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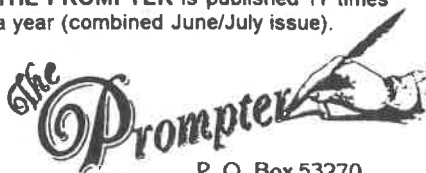
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"Our" Opinion!

by Chuck & Honey Wolfson



Decisions, Decisions...

Life is full of those annoying little decisions we all have to make from time to time—wheat or sour dough, Ford or Chevy, this weekend festival or that...

Speaking of festivals and decisions, (how about that for a smooth lead-in!!!) the 40th Jubilee committee faces a tough decision—how to please everyone with only two halls and two days. One of the major scheduling challenges is Saturday day, with the desire to provide round dance teaches, square dance intros (i.e.; intro to A-1 and/or C-1), and square dancing at the plus, A-1, A-2 and C-1 levels. As we go to press (mid-April) the committee is still making programming decisions. One thing we're sure they can count on—they won't be able to please everybody...

We're glad we don't have to make those decisions—we're having enough trouble deciding how we should spend our vacation. The plan was simple—at first. When American Airlines decided it was time I cashed in some long-ago earned frequent flyer miles, Honey and I decided to visit Italy later this year (note all these decisions). The only problem was the plane change in London. How can you go through London without

stopping off for a visit to Harrods and a London show?

Then fate took a hand in matters—we received a brochure and 1996 schedule for Murder Weekends in England. Several years ago we attended one of these Friday evening through Sunday "parties" and here was a chance to do it again. The Murder Weekend is like living inside a "Mystery" on PBS.

The schedule would work—we could fly to London, spend the weekend at a centuries-old hotel trying to guess who-done-it, fly to Italy for a week, fly back to London, visit Harrods and take in a west-end show, and finally fly home.

Decision made! Well, almost. *Trains* magazine ran a feature story on Eurostar, the new train from London to Paris through the Chunnel. Now, that trip is really tempting—combined with a day at Euro Disney in Paris and a trip on the TGV at 185 mph on the way to Italy—but then, what about the Murder Weekend?

We don't have enough time to do it all—we want to do the Murder Weekend, and the Chunnel, and visit Italy, and... oh, well. I'd rather be faced with these decisions than to have to come up with a program for the 40th Jubilee!!!

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Editor,

I feel as "Mr. Average Square Dancer" that I must voice my puzzlement at the "More Good Rumors" editorial in the April issue.

The editorial left me very puzzled at the specifics of what the group conversations were which created so much hostility in Gary (Carnes). How did he know WHAT was being said and about whom? If he is privy to the content of those conversations which must be very damaging to the "average dancer," your definition, then please share them in specific detail.

I do not approve of all the moves the SCVSDA council makes, but I do understand that it is an elected body of representatives from each club in the Association. As any volunteer, politically oriented organization functions, it does so by the decision of the elected representatives. If such gross problems exist then they must be solved through the members of the council. If strong "good old boy" leaders run the SCVSDA, then the body of the council must band together to replace them as leaders.

A club controlled by the caller, as is the Outlaws, moves and acts at the decisions of the caller (and his spouse). To extend this control into the SCVSDA is impossible, it has been tried before, it didn't work then and will not work now.

I do find fun in the square and round dance scene. I do find friends as I choose to do so and I do approve of the apparent controls that the SCVSDA uses.

The 40th Jubilee plans are exciting and should be successful. Two days of dancing may turn off some, but in my opinion the Sunday dancing has always been a so-so activity. The Watsonville Fairgrounds are very good for such events so there should be little disagreement there.

James Faulkner
 Los Gatos

(Jim, "More Good Rumors" was not a Prompter editorial—it was the opinion of the author, Phil Harris, speaking on behalf of the SCVSDA. I say "was" because we will no longer be running "Rumors"—we have always offered the association space in The Prompter for a "President's Message" and have asked the association to return to that format if they wish to take advantage of the space. Ed.)

Dear Editor,

I am a new dancer, graduated October 1992 from Bows & Beaus Square Dance Club, currently holding the club board appointed position of Sunshine Person.

In the first years of square dancing the Association was only a far distance "organization" we paid dues to for insurance purposes. The longer I've stayed in dancing and become more involved at the club level, I find myself drawn into assignment as Alternate

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On Thursday, March 28, the square dance community lost another dear member. Ken Conner was a past member of the Katyids (Plus club) and Top 8's (Advanced and Challenge clubs). Born and raised in Denver, Colorado, Ken wore many hats during his lifetime. He was husband to Mercedes, father to Steve and Lory, and grandfather. Ken and Mercedes joined the Katyids in 1983 and were active in many functions including president from 1984 to 1985. Retired from Lockheed, Ken was part of the Hubble Space Program for many years. He bowled with the Sons in Retirement group, enjoyed couples bridge, and played the organ at home. Many words could be used to describe Ken, but the ones that stand out are gentleman, caring, and a truly nice person. No time on earth is long enough to share with those we care about or to prepare our hearts for that last good-bye. So I will simply say that Ken has become a member of another square dancing club and is waiting for us to join him in squaring up again.

Marianne Hohenner, Katyids Square Dancing Club

Delegate for our club and attending the Delegate meetings.

There is so much going on that does have an influence on all dancers in the Santa Clara Valley—often driven by personal agendas and emotions that make it difficult to sort out the root of the discord at the Association level. The individual clubs are often if not always unaware of the politics and functions of the Association.

I've profited from reading the monthly articles: "Our Opinion," "Circle Right" and "More Good Rumors"; agreeing with most of what has been written, specifically in the last three months.

The Board of the Association, as most boards of directors, have a thankless job and place themselves in a position subject to ridicule, but still willing to serve, THANK YOU BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

Square Dancing is a sport—a form of entertainment seeking to provide its members fun and enjoyment. A grouping of persons as large as the number of dancers in our valley requires some form of general organization; SCVSDA is there to provide this service. To serve its members.

The concept of service seems diluted by the distraction found at the meetings—with personal agendas taking priority to the business at hand. Delays are experienced due to lack of knowledge, by some of the delegates in

attendance, for the parliamentary rules of order.

MY HOPE IS THAT SQUARE DANCING WILL PREVAIL—THAT DIFFERENCES CAN AND WILL BE VIEWED IN LIGHT OF PROMOTING OUR DESIRE AND LOVE OF DANCING.

There are plenty of outside deterrents to square dancing with personal work and family schedules and commitments. We need to focus on dancing as enjoyment—a place to find rest and relaxation. It has been that for me and I look forward to many years of the same.

Keep Dancing,
Mary Knoppe
Bows & Beaus

Dear Prompter,

Wonderful! Every acronym identified! A million thanks!

Two thoughts... Hurrah! A Jubilee and in our home county, Santa Cruz. As a Fair board member, let me assure everyone... the grounds are paved or grass (no dust!), spacious, clean, and super quiet. The RV area is ten steps from the dance area!

This spring the Sunnyvale Single Squares and the Katyids both had super new dancers hoedowns. How about adding a few hours to the Jubilee? Since the program isn't totally set, could you have some "Gentle on my mind" sessions, say LISST 1-100, or whatever. Our own local callers are super

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"teaching callers." Those sessions would attract new dancers plus those who wanted a slower pace for awhile. The Advanced sessions are super, but be sure the Jubilee appeals to the broadest range possible for fun and profit!

Finally, we are new dancers and innkeepers... We'd love to have a dancing Inn in November. We are 15 minutes from the Watsonville Fairgrounds.

Thanks again!

Diana Groom

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Dear Editor;

I was sorry to hear that the Jubilee is having financial problems, but I cannot accept your argument that the major problem facing square dancing in this area is political.

I can only speak for myself when I say that I got tired of trying to dance with dancers who clearly were not ready for the floor level. At Advanced dances, in fact, there are many dancers whose floor dancing is weak to say the least.

I took at least two complete classes or more at every level I danced, plus numerous workshops. I sought out callers who emphasized APD. Why? Because I was not satisfied with my dancing. It should not be viewed as a failure if a dancer repeats a class or takes a workshop. That should be the norm in square dancing.

Instead, we have dancers who take one class, skip half the sessions and are 'graduated' and encouraged to go to open dances. I don't mind dancing an

occasional tip where the square breaks down. But, I have better things to do with my time than to spend most of the evening standing at home position.

