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*Who*

*Should*

*Be In The*

*Spotlight*

*Today?*

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# *President's Message*



Hello once again Square Dance Friends.

## **Great News!!!**

Angela and I will be appearing on Channel 7's Arkansas Midday Show on June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2016. We are very excited about this and the opportunity it gives us to promote Square Dancing across the State!! So please tune in! We are hoping that people across the state will contact us so we can get them pointed to the right club. This will also be good for the ASSDF as far as advertising goes; hopefully we will pick up some businesses that would like to place an ad with the Modern Square.

While we are talking about promoting, clubs could also help themselves by scheduling exhibition dances at numerous places. Most businesses are very happy to have us. This time of year is great for this cause everyone is so ready to be outside and doing something. Make sure to take handouts or some type of literature about your club and classes. There are still people out there that are hungry for good clean family fun!! So go feed em!! If anyone needs our help, we are always willing to accommodate, just give us a call!!

The Levis and Lace have 3 or 4 exhibition dances between now and classes in the fall. How many will your club have?

Angela and I would like to give a **VERY** big shout out to all the board members and delegates that came out to the delegates meeting in Conway. What an awesome turn out and participation we had!!

A special note to clubs please contact the Treasurer and see if your yearly dues of \$20 have been paid, as there are several delinquent.

We love all of you!! Keep the advertising coming and as always ...

Hope to see you in our Square Soon☺ *Scott & Angela Blackshear*

*President – 2016*

# **CIRCULATION NOTES**

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# **FROM THE** **EDITOR**



Greetings Everyone!

Have you read the President's Message yet? Square Dance being discussed on TV in Arkansas? **WOW ! ! !** What a great way of promoting our activity! Thank you Scott and Angela!

Now it is up to us to take advantage of this opportunity. Talk to everyone you know. More importantly ... talk to everyone you don't know! Your friends and relatives (should) know that you are a proud Square Dancer and you (should) have already invited them to lessons. It's the people who do not know about the excitement and joy of your activity that we need to present our message to.

New mantra:

## **It's your activity ... PROMOTE IT!**

We have a golden opportunity available on June 30th. Let's not waste it!

On another note ... The Bylaw Review Committee has been very busy. With any luck we may have a proposed set of Bylaws to be voted on at the Fall Festival Delegate's Meeting. We need your input now and your participation (letter to the editor?) and vote at the meeting in October. Ideas? Thoughts? We would love to hear from you.

Whether the rewriting of the Bylaws is complete or not, there will be an amendment to the Bylaws proposed regarding the term limit that is presently imposed on the office of President.

You may not be aware that under the current Bylaws the President is limited to one year in office. That (in my opinion) is barely enough time to get started before that individual must leave. Scott and Angela are doing an outstanding job. Why should we not allow and wish for them to continue for another year? If they want to of course. (If it passes, are you two interested?) Think about it. Old but still good mantra:

## **It is your organization ... PARTICIPATE!**

**REMEMBER**  
Show

IM June 30<sup>th</sup>

Channel 7's Arkansas Midday

*Fred Fisher*

*In*  
*Loving*  
*Memory*

***Dusty Rhoads***

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12-5-1939

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Dusty was a wonderful and much loved person. He was a very talented caller, singer, square dancer, line dancer, and teacher. He was loved and respected by all who knew him.

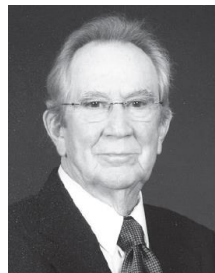
Dusty graduated from square dance class in 1973. He went on to become a caller in 1975. Dusty called for many different clubs including: The River Wranglers (for 13 yrs), The Twirling Teens of Memphis, TN, The Checkerboard Squares of West Memphis, AR, The Circle Up Partners of Memphis, TN & The Teacup Chains of Marked Tree, AR.

Dusty was often a Special Guest Caller for the Pistols 'n' Petticoats of Jonesboro, AR & for many other clubs including those in Brinkley, Blytheville, Harrisburg, Jonesboro, Marked Tree, Paragould, Rector, West Memphis, AR & Memphis, TN. Dusty's last club was The Teacup Chains of Marked Tree. Pistols 'n' Petticoats of Jonesboro was where he did his last guest calling.

Dusty will be missed and remembered by all who knew him. Farewell my dear friend. See you across the Heavenly square someday.

Bonnie Hallett  
Pistols 'n' Petticoats of Jonesboro, AR

*J. K. Fancher*



## Thirty Years Ago

Thirty-one years ago at the fall 1985 Arkansas State Square Dance Federation festival, Lloyd & Haze Wilson (Modern Square Editors) asked the late Bill Lincoln and I if we would like to write a monthly column on an alternating monthly basis beginning January 1986. WE both said yes and agreed that such a feature was needed to add to the general mission of the magazine and to inform dancers of issues that had a direct bearing on our beloved activity.

