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Kuntry Kuzzins	Richard & Joris McCartney 125 Lincoln Road Newark, NY 14513 (315) 331-4402	Jan	Wayne Westerners	Ken & Mille Dayton Circle Drive Williamson, NY 14589 (315) 589-2126	Jan
Lima Grand Squares	Tom & Betty Beard 1823 Harrison Ave. Lima, NY 14485 582-2031	Jan	Web Spinners	Andy & Mary Kay Tanghe 555 Holt Road Webster, NY 14580 872-4668	May
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**Editor's
Note:**



WELCOME - NEW CORRESPONDENTS

Glad to have you with us --- It's important that you check this column each month....there are often special notes and reminders that will be helpful to you. For openers:

1. Columns are due on the 10th of the month preceeding the next issue.
2. No reference to lotteries (for whatever good cause) is permitted by postal regulations.
3. Schedule and column should be typed if possible, and submitted on separate sheets of paper.
4. Correspondence relating to copy and advertising goes to Willers; correspondence relating to subscriptions and mailing goes to Frosts.

A few clubs still have not submitted pictures, copies, or drawings of their club badges. We'd like to include all of these with the club columns. Please help us.



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SPECIAL EVENTS CALENDAR

This special calendar of events is a project of the Rochester Area Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs. It's purpose is to aid area clubs in planning their activities and to avoid the conflict of big events on the same dates.

Dates already booked for special events
(National Callers, etc.)

<u>1977</u>	<u>1978</u>
Feb. - 3,5,26	Mar. - 7
Mar. - 1,5,14,17,26	Apr. - 21
Apr. - 21,23,30	May - 5
May - 7 (DOR)	
Sep. - 10,20	
Oct. - 22	
Nov. - 12,16,18,29	

For further information, call NEIL & JEAN STEWART
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Next Federation Meeting --

Feb. 16 Wed.

*8:00 p.m. at the Unitarian Universalist Church
Corner S. Clinton and Court Streets
Rochester, NY

CORNER



Here it is February already and spring is just around the corner. The coming of spring means that our Federation dance, the D.O.R. is not far behind.

And our D.O.R. committee has been making plans to insure a good time for everyone at the big dance in May. Of course, we're looking forward to seeing all of you there. Your participation is important.

We welcome the PIONEER SQUARE DANCE CLUB as new members of the Federation. They dance at the East Rochester First Presbyterian Church and we're sure they will welcome visiting dancers.

Congratulations to all new officers of the square dance clubs and welcome to any newly elected Federation representatives. Please help our secretary keep her mailing list up to date by notifying her of any changes.

Enjoy the fun and friendship of square dancing.

Lon & Mary



AND HERE'S THE ROUND OF THE MONTH!

Round of the month selections for February are:

FOUR WALLS - RCA Gold Standard #4470413

GYPSY FEET - RCA #4470908

For information call Sylvia Copeland at 247-3383

Next meeting - February 7, 2-5 p.m.



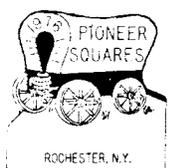
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Callers Jon & Sue McNally



Where are we now? The holidays are over and the presents all exchanged. Even the bargains on last year's X-mas cards are gone. Now is the time that memories of sugar plums, turkeys, and egg noggs are coming to life on the bathroom scale.

I thought that I had come thru the holiday food storm fairly well, until my Taw (in white man's language-- wife) said, "Why is it necessary for me to take four extra steps every time we Do Sa Do?" Well, I can take a hint. So I'm going to lose some weight. How? I hate to cut down on my five meals a day sooooo I guess it will have to be by exercise, and by the most enjoyable of exercises, square dancing.

I went to a nutritionist, a Dr. Lotta Crisco, for information on calories versus exercise. She sent me to a specialist, a Dr. Ima Quack. He wrote that very popular book "How to Lose Weight Through Surgery." Soooo after forty dollars later, I found the answers in the library. I broke down the amounts and converted the calories used into movements. Maybe you too can use the following table.

Calorie Burning Table

Allemande Left	burns up.....10 calories
Half Sashay.....	15 cal.
Whole Sashay.....	30 cal.
Star Thru.....	5 cal.
Allemande Thar to a Star.....	20 cal.
	30 (if you wound up off center)
Ocean Wave.....	25 cal. (if your partner rocks with you)
	40 (if they rock against you)
Tea Cup Chain.....	50 cal. for Taws
	1/2 cal. for Paws
Ahsoo.....	10 cal. (40 if you do Ferris wheel instead)
Quetch (Yellow Rock).....	5 cal. (double hug..7 1/2)

Each Goof is 15 calories but remember while you are standing you are not losing, soooo jump up and down while you are waiting. Who knows maybe the Caller will call "Jump up and down." Ask your caller to call high calorie figures to reduce your figures. "Feel Off", "Cast Off", anything to get it off.

During a complete night of dancing you may burn up about 800 calories but after the dance.....
A "Coffee and" after party is about 500 cal. replaced.
A "Foam and Bubbles" after party equals 790 replaced.

Add it all up and see how you make out.....as for myself, I can see a loss of 10 calories a week. At this rate I'll be like Twiggy in...oh..1998.

Thanks anyway,
Hal Abberger

EXPERIMENTAL WORKSHOP CALLS OF THE MONTH

December: TOUCH 1/4 (or 3/4) THRU
from News 'N Notes, 11/76

any facing dancers - Touch 1/4 or 3/4 as designated, then those with adjacent LEFT hands trade. Results in an ocean wave. LEFT TOUCH 1/4 or 3/4 THRU would begin with Left Touch 1/4, then those with adjacent RIGHT hands would trade.

January: TOUCH THE BOAT
by Reath Blickenderfer, Massillon, OH 10/76

Begins like Load the Boat. From any facing lines of 4, centers pass thru, quarter out, partner trade and touch 1/4. Ends pass thru, move on to the next and touch 3/4. Results in columns.

THE STORY OF SNOOPY

Once upon a time, 1972 in fact, in a Canadian Town called BROCKVILLE, ONTARIO, there was born a black and white, long eared, bright eyed, droopy tailed, fuzzy little Beagle who became very hung up on performing rhythmic movements in an equilateral rectangle.

SNOOPY, as he was christened, soon decided to see for himself all the wonderful people who make SQUARE DANCING what it is. Leaving the club of his birth, the SWINGING SAINTS in Brockville, he started his journey. Soon he was known and loved in places all over, from BELLS CORNERS to OTTAWA, ALTAMONT and CASTLETOWN to KIRCHNESS CORNER and LONDON. His journey took him south to places like SYRACUSE, NAPLES, FAIRPORT, and now LIMA.

Snoopy was born to WHEEL AND DEAL; not STOP or SLOW DOWN as he CIRCULATES from town to town. He asks that YOUR CLUB help him to SASHAY and CROSS-TRAIL THRU many a GRAND SQUARE. Many clubs have CAST OFF a badge and glued it to his house as he PROMENADES INDIAN STYLE.

So, we at LIMA, while we hate to see him leave, know SOME CLUB with a kind heart will COME GET SNOOPY and HELP him in his journey, placing their club badge on his house along with the dozens of others which tell of his journey. THEREFORE, an OPEN INVITATION is hereby extended to ONE AND ALL to come see the "HEAD BEAGLE." He is looking for a friendly square he can come home with to VISIT.

LIMA GRAND SQUARES

Cliff & Diane Gollus

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SNOOPY & FRIENDS

O. K.

.....If you like you can wear your blue Jeans or Western skirts, and old blouses, but one stipulation -- please leave your guns at home. Don Wacenske and Dick Lauer were heard to say, come to the dance this year for FUN FUN FUN (secret) callers and the bad men of the West are not going to shave, including our Sheriffs. Of course all of this will not be fun and laughter unless you are at the M.D. Dance April 23rd at Churchville-Chili High School. George Germeroth and Ed Sulewski watch out for them, as they have some cards up their sleeves, both are working in the Casino, with their helpers, waiting to do whatever they can to help you with your tickets, and explain anything you wish to know. Shirley Shaw will be getting in touch with you for club co-ordinators. When your President contacts you, or Shirley calls you, remember this is your chance and your contribution toward this Benefit Dance is needed to make it a complete success.