If any caller thinks I am exaggerating, I would be happy to come to your club and videotape your dancing. You know what happens near the stage. I will help you understand what goes on in the back of your hall.

I see no sense in offering to videotape open dances. But if you want feedback on which calls you need to workshop with your dancers (and what level), perhaps I can help.

Sincerely,

Robert G. Huenemann

La Honda, CA

Easter at Manor Care

Pat Wyatt from the Katydids came up with an idea for Easter. She asked the club to decorate eggs and bring them to our club dance on April 5. The eggs were judged for prizes, which was fun for the club, but more than that, Pat suggested that the eggs be given to Manor Care Nursing Home for their Senior Citizens on Easter. The Senior people were very receptive. Their faces lit up like Christmas candles and one commented, "You mean I can keep it?" It could have melted anyone's soul. Thank you, Pat.

Karin Schlobohm

Katydids Square Dance Club

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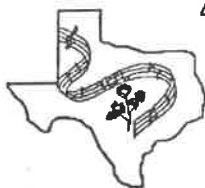
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Anyone intending to enter the Convention Center, Alamodome, or any of the 45th NSDC facilities must be registered. Workers of any category (dancers or not) must be registered also. A Convention badge and square dance attire is required at all dance activities (prairie skirts are appropriate attire). Confirmation forms for

registrants not desiring hotel/motel rooms have been mailed out by the Registration and Housing Office personnel. Those desiring hotel/motel are currently receiving confirmation forms from the San Antonio Convention and Visitors Bureau.

Registration packets should be obtained at the Registration Booths at the Convention Center Arcade. The booths will be open on Monday, June 24, 1996, from 12 Noon until 6 p.m., Tuesday through Friday, from 9 a.m. until 9 p.m., and Saturday from 9 a.m. until 8 p.m.

Volunteers will be needed to help in the Registration and Housing Booths, preferably for two hour shifts. We are asking those interested to please furnish us with your name, address, telephone number and the hours you will be available to help. The office phone number and address are:

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LEGACY Board of Directors approved seven goals for 1995-1997 at LEGACY's board meeting held in June 1995 in Birmingham, Alabama. These goals are:

1. Promote communication between organizations and continue the support of the Common Goals established at Summit meetings.

2. Encourage wide dancer input (not merely caller input) into the evaluation and selection of Mainstream calls.

3. Encourage caller organizations to investigate the feasibility of establishing a square dance entrance program that can be mastered in less than 20 weeks.

4. Motivate and encourage square dance club leaders to hold strictly to the advertised programs.

5. Encourage Mini-LEGACY education seminars in every state, province, and country that has a square dance activity, and to establish education programs at all state, province, and federation square dance conventions.

6. Increase LEGACY membership in every state, province, and country that has square dance activity, work for a minimum of three trustees each, and strive to get Trustee or Affiliate membership from every facet of the square dance activity.

7. Investigate the feasibility of promoting LEGACY through the media.

These goals will be worked on during the current biennium by LEGACY board members, as well as LEGACY trustees and affiliates, reports Bernie and Carolyn Coulthurst, chairmen of the LEGACY Board. These goals are in agreement with LEGACY's Articles of Incorporation purpose statement, which reads: "The purpose of LEGACY is to provide communications, knowledge or and education for the operations of all the phases of square dancing, in order to promote, protect, and perpetuate the future of the activity through mutual understanding and cooperation throughout the world."

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Plan that vacation around cool, colorful Colorado and enjoy the many attributes of this beautiful state. Contrary to popular belief, Denver is not in the mountains; it is near them. The "Foothills", a gentle series of peaks ranging from 7,000 to 11,000 feet high (2,133 to 3,353 meters high) start to rise 15 miles (24 kilometers) west of the city. Slightly beyond that is the Continental Divide and a series of peaks soaring to heights of 14,000 feet, (4,267 meters) known locally as the "Front Range". Denver itself is located on high, rolling plains. Although considered "Western" in character, Colorado is actually located in the center of the country, just 346 miles (557 km) west of the exact center of the continental United States to Denver. With the exception of Kansas

City, Denver is closer to the exact center of the nation than any other metropolitan area. The 15th step on the west side of the State Capitol Building is exactly 5,280 feet (1,609 m) — one mile — above sea level. Located just east of a high mountain barrier and a long distance from any moisture source, Denver has a mild, dry and arid climate. The city receives only 8-15 inches (20.3-38 cm) of precipitation a year (about the same as Los Angeles) and records 300 days of sunshine a year. In summer, dry relative humidity makes Denver feel cool and comfortable, offering natural air conditioning. Fall is a particularly delightful time to visit the city and make day excursions to the mountains to view the colorful changing of the aspens, an event that takes place from mid-September until mid-October.

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The Road to Bakersfield!!

by Dave Wies

The Wanderin' Wieses headed south this past weekend—destination Bakersfield and the 30th Annual Bakersfield Fiesta. We loaded up our new smooth riding Avalon and headed toward Route 5. It was great driving by a filled up San Luis Reservoir nestled in beautiful green hills—a welcome sight! Then—tooling down Highway 5 at a legal 70 mph (well, slightly faster in cruise control). We arrived in Bakersfield in time for the first step in our motivation for attending this weekend—meeting our new friends the Bergmans and the Alberts from the Trail Dusters in Thousand Oaks. We headed over to the Black Angus for dinner with a few more Trail Duster couples. A few Trail Dusters came up for this weekend—about 90 couples. You read right—90 couples! (They have about 300 people in their club.) After dinner, dress, then head over to the Kern County Fairgrounds to begin one of the best square dance weekends we've traveled to! Folks, let me give you a recipe we discovered this weekend. Start with a great location, add an intelligent portion of good planning; ensure a heavy dose of flawless execution, mix in five top callers and stir vigorously on four dance floors—the result—about 3,000 square dancers together in one San Joaquin Valley town real happy they're all there!

We met Randy Dougherty from Mesa, Arizona, for the first time in the Plus Hall. After one crowded tip using all my concentration to stay in my square, we headed over to the Advanced Hall to enjoy Tony Oxendine. For you uninitiated—he's worth the trip—great voice and a great sense of humor. They had an hour and half of A-1 and then an hour and a half of A-2. There was a Challenge Hall and a Mainstream Hall as well—all filled with smiling square dancers from everywhere possible.



Saturday morning we walked onto the A-2 floor feeling pretty cocky—we were humbled quickly with some rapid-fire

A-2 patterns from Randy Dougherty. (Hey, Randy, give us a break—it's 9 a.m.!!!) We stayed in the hall for some A-1 rapid calling and joking from Tony Oxendine. He ended his hour and a half with a singing call that left us all breathless and cheering. Then we followed Tony to the Plus hall, and, just before lunch, a request from the floor gave us an encore of the same song with the same result—way to go Tony!

After a great Chinese lunch with our Trail Duster friends (Mike led a caravan of three cars on a tour of the Mervyn's shopping center and several side streets before we found the place), we went right back to an afternoon of dancing. We were introduced to Lee Kopman, a caller from New York who probably created most of the Advanced and a good number of the Plus calls. His monotone voice was a little disconcerting, but his choreography was really interesting. He also called his patterns slowly enough to allow you to go through his unusual combinations without breaking down. We took a break in the mid-afternoon and I watched some March Madness basketball on TV in the room—I needed a little restoring of the body in preparation of a full night of dancing.

The grand march in the main hall was something to behold. The classic peeling of dancers until you had a massive formation of lines marching forward toward the stage. Between the large number of clubs marching and the array of colorful costumes, it was

something! Then, the classic first tip with callers Tony Oxendine, Randy Dougherty, Ken Bower and Jet Roberts. If there was space between the squares I couldn't find it. But I'm getting old hat at this now—never lost my square. Come on Dave, who are you kidding, in that mass of humanity you could hardly Allemande Left, let alone escape from your square! For the evening dancing they separated A-1 and A-2 into two separate halls. All the halls were full and it was a magnificent night of A-1, A-2 and Plus dancing. We danced our last dance of the evening in the Plus Hall with Mike, Karen, Neil, Bobbie, John and Pricilla to a beautiful singing call from Tony O. With glazed eyes, tired feet and happy hearts we drove back to our hotel room to rest up for our last stand on Sunday morning.