We were to work in two general areas. I was to address matters that affected Basis, Mainstream and Plus and Bill was to take the topics of Advanced and Round Dancing. We were given permission to write about anything and even editorialize as long as it was written in good taste.

1986 was the high point of what we refer to today as “the good old days of the dance.” Clubs and classes were easy to form. People wanted to square dance. Callers made sure that dancers believed that the more movements a dancer learned ... the better the square dancer. The concepts of APD (all position dancing) and DBD (dance by definition) were everywhere. Unfortunately, some real issues were beginning to take a definite form.

I won the draw and went first addressing the glut of new calls being added to our program. I asked callers to consider taking the good or fractional parts of complex calls to create new choreography.

As an example I offered this: Quote: “Just last month I heard a caller doing a guest tip call something like: “Heads square thru four and make a wave; now each wave spin the top and check a long wave. Now the very center four, take your time, find yourselves. You four spin the top – swing half right, new centers swing three-quarters left and the ends move up. Now the others turn three-quarters and the dancer facing out run around the dancer facing in. And from there he moved the squares back to a parallel ocean wave formation.

Then he called through the sequence again but did not cue the centers spin the top. Instead it

when something like this: “Heads square thru four; spin the top; the very center four spin the top; the others cast three-quarters and the out facing dancer run around the in facer. And then he sighted out to a left allemande or continued to call.

He called thru the sequence a couple of more times and then he very carefully added variety by having the waves or wave, swing thru before the spin the tops. Of course some readers will yell choreographic overflow. But he had themed an entire tip using just that little sequence. He had not taught the dancers anything new. He had danced the dancers through a routine that made the tip have a different feel by using commands that the dancers already knew.

That caller had taken the latest Callerlab mainstream experimental and had used it as a theme for a whole tip. Why bother the dancers with something that they had already danced and enjoyed. That caller knew the dancers were going to enjoy that tip. He had planned that tip and he had canned a good tip. The applause proved it. Dancer enjoyment: It seems like someone has said that – that’s what it is all about” end quote.

In 2016 we recognize that there is DBD galore in that example but it shows that DBD was being danced in 1986, especially at Plus and higher levels. It was a good example that shows we can take key parts of more complex movements and revamp them for new choreography. I will **Callers** ... that’s your teaching exercise for the month.

When Bill died in 2001 the federation president Edna Johnson asked me if I would write monthly until a replacement for Bill could be found. The answer was yes of course. Today I am still filling in every other month for Bill. Edna and I made passionate pleas for several months and had no takers. After a few months it just became a habit for me to write every month. And I just never thought of it again. Until now.

It’s fine with me. I’ve always considered it a way for me to give back. History (in many areas) is one of my intense interests. I enjoy and am comfortable writing and speaking about the tradition and history (and its variants) of our dance. The Morris dance in England in the late 1400s – to France – to the East Coast and then to the West Coast of America (of course with a token stop in Arkansas); the arrival of the modern square movement in Europe and Japan during and after World War II.

Today and I’m sure our editor Fred Fisher will agree, the every-other-month niche left vacant by Bill Lincoln is still open. There must be other writers out there that can present Arkansas Square Dance (and beyond) from a new perspective. We certainly need practical ideas of how to harness social media to work to our advantage.

In 1986, none of us, Lloyd & Hazel Wilson, Bill Lincoln or I had any idea that the venture would endure for any length of time. I never dreaded that I would still be writing the column thirty years later.

In the early years both Bill's articles and mine were geared to the areas that we had been assigned. Later we both would move into areas of history, ideas, philosophies, as well as troubling issues. We never collaborated yet it was uncanny how often we both would address some subject in the same issue.

I miss Bill & Betty. They had a role in Arkansas square dance history that no one can ever fill. The Lincoln's began dancing in the early 1950s. They were a part of the very early square dance history in Arkansas. They developed a well-balanced square dance life. They were proficient in modern square dance as well as traditional square dance, contra and round dance. They were a stabilizing for Arkansas round dancing until Bill's death. They were only one generation later than Lloyd & Dorothy Shaw. Genevieve & I came into the Arkansas dance world in 1965. We personally know Dorothy Shaw.

Next issue I will briefly outline some of the history topics (old and new) that I believe need to be re-visit. It will be the beginning of a series that will run for a year or so.

Dance often and with style!

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## **Before traveling call ahead first!**

A club could cancel a dance at the last minute!

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Also available is **weather.gov** . Click on Arkansas for the latest forecasts, watches, warnings, and advisories.