Committee of M. D. Dance

COUNTRY MUSIC FANS ---

The GENESEE VALLEY CHAPTER of the NATIONAL SUDDEN INFANT DEATH SYNDROME FOUNDATION will be holding Rochester's Best Country & Western Jamboree at the Dome Arena on March 13, 1977. The big event will start at 4:00 till 10:00 p.m. at a tax deductible ticket price of \$5.50 per person.

Coming in from NASHVILLE will be Sunday Sharpe, Pinnie Mearl, and Ray Pillow. The Don & Tony Show will host the Jamboree and local talent such as Cliff Jacobs and the Memphis Sounds, The Frank Hill Show, The Blue Ridge Country Ramblers, and Sally Bishop and the Band of Gold will be there.

Tickets can be obtained by calling Dave Fonce (Chairman), 621-4899; Kathi Horch, 277-5763; or Arlene Clifton, 225-4652.

All proceeds will be used by the Genesee Valley Chapter for funding a research project in Rochester.

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DANCE-O-RAMA GRAM



DANCE-O-RAMA '77
NEWSLETTER #1

1977 Theme: DANCE AROUND THE WORLD

As the wintry weather is showing us its worst, it may seem surprising to call your attention to our annual May dance ---- RAFWRSC'S* 19th Annual DANCE-O-RAMA but the big event is just three months away. Saturday, MAY 7, 1977 is the day and the Brockport Campus is the place....our third year in the same fine facilities! Plans for the day are well under way with many people already at work under the chairmanship of John & Daphne Fink. However, more workers are needed and certainly welcome! If you'd like to be in the midst of it all this year, let your club's Federation representatives know of your interest so that the best spot can be found for you. Next month, in this newsletter, we'll print a complete list of those persons carrying responsibility for the various facets of DANCE-O-RAMA activity.

This year we will be again fortunate to have outstanding callers for round and square dancing, and you'll be glad to hear we've been able to respond to requests for more levels of dancing; we'll have four levels in four square dance halls, as well as one hall dedicated exclusively to round dancing. There will be five national callers this year (one more than last year) and one round dance cueing couple -- Carl & Pat Smith of Ohio. On the squares we'll have: Dewey Barry and Gary Brown, both of Ohio; Bob Gambell of Massachusetts, Ross Howell of New York, and Ron Schneider of Florida. More about the callers in the next newsletter.

NOV is the time for all you well-organized and/or forward-looking people to send in your money for the most savings on your DANCE-O-RAMA tickets. The PRE-ADVANCE ticket sale, which continues until FEB. 28, allows you considerable savings over the at-the-door admission fee. Send \$3.50 per person for each ticket to FRANK SALVAGIO, 37 PARK CIRCLE DRIVE, FAIRPORT, NY, 14450 before the Feb. 28th deadline. (Note: this price is the same for all day as the half-day ticket will be later on, during the club ticket sales).

* RAFWRSC = Rochester Area Federation of Western Round and Square Dance Clubs

In March and April, tickets will be available at your club for \$4.00 per person (\$3.50 half-day). On the day of the dance, tickets will be \$4.75 per person (\$3.75 half-day). TEENS will be admitted for \$3.00 each; ticket price the same in advance as at the door.

This year we would like to publicize the fine dinner available at Brockport for those who would like a good meal in pleasant surroundings without the hassle of going off campus. It will be a roast beef dinner at \$5.00 per person (tax and tip included in that price). Advance tickets are necessary for the dinner; get these from Frank Salvagio with your "pre-advance sale" ticket, or at your club when the regular tickets are being sold.

It is fitting to close this newsletter with the announcement of the winners of the contest to design the logo for DANCE-O-RAMA '77: DANCE AROUND THE WORLD. FIRST PRIZE (two tickets to Dance-O-Rama) goes to Florence Frost of Copy Cats and MKC-O Squares, and to Chuck Frister of Callers' Co-op. Congratulations, Florence and Chuck....we'll be watching for your winning design on all future DANCE-O-RAMA materials! SECOND PRIZE (a jewelry box) goes to Millie Scott of Irondequoit Squares and Genesee Dancers. HONORABLE MENTION goes to Tim Craig, Paul Frost, Sally Elmore, and Norm Rosenburgh. Thank you all for your fine entries!

See you on this page next month with more news about DANCE-O-RAMA '77.

Eileen Howard
Village Squares

Rochester Area Federation Dance-o-rama

STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE AT BROCKPORT



MAY 7



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The Rochester Area Federation

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DANCE-O-RAMA

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MAY 7, 1977

12:30 p.m. until midnight

DANCE AROUND THE WORLD

5 NATIONAL CALLERS

**NATIONAL ROUND
DANCE LEADER**

CARL & PAT SMITH
Ohio

DEWEY BERRY — Ohio
GARY BROWN — Ohio
BOB GAMBELL — Mass.
ROSS HOWELL — N.Y.
RON SCHNEIDER — Fla.

5 DANCE HALLS

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ROUND

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Dance-O-Rama Caller Profile



**BOB GAMBELL
MASSACHUSETTS**

Bob first began calling about nine years ago, in 1967. Since his first endeavor, square dance calling has developed into a consuming career for which he recently gave up his regular profession as an Architectural Engineer. He now devotes all of his ener-

gies to the fantastic square dance activity.

Each year Bob teaches two large classes (Mon. & Tues.) which usually yield 20-30 squares of new dancers. Recently he has instituted a new program with one of the classes whereby they have a I.H.D. workshop which continues through the summer. All involved have found the program to be extremely successful, and especially valuable in retaining new dancers for the next season's program.

The "Bobcats" meet every Wednesday night. This advanced group dances according to the Square Dance

Systems "Level 4", which roughly corresponds to the hundred basic challenge list. Thursdays are booked with two local clubs which run Mainstream and Mainstream Plus workshops.

Fridays and Saturdays are reserved for travel all over the Northeast Region as well as for weekends, festivals, etc. Sundays are twofold, callers' meetings or an occasional basic challenge group in the afternoon, then an advanced workshop program on Sunday evenings to prepare Mainstream dancers to enter the "Bobcats" the next season.

Summers are no longer an inactive season for the square dance caller as they used to be. Along with summer workshops and advanced dancing, Bob is now involved in several "camp and dance" weekly vacations as well as a Callers' School. Callers Al Brundage and Earl Johnston have added Bob to the teaching staff. All look forward to this wonderful opportunity to introduce new talent to the exciting field of square dance calling.

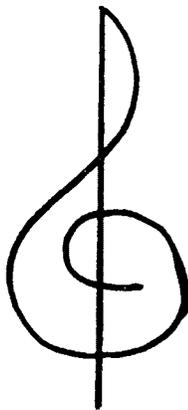
(All this comes to us by courtesy of one who should really know - Bob's "Taw", Davey Gambell)

HAPPY NOTES

50-75 Basics -- Very Relaxed Dancing

MIKE CALLAHAN calling

February 2	April 20
February 16	May 4
March 2	May 18
March 16	June 1
April 6	June 15



8 - 10:30 p.m.

Covenant United Methodist Church
1124 Cuiver Road (corner of Parsells)
For more information call 392-3807

Non-Federation Notes

WHEEL-A-ROUNDS club dance Mondays at the Stardust Room with BETTY WOLCOTT. Early teach oldies 7:00; Club 7:30 to 9:30. For information, call Incardones 225-6133

EXPERIMENTAL WORKSHOP with JERRY CARMEN. Dance the latest calls. Sunday, Feb. 6. 7:30-10 p.m. at the Hamlin VFW, Rt. 19, Hamlin, NY.

HALF-WAY DANCE with RON FOICH calling---Sat., March 5, 1977, 8 - 11 p.m. Sponsored by the United Methodist Church at North Chili; westside Drive and Buffalo Road. \$3.50 per couple. All class members, Club members, and non-dancers welcome. For info, call George & Karen Miles at 594-9545.