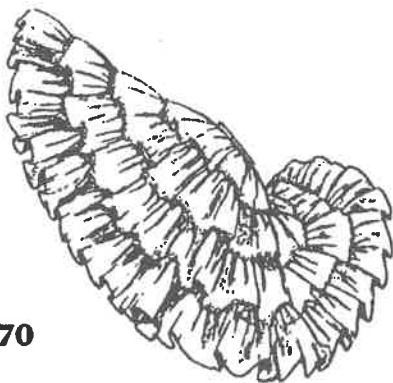
Sunday mornings at other weekends seemed to have been a drag for us. Everyone kind of tired, straggling in in tee shirts and shorts, and minds about two steps behind feet. Not here!

Randy and Tony called A-1 with A-2 star tips, and Ken Bower called Plus. I have never enjoyed the Sunday dancing as much as did at Bakersfield. The callers were on and the floor was on and the level didn't drop a bit. A side note that I think had an effect on the morning. Square Dance attire was required at all times, including Sunday morning—we felt like dancers all the time! At 11 a.m. Joyce and I, hand in hand, headed for the Plus Hall for our last tip of the weekend with Mike, Karen, John and Pricilla. We finished off the weekend with an exuberant singing call, hugs all around talking about the next time we'd be dancing together.

Driving home on Sunday, Joyce and I commented on how totally fulfilling the weekend was. We weren't even as tired because we were having so much fun all the time. As I've said before to you dancers who have never experienced a traveling weekend, pick one and go out and do it—it's hard not to have a good time!

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Our household seems to have a passion for square dancing, football, and quilting. In pondering how to reconcile such diverse interests, I found fairly easy comparisons and similarities.

Football and square dancing are both team sports. Everyone on the team needs to know how to run the play (dance the move) called and do it in a timely fashion. Learning one's own part in any play/move is part of teamwork. Sometimes one or two people can bobble their part and the rest of the team can cover for them so that the play still works. That is part of teamwork, too.

However, football players who miss their assignment too often frequently find themselves left off a team. Dancers who fail too often find themselves left out as good dancers square up together because, basically, everyone wants to be on a winning team.

The current rhetoric about having one level of "square dancing" and holding sort of perpetual one night-stand classes so people can drop in and out at will brings to mind another football comparison. Some years ago the NFL decided "parity" would be good for the game. All teams would be equal and play at the same level—thus eliminating lopsided games and single-team domination.

One of the things the NFL leadership devised was a salary cap to

keep player salaries in line and to make it possible for all teams to have equal chances for the best players. What has happened is this—players and team owners immediately began looking for ways to circumvent the "cap." Players with moderate talent now make more in a year than former truly great players made in their entire careers. Furthermore, these players drop in and out of teams so fast no one can keep track of who is on which team. To make matters worse, the players often need half the season to learn to work together as a team. As a result, we now have a football league composed of two or three really bad teams, a bunch of mediocre teams, and two or three really good teams. When was the last time you saw a Super Bowl game that was actually exciting?

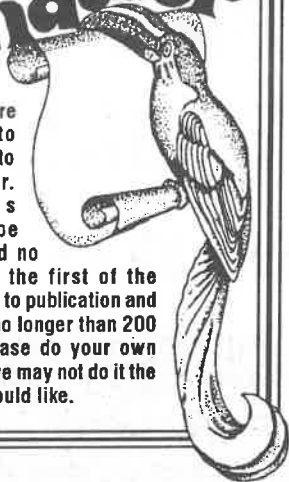
Do we really want square dancing to become so parity conscious that we take the excitement out of the activity? Many dancers like the challenge of learning more and getting better. Why should they be forced to run in place instead of heading for the goal line?

For many of us the square dance world is warm and comfortable. We wrap ourselves in it the same way we snuggle into a cozy quilt on a chilly evening. We study the design surrounding us and think our choice of pattern is the best. And it may be for us. But someone else can use the same fabric and the same block patterns to make a totally different quilt that is just as admired as ours.

There are quilters who are happy tying a plain, solid-colored piece of fabric to batting and a backing to make a quilt. There are also quilters who are only content when using many colors, shapes, and fabrics and striving to make beautiful works of art. In between these extremes is a world of skill levels and desires. They all have their places, and they all provide comfort to someone. No one discourages them from seeking whatever level of accomplishment they desire. Should square dancing be any less accepting of its participants?

Club Chatter

All clubs are welcome to contribute to Club Chatter. Articles should be postmarked no later than the first of the month prior to publication and should be no longer than 200 words. Please do your own editing as we may not do it the way you would like.



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JOKERS

by Helen

March was not a very good month for The Jokers. On March 18, **Vern Bowers** had knee replacement surgery and then suffered a massive stroke. He is doing as well as can be expected. His wife, **Bea**, is in constant attendance, as are their children. We certainly all wish him a full and speedy recovery... On March 21, **Lois Brown** passed away in her sleep. It's a terrible shock and an

even greater loss. Lois was a very active club member, and she will be missed by everyone. Our deepest sympathy to her husband, **Stan Brown**, and their lovely family... Life must go on... On the brighter side; May is hoedown month for The Jokers. To be exact, on May 18, find your way to Cubberley Community Center for an evening of wonderful dancing. This year we are featuring the calling of that dynamic duo, **Gary Carnes & Jet Roberts**. That sounds like an evening of fun, and, don't forget, The Jokers are famous for good food and prizes galore—Oh, yes, and there's the money hat to be raffled. Top that off with wise and witty **Scott Slocum** doing the MC honors. Hey, you can't beat that! See you there.

SPINNING WHEELS

by Axel

The Spinning Wheels took advantage of a once-every-four-years Leap Year Tradition to host their Sadie Hawkins celebration. The Thursday night clubs of Dudes & Dolls, Square Hoppers, Square & Flares, and the Lucky Steppers joined the Spinning Wheels on February 29 to help Sadie get her man. Comic Lil Abner strips adorned the walls along with an authentic outhouse and 19th century still. Kickapoo juice and tacky-sacky wear was in for the night. It was great dancing to five different callers and **Sue Harris** with the rounds. The five club Presidents outlined a schedule to meet on a traveling basis on the fifth Thursdays throughout the year. The

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BOWS & BEAUS

by Ron Martin

April is nearly gone—along with its annual deadline; you can take a deep breath now. Our Newer Dancer Hoedown was a success on April 13 at Rogers School with a nice turnout and many enthusiastic class dancers. Caller **Harold Fleeman** of the Katydids not only brought his large class, but joined Host-Caller **Keith Ferguson** on stage for our event. Our January Level class was in its 10th week then and performed nicely. Ice Cream Fling Chair-Persons **Allison & Henry Collin** have their project well organized and are expecting a large turnout at Cubberley on Saturday, June 1. It is a special year in that this is the 25th Annual Hoedown. The highlight of the night is the serving

of several flavors of ice cream. The early organizers of this project were really ambitious, they held pre-hoedown ice cream parties where they actually made all of the ice cream to be served at the Ice Cream Fling Hoedown. Wow! Plan to attend, this will be a fun night, and a badge dance, no less. See you there.

DUDES & DOLLS

by Jan Hardison

The beginner's workshop has proved to be very beneficial to dancers from many of the area's beginning square dance classes. Our caller, **Ken Carroll**, does a terrific job of encouraging them while helping them add to their dancing skill. **Judy Adams** and **Esther Ramonda** are quite creative and energetic, giving many hours of dedicated service to the Dudes & Dolls. Because funds are always a problem, these two ladies planned and implemented a successful yard sale on behalf of the Club. Thanks, ladies, for your concern. Ocean Commotion in



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BELLE SWINGERS

by N.

Our caller, **Larry Davenport**, occasionally gets called away by his day job, so on March 13, we visited the Beaus and Bows for their St. Patrick's Party. Such green things! Green food, green clothes. We danced to the calling of their **Keith Ferguson** and to the visiting caller from Germany. We danced with the German visitors, as well. We had

a great time, but we always have a good time when we are with them. If you are in the Mountain View area, on a Wednesday evening, go dance with them at the school on Easy Street, off Middlefield Avenue. The party to celebrate May's Fifth Wednesday will be held at Ellis School in Sunnyvale, and you are all invited to come and dance with the other area Wednesday clubs who will be joining us. You will get a taste of the quality of calling you will encounter at the Plus Workshop Series we are conducting this summer. We are looking forward to seeing you there, too. It will be held at our regular Las Palmas Park Rec. Building location, on Russett, off Danforth, near Hollenbeck and El Camino in Sunnyvale. Larry is Head of Plus in Callerlab, so when...

