
| Twirl-A-Rounds (SW) | Carolyn & Tony Ahart | 417-425-1834 |
| Two State Steppers (NW) | Connie Graham | 660-783-5120 |
| Twirling Funtimers (SW) | Craig & Karen Grothaus | 870-424-2957 |
| West County Spinners (StL) | Cathy & Bob Hall | 636-541-2174 |
| Western Grand Squares (SW) | Raymond Fine | 417-256-2080 |
| Western Twirlers (SW) | Wayne Donham | 417-649-7828 |
| Wheelers & Dealers (StL) | Lucy & Robert McMillion | 636-391-3822 |



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.

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| MS - Mainstream | P - Announced Plus tips | Plus - Plus |
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| RR - Request Rounds | | (NC) - National Caller |

MAY 2018

TUESDAY, MAY 1

- **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, 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 2

- **Beaux & Belles**; MS/P; Zion Lutheran Church, 32405 E Briggs (Bs 36 E), Macon, Caller: Tom Roper (NC), 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Advanced**; A1&2; Ozark Senior Center, 727 N 9th St, Ozark, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 6:30-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 7-9, 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 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, MAY 3

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Plus**; Plus; Boys & Girls Club, 720 S Park, Springfield, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

FRIDAY, MAY 4

- **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**; Kirkwood Community Ctr, 111 S Geyer Rd, Kirkwood, Caller: Don Moger, Rds/Christine & Theron Hixon, 6:30-10:30pm, 70th Jamboree, St. Louis Dist.
- **Twilight Twirlers**; MS/P; Richland Community Center, Shady Dell Park, Hwy 7, Richland, Caller: John Eubanks, 7:30-10, Central Dist.

SATURDAY, MAY 5

- **Duck 'N' Dive**; MS/P; Eugene Northern Community Center, 400 W 4th St, Rolla, Caller: Lynn Nelson, 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **Little Dixie Squares**; MS/P; Moberly Area Technical Ctr, 1623 Gratz Brown, Moberly, Caller: John Stuart, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.

- **Maysville Wranglers;** MS/P; Maysville School Lobby, 5 Blocks West of Jct 6 & 33, Maysville, Caller: Leroy Conrad, 7:30-10, Cinco de Mayo Taco Salad Dance, Northwest Dist.
- **Ozark Whirlers;** MS/P/Rds; Fairground Building, 8th & S Maple, Eldon, Caller: Stan & Beth Neidecker, Rds/Barb Skorupan, RR@7PM, 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **St. Louis Jamboree;** Kirkwood Community Ctr, 111 S Geyer Rd, Kirkwood, Caller: Don Moger, Rds/Christine & Theron Hixon, 9:30am-4:30pm and 6:30-10:30pm, 70th Jamboree, St. Louis Dist.
- **St. Peters Squares;** CANCELLED, St Louis Dist.
- **Tanglefoot Squares;** MS/P/Lines; Catholic School Basement, 210 W John St, Brookfield, Caller: Merle Hall, 7:30-10, May Flowers Dance, Northeast Dist.
- **Traditional Dance & Music Society of the Ozarks;** Contra; Boys & Girls Club, Henderson Unit, 835 W Calhoun, Springfield, Caller: Gloria Scarlet, Music by Scraphounds, WkShp Learn the Basics 7PM, 7:30-10:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Western Twirlers;** MS/P; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Caller: Kenton Sullivan, 7-9:30pm, Mexican Dance, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, MAY 6

- **Wheeler & Dealers;** Plus/Rds; Memorial Hall, Blanchette Park, 1900 Randolph St, St Charles, Caller: Lynn Nelson, Rds/The Tevlins, 7-9:30, Cinco De Mayo, St Louis Dist.

MONDAY, MAY 7

- **Country Squares;** MS; Country Aire Retirement Estates, 18450 State Hwy 16, Lewiston, Caller: Dave Roush, 7-9pm (visitors please call ahead), 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.
- **West County Spinners;** Plus/Rds; Trinity Lutheran Church, 14088 Clayton Rd, Chesterfield, Caller: Bob Asp (NC), Rds/Pat Hilton, RR@7, 7:30-10, St. Louis Dist.

TUESDAY, MAY 8

- **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 9

- **Hi-Hashers Advanced;** A1&2; Ozark Senior Center, 727 N 9th St, Ozark, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 6:30-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirl-A-Rounds;** Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 7-9, 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 7-9pm, Spring Fling, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, MAY 10

- **Alton Flutterwheels;** MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Plus;** Plus; Boys & Girls Club, 720 S Park, Springfield, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Trail Blazers;** MS/P; Nixa Senior Center, 404 S Main, Nixa, Caller: Dee Dee Dougherty-Lottie (NC), 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Travelers;** MS/P; St Robert Municipal Ctr, 194 Eastlawn Ave, St Robert, Caller: Doug Mallory, 7-9:30, Central Dist.