JACK OF HEARTS Post-Valentine Dance, Wed., Feb. 23rd, 8-10:30. Southlawn School, Rawlinson Ave. (Off Seneca Ave.) in W. Irondequoit. Sample some advanced figures and A.P.C. (all-position concept) dancing with the creative ROSS HOWELL calling. Welcome to all experienced club level dancers who wish to increase their skill and work with a friendly group of dancers who wish to share their delight in this next level of square dancing. More workshops will follow. Call 271-3258 or 671-6311 for further information.

ROUND DANCE with the TWISTY VIBERS, Tuesdays at the First Presbyterian Church in Caledonia, with BERNIE & RITA HAYWARD. For information, call 538-4954



LET'S GO DANCING!!



FEDERATION SQUARE DANCES

FEBRUARY 1977

1 Tue	Triggers Tecumseh Squares	Myron Huss Bruce Shaw	Parkland School, 1010 English Road Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00 R# 8:00 +
2 Wed	Singing Squares Which Way Whirlers Rainbow Squares	Al Howe Bruce Shaw Ken Boss	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Pavilion Central School Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave.	8:00 8:00 8:00
3 Thu	Genesee Dancers Wayne Westerners	Bill Peterson Harold Pierce	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport Marion Elem. School	8:00 R 8:00
4 Fri	Boots 'n Slippers Lima Grand Squares EKC-O Squares Promenading B's WYCO Promenaders	Mike Callahan Bruce Shaw Art Harris Ron Fotch Jerry Carmen	Merton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Lima Town Hall Kodak Elmgrove Plant, 901 Elmgrove Road Byron-Bergen Elem. School, Bergen Warsaw Elem. School, Warsaw	8:30 X 8:30 8:00 R 8:30 8:00
5 Sat	Batavia Twirlers Swinging BB Swingin' Eights Kuntry Kuzzins	Larry Dunn Bob Brunshidle Bruce Shaw Mike Callahan/Debbie Wilkinson	John Kennedy School, Vine St., Batavia Town Line School, Spencerport Hosea Rogers School, 219 Northfield Road Kelly School, Newark	8:00 RW 8:00 8:30 X& 8:00
6 Sun	Cloverleaf Squares	Mike Callahan	Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave.	8:00
7 Mon	Swinging Singles Merry Mixers Belles & Beaus Glass Slippers Village Squares	Jerry Carmen No Dance Art Harris Ron Fotch Dick Casper	St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester Holmes Road School Campus School, Brockport First United Methodist Church, Fairport	8:00 R# 8:00 X 8:30 W# 8:00 RW
8 Tue	Triggers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road	8:00 RW
9 Wed	Singing Squares Rainbow Squares	Mike Callahan Ken Boss	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave.	8:00 8:00
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12 Sat	Country Twirlers Copy Cats Henrietta Friendship Sqs. Irondequoit Squares Kuntry Kuzzins	Jim McQuade Chuck Frister Ben McGilvery Bill Wilcox Bruce Shaw	Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Bay View YMCA, Bay Road, Webster Pinnacle Luth. Church, 275 Pinnacle Road Laurelton School, Helendale Rd., Rochester Kelly School, Newark	8:00 V#& 8:00 V 8:00 8:00 Ø 8:00
13 Sun	Cloverleaf Squares	Guest Caller	Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave.	8:00 VØ
14 Mon	Singing Squares Belles & Beaus Glass Slippers Swinging Singles Village Squares Merry Mixers	Elwood Johnson Art Harris Ron Fotch Jerry Carmen Dick Casper Stan Levandowski	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Holy Cross, 4488 Lake Ave. Campus School, Brockport St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester First United Methodist Church, Fairport Seneca Methodist, 121 Scholfield Road	8:00 V= 8:00 X 8:30 J 8:00 R# 8:00R#VF 8:00 R
15 Tue	Triggers Tecumseh Squares	Myron Huss Bruce Shaw	Aldersgate Church, 4115 Dewey Ave. Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00 RW 8:00 +V
16 Wed	Rainbow Squares	Ken Boss	Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave.	8:00 Vb
17 Thu	Wayne Westerners Genesee Dancers	Harold Pierce Mike Callahan	Marion Elem. School, Marion Green Lantern Inn, Fairport	8:00 V 8:30 X
18 Fri	Country Twirlers EKC-O Squares Boots 'n Slippers Promenading B's WYCO Promenaders Lima Grand Squares	Jim McQuade Dick Schweitzer Mike Callahan Ron Fotch Chip Kellogg Dick Casper	Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Kodak Elmgrove Plant, 901 Elmgrove Rd. Holy Cross School, Charlotte Byron-Bergen Elem. School, Bergen Warsaw Elem. School, Warsaw Lima Town Hall	8:00 & 8:00 R 8:30 X 8:30 8:30 R 8:30
19 Sat	Batavia Twirlers Swingin' Eights	Larry Dunn Bruce Shaw	YMCA, 209 East Main St., Batavia Hosea Rogers Middle School, 219 Northfield	8:00 RW 8:30 X&
20 Sun	Cloverleaf Squares	Mike Callahan	Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave., Chili Ctr.	8:00

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21 Mon	Belles & Beaus Glass Slippers Swinging Singles Village Squares Merry Mixers	Joe Reilly Ron Fotch Jerry Carmen Dick Casper Ben McGilvery	Holmes Road School Campus School, Brockport St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester First United Methodist Church, Fairport Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Road	8:00 8:30 8:00 R& 8:00 RW 8:00 R
22 Tue	Triggers	Myron Huss	Parkland School, 1010 English Road	8:00 RWM
23 Wed	Singing Squares Rainbow Squares	Mike Callahan Ken Boss	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road Harper Park Rec. Hall, 702 Linden Ave.	8:00 8:00
24 Thu	Wayne Westerners Genesee Dancers	School Closed -- No dance Mike Callahan	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport	8:30 X
25 Fri	EKC-O Squares Swinging BB Rochester Rollaways Promenading B's Friendship Sqs. of Geneva Lima Grand Squares	Ken Anderson Bob Brunshidle Norm Poisson Ron Fotch Don Fratt Dick Casper	Kodak Elmgrove Plant, 901 Elmgrove Road Town Line Road, Spencerport Oakview School, Irondequoit Byron-Bergen Elem. School, Bergen Carter Road Firehouse, Geneva Lima Town Hall	8:00 RNW 8:00 8:30 # 8:30 8:00 8:30
26 Sat	Country Twirlers Copy Cats Henrietta Friendship Sqs. Irondequoit Squares Kuntry Kuzzins	Jim McQuade Mike Callahan Ben McGilvery Mo Howard ? ?	Washington Irving School, 2400 Chili Ave. Bay View YMCA, Bay Road, Webster Roth High School, East Henrietta Road, Henr. Laurelton School, Helendale Road, Roch Kelly School, Newark	8:00 & 8:00 8:00 @ 8:00 8:00
27 Sun	Cloverleaf Squares	Mike Callahan	Chili Town Hall, 3235 Chili Ave, Chili Ctr.	8:00
28 Mon	Belles & Beaus Glass Slippers Swinging Singles Village Squares Merry Mixers	Art Harris Ron Fotch Jerry Carmen Dick Casper Ben McGilvery	Holmes Road School Campus School, Brockport St. Nicholas Hall, East Rochester First United Methodist Church, Fairport Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Road	8:00 X 8:30 8:00 R& 8:00 RW 8:00 R
4 Fri	Web Spinners	Bill Wilcox	Klem Road School North, Webster	8:00 *
11 Fri	Web Spinners	Bill Wilcox	Klem Road School North, Webster	8:00 VØ