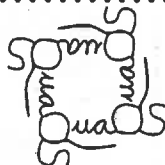
LONGHORNS

by Grace & John Swan

Ray Allen had by-pass surgery in March. He's home and doing well. We hope he'll be back dancing with us in

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three or so months. **Tres & Elise White** have driven to Pasadena a time or two recently. Our round-the-world traveler, **Margaret Davolli**, learned that the routine blood donations she's made in the past must be postponed for a year due to her stop and brief stay in India! **Tony & Helen Walsh** and **Pat & Joe Corollo** went to see and enjoy "Phantom of the Opera." **Cliff & Elene Planchon** helped with a cattle round-up and drive at her brother-in-law's ranch in March. Cliff didn't ride a horse but those "all-terrain-vehicles" are something else! **Lou Bamberger** is lending his expert make-up talents to a new show at the Burgess Theater in Menlo Park. Many of our club members attended The Chicken Ball on April 14. **Henry & Cleo Manning** went to Clearlake that weekend to dance to **Doug Davis**. **Tony & Helen Walsh** will be attending the 52nd reunion of the U.S.S. Warhawk in New York at the end of the month. Caller **Jim Wylie** and dancing partner **Shirley Korn** are planning an Alaskan cruise in June. Vacation time is here for sure.

MORGAN HILLBILLIES

by Diane McDonald

As this month begins, so does our APD Class on the first and third Wednesdays of the month from 7 to 8:30 p.m. We're hoping for a good turnout of dancers who want to increase their confidence and skill at the Plus Level, or maybe brush up prior to returning to dancing after an absence. The floor is wood and the natives are

friendly, so "Drive a little and learn at lot" in Morgan Hill with the Hillbillies. Our aluminum recycling project is taking the club to pizza this month and will finance a mystery trip in the summer. Many thanks to **Brian Yoshimura** for donating a bag of aluminum cans when he visited our March Open House. Members who traveled to Bakersfield in March returned with raves for the turnout and quality of dancing. Fliers for 1997 are already being circulated. Looking ahead, **Don Bailey** has agreed to coordinate our participation in the 4th of July parade in Morgan Hill. Since this is the town's Centennial parade, new costumes and a spectacular float are being planned. First prize is within our grasp if we don't follow the equestrians and our dancing feet stay cool.

GINGHAM SQUARES

by Janice & Jim McCraney

The Ginghams have an invitation to the Clodhoppers 5th Tuesday of April get-together of the Tuesday night clubs. Should be a lot of fun dancing to the callers from all the clubs. Ginghams **Barbara & Bernie Vas** really get around. In March they went to the Bakersfield Fiesta and danced to such excellent callers as **Ken Bower**, **Lee Kopman** and **Randy Dougherty**. In April it will be King City with **Bob Baier**. And for the Roundup in Oakland on the Memorial Day weekend, they will be the escorts for caller **Ed Foote** from Pennsylvania. And another Gingham couple, **Lois & Herb Nieman**, will be

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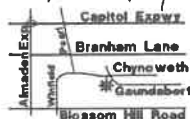
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3rd Saturday

May 18

8 - 11 p.m.

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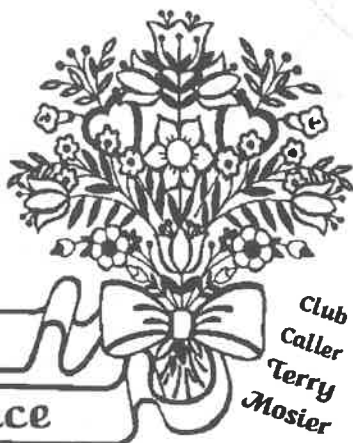
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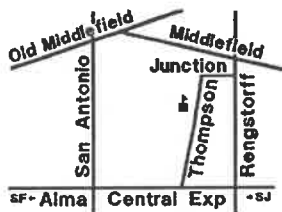
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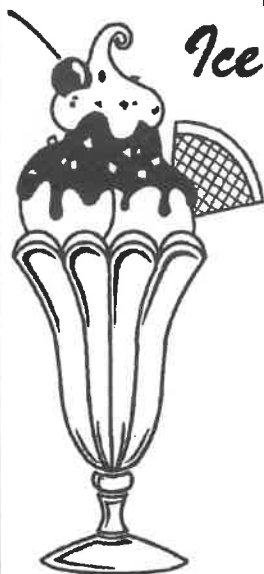
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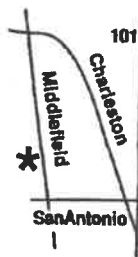
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FORTY NINERS

by Janice & Jim McCraney

We are looking forward to the Roundup in Oakland on the Memorial Day weekend. And the Forty Niners will have their Roundup Dinner at the Old Spaghetti Factory, Jack London Square. We found that the workshop breaks between tips were becoming way

too long, thereby taking time away from dancing. The club has recently got a timer to put a five-minute limit on breaks, and we enjoy a lot more dancing. Many of the club members are going all over the country to family reunions and other get-togethers this year. Perhaps the fanciest travel will be a 16-day cruise from Hong Kong to Japan by **Verna & Irwin Ashcraft**. The longest travel will be by **Jane & Larry Anderson** who will motor home to Montana; fly back home for four graduations of grandchildren; then back to Montana to go to the soccer championships at Kalamazoo, Michigan. After that, on to the Olympics in Atlanta for two soccer games; on to Washington, D.C.; and a family reunion in Yellowstone. Despite all this travel activity, the Forty Niner workshops continue every Thursday with **Bob Elling** calling at the beautiful hall of the Franciscan Mobile Country Club Recreation Center. First time is free for visitors.

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by Suzanne Hankins

Our club has been having a very busy year. Over the President's day weekend, one square of the Roadrunners went down to Monterey to attend the A-2 + C-1 with **Johnny Preston**, the caller. We were sorry we missed **Ron Libby**; but he was off having surgery on his foot. **Lynne & Archie** went to San Diego where they enjoyed a two-week vacation. Lucky them!! On March 9, twenty Roadrunners attended the Clodhoppers hoedown at Catholic Charities, where we had a wonderful dance with **Bronc Wise**. On March 19, **Harold & Alice** dropped by. We were all happy to see Harold in better health. Then, on March 29, a group of Roadrunners went to the Ranchero Squares A-1 + A-2 hoedown, where we had a great time with **Steve Minkin** and **Terry Mosier** as the callers. Then on March 30, a lot of us went to NCSDA Stampede at Catholic Charities where **Gary Kendall** was the caller. We have

been very lucky to have the opportunity to attend many hoedowns this month and to dance with many different people.

RHYTHM ROUNDS

by Wilmax

Just returned from the 29th Annual Round Dance Festival in San Diego where **Jim & Adele** were the featured instructors. Jim & Adele taught seven new dances all choreographed by them. Saturday they showcased two of their dances, they make it look so easy as they gracefully glide across the floor. Saturday, March 30, RR graduated our class with a huge round dance party held at the Atrium—great fun, food and dancing at all levels. It was fun dancing with the class to the delight of the audience. The afternoon graduation party was followed by dinner out and the Presidents Ball where Jim & Adele were one of the featured cuers. April finds RR traveling to Santa Rosa to dance to the Chicos' cues and on to King City for the West Coast Jamboree where the Chicos

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Square Dance Jubilee

AUGUST 30, 31 & SEPTEMBER 1, 1996

4TH Annual Labor Day Square Dance Jubilee

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MUST PRE-REGISTER IF YOU WANT TO PARK WITH A GROUP

R.V. Gate Opens At 3:00 p.m. Thursday

Directory of Square Dance Clubs

SUNDAY

- (APD Plus) **STANFORD QUADS** (Sgls/Cpls) Fairmeadow School, 500 East Meadow, **Palo Alto**; Plus 7-9, Star Tips 9-10 p.m., Party Night Varies; Bill & Pat 415-948-4935; Caller, John Sybalsky 510-763-0516 (Rev 04/96).
- (A-2) **STAR EIGHTS** American Legion Hall, 1344 Dell Avenue, **Campbell**; A-2 6-8 p.m., Class 8-10 p.m.; Rounds by Wally Wade; No Party Night; Jerry Tabacco 408-356-7274; Caller, Jay Klassen 408-734-4831 (Rev 02/96).