# WHERE IS THE DANCE TONIGHT?

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	Bella Vista Pine Bluff	Conway Kibler	Hot Springs Village Mountain Home	Charleston Conway Jonesboro Little Rock Hot Springs Village	Little Rock Royal	
<b>2<sup>nd</sup></b>	Bella Vista Pine Bluff	Conway Kibler	Hot Springs Village Mountain Home	Charleston Conway Jonesboro Little Rock Searcy Hot Springs Village	Royal Texarkana Rose Bud	Little Rock
<b>3<sup>rd</sup></b>	Bella Vista Pine Bluff	Conway Kibler	Hot Springs Village Mountain Home	Charleston Conway Jonesboro Little Rock Hot Springs Village	Little Rock	Harrison
<b>4<sup>th</sup></b>	Bella Vista Pine Bluff	Conway Kibler	Hot Springs Village Mountain Home	Charleston Conway Jonesboro Little Rock Searcy Hot Springs Village	Royal Texarkana Rose Bud	Little Rock
<b>5<sup>th</sup></b>	Bella Vista Pine Bluff	Conway Kibler	Hot Springs Village Mountain Home	Charleston Conway Jonesboro Little Rock Searcy Hot Springs Village	Little Rock	Harrison Little Rock



## *"Special Events"*

**JUNE 2016**

**8<sup>th</sup> Twirling Funtimers**

**Start Time – 6:00**

**Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home**

**Roll Your Own Sundaes Dance**

**Caller – “Cherokee” Bill Cochran**

**11<sup>th</sup> Blue Belles & Beaus**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Location – Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson St Judsonia**

**Hawaiian Dance**

**Caller – Phil Moorehouse**

**16<sup>th</sup> Diamond Squares**

**Start Time – 6:30**

**Location – Coronado Center, 150 Ponderosa Lane, Hot Springs Village**

**Trail End Dance Ice Cream Social**

**Caller – Gordon White**

**18<sup>th</sup> Twirling Lariats**

**Start Time – 6:00**

**Location – American Legion Hut, Mann & Leah Road, Mabelvale**

**June Bug Jamboree**

**Caller – Dave Towry**

## JULY 2016

**8th Heber Springers**

**Red White & Blue Dance**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Caller – Ron Wise**

**Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud**

**13<sup>th</sup> Twirling Funtimers**

**Watermelon Splash Dance**

**Start Time – 6:00**

**Caller – James “Jammer” Cochran**

**Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home**

**29th Skokos Promenaders**

**Ken Bower Special**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Caller – Ken Bower**

**Location – Kibler United Methodist Church, 19 E Kibler Hwy, Alma**

## AUGUST 2016

**10<sup>th</sup> Twirling Funtimers**

**“Hot&Dry” Ice Cream Floats Dance**

**Start Time – 6:00**

**Caller - Doug Mallory**

**Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home**

**26th Heber Springers**

**Ice Cream Social**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Caller – Ron Wise**

**Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud**

## SEPTEMBER 2016

**10th Blue Belles & Beaus**

**Pioneer Ho-down Dance**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Caller – Phil Moorehouse**

**Location – Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson St. Judsonia**

**14<sup>th</sup> Twirling Funtimers**

**Autumn Fest Dance**

**Start Time – 6:00**

**Caller – Dave Roush**

**Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home**

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**Where are your special events?**



# OCTOBER 2016

**5<sup>th</sup>** Twirling Funtimers

**Club Anniversary Dance**

**Start Time – 6:00**

**Caller – Pat Christe**

**Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home**

**14<sup>th</sup>  
&  
15<sup>th</sup>**

## ASSDF Fall Festival

**Location – Betty's Big Country Dance Hall  
102 Crystal Palace Dr., Caddo Valley AR**

**21<sup>st</sup>** Heber Springers

**3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Dan Nordby Special**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Caller – Dan Nordby**

**Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud**

**28th** Heber Springers

**Halloween Dance**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Caller – Ron Wise**

**Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud**

# NOVEMBER 2016

**9<sup>th</sup>** Twirling Funtimers

**Red, White & Blue Dance**

**Start Time – 6:00**

**Caller - "Cherokee" Bill Cochran**

**Location – Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home**

**12th** Blue Belles & Beaus

**Military Dance**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Caller – Phil Moorehouse**

**Location – Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson St. Judsonia**

**11th** Heber Springers

**Can Goods Admission Dance**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Caller – Ron Wise**

**Location – Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud**

**25th** Heber Springers

**DARK**

## Book Early for Motels or Hotels

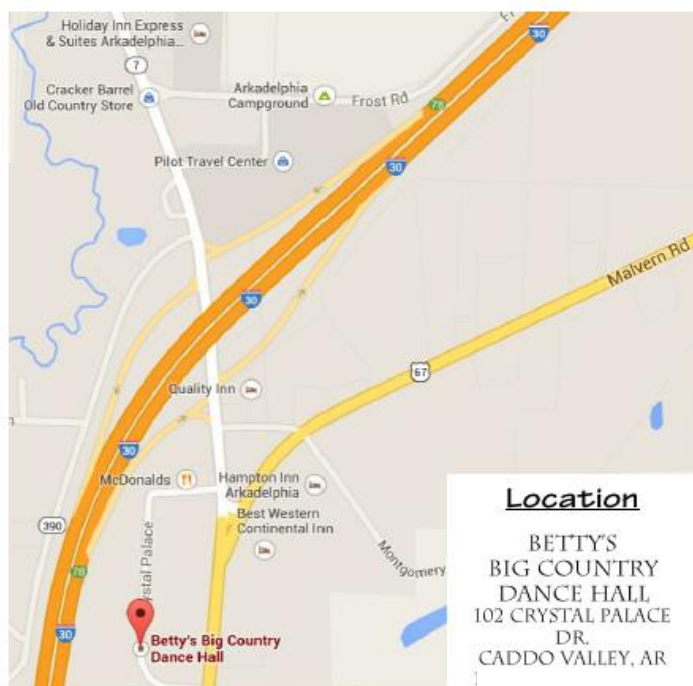
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Most of these are within about one block walking distance of Betty's Country and Western Dance Hall.  
Hampton Inn, Super 8 and Super 6 are also available.