MARCH 1977

1 Tue	Triggers Tecumseh Squares	Myron Huss Gloria Roth	Parkland School, 1010 English Road Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00 RW 8:00 N
2 Wed	Singing Squares	Al Howe	Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road	8:00
3 Thu	Genesee Dancers	Mike Callahan	Green Lantern Inn, Fairport	8:30 X
4 Fri	Boots 'n Slippers EKC-O Squares Promenading B's	Mike Callahan Ken Anderson Ron Fotch	Herton Williams Jr. High School, Hilton Kodak Park, Building 28 Byron-Bergen Elem. School, Bergen	8:30 X 8:00 NRW 8:30
5 Sat	Batavia Twirlers Swinging BB Swingin' Eights	Larry Dunn Bob Brunshidle Chip Kellogg	John Kennedy School, Vine St., Batavia Town Line School, Spencerport Hosea Rogers Middle School, 219 Northfield	8:00 RW 8:00 8:30 X&
7 Mon	Belles & Beaus Glass Slippers Merry Mixers	Art Harris Ron Fotch Ben McGilvery	Holmes Road School Campus School, Brockport Seneca Methodist Church, 121 Scholfield Road	8:00 X 8:30 WW 8:00 R

b - Box lunch Social
J - Special Dance
K - Guests Welcome
M - Mardi Gras
* - Rounds at 7:45

N - National Caller
P - Pot Luck Dinner
R - Rounds at 7:30
V - Valentines Dance
W - Workshop at 8:00

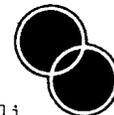
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+ - Workshop 8:15-8:45
& - Workshop 8:30-9:00
Ø - Class invited

* - Dinner at 7:00
- Closed; for information
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= - Closed; Members only
@ - George Washington Dance

FEBRUARY 1977



FEDERATION ROUND DANCES



2 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
8 Tue	Tecumseh Rounds	The Slomcenskis	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00
9 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
22 Tue	Tecumseh Rounds	The Slomcenskis	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00 G
23 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B

MARCH 1977

2 Wed	Twirl-A-Rounds	The DeGraves	Fairbanks Road School, North Chili	8:30 B
8 Tue	Tecumseh Rounds	The Slomcenskis	Red Men's Club, 1001 Lexington Ave.	8:00

B - Beginner Rounds at 7:30

G - Round Class Graduation



Batavia Twirlers

The Batavia Twirlers are starting a new beginners' class on Tuesday February 8 at 8 p.m. at the Salvation Army Building, 529 East Main Street, Batavia. We feel that there are people who would like to take lessons but find fall an inconvenient time to begin. If your friends find the Feb. 8 date convenient, we'd welcome class people from any area or club. Ron Fotch will be the instructor.

Bring your sweetheart to our Feb. 5 Valentines Dance. EKC-O Squares will be our guests -- Come on out! Our February 19 dance will be held at the BRAND NEW YMCA at 209 East Main Street, Batavia. Why not join us there for an evening of dancing? Larry Dunn will be our caller at all our February and March dances.

Our club will be guests of the Country Twirlers on Feb. 18 and we will be honored to have them as our guests on March 5.

We regret that Leo & Mary Ellen Parsons, Jerry & Judy Conway, and Keith & Cheryl Byers have left our club due to job transfers to other areas. Leo is with Sylvania, and Jerry and Keith with Eaton Corp.

Did you see the Square Dance Float in the Rosebowl Parade? Ruth Higley passed the hat (really a coffee can) and collected \$25.00 to donate to the float committee. We thought our money was well spent as the float was given good coverage on TV.

The Presidents



Belles & Beaus

As the new officers take over for 1977, we would like to thank all the past officers for the fine job they did for our club in 1976. A special "thank you" is due to Jerry & Louise Flynn, our past presidents for presiding over our club with excellent leadership and dignity. Another special "thank you" goes to our directors, Bill & Mary Butler and Mike & Kathy Harris who did a terrific job and had the added burden of lugging the coffee pot and all the additional paraphernalia back and forth for a whole year.

The slate of our new officers is:
 Presidents: Jim & Jean Patrick-Maxwell
 Vice-Presidents: Larry & Nancy Root
 Treasurers: Fred Zucco & Jean Randall
 Secretaries: Lowell & MaryLou Burke
 Directors: Norm & Mary Hutchinson
 Art & Eleanor Clark
 Promenader Reporters: Jerry & Ellen Linger
 Federation Representatives: Sr.-Don & Mary Waterman
 Jr.-Bill & Marilyn Walker

Our annual Christmas Party was a great success. The \$75 donated to the Salvation Army, in lieu of gift exchanging, left us with a good, warm feeling inside.

Art & Vera Harris held an open house for couples attending the New Year's Eve dance at Grand Island. A grand time was had by all. George Hagberg is quite a seamstress. He carefully sewed Barbara Downs into her dress after her zipper broke down.

As of this writing, Larry Dunn from Batavia Twirlers has not called for our club. We are sure that, as in the past, he will do a superb job. Don't forget to keep February 21 open for Joe Reilly and March 14 for Ed Fraidenburg.

John & Margaret Fitzpatrick are soaking up Florida sunshine; Katie & Frank Heindl are doing the same in the state of Arizona while they are visiting Ida & Hoby Herron.

We are glad to have Mary Waterman back dancing with us and hope that her feet won't give her any more trouble.

We would like to extend a welcome to new members, Ed & Barbara Butenhof. Ed is an active member and past officer in the Callers' Co-op of Rochester.

Jerry & Ellen Linger



Boots n' Slippers

Creetings! Election of officers for our club was held Dec. 10, 1976. The following were elected:

President: Tom & Ann O'Gorman
 Vice President: Bob & Mary Ann Atwell
 Secretary: Kay & Jerry Miller
 Treasurer: Ray & Janet Jackling
 Federation:
 Representatives: Tom & Ellen Holland
 John & Daphne Fink

A round of applause goes to the 1976 officers for the splendid job they did. A lot of work goes on behind the scene to make a club successful.

By now our New Years Eve Party is history. Some 58 couples of the club and class attended, with Mike asking, "Why does it always snow on New Years Eve?" Congratulations go to the decorating committee, the hall looked great. Our club resolution: To dance more and make all our guests feel most welcome.

UP AND COMING: Feb. 4 Mike Callahan calling
 Feb. 11 Valentine Dance - Ron Fotch calling
 Feb. 18 LOCATION CHANGE * Holy Cross Auditorium, Mike Callahan calling.

Come dance with us,

Kay & Jerry Miller

Cloverleaf Squares

Copy Cats

In spite of the bad weather, a good number of Cloverleafs partied and danced in the New Year at the Chili Town Hall. Our thanks goes to Bob Dell and his committee who organized the party and the club members who called and cued for us -- Bob Dell, Mike Liberti, Dick Peck, George Phillips, and Ray Tompkins.

Our thanks also goes to the club officers whose terms expired in December -- Bob Dell, Linda Wolf, Maria Bus, and Nancy Luckenback. Congratulations go to the newly elected officers -- President Mike Liberti, Vice-President Nancy Fraser, Secretary Kathy Simmons, Treasurer Larry Kleuber, and Class Representative Sue Connor.

On January 9, Cloverleafs enjoyed dancing to a guest caller Chip Kellogg. On January 29, we went Moonlight bowling at Olympic Bowl.

On February 13, the class will join the club for a special Valentine Dance featuring a guest caller. Winter promises to be a little more fun as we plan a Winter Weekend for March 4, 5, and 6 at Sugarbush in Allegheny State Park.

Although Cloverleaf Squares is primarily a "singles" club, we invite all dancers to join us for an evening of fun and good dancing at the Chili Town Hall. We dance every Sunday evening from 8:00 to 10:30 p.m. Mike Callahan is our caller.

Nancy Fraser

December 17 the club and class gathered at the Mediterranean in Ontario for our Christmas party. Chuck Frister and Chip Kellogg were on hand to share the calling and Dorothy Jensen to cue rounds. After feasting on a buffet which included what seemed like unlimited amounts of steamship round, it was time for fun and dancing. For the class, this was their first dance and by the way they were dancing it was evident they learned their lessons well. Santa arrived between tips and for sitting on his knee and a peck on the cheek, each of the ladies received a gift. A couple of items which may have been lost, stolen, misplaced, or thrown away at the Halloween dance turned up as awards; Ray Schlesing now has the essentials for this year's Halloween costume.