MONDAY

- (Plus) **BACHELORS 'N' BACHELORETTEs** (Sgls/Cpls) Mainliner Club, 4031 Pacific Boulevard, **San Mateo**; Class 7, Club 8:30-10 p.m., Party 3rd Monday; Information 415-591-4795; Caller, Joel Kadish 510-797-7794 (Rev 04/96).
- (A-1) **CURLI-Q's** Our Lady of the Rosary Church, 3300 Block of Cowper St., **Palo Alto**; 2nd & 4th Monday only; 7:30-9:30 p.m., John Martin 415-494-0119; Caller, Jerry denBroeder 408-257-6008 (Rev 04/95).
- (A-2 APD) **GENERIC SQUARES** John Muir Middle School, 1260 Branham aue, **San Jose**; 8-10 p.m., Party 1st Monday; Walt Cole 408-972-1178, Recorder 408-732-4109; Caller, Ken Kenmille 5-487-7208 (Rev 02/95).
- (Med A-2) **HOURLASS SQUARES** American Legion Hall, 1344 Dell Avenue, **Campbell**; 7:45-9:45 p.m., No Party Night; Callers, Ken Carroll 408-578-6945 & Don Lewis 408-265-3035 (Rev 08/95).
- (A-2 APD) **OUTLAWS** Cory School, Monroe & Kenwood, **San Jose**; 7:30-10 p.m., Party 2nd Monday; Jim and Evette Dilley 408-266-0406; Caller, Gary Carnes 408-292-GARY(Rev 04/96).
- (A-2) **RANCHERO SQUARES** St. Philip Lutheran Church, Alcosta & Davona, **Dublin**; 7:30-10 p.m., Party 4th Monday; Info: Jim 510-443-0337 or Kathy 510-786-3433; Caller, Terry Mosier 510-796-8142 (Rev 09/95).
- (Plus) **SILVER BUCKLES** (Youth) Meadows School, Taper Lane, **San Jose**; 7:15-9:30 p.m., No Party Night; Advisor, Bill De Bruyn 408-723-3524; Caller, Earl Phillips 408-776-1231 (Rev 05/96).
- (Plus APD) **STAR EIGHTS** Rogers Middle School, 4835 Doyle Road, **San Jose**; 7:45-9:45 p.m., No Party Night; Ken Martin 408-227-4413; Caller, Jay Klassen 408-734-4831 (Rev 03/96).
- (C-2) **TOP CATS** (Cpls/Sgls) Monta Loma School, 460 Thomson Avenue, **Mountain View**; 7-7:30 C-3A, 7:30-9:30 p.m. C-2, Jim & Sue Davis 408-481-9436; Caller, John Sybalsky 510-763-0516 (Rev 04/96).

TUESDAY

- (A-2) **ACEY DEUCEYS** St. Edward's Episcopal Church, 15040 Union Avenue @ Hwy 85, **San Jose**; 8-10 p.m., Party 2nd Tuesday; Tom Robertson 408-356-7796; Caller, Honey Wolfson 408-629-1492 (Rev 10/95).
- (Plus) **BACHELORS 'N' BACHELORETTEs** (Cpls/Sgls) Rogers School, 4835 Doyle Road, **San Jose**; 8-10 p.m., Party 3rd Tuesday; Ray Huffman; Rounds, Mary Ann Callahan; Caller, Donn Thomson 408-978-1281 (Rev 11/95).
- (A-2) **GINGHAM SQUARES** (Cpls/Sgls) Millbrae Recreation Center, 477 Lincoln Circle, **Millbrae**; 7:30-9:30 p.m., Pete Pereira 415-359-0921; Caller, Larry Davenport 415-572-9876 (Rev 02/96)..
- (Plus) **LONGHORNS** Mainliner Club, 4031 Pacific Boulevard, **San Mateo**; 7:30-10 p.m., A-1 Brush-Up (Donation); Information 415-343-8318, 415-592-4681; Caller, Jim Wylie 415-367-7659 (Rev 04/96).

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- (Plus) **PLEASANTON SINGLES** (Singles) Dance Pavilion, Camp Parks, **Dublin**; Class 7:30-9:30, Plus 8:30-10:30 p.m., Party 3rd Tuesday; Information: Jim 510-447-1700 or Dick or Sharon 510-833-0208; Caller, Ken Kenmille 510-487-7208 (Rev 03/96).
- (Plus) **SAN MATEO ROADRUNNERS** (Sgls/Cpls) Beresford Recreation Center, 28th & Alameda de las Pulgas, **San Mateo**; 7:30-10 p.m., Party 5th Tuesday; Fred Hernandez 415-344-1851; Caller, Richard Mansfield 510-785-7789 (Rev 05/96).
- (A-1) **STAR EIGHTS** American Legion Hall, 1344 Dell Avenue, **Campbell**; A-1 7:30-9:30 p.m. with Rounds by Sue Harris; No Party Night; Bill DeBruyn 408-723-3524; Caller, Jay Klassen 408-734-4831 (Rev 02/96).
- (+/MS/Beg) **SWINGING 21ERS** Fremont Elks Lodge, 38991 Farwell Drive, **Fremont**; 8-10 p.m., Party 1st Tuesday; Robert Dringenberg 510-796-3261; Caller, Terry Mosier 510-796-8142 (Rev 03/96).

WEDNESDAY

- (Plus) **BELLE SWINGERS** Las Palmas Park, 850 Russet, **Sunnyvale**; 7:30-10 p.m., Party 4th Wednesday; Ernie Van Den Broeke 408-734-4404; Caller, Larry Davenport 415-572-9876 (Rev 05/96).
- (Plus) **BOWS & BEAUS** (Sgls/Cpls) Whisman School, 310 Easy Street, **Mountain View**; 7:30-10 p.m., Party 2nd Wednesday; Al Knoppe 415-941-3419; Caller, Keith Ferguson 408-867-7715 (Rev 09/95).
- (Plus) **CLODHOPPERS** Lakeshore Recreation Center, 1550 Marina Court, **San Mateo**; 7:45-9:45 p.m., No Party Night; Information 415-583-2364; Caller, Wayne Janssen 510-581-5228 (Rev 02/96).
- (Plus/A-1) **CYPRESS SQUARES** (Cpls/Sgls) Cypress Senior Center, 403 South Cypress, **San Jose**; 1:15-3:15 p.m.; Info 415-244-1353; Caller, Vicki Woods 415-341-1867 (Rev 04/95).
- (A-1) **DIAMOND CUTTERS** Ayer School, Bldg 1000, 1331 Calaveras Blvd., **Milpitas**; A-1 Dancing 7:30-10 p.m.; Andy VanDerstyne 408-262-3032; Caller, Doug Davis 510-606-0540 (Rev 02/95).
- (Plus) **EAGLE SQUARES** (Cpls/Sgls/Tns) Camp Parks All Ranks Club, end of Mitchell, off Eighth, **Dublin**; 7:30-10 p.m., Party 3rd Wednesday; Bob & Betty Coates 510-784-1922; Caller, Terry Mosier 510-796-8142 (Rev 04/96).
- (Plus/Adv) **EL CAMINO REFLERS** (Gay & Lesbian) St. Andrew's Methodist Church, **Palo Alto**; 7:30-9:30 p.m.; Jim Smith 408-738-3898; Caller, Andy Shore 415-961-7504 (Rev 04/96).
- (+/Intro A-1) **EDEN ROCKERS** (Cpls/Sgls) Eden Rock Mobile Home Park, 28200 Hesperian Blvd., **Hayward**; 8-10 p.m., Party 2nd Wednesday; Myrna Stephenson 510-538-6762; Caller, Charlie Brown 510-796-0634 (Rev 04/95).
- (+/Intro A-1) **FARMERS & FARMERETTES** Newark Pavilion, 6430 Thornton Avenue at Cherry, **Newark**; 7:30-9:30 p.m., Party 1st Wednesday; Jerry Janke 510-651-3475; Caller, Joel Kadish 510-797-7794 (Rev 10/95).
- (Plus) **GADABOUTS** Reed School, 1524 Jacob Avenue, **San Jose**; 7:30-9:30 p.m., Party 4th Wednesday; Walt & Chris Blank 408-264-1962; Caller, Jim Osborne 415-571-7106 (Rev 04/95).
- (Plus) **GILROY GLIDERS** (Cpls/Sgls) Grange Hall, Swanston Lane, **Gilroy**; 8-10 p.m., Party 5th Wednesday; Don Thoene 408-778-0467; Caller, Lou Auria; Cuer, Claudine Auria 408-384-7999 (Rev 09/95).