FRIDAY, MAY 11

- **B-N-R Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Gashland UMC, 7715 N Oak, KCMO, Caller: Lynn Nelson, 7:30-10, Northwest Dist.
- **Lotawana Sailors**; MS/P/Lines; Vesper Hall, 400 NW Vesper St, Blue Springs, Caller: Jay Krebs, Lns/Krebs, 7:30-10, Hawaiian Dance, Northwest Dist.
- **River City Rounds**; Rounds; Webster Grove Christian Church, 1320 W Lockwood, Webster Groves, Rds/Gerry Tevlin & Bob Pyles, 7:30-10, St. Louis Dist.

SATURDAY, MAY 12

- **Beaux & Belles**; MS/P; Zion Lutheran Church, 32405 E Briggs (Bs 36 E), Macon, Caller: Kenny Bailey, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Capital City Squares**; MS/P; McClung Park, 1115 Chestnut, Jefferson City, Caller: Mike Hogan (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.
- **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, 7-9:30pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Peppy Promenaders**; MS/P; Grand River Multipurpose Center, 607 W Business 36, Chillicothe, Caller: Larry Liebig, 7:30-10, Casual Dress, West Central Dist.
- **Puxico Country Squares**; MS/P; VFW Hall, PP Highway (Richardson Ave.), Puxico, Caller: Bill Cochran, Rds/Donna Barks, Lns/Donna Barks, 6:30-9pm, Southeast Dist.
- **Shooting Stars**; MS/P/Lines; Radiant Life Church, 704 N. Jefferson St, Kearney, Caller: Stan Brooke, 7-9:30, Derby Dance, Northwest Dist.
- **Singles & Doubles**; Plus/Rds; Webster Groves Christian Ch, 1320 W Lockwood, Webster Groves, Caller: Wayne Primeau, Rds/The Tevlins, RR@7, 7:30, St Louis Dist.

SUNDAY, MAY 13

- **Country Western Squares of Potosi**; CANCELLED, Southeast Dist.
- **Kansas City Plus Squares**; Adv/Plus/Rds; Colonial Church of Prairie Village, 7039 Mission Rd, Prairie Village, KS, Caller: Dana Schirmer, Rds/Stash Tosio, Adv 6-7, Plus 7-9, Northwest Dist.

MONDAY, MAY 14

- **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 15

- **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, 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 16

- **Hi-Hashers Advanced**; A1&2; Ozark Senior Center, 727 N 9th St, Ozark, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 6:30-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 7-9, 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 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, MAY 17

- **Alton Flutterwheels;** MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Plus;** Plus; Boys & Girls Club, 720 S Park, Springfield, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Silver Dollar Squares;** MS/P/Lines; Little Blue Barn, 8245 Noland Rd, Kansas City, Caller: Gene Miller, 7:30-10, Happy Trails, Northwest Dist.

FRIDAY, MAY 18

- **Bluff City Twirlers;** MS/P; Odd Fellows Hall, 200 W. Maude, Poplar Bluff, Caller: GUEST, 7-9pm, Southeast Dist.
- **Meramec Valley Promenaders;** Plus/Rds; Eureka United Methodist Church, 215 N Central, Eureka, Caller: Doug Mallory, Rds/Jacqui Landau, 7:30-10, St Louis Dist.
- **Missouri Promenaders;** Plus/Rds; All Souls Catholic Church, 9550 W. Tennyson Ave, Overland, Caller: Ron Betzelberger, Rds/Bob Pyles, 7:30-10, 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.
- **Ramblers;** MS/P/Lines; South Valley Middle School, 1000 Midjay Dr, Liberty, Caller: Bill Kanai, 7:15-9:45, Kansas City Here We Come, Northwest Dist.
- **Twilight Twirlers;** CANCELLED, Central Dist.

SATURDAY, MAY 19

- **Crosstrailers;** MS/P/Rds/Lines; Graceway Fellowship Hall, 5460 Blue Ridge Cutoff, Kansas City, Caller: Stan Brooke, Rds/Stash Tosio, Lns/Carolyn Goucher, RR@7pm, 7:30-10, 68th Anniversary / Ice Cream Social, 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: Kevin Bersing, Rds/Barb Skorupan, RR@7PM, 7:30-10, Central 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@7, 7:30, Red/White/Blue, St Louis Dist.
- **Tanglefoot Squares;** MS/P/Lines; Catholic School Basement, 210 W John St, Brookfield, Caller: Kenny Bailey, 7:30-10, Patriotic Dance, Northeast Dist.
- **Traditional Dance & Music Society of the Ozarks;** Contra; Boys & Girls Club, Henderson Unit, 835 W Calhoun, Springfield, Caller: Mike Bolin, Music by Billy Mathews & Springfield's Best, WkShp Learn the Basics 7PM, 7:30-10:30, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, MAY 20

- **Jefferson County Squares;** Plus/Rds; Our Lady's Church, 1559 St Mary's Ln, Festus, Caller: Doug Mallory, Rds/Donna Barks, Lns/Donna Barks, 2:30-5, St Louis Dist.
- **Savannah Sashayers;** MS/P/Lines/CW; Clasbey Center, 500 E Duncan Dr, Savannah, Caller: Larry Liebig, Lns/Connie Graham, 3-6pm, Northwest Dist.