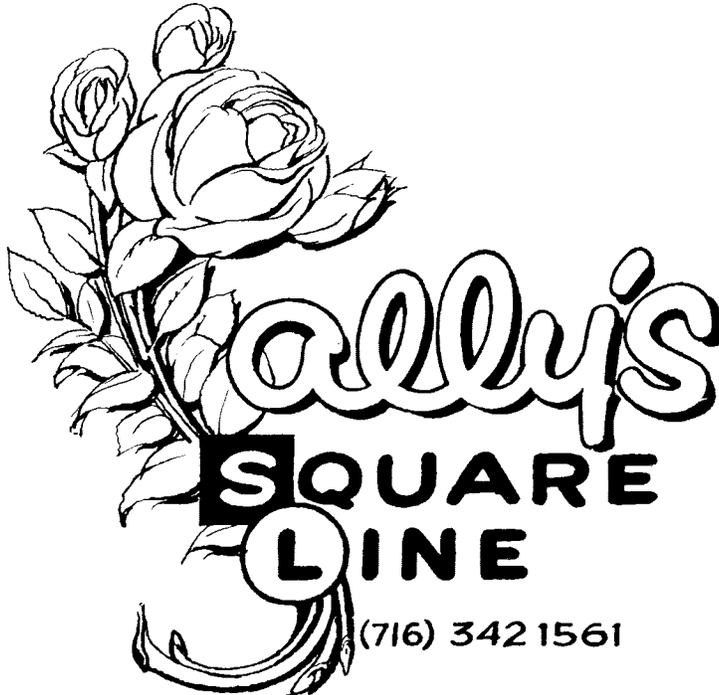
There was a good turnout for the Deuce Williams dance at Spry Junior High on January 8. It was nice to see the dancers from many of the area clubs enjoying themselves.

We are glad to hear Paul Frost's recent operation was a success. Hope to see him back dancing soon.

We have been asked to remind club members that Herb & Norma Spink and Dwight & Betty Gerber are your Federation representatives and that any Federation questions be directed to them.

There will be a Valentine Dance February 12 with Chuck Frister as guest caller. Mike Callahan will be back with us on February 26. Both dances will be at Bay View YMCA.

Ellie & Norb Voellinger



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Country Twirlers

As we turn the pages to a new year on our calendar, we must remember the happy occasions of the last part of 1976 for the Country Twirlers.

Our Christmas pot luck dinner and dance on December 11th was certainly very nice with a delicious meal served at the Chili Baptist Church. Many thanks to all those that helped with the good leadership of Owens and Ortmans. It was a pleasure dancing with the class and we are certainly looking forward to having them in the club.

Then there was our New Year's Eve celebration, held at St. Helen's Hall on December 31st, with Jim McQuade calling. There was fun entertainment, with a marvelous tap dancer and piano player, also a harmonica player. There were many fun skits including a round dance lesson, and a trip to Japan. A good time was had by all and our thanks to all those that helped out.

With a new year coming up, our new officers are as follows:

Presidents:	Chuck & Sue Durling
Vice-Presidents:	Don & Connie Durbin
Secretaries:	Tom & Betty Wachob
Treasurers:	Frank & Nancy Austin
Social Chairmen:	Doug & Kathy Winstead George & Marylou Mura

We have enjoyed writing for all of you and as we turn our pen over to the new Secretaries, we sincerely hope they will enjoy their duties as much as we have.

Looking ahead, Mike Callahan will be our guest caller on Sat. February 26th and on February 18th, Batavia Twirlers will be our guest club. Come dance with us.

Frank & Nancy Austin



EKC-O Squares

If you've survived the winter thus far, you'll make it! Spring really is being anxiously looked forward to and it really isn't that far away! So get those overcoats and boots on and join us for a fun filled evening of dancing at Elmgrove. It really helps the winter blahs and aching joints!

It seems like such a long time ago, but our Christmas Dance was held on Friday, Dec. 17th. Chuck Stinchcomb called and everyone was in a happy holiday mood. Betty Wolcott cued the rounds, we all sampled the goodies brought by all club members, making it a wonderful dance. Recognition was given to the retiring officers, especially Walt & Sally Baechle for successfully leading our club through a very difficult year. We wish to congratulate the following club officers for 1977. Presidents, Phil & Irene Warner; Vice-Presidents, Frank & Norma Salvagio; Secretary-Treasurer, Ed & Ginny Linder; Board Members, Don & Eileen Burke, Ron & Evelyn McGregor, and Bruce & Helen Rohr. They all need our support, so it is up to each one of us to give a helping hand in some way throughout the year. Volunteer your support by asking where you can help.

Bernice & John Moylan have left us for the winter months in Florida. Art Shencup retired in December but we understand he is accepting all "care" packages. We wish all the retirees many years of good health, happiness, and many more years of square dancing.

How about signing up to help with the class on Wednesday nights? It would mean a lot to have a completed list of "helpers" for the remainder of the year.

Remember, Elmgrove in the place until March 4th. Ken Anderson will call the first dance at Kodak Park. March 11th, Dave Hass from Connecticut; March 18th, Cal Golden from Arkansas; and March 25th, Ken Anderson.

Remember your sweetheart on Valentine's Day and let's show a lot of love for our fellow square dancers.

Smile!!

Gloria & Anton Betlem



Genesee Dancers

Hats off to Carter & Jeanne Perkins for a super job on this column last year.

Congratulations to Joe & Angie DiBitetto and their staff of officers for bringing Genesee Dancers through another banner year.

Best Wishes to the Officers for 1977:

President.....	Jim & Ruth Madison
Vice-President.....	Mike & Ann Siconolfi
Treasurer.....	Allen Vroom & Marion Adkins
Secretary.....	George & Shirley Lupold
Program Director.....	John & Verna Sesso

So much happened to make December memorable. Jerry Carmen did the honors on the 9th calling an interesting dance including PINWHEEL (a clever little maneuver dreamed up by Orlo Hoadley).

There was a huge gathering of club and class for the Christmas Dinner-Dance on the 16th. How about that class!! They are SO GOOD already. Credit goes to Chuck and Gerry Krister for their special way with a class.

Have you all heard about Joe Di Bitetto's debut as a caller? Ask him!

It's good to hear Joe Micelotta has improved so well - he and Mary should be back dancing soon.

Congratulations to Jim & Mary Lu Davidson, who are Grandparents again. -- a lovely baby girl this time!

January was a month for getting back in the groove -- We were delighted to have Ray & Eva Seymour visit on the 6th.

Another regular visitor is little Betsy Bates, wee daughter of Dave & Becky, who sleeps through all the whoop-de-do!

February Highlights: Bill Peterson will be guest caller on the 3rd at 8:00 p.m. The Valentine Party will be on the 10th with our class joining us for a Pot Luck Supper and dancing.

Mark your calendar for March 17th for another special when FRANCES ZELLER will be calling.

Remember, Folks, the 1N place to be on Thursdays is Genesee Dancers. The toe-tapping rhythms of Mike Callahan and round dance cueing by Bob Slomcenski are the greatest. You will have fun. -

Joe & Anna Jean Caracci



Geneva Friendship Squares

Our club voted to continue dancing at the Carter Road Firehouse for the rest of the season (8 pm to 11 pm). Our January dances are scheduled for the 14th and the 28th with Don Pratt calling squares and Al Overslaugh cueing rounds. Agnes & Harry Jurgens are chairing plans for a Mystery Bus Ride for Feb. 5th and all are looking forward to it. We are also considering having a Square Dance Clothing Exchange and Sale and will keep you posted on what we decide.

Visit us in Geneva for some fun square dancing.

Estelle & Sandy Katz



Glass Slippers

Welcome back, and Happy New Year, seemed to be the most popular greeting for our first dance in January. I'm sure we are all wondering where 1976 went and what does 1977 hold in store for square dancing. Well, I guess time will tell.

Our congratulations to all our new officers and to all in the square dance clubs we dance with. Also we wish to thank all outgoing officers for the wonderful job they have done in our clubs.