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- (Plus) **JOKERS** American Legion Hall, 1344 Dell Avenue, **Campbell**; Class 7 p.m., Club 8:30-10 p.m., Party 3rd Wednesday; Dixie Davison 415-321-1452; Caller, Scott Slocum 510-837-1500 (Rev 03/95).
- (Plus) **KRAZY DAZYS** Collins School, 10401 Vista Drive, **Cupertino**; Beginners' Class 7-8:30 p.m., Plus 8:30-10 p.m., Party 3rd Wednesday; Gary & Donna Stokes 408-255-9669; Caller, Ken Carroll 408-578-6945 (Rev 10/95).
- (Plus) **MORGAN HILLBILLIES** Grange Hall, 40 East 4th Street, **Morgan Hill**; 8-10 p.m., Party 2nd Wednesday; Kuquiz & Harry Scarborough 408-779-5359; Caller, Don Lewis 408-265-3035 (Rev 04/96).
- (Plus) **RAFTER ROCKERS** Union School, 2130 Los Gatos-Almaden Road, **Los Gatos**; 8-10 p.m., Party 3rd Wednesday; Jack & Anne Fournier 408-265-1990; Caller, Ken Kenmille 510-487-7208 (Rev 06/95).
- (C2/C3A) **SHAPE CHANGERS** (Sgls/Cpls) Monta Loma School, 460 Thompson Avenue, **Mountain View**; Caller, Robert French 408-733-8229 <http://suif.stanford.edu/~rfrench/wsd/shapechangers/> (Rev 05/96).

THURSDAY

- (Clogging) **COYOTE CREEK CLOGGERS** (Beg-Adv) Sylvandale Middle School, 653 Sylvandale Avenue, **San Jose**; 7-9:30 p.m., No Party Night; Instructor Kellee Hanzel; Info: Sue London 408-224-4315 (Rev 05/95).
- (Plus) **DUDES & DOLLS** American Legion Hall, 1344 Dell Avenue, **Campbell**; Plus Class 7-8:30, Club 8:30-10 p.m., Party 4th Thursday; Ed Adams 408-369-0247; Caller, Ken Carroll 408-578-6945 (Rev 09/95).
- (Plus/Adv) **FORTY NINERS** Franciscan Mobile Home Park Rec Center, 700 Hoffman near Hillside, **Daly City**; 7:30-9:30 p.m., No Party Night; Information 415-355-2225 or 415-588-1825; Caller, Bob Elling 510-278-8621 (Rev 02/96).
- (Plus) **KEEWAY SWINGERS** Veterans Memorial Building, 2nd & E Streets, **Fremont**; Plus Workshop 7:30-9:30 p.m., Plus Dance 9:30-10:30 p.m. John Hageman 510-797-6137; Caller, Kip Garvey 510-792-7099 (Rev 10/95).
- (Plus) **LUCKY STEPPERS** C.P.D.E.S. Hall, Coral Street, **Santa Cruz**; 8-10 p.m., Party 2nd Thursday; Lane & Gail Johnston 408-457-0420; Caller, Harold Fleeman 408-423-0646 (Rev 10/95).
- (Plus) **SEISMIC SHUFFLERS** Mission Oaks Mobile Park Rec. Bldg, 1401 San Juan Road, **Hollister**; 7-10 p.m., Party 5th Thursday; Marie Mota 408-637-2113 or Don Thoen 408-778-0467; Caller, Rich Gierman 408-455-1347 (Rev 05/95).
- (Plus) **SPINNING WHEELS** Loyola School, 770 Berry Avenue, **Los Altos**; 7:30-9:30 p.m., Party 5th Thursday; Charlie Gray 415-968-0146; Caller, Charlie Brown 510-796-0634 (Rev 02/96).
- (Plus) **SQUARE HOPPERS** Los Gatos Presbyterian Church, 16575 Shannon Road, **Los Gatos**; Class 7-8:30 p.m., Plus 8:30-10 p.m., Party 3rd Thursday; George Tomer 408-374-2348; Caller, Ken Kenmille 510-487-7208 (Rev 10/95).
- (Plus) **SQUARES & FLARES** Meadows School, Taper Lane, **San Jose**; Class 7-8:30, Club 8:30-9:45 p.m. w/Rounds by Sue Harris, Party Last Thursday; Arnold Rose 408-238-4982; Caller, Don Benson 408-726-7053 (Rev 08/95).
- (Plus) **SUNNYVALE SINGLE SQUARES** (Singles) Murphy Park Community Center, 260 N. Sunnyvale Avenue, **Sunnyvale**; Rounds 7:30 by Craig & Debbie Rice, Squares 8-10:30 p.m., Party 3rd Thursday; Answering Machine 408-997-8816; Carol Christofferson 408-773-8417; Club Caller, Scott Slocum 510-837-1500; Class Caller, Ken Carroll 408-578-6945 (Rev 01/96).

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- (C-1) **TOP 8's** Anderson School, 4000 Rhoda, **San Jose**; C-1 Class (began 10/5) 7:15-9:15; Club 8:15-10:15 p.m., No Party Night; Don France 408-973-8661; Gary Cohane 408-732-4109; Caller, Rob French 408-733-8229 and John Sybalsky 510-763-0516 (Rev 01/96).
- (Fun/Plus) **VALLEY REDWOOD SQUARES** Scotts Valley Senior Center, 370 Kings Village Rd., **Scotts Valley**; 7-9:30 p.m., Party Last Thursday; Quinn Wildman 408-335-7892; Caller, John Cadiente (Rev 04/95).

FRIDAY

- (C-1) **ALMADEN SQUARES** (Singles/Couples) Almaden School, 1295 Dentwood Drive, **San Jose**; 8-10:30 p.m., Party 3rd Friday; Bob Fulton 408-379-3438; Callers, Rob French; C. J. Smith 408-733-8229 (Rev 03/96).
- (A-1) **BARNYARD BUMPERS** San Martin Elementary School, 90 North Street, **San Martin**; A-1 Class 7:30-8:45, A-1 8:30-9:45 p.m.; Information 408-842-4503; Caller, Jay Klassen 408-734-4831 (Rev 09/95).
- (A-2) **CARNIVAL TWIRLERS** (Cpls/Singles) Monta Loma School, 460 Thompson Ave., **Mountain View**; 8-10 p.m., Party 5th Friday; Beverly Marci 408-268-0161; Caller, Jill Marci 408-37-SMILE (Rev 03/96).
- (Plus) **CURLI-Q's** Lucie Stern Community Center, 1305 Middlefield Road, **Palo Alto**; A-1 Class 7:30, Club 8-10 p.m., Party 2nd Friday; Harry Lund 415-493-4992; Caller, Jerry denBroeder 408-257-6008 (Rev 04/95).

CHATTER (from page 29)

are one of the featured cuers. In May RR travels to Reno for the Silver State. May 18 Chicos are cueing for the Jokers 44th Anniversary Hoedown in Palo Alto and the Golden State Roundup in Oakland for the Memorial Day Weekend. June 2 the Chicos are one of the featured cuers at the Chicken Hop. RR Tuesday phase III and III (7-10) are...

BACHELORS & BACHELORETTES San Jose Chapter

by Ray

Our class newer dancer hoedown was a great success. **Donn Thomson** and **Ken Carroll** did a super job keeping all the dancers (newer and regulars) happy all evening. Ken also called an interesting Contra dance, and Donn cued the rounds between tips. The area callers are turning out a lot of competent newer dancers. **Ida Chandler** arranged our annual Sheriff's Pizza Party. This event is paid for by fines collected during the year by our diligent

sheriffs. However the pizzas disappeared more readily than the fines were collected. Our 32nd annual Chicken Hop at the Boulder Creek Fire Station is coming up on June 2. Five hours of dancing plus a huge chicken dinner makes for a great Sunday outing. Thanks to **Bill Steinberg** for hosting our March board meeting.