MONDAY, MAY 21

- **Country Squares**; MS; Country Aire Retirement Estates, 18450 State Hwy 16, Lewiston, Caller: Dave Roush, 7-9pm (visitors please call ahead), 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.
- **West County Spinners**; Plus/Rds; Trinity Lutheran Church, 14088 Clayton Rd, Chesterfield, Caller: Curt Braffet, Rds/Jacqui Landau, RR@7, 7:30-10, St. Louis Dist.

TUESDAY, MAY 22

- **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 23

- **Hi-Hashers Advanced**; A1&2; Ozark Senior Center, 727 N 9th St, Ozark, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 6:30-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 7-9, 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 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, MAY 24

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Plus**; Plus; Boys & Girls Club, 720 S Park, Springfield, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Travelers**; MS/P; St Robert Municipal Ctr, 194 Eastlawn Ave, St Robert, Caller: Ray Crowley, 7-9:30, Crazy Hat Dance, Central Dist.

FRIDAY, MAY 25

- **Singles & Doubles**; Plus/Rds; Webster Groves Christian Ch, 1320 W Lockwood, Webster Groves, Caller: Kenton Sullivan, Rds/Bob Pyles, RR@7:30, 8, Red/White/Blue, St Louis Dist.

SATURDAY, MAY 26

- **2 State Steppers**; MS; South Harrison Elementary School, 2213 Beekman St, Bethany, Caller: Connie Graham, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.
- **Beaux & Belles**; CANCELLED, Northeast Dist.
- **Lost Creek Promenaders**; CANCELLED, Southwest Dist.
- **Peppy Promenaders**; CANCELLED, West Central Dist.
- **Puxico Country Squares**; CANCELLED, Southeast Dist.
- **Trail Blazers**; MS/P; O'Reilly Tefft Recreation Ctr, 1408 E Pythian St, Springfield, Caller: Kenton Sullivan, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, MAY 27

- **Kansas City Plus Squares**; Adv/Plus/Rds; Colonial Church of Prairie Village, 7039 Mission Rd, Prairie Village, KS, Caller: Dana Schirmer, Rds/Stash Tosio, Adv 6-7, Plus 7-9, Northwest Dist.
- **River City Squares**; CANCELLED, West Central Dist.

MONDAY, MAY 28

- **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 29

- **Swingin's 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, Northwest Dist.
- **Western Grand Squares**; MS/P; Civic Center, 110 St Louis St, West Plains, Caller: Doug Mallory, Lns/Phyllis Cochran, 7-9pm, Cinco de Mayo, Southwest Dist.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 30

- **Hi-Hashers Advanced**; A1&2; Ozark Senior Center, 727 N 9th St, Ozark, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 6:30-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; Phase II-IV; Northview Center, 301 E Talmage, Springfield, Rds/Carolyn & Tony Ahart, 7-9, 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 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, MAY 31

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Plus**; Plus; Boys & Girls Club, 720 S Park, Springfield, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist

JUNE 2018

FRIDAY, JUNE 1

- **Missouri Promenaders**; Plus/Rds; All Souls Catholic Church, 9550 W. Tennyson Ave, Overland, Caller: Lanny Weaklend (NC), Rds/Pat Hilton, 7:30-10, St Louis Dist.
- **Mo-Kan Squares**; MS/P; Vernon Co. Fairgrounds, Home Ec Bldg, 1600 E. Ashland, Nevada, Caller: Dean Dederman (NC), 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Twilight Twirlers**; MS/P; Richland Community Center, Shady Dell Park, Hwy 7, Richland, Caller: Jay Wright, 7:30-10, Central Dist.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2

- **Duck 'N' Dive**; MS/P; Eugene Northern Community Center, 400 W 4th St, Rolla, Caller: Jay Wright, 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **Little Dixie Squares**; MS/P; Moberly Area Technical Ctr, 1623 Gratz Brown, Moberly, Caller: Kenny Bailey, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Maysville Wranglers**; MS/P; Maysville School Lobby, 5 Blocks West of Jct 6 & 33, Maysville, Caller: Dean Dederman (NC), 7:30-10, Summer Cruisin', Northwest Dist.
- **Ozark Whirlers**; MS/P/Rds; Fairground Building, 8th & S Maple, Eldon, Caller: Tommy Russell, Rds/Barb Skorupan, RR@7PM, 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **St. Peters Squares**; Plus/Rds; First United Methodist Church, 801 First Capital Dr, St Charles, Caller: Kate Garrison, Rds/Pat Hilton, RR@7, 7:30, Strawberry Theme, St Louis Dist.
- **Tanglefoot Squares**; MS/P/Lines; First Christian Church, 1416 N Main, Brookfield, Caller: Leroy Conrad, 7:30-10, Leroy's Birthday, Northeast Dist.