### Eating places - most within one block of Betty's Country and Western Dance Hall

<b>Cracker Barrel</b>	<b>Ta Molly's</b> (Mexican Food)	<b>Wendy's</b>	<b>Subway</b>
<b>Waffle House</b>	<b>Fat Boys</b> (BBQ, Chicken, Fish)	<b>McDonald's</b>	<b>Taco Bell</b>

**Things To Do** - Caddo Valley Flea Market, Flea Market, Caddo Valley River Canoeing, Lake DeGray.  
**Crater of Diamonds State Park** - Hunt for diamonds 45 minutes away.



# 67<sup>th</sup> Fall Festival

October 14 & 15 2016



Mike Bramlett

## Friday

Pre-Rounds 6:30-7:20  
Grand March 7:30

## Squares

& Rounds

7:45



Cathy & Fred Fisher



## Saturday

State Callers & Cuers

Squares - Lines - Rounds  
7:45

MORNING  
&  
AFTERNOON

FUN DANCES  
&  
WORKSHOPS

PRE-ROUNDS  
6:45-7:20

PARADE OF CLUBS  
7:30

Location: BETTY'S BIG COUNTRY DANCE HALL 102 CRYSTAL PALACE DR. CADDO VALLEY, AR

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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***\$20.00 Per Person***

Make Check Payable to  
**ASSDF**

*Flyer Design ~ Fred Fisher*

## NOVEMBER 2016

**9th**   **Heber Springers**

**Christmas Dinner Dance**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Caller – Ron Wise**

**Location –** Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Hwy 36W Rose Bud

**10th**   **Blue Belles & Beaus**

**Christmas Dance**

**Start Time – 7:00**

**Caller – Phil Moorehouse**

**Location –** Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson St. Judsonia

**14<sup>th</sup>**   **Twirling Funtimers**

**Holiday Celebration Party Dance**

**Start Time – 6:00**

**Caller - James “Jammer” Cochran**

**Location –** Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street Mountain Home

**23<sup>rd</sup>**   **Heber Springers**

**DARK**

**31<sup>st</sup>**   **Blue Belles & Beaus**

**Black Light Dance**

**Start Time – 8:00**

**Caller – Phil Moorehouse**

**Location –** Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson St Judsonia

### Order of Listings for Special Events Section

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# **THREE AMIGOS SQUARE DANCE!**



**When:** Saturday, July 16, 2016

**Where:** American Legion Hut  
Mann Road – Mabelvale

**Admission:** 8.00 (single) or \$15.00 (couple)

**Callers:** Phil Moorehouse and Gene Gancarczyk



# Club Reports

## BLUE BELLES & BEAUS

## Judsonia



Can you believe this weather??? Another marvelous May.

Mike and I were in Crawley, Louisiana last week. It rained, or a more descriptive word, **POURED**, with constant lightning and thunder and crazy wind! Some places had 8" of rain in an hour!!!! We had raindrops falling on our heads and **IN** the 5<sup>th</sup> wheel! How do these people do it? Their homes, yards, streets, parks, towns; everything flooded. Lives were lost ... and these are some of the nicest people.

After entering Louisiana I had to go to an urgent care facility. I do not think I have ever come across such caring strangers in my life! They put their arms around me, offered to contact a church, say prayers and give other help. I am talking about the other patients in the waiting room! Maybe we could offer up a little prayer to keep them safe and well, *in the weather*, along with some of our club members that have been *under the weather* lately? Just to mention a few; JoLynn Wilson, Paul Williams,

Royce and Cathy Beesley, Cheryl Shaver, Sharon Pearce and our dear friends Eulas Abott and Charlie Gassaway.

We hope to see you all at our Hawaiian Dance on the 11<sup>th</sup>. We will be dancing on our newly painted floor, thanks to the coordinated efforts of Robert Shaver. Of course, the night will include one of our great potlucks and tea-cup auctions. You might be lucky enough to win one of Tom Dunns fabulous one-of-a-kind wood creations (if he brings one for this auction ... we never know), or a beautifully painted piece of Jo Workman's. We have some very talented people in this club (just sayin). Come see. Dinner starts at 6:30, dance at 7:00.

Our June birthday honorees are: Robert Austin (20<sup>th</sup>) and Jo Workman (29<sup>th</sup>). Happy Birthday guys!!! We love you!!

I've included some pictures of the fun we had at our Anniversary dance; take a look.