Hey, want something to do on a Monday night? How about dancing with the Glass Slippers. We'd love to have you. We dance at the Campus School in Brockport any Monday night from 8:30 until 11:00. February 7th is our workshop night. The 14th, which will be our Cupid's Caper, and also the 21st, and the 28th will be regular dance nights.

Oh, yes, let's welcome Mary & Jim Messer back from the Florida holiday over Christmas and New Years. Glad you're back. Right Slippers?

See you in a Square,

George Burch

Henrietta Friendship Squares

With all the hustle of the holidays our Christmas Dance with our class was a very enjoyable and relaxing time for all.

Our new officers took over their duties last month and we wish them well.

Presidents - Al & Jean Conley
Vice-Presidents - Ken & Jeannette Hanks
Secretaries - Jim & Connie Harper
Treasurers - Randy & Marion Cartwright

Plans are underway for our annual George Washington Dance, February 26th. Be looking for our flyers for all the details.

Al & Jean Conley

Irondequoit Squares

Members of the Irondequoit Squares would like to take this opportunity to wish the staff members of the PROMENADER and the members of all the other square dance clubs a happy, healthy, and prosperous New Year.

The Irondequoit Squares members and their guests enjoyed the Poinsetta Dance on Dec. 11. Many thanks to Bernie & Doris Root and their committee, Joyce & Bob Hogarth, Bob & Marian Van Bortel, Leo & Jenny Marcoux, Elmer & Maude Le Moyne, and a special thanks to Ray & Pauline Gaul who made the revolving mirror ball that produced the special effects for the Poinsetta Dance, emphasizing the beautiful decorations. Many thanks to Paul & Darlene Lewis for the wonderful job they did to help Santa Claus. Thanks to the donors of gifts. It made Santa's job a little easier.

Our first dance of the year, Jan. 8, was a great success. Mr. Larry Dunn was our guest caller.

We are all looking forward to our Valentine Dance on Feb. 12, when the members of Irondequoit Squares will have the opportunity to meet and dance with the class members. This is a wonderful opportunity for class members of the other clubs to join with Irondequoit class members in a great get acquainted dance. So treat your sweetheart to a Valentine Dance.

Newly-elected officers for the year 1977 are:

President - Bob & Margaret Pearson
Vice-President - Joe & Betty Zinni
Secretary - Bob & Joyce Hogarth
Treasurer - Bob & Marian Van Bortel
Social Chairmen - Bob & Lillian Cunningham
Lloyd & Trudy Gray
Membership Committee - Roland & Marilyn
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Ray & Pauline Gaul
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Harold & Dena Jackson

Our sincere gratitude to the officers of the past year for a job well done.

E. S. Penczek



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Kuntry Kuzzins

Your Kuntry Kuzzins wish to extend to all Square dancers a most Happy and Prosperous New Year. We salute all the outgoing officers for the good job they did and wish all the new ones a good year.

Saturday, Feb. 5 is a special dance at Kuntry Kuzzins with Mike Callahan calling the Squares and Debbie Wilkinson cueing the rounds. Let's welcome Mike, Wanda, and Debbie by filling the hall.

This is the last time we have to write this news letter and lets say it has been a pleasure communicating with you all. This year we'll be seeing you at the Federation meetings.

C-U INA ☐ --

Woody & Helen Covey



Lima Grand Squares

Well, say hello to "??". Spring's not here, but the new officers are! And what a bunch -- full of enthusiasm and ideas to make the new dancing year even more fun than last. Who knows what lurks in the minds of these people? We'll soon find out. By a unanimous vote, Tom & Betty Beard are now "El Presidente". For Vice-President, being the most familiar with same, Paul & Marilyn Schroeder. Lastly, in charge of our corporate banking and international finance and records section, Walt & Marge Sackett. We all wish them an enjoyable year and pledge full support to help them make this the best year ever.

We have a guest caller in the person of Bruce Shaw coming on February 4th. Adding to the majesty and wonderfulness of Bruce's calling will be the cueing of Bernie Hayward. So when you take that ride in the country, be sure to end up at the Town Hall in Lima for a good time.

Our regular dances with the "Ghost Man", Dick Casper start at 8:30 on Friday. Bernie Hayward cues and teaches the rounds. Sure invite you-all (New White House talk) to come down and if you've got a special request, let us know and we'll especially try to do it for you.

Mr. X



Magic Squares

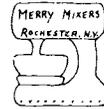
Hope you had a Happy New Year -- we'd like to add our best wishes for the coming year. 1976 was truly a good year for us, as we have made many new friends since joining the Federation and having our news notes published in the Promenader. Thanks for the terrific job, Jerry.

Sincere sympathy is extended to those of you who missed guest caller Ken McDonald back in November. Ken did an outstanding job of keeping our toes tapping; unfortunately most of us won't have another chance to dance with Ken until 1978 when he'll be finished with his tour of duty in Korea. Best of luck, Ken, and God bless. Keep us in mind as we'd like to book you for your first return gig - stateside in 1978.

As we get into the new year, we find ourselves very thankful. We have a fantastic class of square dancers, good friends, officers who care, and a caller who's easy to dance with..(or at least he's made it easy for yours truly this past year.) We wish to thank all who have danced with us and a special thanks for all of you who dance regularly and support your own clubs. Our prime objective is to keep square dancing the healthy and enjoyable activity that it is, and with each of us giving just a little more of ourselves for square dancing, 1977 promises to be an even better year.

God bless and keep dancing,

Bill & Mary Ellen Petty



Merry Mixers

Elections were held December 6th, resulting in two repeaters and two new officers. Congratulations to the 1977 officers, who are:

Shirley Centola, President; Helen Kotwas, Vice-President; Barb Indovina, Secretary; and Bob VanThof, Treasurer.

Many thanks to the 1976 officers, Shirley Centola, Ron Hinchey, Eric Michaelson and Bob VanThof.

Our annual Christmas party was December 17th at the Redmen's Club. Chairman, Angela Battaglia did a fine job!

After a two week holiday break, it was good to be back in the "swing of things". An engagement was announced at our first January dance. Nelson Coco & Nancy Fenity are engaged and planning an April 1st wedding.

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Merry Mixers CONT'D

Then, we were "snowed out" on January 10th. After dressing up in our holiday finery December 17th, we dressed down by wearing dungarees with patches and old slacks to our "Hobo Night" dance January 17th. All enjoyed the beef stew dinner, cooked by Phyllis Isaac, Dolores Duffy and committee.

February Schedule:

7th - No dance
11th - Friday. Valentine's Party, at the Redmen's Club, with a buffet dinner. Dinner 7 p.m., Dance at 8 p.m. Guests are welcome. For tickets call Shirley Centola, 254-3804.

14th - Guest caller, Stan Levandowski.

19th - Saturday - Dancing at the Monroe Community Hospital, 2-3 p.m.

Happiness is: "Dancing with the Merry Mixers."

Gladys Crisci



Promenading B's

Santa was pleased to see almost 100% of the club and class members at the Christmas Party. Gifts made by the President's wife were given to all members. A jolly time was had by all.

At our "New Year's Eve" Party, the "Baby New Year" appeared on the scene and chased "Father Time" out of the picture for another year. There was plenty of dancing along with a few games and laughter galore. Our thanks to "caller" Ron Fotch & wife Betty for another gala party. Missed at the party were our President & wife, Dick & Donna Pringle. They were lucky enough to take a long run to the Rose Bowl Game at Pasadena, Calif. where everything was touchdown.

Dates to remember - Fri. Feb. 11th
Guest Caller - Jim Wheeler - from Akron, NY

Mar. 26th - BLACK OUT DANCE

Our 4th annual dance at the Bergen-Byron High School, come and greet the "COOKIE MONSTER" and his new friend. Also a special thanks to Fingland & Mason, Electrical Contractors, for their donations of awards for the dance.

Come one & all to the big "Hall".

Walter & Myrtle Found



Rainbow Squares

We were still musing on how successful the Class and Club Christmas Party had been and what a good time was had by all concerned, when it was time for the New Year's Eve Dance and potluck supper. This also was extremely well-attended and many of us have found this to be a great way to welcome in the New Year each December 31st.