- **Traditional Dance & Music Society of the Ozarks**; Contra; Boys & Girls Club, Henderson Unit, 835 W Calhoun, Springfield, Caller: Gloria Scarlet, Music by Pond Fork String Poppers, WkShp Learn the Basics 7PM, 7:30-10:30, Southwest Dist.
- **Western Twirlers**; MS/P; Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Caller: Bob Loyd, 7-9:30pm, 50's Dance, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, JUNE 3

- **State Federation Meeting**, Joplin Square Dance Ctr, 1801 W 2nd St, Joplin, Noon

MONDAY, JUNE 4

- **Country Squares**; MS; Country Aire Retirement Estates, 18450 State Hwy 16, Lewiston, Caller: Dave Roush, 7-9pm (visitors please call ahead), 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.
- **West County Spinners**; Plus/Rds; Trinity Lutheran Church, 14088 Clayton Rd, Chesterfield, Caller: Doug Mallory, Rds/The Tevlins, RR@7, 7:30-10, St. Louis Dist.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5

- **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, 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 6

- **Hi-Hashers Advanced**; A1&2; Ozark Senior Center, 727 N 9th St, Ozark, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 6:30-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **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 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Plus**; Plus; Boys & Girls Club, 720 S Park, Springfield, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8

- **River City Rounds**; Rounds; Webster Grove Christian Church, 1320 W Lockwood, Webster Groves, Rds/Pat Hilton & Bob Pyles, 7:30-10, St. Louis Dist.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9

- **B-N-R Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Gashland UMC, 7715 N Oak, KCMO, Caller: Lanny Weakland (NC), Plus 7:30, MS 8-10, Northwest Dist.
- **Beaux & Belles**; MS/P; Zion Lutheran Church, 32405 E Briggs (Bs 36 E), Macon, Caller: Kenny Bailey, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Capital City Squares**; MS/P; McClung Park, 1115 Chestnut, Jefferson City, Caller: Don Boyer, 7:30-10, Salad Bar, 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.
- **Kountry Kuzins**; MS/P; O'Reilly Tefft Recreation Ctr, 1408 E Pythian St, Springfield, Caller: Robert Townsend, 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.

- **Lost Creek Promenaders**; MS/P; Neosho Senior Center, 1017 Carl Sweeney Pkwy, Neosho, Caller: Johnny Eubanks, 7-9:30pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Peppy Promenaders**; CANCELLED, West Central Dist.
- **Puxico Country Squares**; MS/P; VFW Hall, PP Highway (Richardson Ave.), Puxico, Caller: John Stuart, Rds/Donna Barks, Lns/Donna Barks, 6:30-9pm, Southeast Dist.
- **Shooting Stars**; MS/P/Lines; Radiant Life Church, 704 N. Jefferson St, Kearney, Caller: Stan Brooke, 7-9:30, Northwest Dist.

SUNDAY, JUNE 10

- **Country Western Squares of Potosi**; MS/P/Lines; Sayers Senior Center, 109 Lawrence St, Potosi, Caller: Stan Mangogna, Lns/Steve Denbow, 2:30-5:00, Southeast Dist.
- **Kansas City Plus Squares**; Adv/Plus/Rds; Colonial Church of Prairie Village, 7039 Mission Rd, Prairie Village, KS, Caller: Dana Schirmer, Rds/Stash Tosio, Adv 6-7, Plus 7-9, Northwest Dist.
- **Savannah Sashayers**; MS/P/Lines/CW; Clasbey Center, 500 E Duncan Dr, Savannah, Caller: Mike Hogan (NC), Lns/Connie Graham, 3-6pm, Northwest Dist.
- **Wheeler & Dealers**; Plus/Rds; Memorial Hall, Blanchette Park, 1900 Randolph St, St Charles, Caller: Doug Mallory, Rds/Bob Pyles, 7-9:30, Oceans, St Louis Dist.

MONDAY, JUNE 11

- **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 12

- **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 13

- **Hi-Hashers Advanced**; A1&2; Ozark Senior Center, 727 N 9th St, Ozark, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 6:30-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirl-A-Rounds**; CANCELLED, Southwest Dist.
- **Twirling Funtimers**; MS/P/Rds; Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring (In Cooper Park) Mountain Home, AR, Caller: Jay Wright, Open Floor 6-7, Dance 7-9pm, Flag Day; Red, White and Blue, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, JUNE 14

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Plus**; Plus; Boys & Girls Club, 720 S Park, Springfield, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Trail Blazers**; MS/P; Nixa Senior Center, 404 S Main, Nixa, Caller: Tom Manning (NC), 7:30-10, Southwest Dist.
- **Travelers**; MS/P; St Robert Municipal Ctr, 194 Eastlawn Ave, St Robert, Caller: Merle Hall, 7-9:30, Hawaiian Shirt Dance, Central Dist.