Hope to see you in a square soon!!!

*Jeanne Carter*

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## CIRCLE UP SQUARES

Charleston

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## CONWAY ROUNDERS

Conway

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The Conway Rounders would like to thank everyone who attended the first annual Lilly Pad Dance. We enjoyed your company and the spirit of dance fellowship that we all shared!

### **A special thanks to Phil Moorehouse!**

As usual he kept the squares moving to the beat! We were however a bit surprised by Phil's versatility. We all know him as a great caller and entertainer. But ... did you know that he could Round Dance? (*Thank you Phil! I enjoyed having you as a partner! ... Cathy*). Did you see him as part of the newest "Stars" of the ballroom floor?

The combination of Phil and Fred Fisher dancing a waltz was a "special" (hilarious?!?) treat to see. If you're not sure of what I'm talking about then you missed a great dance!

Never fear!! We will do it again next year. Perhaps we can persuade the "couple" to perform for us again? Who knows what craziness will go on next year?



*Cathy Fisher*

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## **DIAMOND SQUARES**

## **Hot Springs Village**

Combine ice cream with square dancing and what do you get? An evening of fun, food and friendship at Diamond Squares' Trail End Dance on Thursday, June 16.

We will be celebrating the success of our new dancers as we wind up our eighth year of dancing and teaching in the Hot Springs area. Gordon is planning some usual and unusual dancing. Squares, lines, contra, Gordon's 'gimmicks;' it will be fun for all, so Y'all come. This will be our final dance of the 2015-2016 season. Dancing will resume in early October. Time and location will be announced in the Modern Square, [Wheresthedance.com](http://Wheresthedance.com), and [DiamondSquares.com](http://DiamondSquares.com).

**Come join us for a fun-filled evening!**

*Sue White*

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## **GUYS 'N DOLLS**

## **Texarkana**

Dear square dancers,

Is it not amazing that times flies by so fast? I just know that all of you are dancing a lot and having a lot of fun. Is it not wonderful that each of you have taken the time and put forth the effort to learn dancing? Is it not nice that you have more to do than watch TV? I always feel as if I have accomplished something when I have attended an evening of dancing. It may have something to do with getting your blood pumping and making that old body useful. It could be that just being around all the dancers makes your life better.

At our last club meeting a surprise was awaiting everyone. The Rosebud community center has been overhauled. A brand new wood floor, with new paint on the wall greeted all. I really like this building. It is large enough for several squares to dance and easy to get too, as well as the price is affordable for our small club. All of you come and visit us and help us enjoy the calling of Ron Wise and try out this new floor.

It was great having Jerry Story and Tim Tyl visit Rose Bud. The dances were well attended. Thanks all of you for supporting our club.

Red, White, and Blue Dance will be July 8 and Kenny Bower will be visiting our club sometime in July.

Good news ... Eulas Abbott is doing better.

Happy Dancing!

*Bob Hall*

Happy Father's Day to all our dads & granddads from Levis & Lace.

The T & T dance hosted by Twirling Lariats was fantastic. The food, square & line dancing was perfect. Thank you to Dave, Tim & Martha, plus all the ones who contributed to making the evening awesome.

We haven't had our Maypole Dance yet, so I will report on that next month. We are scheduled to dance at Amity Trade Days this week & Heritage Nursing Home next week. We have had a lot of invites lately. I

wish we could do all of them. We have a dedicated club, and that sure helps to pull these things together. We are invited to Adair Park & the Farmer's Market, too. So, we are going to try to go to dance for them all.

We will be dark June 10th. VBS is going on at the church. We will not dance the Friday before Memorial Day, either. That is May 27th. Feel free to call ahead anytime to make sure we are dancing.

The Three Amigos Dance will be held July 16th at the Legion Hut in Mabelvale. Gene Gancarczyk & Philip Morehouse are donning their sombreros for another fun dance. It starts at 7:30 & ends at 9:30. Cost is 15.00 a couple or \$8.00 for single tickets. Please come!

June birthdays are Ted Keeney on the 25th & Carolyn Gancarczyk on the 26th. They are expecting a whole lot of yellow rocks, so don't be stingy!

Please come & visit. We promise you a Royal welcome!

*Phyllis Keeney*

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## MAVERICK MIXERS

## Little Rock

This is a GREAT time of year to be dancing! The weather is not HOT-HOT-HOT, but the dancing is!



The Maverick Mixers are still talking about the great dance hosted by the Twirling Lariats on April 29. The T-N-T Dance with Tim Tyl and Dave Towery was a blast. (No pun intended) They served an awesome meal before the dance too. Lasagna and spaghetti! Great job!!

There are some great dances coming up in May. The Lilly Pad dance in Conway will be a little bittersweet. Many of us danced for years at the Toad Suck Daze Dance. We hope the Lilly Pad Dance by the Conway Rounders will have a long legacy too. Several of our dancers will be attending.

Some of the Maverick Mixers are also planning to attend the Maypole Dance on May 13 hosted by the Levis and Lace.