CLODHOPPERS

by Del & Francis Genest

Happy Mother's Day to all of our Lady Friends! Have a great day! Our **Wayne** had a very close call when he was broadsided by a truck that ran a red light. We are happy to report that he is doing well. He suffered a head injury and broken bones in his hand—to say nothing of bruises on his body. He was hospitalized overnight. We are very grateful to the Above that he was not more severely hurt. **Gordon Collins** pinch hit for him the night of the accident and did a fine job. Thank you, Gordon. **Freida Ernst** is wearing a cast for a broken bone on her ankle. **Joe &**

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- (Plus) **DIXIE DERBIES** Schallenberger School, 1280 Koch Lane, **San Jose**; 7:30-10 p.m., Party 4th Friday; Patty Nation 408-377-2443; Caller, Donn Thomson 408-978-1281 (Rev 03/96).
- Plus/A-1) **FAIROAKS SQUARES** (Cpls/Sgls) Fair Oaks Senior Center, 2600 Middlefield, **Redwood City**; 9-11 a.m.; Info 415-365-5913; Caller, Vicki Woods 415-341-1867 (Rev 04/95).
- (Plus) **KATYDIDS** Rogers Middle School, 4835 Doyle Road, **San Jose**; 7:45-10 p.m., Party 4th Friday; Marianne Hohenner 408-446-2819; Caller, Harold Fleeman 408-423-0646 (Rev 12/95).
- Plus/A-1) **MAGNOLIA SQUARES** (Cpls/Sgls) Magnolia Center, 601 Grand Avenue, **South San Francisco**; 1-4 p.m., Party Last Friday, No Charge; Caller, Vicki Woods 415-341-1867 (Rev 04/95).
- (Plus) **RHYTHM STEPPERS** Prunedale Grange, 17890 Moro Road (behind shopping center), **Salinas**; 730-10 p.m., **Dark 2nd Friday**; Becca & Denis Serdehely 408-728-7736; Caller, Rich Gierman 408-455-1347 (Rev 02/95).
- (Plus) **SEE SAWS** (Cpls/Sgls) Windmill Springs School, 2880 Etna Way, **San Jose**; 7:30-9:30 p.m., Party 3rd Friday; Ellie & Bill Foy 258-5932; Caller, Bob Robey 408-729-1120 (Rev 08/95).
- (Plus) **WRUFFLES & WRANGLERS** (Cpl/Sgl/Ten) Presbyterian Church, Fremont & Hollenbeck, **Sunnyvale**; 8-9:30 p.m.; No Party Night; George Harrington 415-969-7179; Caller, Bob Steele 408-295-8170 (Rev 05/95).
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Jean Noury are under the weather and so are **Joe & Virginia Cornyn**. Hurry and get well, all of you. We miss you and need your smiling faces. Thanks to everyone who attended our 49th Anniversary. **Bronc Wise**, together with **Ken Croft**, gave us a "night to remember." Plans are in progress for the 50th. Watch for it next March, it will be a humdinger. **Jim & Irene Fee** who headed the 49th anniversary hoedown with their committee did a fantastic job. Thanks to all! Our new slate...

BACHELORS & BACHELORETTES

San Mateo Chapter

by Bob Frommer

Some of our members have been out on a leave of absence, due to illness. We would like to extend a "Welcome Back" to those who have been able to return. **Dave Freeman** had a long bout with hip surgery; **Mary Vince**, back surgery; **Agnes Thompson**, having heart problems but can dance some now; **Al Gulttard**, knee operation.

Good to see him and **Elizabeth** back. A "Get Well" wish is extended to all the others who are still under the weather; **Kendra Langer**, **June White** and **Judy Butler**. Don't forget to attend the Golden State Roundup. There has been a lot of effort put into this event by our Association Board members, by various Club members, and by Club Callers. They have put together a real good dance program for all levels of dancers. You will be pleased! See you there in a square!

KEEWAY SWINGERS

by Howard C. Miller

Several of our active members have been attending various hoedowns in the area during March. The big event this month was the celebration of **Lee & Al Nance's** 50th Anniversary. First they were surprised by the club giving them a cake on Thursday, March 7. Then on Saturday, March 23, 1996, 43 members of the club surprised them at a dinner held at the Hungry Hunter in Fremont. It was great seeing their surprised look

Directory of Round Dance Clubs

MONDAY

- Beg/Ph 2/3 **DIAMOND ROUNDS** Marina Community Center, 211 Hillcrest, **Marina**; Beginners 7:30-8:30 p.m., Phase II & III 8:30-10 p.m.; Claudine Auria 408-384-7999 (Rev 04/95).
- Ph 4/5 **MOONLIGHT DANCERS** SFV Hall, 361 Villa Street, **Mountain View**; 7:30-10 p.m.; Mary Ann Callahan 408-998-4226 (Rev 03/96).
- Ph 2/3/ROM **SILHOUETTE ROUNDS** Jewish Community Center, 14855 Oka Rd., **Los Gatos**; 7-8:30 Beginner Class, 8:30-10 p.m. ROM/Ph 2/3; Chuck & Shirley Hurst 408-559-1364 (Rev 03/96).
- Ph 3, Intro 4 **STARDUST ROUNDS** Camp Parks All Ranks Club, **Dublin**; 8-10 p.m.; George Gardner & Priscilla Staver 510-796-4183 (Rev 09/95).
- Ph 2/3 **WADE-A-ROUNDS** Lakeview Community Center, **San Mateo**; 7:30-9:45 p.m.; Wally & Ione Wade 408-745-1464 (Rev 01/96).

TUESDAY

- Ph 3/4 **RHYTHM ROUNDS** (Sep-Jun) Ph 3/4: Carson School, 4245 Meg Drive, **San Jose**; 7-10 p.m. (Jul-Aug) Ph 4: Franklin School, 400 Tully Road, **San Jose**; 8-10 p.m. (call for dark nights); Instructors, Jim & Adele Chico 408-779-7446 (Rev 05/96).
- Ph 5/6 **STAR DANCERS** S. F. V. Hall, 361 Villa Street, **Mountain View**; 7:30-10 p.m.; Judi & Larry Rasmussen 415-368-0851 (Rev 04/95).
- Ph 3/4/5 **WHIRL-A-ROUNDS** La Selva Beach Recreational Hall, 312 Estrella Ave., **La Selva Beach**; 8-10 p.m.; Herb & Ruth Fogel 408-439-8453 (Rev 03/95).

WEDNESDAY

- Ph 2, 3 **GALAXY ROUNDS** Jane Meadows School, Taper Lane, **San Jose**; 7-10 p.m.; Carol Rose 408-238-4982; Cuer, Sue & Phil Harris 408-726-7053 (Rev 08/95).
- Ph 2/Int 3/3 **RHYTHM ROUNDS** Franklin School, 400 Tully Road, **San Jose**; 7-8:30 Ph 2/Intro to Ph3; 8:30-10 p.m. Ph 3/Classics/ROMs; Instructors, Jim & Adele Chico 408-779-7446 (Rev 05/96).

at a room full of their square dance friends. Thanks to **Ron & Carol Sternal**, **William & Nancy Menzel** and others who pulled it off so well. A great night enjoyed by all. It was nice to see our lifetime RVer's, the **Blakes** and **Metzgers** that night. Our lifetime member **Henry Charron** was able to attend the event and be with his former club that night. The **Howard Millers** enjoyed their trip to sunny Florida in late February, while California was in its cold spell. They witnessed the take off of the Space Shuttle "Columbia," which was a real thrill. Ourtreasurer, **Clyde Killion** is still improving from his illness. Our great caller **Kip Garvey**, has been really putting us through the paces this month in preparation...