FRIDAY, JUNE 15

- **Bluff City Twirlers**; MS/P; Odd Fellows Hall, 200 W. Maude, Poplar Bluff, Caller: GUEST, 7-9pm, Southeast Dist.
- **Meramec Valley Promenaders**; Plus/Rds; Eureka United Methodist Church, 215 N Central, Eureka, Caller: Bud Cutter, Rds/Jacqui Landau, 7:30-10, 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 16

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Jim Ryan, 7-9:30PM, Tropical Luau Dance, Southwest Dist.
- **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: Leroy Conrad, Salad Dinner @ 6:30, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Ozark Whirlers**; MS/P/Rds; Fairground Building, 8th & S Maple, Eldon, Caller: Jay Wright, Rds/Barb Skorupan, RR@7PM, 7:30-10, Central Dist.
- **St. Peters Squares**; Plus/Rds; First United Methodist Church, 801 First Capital Dr, St Charles, Caller: Wayne Primeau, Rds/Jacqui Landau, RR@7, 7:30, St Louis Dist.
- **Tanglefoot Squares**; CANCELLED, Northeast Dist.
- **Traditional Dance & Music Society of the Ozarks**; Contra; Boys & Girls Club, Henderson Unit, 835 W Calhoun, Springfield, Caller: Mike Bolin, Music by Julie Henigan & Friends, WkShp Learn the Basics 7PM, 7:30-10:30, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, JUNE 17

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

MONDAY, JUNE 18

- **Country Squares**; MS; Country Aire Retirement Estates, 18450 State Hwy 16, Lewiston, Caller: Dave Roush, 7-9pm (visitors please call ahead), 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.
- **West County Spinners**; Plus/Rds; Trinity Lutheran Church, 14088 Clayton Rd, Chesterfield, Caller: Scot Byars (NC), Rds/Jacqui Landau, RR@7, 7:30-10, St. Louis Dist.

TUESDAY, JUNE 19

- **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 20

- **Diamond B's**; MS/P/Lines; First Methodist Church, 1701 W 32nd St, Sedalia, Caller: Larry Butler, 7:30-10, Trail In Dance for Campers, West Central Dist.
- **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, Northwest Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Advanced**; A1&2; Ozark Senior Center, 727 N 9th St, Ozark, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 6:30-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **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 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, JUNE 21

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Plus**; Plus; Boys & Girls Club, 720 S Park, Springfield, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22

- **Singles & Doubles**; Plus/Rds; Webster Groves Christian Ch, 1320 W Lockwood, Webster Groves, Caller: Rick Hampton, Rds/Pat Hilton, RR@7:30, 8, St Louis Dist.

SATURDAY, JUNE 23

- **Beaux & Belles**; MS/P; Zion Lutheran Church, 32405 E Briggs (Bs 36 E), Macon, Caller: Jay Wright, 7:30-10, Northeast Dist.
- **Lost Creek Promenaders**; CANCELLED, Southwest Dist.
- **Peppy Promenaders**; MS/P; Grand River Multipurpose Center, 607 W Business 36, Chillicothe, Caller: Kenny Bailey, 7:30-10, Casual Dress, West Central Dist.
- **Puxico Country Squares**; CANCELLED, Southeast Dist.
- **Trail Blazers**; MS/P; O'Reilly Tefft Recreation Ctr, 1408 E Pythian St, Springfield, Caller: Kenton Sullivan, 7:30k-10, Favorite T-Shirt Dance, Southwest Dist.

SUNDAY, JUNE 24

- **Kansas City Plus Squares**; CANCELLED, Northwest Dist.
- **River City Squares**; MS/P/Lines; Lexington United Methodist Ch, 1211 S Bus Hwy 13, Lexington, Caller: Larry Butler, 6-8:30, Trail In Dance, West Central Dist.
- **Savannah Sashayers**; MS/P/Lines/CW; Savannah Middle School, 10500 State Route T, Savannah, Caller: Jerry Story (NC), Lns/Connie Graham, 3-6pm, Northwest Dist.

MONDAY, JUNE 25

- **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: Gary Shoemake & Ken Bower (NC), Rds/The Tevlins, RR@7, 7:30-10, Trail In Dance to Nationals, St. Louis Dist.

TUESDAY, JUNE 26

- **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 27

- **Hi-Hashers Advanced**; A1&2; Ozark Senior Center, 727 N 9th St, Ozark, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 6:30-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **67th National Square Dance Convention**[®], June 27-30, Kansas City Convention Center, Kansas City, Missouri. www.67nsdc.com.
- **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 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.

THURSDAY, JUNE 28

- **Alton Flutterwheels**; MS/P; Alton Elementary Multipurpose Room, Alton, Caller: Pat Christe, 7-9PM, Southwest Dist.
- **Hi-Hashers Plus**; Plus; Boys & Girls Club, 720 S Park, Springfield, Caller: Jerry Ellis, 7-9pm, Southwest Dist.
- **Travelers**; CANCELLED, Central Dist.