Despite the inclement weather of the whole week, most of the class and just about all of the club members plus many guests attended the Dick Leger dance. Everyone was rewarded, we feel, with a fun-filled evening, with good dancing for all.

On January 19, we enjoyed having the Henrietta Friendship Squares as our guests. We hope the feeling was mutual.

The January 26 Mystery Ride was a surprise to all concerned, except of course the leaders who took us to our destination.

February promises to be an exciting dancing month, with invitations out to the Web Spinners to dance with us on February 2; the Irondequoit Squares on February 9, and the Swingin' Eights on February 23. On February 16 we are anticipating the Box-Lunch Social, with which we will celebrate St. Valentine's Day.

Betty & Bill Pedersen



Rochester Rollaways

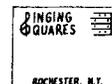
Here we go - swinging into 1977 - with Xmas and New Years parties filed as memories. The snowbirds - Vreelands, Jenkins', and Betlems journeyed to New Hampshire in the middle of January for an advanced level weekend with Ron Libby and Norm Poisson. They'll be ready for Rollaways' New England month, February, with Ron calling on the 11th and Norm on the 25th.

Welcome to Al & Marilyn Taffet, the newest Rollaways.

Lou & Lillian Stork are wintering in Florida for the first time, joining our other associate members. If this keeps up, we'll have to open a Florida branch.

"Speedy Recovery" best wishes to Gladys Moulton and Doris Jenkins who have been missing from the dance scene.

Russell Jenkins



Singing Squares

Twenty-six couples of club and class members enjoyed the Christmas Party, December 22nd at Wandtkes Restaurant. The meal was delicious, table decorations were beautiful, and the dancing great fun with Mike Callahan calling.

February dances include a closed Valentine Party on the 14th. The club will be dancing with the class on Monday night at the Recreation Hall on Wegman Road. Elwood Johnson - Class Instructor - will be calling.

No club dance on February 16th, but club dances will be held at Thomas Edison School, 1612 Buffalo Road on Feb. 2nd - Caller Al Howe; and Feb. 9th - Caller Mike Callahan.

A reminder of our Amateur Caller Night coming up on March 30th. Any "he" or "she" who thinks they can call a square dance number -- gargle your throat and start practicing -- NOW!

With the excitement of the holidays over, we are eagerly looking forward to 1977 with new resolutions and high hopes of keeping them. We hope one of your resolutions is to come and "square the barge" with us.

John & Lorene Fratta

Swinging BB

Fellow Promenaders -

The New Year's begun and we're back in full swing.

The Messers have returned from celebrating their anniversary in Florida, and the Krebs were there too - for fun and sun.

Our Presidents, Herb & Kay Wendt have returned from a visit with relatives in New Jersey, and the McCords are back from Indiana where the snow was even higher.

Jan. 22nd was a nostalgic night, when a sort of total class reunion was held. Many of Bob's students came back. The event began with a pot luck supper. Now who has more fun than we square dancers!

Glass Slippers have invited us on Feb. 14th. Some of us will go and those who don't will wish they had.

Come see us at Town Line!

Your Reporters

Lane & Hilda McCord



Swingin' Eights

A very happy and healthy New Year to all round and square dance friends.

Fantastic! "CHRISTMAS DINNER DANCE"

On Dec. 18th the Swingin' Eights and class members gathered for a gala Christmas party at the Ukranian Civic Center. A big "thank you" goes to Fran & Bud Macomber and their committee Linda & Ed Allen, Ellie & Tom Anderson, Terry & Curly Crane for a beautiful evening.

Officers for the coming year 1977 are:

Presidents.....Kay & Bill Ramsey
Vice-presidents.....Linda & Ed Allen
Secretaries.....Jan & Tom Brewer
Treasurers.....Marge & Bob Berner

Class Memberships.....Jack & Rita Kennelly
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Promenader Reporters.....Joe & Loretta Giaconia

We'd like to express our appreciation to the officers who served in 1976. Their leadership provided us with a most successful and happy year. Also, thanks to our "Promenader" correspondents, Curly & Terry Crane for doing a fantastic job.

The Dec. 28th "Ice Cream Social Dance" was lots of fun. Marge & Bob Berner & Committees arranged for and made the delicious sundaes which we enjoyed throughout the evening.

Joe & Pat Kelly are on a sabbatical and living in Israel for six months. Before leaving, Joe's latest book was published--"Come and Rest Awhile", a book of family prayer. We look forward to their return to our group.

Warm weather vacationers; Dick & Shirley Long went to Bermuda; Bob & Marge Berner were in Texas having fun with their grandchildren; Bud & Fran Macomber are in Florida...hope they bottled up some of that weather for us.

Congratulations: Sel & Millie Snow attended their son Harold's wedding in New York Jan. 8th. A Christmas party at Knudson's brought announcement of their daughter Anna's engagement.

It was nice to see Larry Yacobelli at the December dance, hope he will be feeling much better soon.

Best wishes to our new officers for the 1977 season. Our club looks forward to a "swinging" year.

Bruce Shaw and Mike Prado, our callers, have given us many hours of enjoyment at our dances. Our next dance is Feb. 19th -- see you all there. March 5th there will be a dance at Rogers. Chip Kellogg will be calling.

If there is anyone who has news that you want to share with us, please let us know.

Happy dancing,

Joe & Loretta

P. S. - MISSING

A pair of brown zippered boots size 7 (Millie Snow found a pair at the "Ice Cream Social" size 8 - would love to exchange - call 544-4915)

Jack Kennelly - lost his pipe.

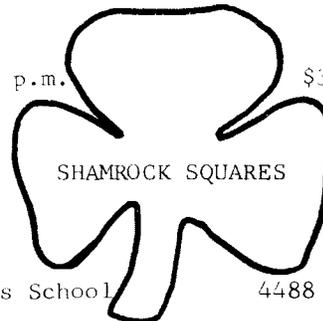


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Swinging Singles

Swinging Singles kept busy dancing over the holidays. December 17 saw us all together for a Christmas dance, with various kinds of dancing. The mistletoe dance always creates lively interest! Several of us joined the Cloverleaves to ring in the new year together.

1977 saw us swinging in earnest again, with an open house January 10 and a new class beginning January 17. We're delighted at all the potential square dancers who have joined us.

Upstate winters mean skiing and other snowy winter sports. To be where the action is, we head for the slopes of Denton Hill, Pennsylvania. On the weekend of January 21 we took over the hotel in Coudersport, Pennsylvania for a fun weekend.

We hope all those amateur callers have been practicing up for their big chance on January 31.

There was too much turkey around in November, but now in February we're looking forward to a special dinner before a regular dance.

Jane Bopp



Tecumseh Squares

It's a new year! For Tecumseh it is also a change of officer time. We would like to thank our outgoing officers: Chief, Dick & Yvonne Evert; 1st Brave, Bob & Carole Hall; Keeper of Records, Walt & Dorothy Stenzel; Collector of Wampum, Al & Mary La Rocque, and Keeper of Records, Rick & Bobbie Diehl. Most of us voice our criticisms loud and clear but neglect to give compliments and thank you's when due. A hearty thank you and well done in deserved by this crew. Tell them the next time you see them. Your board will need your support and ideas too. It's your club, work with it. A hand of congratulations and best wishes is extended to our new board:

Chief: Bob & Helen Ellicot
Keeper of Records: Tom & Joanne Clutz
Collector of wampum: Joe & Phyllis Kaukeinen
Keeper of Wampum: Al & Mary La Rocque

Our tribe's Mid-Term and Beginner's Ball was a howling success. The dancing was great (Thank You Bruce), the food delicious, and the skits hilarious (Thanks again, Bruce!) Thanks to all of you who helped with this gigantic adventure. We collected a large amount for our Indian Child also. For those of you not familiar with all of the aspects of the club, we support two Indian children thru Save the Child Federation. Money is collected and given to them in the form of general support and gifts.

Our Valentine's dance is on Feb. 15. Bring your sweetheart and square up with us. March 1st. is our guest caller night. We have the privilege of hosting Gloria Roth from Canada. She is well known and liked in this area. Don't miss that one!