Later in the month would be a good time for the Maverick Mixers to drop in and visit the Heber Springers. Rumor has it that Chuck Hastings will be coming out of retirement for their dance on May 27. I, for one, would LOVE to visit and hear his great calling again.

Not only are we planning to do lots of traveling, we are having FANTASTIC dances at the Legion Hut—the home of the Maverick Mixers. We had four squares at our last April dance. Many thanks to our loyal club members for their faithful support. And an extra special thank you to all of the square dancers from all over the state that visit us regularly too.

Looking forward, we can't wait for the Three Amigos Dance at the Legion Hut in Mabelvale on July 16. We will dance from 7:30 to 9:30. Admission will be \$8.00 per person or \$15 per couple at the door. Please

mark your calendars. We ALWAYS have a great time at this one.

If you are looking for a place to be on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of each month---drop in and visit us at the Legion Hut on Mann Road in Mabelvale. Phil Moorehouse always has something cooked up for workshop at 7:00. Great fun dancing starts at 7:30.



**Mike! Share!**

*Lanita Hammett*

**SKOKOS PROMENADERS****Kibler**

Ken Bower is coming! Ken Bower is coming! (Fri. July 29<sup>th</sup>)

The Skokos Promenaders are alive & kicking! Along with our regular weekly dances in May, we had a Hot Dog Dance, & a Rodeo Dance. Lots of great friends, great dancing, & great food!!! In June, we will dance every Tuesday, except June 7th (Caller & Taw will be out of town). Several couples from our club will be attending the Nationals in Iowa. We are all looking forward to it. The last Tuesday of the month (after the Nationals) will be our Ice Cream Sundae Dance. With a large assortment of toppings, & great imaginations, there's no telling what kind of treats our dancers will come up with.

July 29th (Friday) will be a VERY SPECIAL DANCE ! Ken Bower will be calling from 7 until 9:30. If you've never had the pleasure of dancing to Ken, do yourself a favor & check him out. He has one of the best voices in the business & we are thrilled he will be calling for us once more at our usual dance hall, Kibler Methodist Church 19 E. Kibler Hwy (also called Hwy 162), in Kibler, Arkansas (between Van Buren & Alma). Dancing mainstream, & plus, with a few rounds & line dances thrown in for good measure. And of course there will be a plethora of yummy food.

Check out our Facebook Page" Square Dancing with Jay King ". Many of our dancers are on FB, & this is a great way to remind them of upcoming events, & also to post the pictures I take at the dances. We love visitors & hope to see you in a square sometime soon!

Save the Date (Friday, July 29, 2016) KEN BOWER is coming !!!!

*Jody King*

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**STAR DUSTERS****Harrison**

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Hello--my friends in Square dance Land,

Summer is upon us--are you ready to dance in cut-offs? Sounds good to me! When you work up a sweat, you'd wish for MORE air conditioning, because the caller will keep you going on fast-forward.

Our club is trying to survive, along with some others, also. We want and need you to come dance with us FREE-FREE-FREE! Most of the clubs are now charging all visitors to dance. We need people! We still have 3 students and they are doing great! But, we sure could use more square dancers to help. Remember, we have a Great caller. Call before you come in case we have to cancel!

We had an excellent May 7, Delegates Meeting with a WHOLE lot of discussion which was great! I'll probably be called the "Question Lady". I had saved all of my notes and brought a lot of unfinished business to the table which HAD to be discussed. We DID VOTE to put a summary of the meetings in the Modern Square so that everyone in the state will know what's happening in the ASSDF. We have an excellent board of directors and an excellent President! We have your interests at heart and we try to keep our minds on the future, also. We had great delegates to give us ideas on our issues we were discussing. Thank you, delegates for coming and being part of our Square Dance Meeting! (I was afraid that they were going to usher me out if I didn't quit asking questions! Fred was going to meet me outside the door, also) Ha!

Love ya'll!

*Roana*

This report starts with an apology to Aloise Medlock. I erroneously wrote "Eloise Taylor" in last month's report. With friends inside and outside of square dancing with similar names, it's easy to get them confused. On another note our thoughts and prayers go out to caller Joey Duhamel. He lost his Dad in late April and just days later; his home was set ablaze by a lightning strike. Thankfully, he and the family are OK.

Four dancers share the June birthday yellowrocks...Ginny Short, Nick



Walsh, Ralph Kees, and Kathy Tankersly.

Future caller Carolyn Birdsong did an all singing calls dance while our own Ron Wise was returning from a recent dance in Mountain Home. Not to detract from Ron's calling (he really does put us through our paces), but the slower pace was good for those of us who can't move around as fast as we used to!! Carolyn brought out 2 classic line dances between tips ("Shut Up Your Face", and "The Macarena"). Awhile back, she also did "Hot Buttered Popcorn", and usually has "The Electric Slide" and "The Funky Cowboy" as line dances between tips.

Speaking of special dances, make your reservations **PROMPTLY** for the ASSDF Fall Festival. Hotel rooms are guaranteed to fill up fast!!