SATURDAY, JUNE 30

- **Little Dixie Squares**; CANCELLED, Northeast Dist. Northeast Dist.

(subject to board approval)

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

Minutes of February 18, 2018

President Ron Selfors called the meeting to order at 12:03 p.m. at Graceway Church in Kansas City, Mo.

Invocation: Fred Goucher

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag: Fred Goucher

Pledge of Allegiance to the Missouri Flag: Fred Goucher

Roll Call: Penny Byers. Full Quorum achieved. (5 Executive Board / 13 District Directors / 9 Staff & Past Presidents)

Approval of Minutes: President Selfors asked for corrections or additions to the December minutes. Jim Weber moved to accept the minutes as corrected. Motion was seconded and carried.

Treasurer's Report: Rosa Davis was absent, but sent her report. President Selfors reported a beginning checking balance as of November 30, 2017 of \$12,014.26. Since the last meeting we've had Revenue of \$2,444.20 and Expenses of \$2,018.42. The ending checking account balance as of January 31, 2018 is \$12,440.04. Total CDs and interest amounted to \$50,195.57 for Total Funds on hand of \$62,635.61. The Treasurer's report will be submitted for audit.

Membership and Club Longevity: Rosa Davis was absent, but sent her report. President Selfors reported we have 49 clubs that have paid their 2018 dues; 38 clubs were paid the insurance rebate. Lotawana Sailors (NW District) were awarded a longevity award for 45 years. Jefferson County Squares (St Louis District) were awarded a longevity award for 35 years.

Correspondence: Penny Byers reporting. Get well soon cards were passed around for Jim Marron and Jan Anslinger.

Boundaries and Relations: Ray and Vicki Wittman. No report.

Constitution and Bylaws: Position Open. No report.

Publications: Carol Morris reporting. In an effort to increase subscriptions, the Committee recommends a \$3 discount per subscriber for their subscription when they pay it to their club and the club in turn has 100% participation, and pays it to the Circulation Manager all with one check. Vote will be taken under new business.

DOIN'S Editor: Edythe Weber reporting. We were able to obtain info and start tracking the magazines that we are mailing. We are hoping to find some common thread that is causing our problems. We are truly trying to figure this problem out. Please continue to let us know if you don't get your magazine.

The next deadline is March 25 for the May/June issue. Sending early is always greatly appreciated.

There is a form for requesting free copies for your graduating students. The form can be found online or by requesting it from us. Please request the books for your graduates to make them aware of the magazine.

Please read the March/April issue cover to cover and share with dancers who may not be subscribers. There is a lot of information about the 67th NSDC that we hope will spark your attention and get you excited about attending.

Again, the forms for sending items for the Doin's are available and interactive on the web at www.squaredancemissouri.com or you can request we send them to you electronically.

DOIN'S Circulation: Jim Weber reporting. Subscriptions for the DOIN'S since last meeting were 304, 2 exchange copies and 13 for staff, historian and post office for a total mailing of 319.

Financial Report: The balance brought forward was \$100.00 with a total income of \$375.00 (from subscriptions). Expense of postage amounted to \$38.88. A check for \$336.12 was given to the Federation. The ending balance is \$100.

DOIN'S Advertising: Dave Shafer. The balance brought forward on December 3, 2017 was \$93.35. (Forgot to put a deposit in) Total income (from DOIN'S Ads & Caller/Cuer Directory Listings) was \$606.00 and total expenses (postage) was \$6.70. A check for \$592.65 was given to the Federation. The ending balance on February 18, 2018, is \$100.

Promotions and Advertising: Jack & Becky Rockaway. We only had 5 "Toot Your Horn" applications turned in and received the award. MoKan Squares, Puxico County Squares, Tanglefoot Squares, Beaux & Belles and Silver Dollars. Congratulations to these clubs!

State Festival Site Screening: Jack Rockaway reporting. Jack said they had received a proposal from the SW District for the 2019 State Festival site being located at Oasis in Springfield. The committee wasn't sure it would be approved and asked the SW District to come up and explain their figures when it was time to vote under new business.

Insurance Coordinator: Jim Weber reporting. In 2018 so far, 1,183 dancers are insured through Missouri Federation; 335 dancers are insured through other federations; for a total of 1,518 Missouri dancers. (49 Missouri Clubs)

Clubs holding lessons: you **MUST** submit the club sponsored class form, even if your class started in 2017. There is no cost to cover new dancers in lessons. Once your new dancers graduate they are no longer insured until they join a club and pay the insurance premium and the club submits an additional enrollment form. The 2018 premium is \$4.75 per dancer.

Remember to complete an accident form for **ALL accidents** that occur at your dance, even if they appear minor at the time.