GADABOUTS

by Don't

Hal and his wife are both ill. We hope they'll be back dancing with us soon. Three couples motored to Las Vegas last month; **Ankney**, **Getsla**, and **Knowlden**. **Stan** hit the nickel slots for 800 nickels. **Joan** officially retired last month. She recently attended the marriage of her son in Palm Springs. Our sympathy goes out **Marla** who lost her mother. Three women, **Jana**, **Donna**, and **Sherrie** are working on a new outfit for the club. Our Honeymooners, **Donna & Ed** are off to Hawaii to Celebrate their Silver Anniversary. Hopefully, **Hugh** will soon

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THURSDAY

- Ph 3/4 **SILHOUETTE ROUNDS** Jewish Community Center, 14855 Oka Road., **Los Gatos**; 7:30-10 p.m.; Chuck & Shirley Hurst 408-559-1364 (Rev 03/96).
- Ph 5/6 **WADE-A-ROUNDS** Calvary United Methodist Church, 729 Morse Street, **San Jose**; 7:30-10 p.m.; Wally & Ione Wade 408-745-1464 (Rev 01/96).

FRIDAY

- Ph 5/6 **STAR DANCERS** S.D.E.S. Hall, 30846 Watkins, **Union City**; 7:30-10 p.m.; Judi & Larry Rasmussen 415-368-0851 (Rev 04/95).

SATURDAY

- Ph 3/4 **WADE-A-ROUNDS** Veteran's Memorial Center, St. Francis & Madison, **Redwood City**; 10-12 a.m.; Wally & Ione Wade 408-745-1464 (Rev 01/96).

SUNDAY

- Ph 2/2+ **STARDUST ROUNDS** Grange Hall, 743 Diablo Road, **Danville**; 4:30-6:30 p.m.; George Gardner & Priscilla Staver 510-796-4183 (Rev 02/96).
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recover from his recent auto accident. **Ken & Bev** motored to Las Vegas to celebrate their 30th Wedding Anniversary. Hope to see you across the square on the 11 May, The Black & White Ball with **Jim** doing the calling. **Chuck & Shirley Hurst** will be cuing rounds.

KATYDIDS

by Lee & Mackey Lunsford

The new class continues to enjoy learning and made a good showing at the April Hoedowns. The class teenage members—**Aurellia & Isalah Quinlan** are a great addition. **Pat & Don Wyatt**, Super Squareheads, continue to produce great Theme Nights. Brooms & Socks Night ended March. April brought artistic decoration of Easter Eggs and the creation of Spring Bonnets & Fedoras. The expertly decorated eggs went to Manor Care Nursing & Rehabilitation Center for tray decorations. Hula Hoop Night challenged our physical flexibility and generated a lot of good laughs. **Morris Hosoda** was coordinator and caller for a Katydids' benefit dance at the Willow Glen Middle School as a part of International Week. Katydids Nominating Committee (**Ron & Bea Reak** and **Tony & Dale Fadelli**) lined

up a great slate of officers for 1996-1997 including: **Marianne (Harro) Hohenner** for President, **Mac (Lee) McMillan** for Vice President, **John (Karl) Schlobohm** for Treasurer, **Louise Stagmitt** for Secretary, **David (Joyce) Wies** for Membership, **Lyman (Ruth Anne) Johnston** for Publicity, and **Connie (Tom) Dunlavy** for Chaplain. The Katydids officer "Installation Dinner" will be held at Michael's Restaurant on May 3, 1996. During the past month, the Katydids have enjoyed Guest Callers **Honey Wolfson** and **Ken Carroll**.

SWINGING 21ERS

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Dolores Maraz had eye surgery. One of their granddaughters is very ill. **Eleanor Cottrell** is still recovering from foot surgery but paid us a visit. Nice to see **Eleanor & Wayne** again. **Bob & Maxine**, **Stan & Ethel** and **Mike & Ellie** are all planning nice long trips ranging from two weeks to two months. **Lee Nance** is taking oil painting. Made a cute jacket. **Terry** is shaping us up, and we've been dancing four squares most of the time. Wonderful! Come dance with us!

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| 1. Circle Left | 54. Flutterwheel | 107. Cast Off 3/4 |
| 2. Circle Right | 55. Anything & Spread | 108. Triple Scoot |
| 3. Allemande Left | 56. Reverse Flutterwheel | 109. Chain Down the Line |
| 4. Do Sa Do | 57. Follow Your Neighbor | 110. Eight Chain Thru (1-8) |
| 5. Right & Left Grand | 58. Left Swing Thru | 111. Remake the Thar |
| 6. Promenade | 59. Diamond Circulate | 112. 3/4 Tag the Line |
| 7. Swing | 60. Walk & Dodge | 113. Spin Chain & Exch Gears |
| 8. Forward & Back | 61. Single Circle to a Wave | 114. Right Arm Turn |
| 9. Promenade 1/2 | 62. Load the Boat | 115. Centers Run |
| 10. Right & Left Thru | 63. Ping Pong Circulate | 116. Fan the Top |
| 11. Courtesy Turn | 64. Linear Cycle | 117. Half Circulate |
| 12. 2 Ladies Chain | 65. Sweep 1/4 | 118. Split Outside Couple |
| 13. 4 Ladies Chain | 66. Trade By | 119. Single File Promenade |
| 14. Weave the Ring | 67. Flip the Diamond | 120. California Twirl |
| 15. Rollaway Half Sashay | 68. Spin the Top | 121. Wrong Way Grand |
| 16. Ladies In, Men Sashay | 69. Dixie Style to a Wave | 122. Spin Chain Thru |
| 17. 4 Ladies Chain 3/4 | 70. Zoom | 123. Grand Swing Thru |
| 18. Wheel Around | 71. Tag the Line | 124. Peel Off |
| 19. Right-Hand Star | 72. Anything & Roll | 125. Teacup Chain |
| 20. Left-Hand Star | 73. Split/Box Circulate | 126. Do Paso |
| 21. Ladies Promenade Inside | 74. Chase Right | 127. Wrong Way Thar |
| 22. Men Promenade Inside | 75. Centers Trade | 128. Cross Run |
| 23. Star Thru | 76. Coordinate | 129. Cross Fold |
| 24. Pass Thru | 77. Alamo Style Wave | 130. Centers Circulate |
| 25. U-Turn Back | 78. Alamo Swing Thru | 131. Left Square Thru |
| 26. Square Thru | 79. Turn Thru | 132. Promenade 3/4 |
| 27. Partner Trade | 80. Trade the Wave | 133. Ends Run |
| 28. Make an O/W (Right-Hand) | 81. Half Tag | 134. Dive Thru |
| 29. Swing Thru | 82. Circle to a Line | 135. Partner Tag |
| 30. Boys Run | 83. Explode the Wave | 136. Ends Trade |
| 31. Girls Run | 84. Gls/Bys/Ends/Cen Fold | 137. Backtrack |
| 32. Bend the Line | 85. Relay the Deucey | 138. Couples Trade |
| 33. Touch 1/4 | 86. Peel the Top | 139. Couples Hinge |
| 34. Scootback | 87. Explode & (Anything) | 140. 2 Ladies Chain 3/4 |
| 35. Single File Circulate | 88. Ends Circulate | 141. Star Promenade |
| 36. Lead Right | 89. Acey Deucey | 142. Left Arm Turn |
| 37. Veer Left | 90. Cut the Diamond | |
| 38. Couples Circulate | 91. Cloverleaf | |
| 39. Wheel & Deal 2-faced | 92. All 8 Circulate | |
| 40. Boys Circulate | 93. Veer Right | |
| 41. Girls Circulate | 94. Pass to the Center | |
| 42. Boys Trade | 95. All Around Left-Hand Lady | |
| 43. Girls Trade | 96. See Saw | |
| 44. Ferris Wheel | 97. Allemande Thar | |
| 45. Pass the Ocean | 98. Shoot the Star | |
| 46. Single Hinge | 99. Slip the Clutch | |
| 47. Wheel & Deal 1-faced | 100. Crossfire | |
| 48. Recycle | 101. All 8 Spin the Top | |
| 49. Slide Thru | 102. Separate | |
| 50. Extend | 103. Dixie Grand | |
| 51. Double Pass Thru | 104. Box the Gnat | |
| 52. Track II | 105. Spin Chain the Gears | |
| 53. Grand Square | 106. Centers In | |

GLOSSARY

1. Bow Partner/Corner
2. Walk By One
3. Don't Stop
4. Pull By
5. Face Right/Left/In/Out
6. RL Thru "Full Turn"
7. On the Third Hand
8. Cast Off 3/4 (Waves/Cot)
9. Men Roll Back (Prom)
10. Shoot the Star Full Turn
11. Split Circulate 11/2
12. Wave Balance
13. Divide

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