The **United Square Dancers Of America** plans to award our own Dorothy Pumphrey with a *Centennial Certificate* when she reaches 100. She's still dancing at 97 years young, and loves the Plus calls.

Several members were planning to attend the Lily Pad Dance in Conway. A report on that dance has to wait until next month.

Charles and Pat Veregge of the Twirling Lariat as well as Roger and Lueen Skipper and Kathy Tankersly from the Heber Springers have been regular visitors. Richard Hill is back dancing with us again as well!

It's summertime and the yellowrocks are easy and plentiful. We invite you to join us each Thursday at The Centre at University Park in Little Rock where Ron Wise guarantees to get rid of the summertime blues.

*Daryl Stout*

## TWIRLING LARIATS

Little Rock

Happy Father's Day to all you Daddies out there!

I'm sorry I forgot to wish all the Moms Happy Mother's Day last month. My own beloved parents are a couple of the stars you see in the sky at night.

We got June babies coming out of our ears: Betty Ann Harris (1st), Ginny Short (13th), Paul Backstrom (16th), Lyle Melton (24th), Pat Rucker (24th), Charles Rucker (26th), Vaughn Treadway (29th) & Ralph Kees (29th). It might wear you out but they all deserve yellow rocks!

Anniversary yellow rocks to Sam & Pat Sample (1<sup>st</sup>), Lyle & Taffy Melton (11<sup>th</sup>), Eddie & Mary Smith (14<sup>th</sup>) & Bill & Lucy Lehman (17<sup>th</sup>)

*Twirling Lariats* host some very special dances. One favorite is the June Bug Jamboree on the 18th. Dinner starts at 6:00 featuring Carolyn Cullins' special barbeque (mmmm!). We'll start dancing our little feet off to Dave Towry at 7:30. Between tips, we will line dance to Martha Wyre! It's always a great dance! See our ad in this issue!



Not only are Dave Towry & Tim Tyl great callers, they are great showmen! We danced and danced and laughed too! The meal was fantastic too! Even with the rain outside, it was dry inside and an all-around wonderful evening. Dave also announced the T-N-T Dance will be an annual dance so we'll get to do it all again next year!. Awesome!

Classes are going great on Monday nights, 7:30 to 9:30. You know you're bored on Monday

nights with no MNF! Come and be an angel!



As most of you know, I received my Caller license and have called tips for several clubs and full dances for the *Maverick Mixers* and *Sixty Swingers*. I only do singing calls since I haven't learned how to do patter! Well, that might change soon. I am attending the 65th National Square Dance Convention in Des Moines, Iowa the 3rd week of this month and they will have CallerLab Monday through Wednesday. Wish me luck! I really appreciate all the encouragement I have received from everyone!

We will be dark the 17th but will dance the 3rd and our June Bug Jamboree on the 18th. Hope to see you across the table eating barbeque!

*Carolyn Birdsong*

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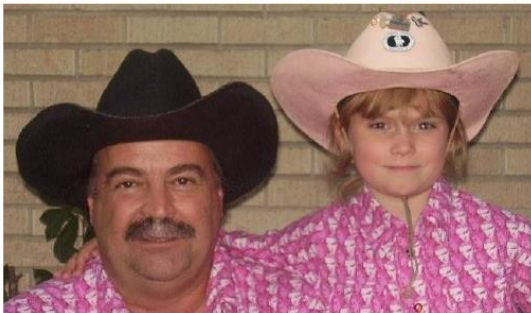
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O	Open to couples & singles	A	Advanced
		2-6	Round Dance Phases

### BELLA VISTA

**Kingsdale Squares**      S-M/P      Mondays      7:00p.m.  
 Riordan Hall, 2 Riordan Drive

**Contact** – Bill Allen      **Caller** - John Eubanks  
 33 Newquay La., Bella Vista, AR, 72714 (479) 876-5066

### CHARLESTON

**Circle Up Squares**      S-M/P      Thursdays      6:30p.m.  
 Hug Chevrolet, 407 East Main

**Contact** - Patsy Burris      **Caller** - Danny Burris  
 19408 US Highway 271, Spiro, OK 74959 (479) 462-2317

## CONWAY

**ConwayRounders** R-2/3/4 Lessons \_\_\_\_ Thursdays 6:30p.m.  
Club Level\_ Thursdays 7:30p.m.  
Salem United Methodist Church, 1018 Salem Rd.  
**Contact -** (501) 428-9026 **Cuer - Cathy and Fred Fisher**  
47 Hays Hill Rd., Conway, AR, 72032 conwayrounds@yahoo.com  
ConwayRounds.com

## HARRISON

**Stardusters** S-M CALL FIRST Sundays 4:00p.m.  
First Presbyterian Church, Capps Rd. & Arbor Dr.  
**Contact -** (870) 741-6345 **Caller - J.K. Fancher**  
407 Skyline Drive, Harrison, AR, 72601