Financial Report: Beginning balance as of December 3, 2017, is \$317.53; total

income of \$256.50 and expenses of \$204.60 leaves us an ending balance on February 17, 2018, of \$369.43

Travel Missouri: Jim Marron, absent. No report

Blue Bird Coordinator: Madeline & Merle Hall. Absent. No Report

Webmaster: Dan Wheeler reporting. A little book keeping. I am not saying this to be rude, but some of you are not as familiar with internet protocol as others. If the web address you plan to open has an "@" in it, it is not a web address, it is an E-Mail address. If it doesn't have an "@" in it, it is not an E-Mail address. You can't send E-Mail to a web address, and you can't open an E-Mail address outside of your E-Mail program. That is the reason I suggest that, even though it isn't necessary to open the web page, that you include the "www" at the beginning of web addresses when you put them in print, because, if it has the "www", it's a web address, not an E-Mail address. Also, word processors handle anything starting with "www" different from other text. So, in short: With the "@", E-Mail address. Without the "@", web address. With "www", always a web address

Federation Meetings: Within an hour or so after Penny sends out the information about our meetings, it appears on our Website under the "Federation Information" button. When, like this meeting, something changes, within a few hours, the latest information appears on our website. It is a good idea to check the website before you leave home to be sure nothing has changed.

I have been receiving district handbooks. I currently have:

2018 Handbooks for: Northwest District, Westcentral District, Southwest District, St. Louis District Schedule Book

2017 Handbooks for: Northeast District, Southeast District

2015 Handbooks for: Central District

Some things that need to be in the handbooks and most of you include: District officers; District club information; Officers; where & when you dance; dance schedules; Constitutions & bylaws, etc.

I would like to also see: A revision date, preferably on the front cover;

District website, preferably on the front cover; and club website address with club listing.

If you don't know any of the website information, it is all listed either at the top of or bottom of the respective web pages, or just ask me. It is NOT the information that appears in the address line of your browser when you open the pages. I recently exchanged E-Mail with a club person who didn't know how to send information to the website, and the Doin's. Please remind your clubs that the Federation website and the club web pages have an "Update Information" or "Website Update" button. If they use the forms on those pages, the information will go to the correct place. Often people will send chatter to both Eydthe and me, but recently, someone sent it only to me. This has happened in the past, and I just forward it to Eydthe. But this time I didn't

notice that it was sent only to me. If you clubs will use the forms, information will automatically go to the correct person.

Our website is receiving about 1,000 hits per month. As of this morning, we have had 581 hits in February, and 1765 for 2018. The 2018 State Festival has had 84 hits in February, and 208 for 2018.

I have been receiving requests for dance lessons. Please let me know if, when, & where your club is having lessons. The Federation website has a place for people to click if they want square dance information. The page that opens lets people click on the part of the state they are interested in. When then click on the part, a list of the lessons I know about opens. There is also a place to click to ask for more information. If they click on the E-Mail link and request information, the E-Mail goes to the Federation President and me. The HOA website is set up the same way. Most of the requests I have received recently have been from the Kansas City area, but in the past I have received them from other parts of the state. I usually forward the request to local people if the request is from outside my area. But, when I know about lessons in the area of the request, I send that information.

Historian: Dan Wheeler reporting. No Report.

License Plate: Sharon White. There has been no activity since October 22, 2017. As of February 18, 2018, there is still a balance of \$65.00 in the account.

USDA: Edythe Weber reporting. We attended the winter meeting of the USDA January 26-28 in Vancouver, Washington. While there we also attended the Oregon Winter Festival Albany, Oregon.

The winter meeting is a 2-day discussion of USDA business and getting ready for the Annual meeting in June during the Nationals. The meeting in June will be Wednesday, June 27, Room 2215. These are open meetings, so anyone can attend. They are very interesting. Since we are nominating Dan Reedy for Plains Region Vice President, it would be nice to have support for Dan present. There is another nominee for this position, the first time we have actually had two candidates for one office in quite a while.

ARTS: Edythe Weber reporting. The next meeting is July 1, 2018 following the Nationals. Everyone is invited to attend.

District Presidents' Report: Fred Goucher reporting. Had a good meeting.

Each district talked about their lessons. NE graduated 17 new dancers! It's important to welcome new dancers when they visit your club.

Edythe Weber visited and said they need more help for the 2018 Nationals.

We talked about the Rebates the Missouri Federation is offering to Youth Dancers, anyone going through the Leadership Program and any Caller or Cuer that attends the caller school or cuer school at the 2018 Nationals.

August State Meeting will be held the 19th in Eldon.

Youth and Children's Dance: Sharon & Larry Crisel, absent. No Report.

Missouri Federation Scholarship: Robert Turner, absent. Carol Morris reported the applications are Due March 1. Have received no applications to date.