## HOT SPRINGS VILLAGE

**Diamond Squares** O\_S-M Thursday 6:30p.m.  
(dancing September through June)  
Coronado Center Room 6  
**Contact –** Susan White **Caller - Gordon White**  
6 Perfecto Place, Hot Springs Village, AR 71909 (501) 922-0803

**Village A-Team** S-A1/A2 Wednesdays 7:30p.m.  
Coronado Center  
**Conatact -** Fran Bazemore **Caller - Dave Towry**  
9 Celanova Ln, Hot Springs Village, AR 71909  
franbazemore69@gmail.com (501) 922-1287

## JONESBORO

**Pistols & Petticoats** O\_S-M/P Thursdays 7:00p.m.  
St. Paul United Methodist Church, 2201 South Culberhouse  
**Conatact -** Bonnie Hallett **Caller – Boyce Brownbarville**  
1613 Alonzo St., Jonesboro, AR 72401 (870) 932-7740

## Judsonia

**Blue Belles & Beaus** O\_S-M/P      Thursdays      7:00p.m.

Judsonia Community Center, 601 Judson Street

**Contact** - Robert & Cheryl Shaver      **Caller** - **Phillip Moorehouse**  
146 Opie Road, Bald Knob, AR 72010      (501) 724-3930

## KIBLER

**Skokos Promenaders**      S-M/P      Tuesdays      7:00p.m.

Kibler United Methodist Church, 19 E Kibler Hwy, Alma

**Contact** - (479) 474-8500      **Caller** - **Jay King**  
1402 North 12<sup>th</sup> Street, Van Buren, AR 72956

## LITTLE ROCK

**Maverick Mixers**      S\_L\_O      2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Saturdays      7:00p.m.

American Legion Building, Mann Road & Leah Lane, Mabelvale

**Contact** – Harry Atchley      **Caller** – **Phil Moorehouse**  
8711 Taliaferro Rd., Mabelvale, Ark 72103      (501) 813-5871

**Sixties Swingers**      S-M/P      Thursdays      2:00p.m

The Centre At University Park

6401 West 12<sup>th</sup> Street

**Contact** – Ginny & Jerry Short (501) 888-8013      **Caller** – **Ron Wise**  
618 East Woodson Lateral Road, Hensley, AR 72065

**Twirling Lariats**      O\_L\_S-M/P      1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, & 5<sup>th</sup> Friday      6:30p..m.

Mabelvale Legion Hut, Mann Road & Leah Lane, Mabelvale

**Contact** - Clifton Taylor & Carolyn Cullins      **Caller** - **Dave Towry**  
9027 Hwy 5 North, Alexander, AR 72002      (501) 847-2157

## MOUNTAIN HOME

**Twirling Funtimers**      S-P\_R      Wednesdays      6:00p.m.

Van Matre Senior Center, 1101 Spring Street

**Contact** - Craig & Karen Grothaus      **Caller** – **Pat Christe**  
39 Crestview Road, Mountain Home, AR 72653 (870) 424-2957

## PINE BLUFF

**Star Steppers**      S-M      Mondays      7:00 - 9:00p.m.  
Central Presbyterian Church, 6300 Trinity Drive  
**Contact** - Bill and Roana Petrie      **Caller** - **Phil Moorehouse**  
3114 Donaldson Rd., Pine Bluff, AR, 71602 870-247-2698  
Earl & Lynn Milroy (870) 879-1608

## ROSE BUD

**Heber Springers**      O\_S-M/P      2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays      7:00p.m.  
Rose Bud Community Center, 5916 Highway 36W  
**Contact** - Theresa Holley (501) 592-2600      **Caller** - **Ron Wise**  
390 Woodvine Trail, Higden, AR 72067 or Bob Hall (501) 250-5170

## ROYAL

(Hot Springs area)

**Levis & Lace**      S-M/P      1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, & 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays      7:30p.m.  
First Baptist Church, 7402 Albert Pike  
**Contact** - Ted & Phyllis Keeney      **Caller** - **Gene Gancarczyk**  
1807 Nubbin Ridge Road, Royal, AR 71968 (501) 991-3292

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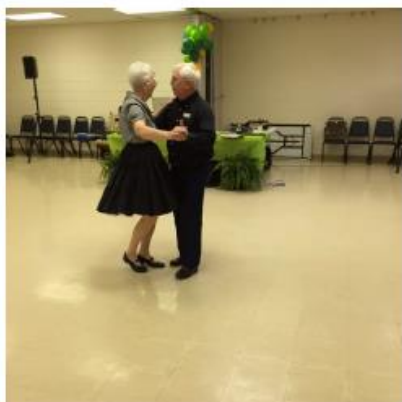


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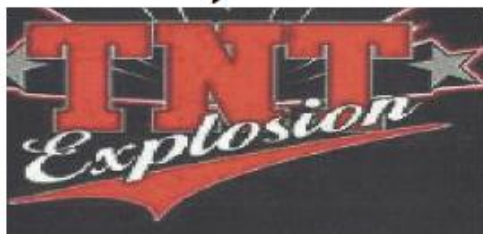




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