2018 State Festival: Larry & Sharon Crisel, absent. Dan Reedy reported most forms are on the website. Packets will be distributed at April meeting. Only 63 registered so far. Around 15 caller/cuers have sent in their paperwork. Please encourage callers/cuers in your district to get this done. Hampton Inn is the host hotel. The gave us comp rooms for our caller and cuer so we encourage you to support them by staying there. Their price stayed the same as last year. Still waiting on a couple other hotels and campground to confirm pricing. Please register so we have money to pay our bills! Thank you!

Unfinished Business

National Convention: Carl and Cindy Boone reporting. Everything is looking great! Price increases on May 1 (from \$60 up to \$70). Great slate of callers. 2,068 are registered as of today, out of that only 364 are from Missouri. Please, please encourage your members to get registered. We have \$10 & \$14 dinner plates (which is a very good price). Everyone is working very hard to make sure this is the best Nationals yet! There will be a flyer in the Doin's to promote the Buckle & Bolo. We are on the home stretch.

Mickey Lee: asked about paying for sound at the State Festivals. (This was tabled from last meeting).

“Micky Lee moved the Missouri Federation pay someone to sound the halls at the State Festivals. Motion was seconded. We discussed how that needs to be part of the Standing Rules under Article XI State Festival Committee, so we will have the committee discuss it at the next meeting. Micky Lee withdrew his motion.”

We still don't have a Constitution and Bylaws Chairperson, so this has not been addressed yet. Was tabled until we can get a Chair.

New Business

Ron Selfors: Presented Past President, Dan Reedy, with a plaque and gavel for a job well done for his outstanding leadership as 2017 MFSRDC President.

Hall of Fame Selection Committee: Dan Reedy: Wanted to take volunteers and nominations from the floor for the 2018 Caller/Cuer Hall of Fame Selection Committee. After discussion, Penny will make ballots for voting at the April meeting.

2019 State Festival: Carol Morris: (Loretta and Catherine – Co-Chairman) would like permission from the Federation for the SW District to use Oasis in Springfield, Missouri for the site of the 2019 Missouri Federation's 60th Anniversary Festival. There has been \$2,000 pledged to the Festival if we hold it at the Oasis. We have new ideas for a fun dance. The main cost is flooring, the whole place is carpeted. Estimated income would be \$11,575 (omitting the banquet). Expenses based on the 2017 Festival would be \$14,608. We plan for a greater Program Book, better Raffle items, etc.

SW District appeals to you to let us have it at the Oasis in Springfield. After much discussion, Jim Weber moved to table the vote until we find out what the liability is for the Federation. Bev Stuart seconded. After much more discussion about them needing an answer today, but not having the information on how much the deposit is, when the papers had to be signed with the Oasis and what the cancellation policy is, Jim Weber moved to withdraw his motion and Bev Stuart withdrew her second. After much more discussion on the pros and cons of holding the festival at the Oasis, Jim Weber moved to approve Oasis for the 2019 site for the State Festival. Motion was seconded and a vote was taken by secret ballot. Results – 14 yes & 12 no, motion carried.

Carol Morris, on behalf of the SW District, moved that the seed money of \$2,500 for the 2019 Festival be given to the SW District this month instead of waiting until next month. Motion was seconded and carried.

Carol Morris: Doin’s Committee recommends the Federation allows a \$3 savings per subscriber, who belongs to a club that has 100% participation. Recommendation carried.

Jim Weber: Announced at the winter meeting of the USDA, they did vote to go forward with the 501c3 group exemptions. They have paid the \$3,000. If Missouri Federation still wants on board, we are good to move forward with this.

John Stuart: Thanked everyone for the cards, calls, texts and prayers. They are appreciated.

Calendar of Events

- March 10 – Kountry Kuzins Taco Night– Caller Larry Crady – O’Reilly-Tefft Gym in Springfield – 7:30-10
- March 17 – Tanglefoot Squares Western Roundup & Hog Roast – Callers Kenny Bailey & Leroy Conrad – Elementary School Gym in Brookfield – Dinner-6:30/ Dance-7:30-10.
- March 17 – Crosstrailers, BBQ Dinner & Pot O’ Gold Dance – Caller Stan Brooke – Graceway Church Fellowship Hall – Dinner-5pm/Rounds-7pm/Dance-7:30-10.
- March 24 – Travelers – 2nd Annual Memorial to Dee Shafer Dance – Caller Kevin Bersing – St. Robert Municipal Center in St. Robert – 2-4 p.m. All Proceeds go to Ellis Fischel Cancer Center in Columbia, Mo.
- April 21 – NE District Dance – District Callers & Cuers – Moberly Municipal Auditorium in Moberly – 7-10.

President Ron Selfors thanked the NW District and Crosstrailers for hosting the Saturday night dance and state meeting.

The next state board meeting will be April 22 in Moberly, Mo. The NE District will host.

A motion was made by Jack Rockaway to adjourn, was seconded and carried.

Meeting adjourned at 3:13 p.m.

Respectfully submitted by Penny & Dave Byers, Secretary

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