Have a good day,
Ed & Sue Sulewski

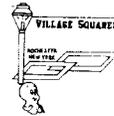


Triggers

Bill and I hope that you all had very happy (and we know they were busy) holidays. Many of the Triggers managed to find time to attend various holiday dances; but the best was our New Year's Eve dinner-dance. The Halls, Orlens, and Bates' did a delicious job on the snack table. Bob McConkey was great as our MC for the entertainment. We'd like to thank the chair-couples, the Atkins' and Tweitmeyers for all their work, and anyone else who worked on the various committees. A special thanks to Robin Worthingham for helping hang the "high" decorations at the church hall. Bert Butler's portrayal of Father Time was very humorous, especially his "Last Will and Testament" which he composed himself. And our twin New Year's babies were hysterical. George Yuna and Len Siebert made the cutest, plumpest, happiest and funniest babies, diapers and all. We are starting out 1977 with a busy, fun-filled schedule. We will be having Amateur Night on Jan. 25 and our club winter picnic on Jan. 22. Our open house on Jan. 6 was a huge success. There were 11 squares of people, including many Triggers. Just a reminder that our class begins in January and graduation is in November. On Feb. 15 we will be dancing at Aldersgate Methodist School Hall. And save Feb. 22 for our "Mardi Gras" dance. All the women will be wearing long dresses.

Happy dancing,

Bill & Judi Oliveri



Village Squares

As grandfather 76 marched on and left us with a new year to break in, Village Squares look forward to a continuation of a great season of dancing. One of the ways we are looking forward is with a new slate of officers. Taking residence in the Village Squares' "White House" are Ray & Frieda Laning. Next in line and charged with coordination of all vice (and versa) is Fred & Jo Ann Flynn. Recording all this with unerring accuracy as new secretary is the lovely Vern & courageous Mary Kailburn. In charge of all domestic and foreign currency problems (such as collecting), political gifts and such treasury stuff is Art & Karen Bragg. Our past presidents, Joe & A.J. Caracci are now advisors so we'll blame everything on them.

Coming up on the 14th of February we will all get a chance to say "I love you" at our Valentine's Day Celebration. It's going to be a pot luck supper starting at 7:00 in the First United Methodist Church, Fairport. (Our normal dance location.) The class will be with us and everyone is invited to attend, bring a dish to pass and enjoy all the fine food these ladies invariably bring or just catch the dance afterward. Either way, you're bound to have a great time.

Our regular dances have Dorothy Jensen teaching rounds from 7:30 to 8:00. Then, from 8:00 to 8:30 Dick Casper workshops the collective evils of callers lab. If you would like to review or find out what is new, Dick is always happy to oblige. The "regular" dance, which has included anything from Can-Can girls to ghostly apparitions follows until 10:30. From 10:30 to 11:00 all those who wish to "press on" have been involved in an advanced workshop. We invite everyone to join us and if there is something missing from the program you'd like to see, let us know!

Mr. X



Twirl-A-Rounds

The Twirl-A-Rounds are all set for another super year of dancing. 1976 can not be officially over without a special Thank You to the club officers - George & Una Shaw, Bob & Joan Donaldson.

It will indeed be a challenge for the new officers to follow in such LARGE footprints - Try anything once.

The new officers are:

Chuck & Norma Dolan - Presidents
George & Doris Hagberg - Treasurers
Bernard & Judydel Hinkson - Secretaries

Quite a time was had by all at our Hard Tymes Night on January 12. Everyone entered the dance via an authentic screen door. It was a Hobo Heaven complete with plenty of vagabond stew for every wandering dancer. There were prizes galore - including a door prize - the door - with contestants carefully screened. And which hobo won the groceries?

Come dance with the Twirl-A-Rounds any Wednesday and especially for our "Special Dances." We will continue to have one per month.

Join us on February 9 for the Valentine Dance! It is sure to be a real treat with Andy Spadoni and Carolyn Dietrich already making plans. It is always fun to see every one with their sweetheart Dancing in the Shadows.

A sincere wish to George Mura that he's back dancing with us soon. We are glad you come visit at the dance but we would rather see you dancing.

P.S. George -- stay out of the attic!

It sure seems good to get back into the regular dancing habit again. Dancing is more than I ever dreamed and when he puts his foot down I'm usually under it.

See you 'round.

Bernie & Judydel Hinkson



Wayne Westerners

Once again the New Year's here,
Our resolutions spoken,
In fact, by this time, probably -
Most of them are broken.

Of course we never break the ones
That have to do with dancing -
We always listen to the caller's words,
Tho the corner's most entrancing -

We never use a touch so tight
It leaves Bursitis aching -
Our corners find us a delight
From "bows" till hands we're shaking.

Our steps are light and fairy like -
We float about the floor -
Our conversation smoothly flows -
You find we never bore!

We always dance each figure well -
We never cause a frown ----
Darn! while we've been dreaming here
We broke the whole set down!

So much for resolutions! On with the dancing! The Wayne Westerners are looking forward to a new year with new officers. We have had an invitation to dance at the Wayne County Infirmary in Lyons again on February 24th. This is an opportunity we are always glad to have. Not only do we go to bring a little pleasure to the residents, but because we get such a warm glow when we see those faces light up and the tired, old hands clap while the feet - some of them crippled - begin to tap in time to the music.

Your square friends,
The Hales

Web Spinners

The Web Spinners welcomed in 1977 with their annual New Year's Eve party at the Webster Fire hall. With many guests from the Irondequoit Squares, there were a total of 56 couples which made for a great party. Many thanks to the Ludwigs and all who assisted them in planning and carrying out the party. The talent to be found among the Web Spinners club members is boundless as was evidenced by the minstrel show which was the entertainment for New Year's Eve. Thanks again to all who helped make this another unforgettable year.

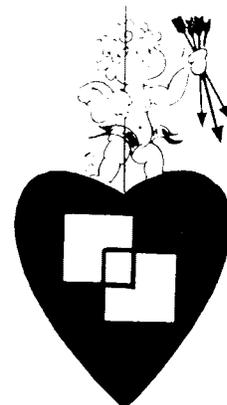
Help beat the winter blahs by getting out on Fridays for an evening of square dancing. On January 21st, we will be fortunate in having a guest caller, Bill Chamberlain from New Jersey.

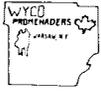
A couple of days after New Years, I went out to return something from Christmas at a local store and was taken back to see all the Christmas decorations gone and everywhere I looked were Valentine decorations. Good grief....Christmas was just here, I thought.... but how quickly time does pass, because as we write this, we notice the next thing is to remind you all of the Valentine party coming up on February 11th. hope to see all club members as well as the class members on this date.

The only consoling thought that goes along with time passing so swiftly is that winter will also be over as quickly!

See you in February.....

Sandy & Cayle Sinopoli





WYCO Promenaders

Our New Year's Dance was a huge success as always. Everyone had a wonderful time dancing to our own Leo Parsons. Little Baby New Year came but had to have a bath with his "little rubber ducky".

It isn't everyday that you dance to a caller for the first time and then ask him if he could be the club caller and class instructor for the rest of the dance year. But that is what we did. Chip Kellogg was our guest caller Dec. 3rd and now he is our resident caller. Our old reliable Leo has been transferred to North Carolina with Sylvania. It was so good for Chip to fill in when we needed him so badly.

We will miss Leo & Mary Ellen because they are the ones who helped to originate our club. And as everyone knows, they were always right there through everything; weather, illnesses, operations, nothing kept them down long. Everyone in square dancing will miss them, whether it be our club; Batavia Twirlers where Leo was class instructor for several years; or Alabama Jubileers, where he was instructor this year. Also Leo was a volunteer caller for Cancer Dances at Batavia and Warsaw. Anywhere they were needed, they were always there.

As a direct invitation from Mary Ellen "Y'all come down and see us," and they must really be expecting company because the first job for Leo is changing the garage into a dormitory. Their address is 209 Maple Circle; Smithfield, NC 27577. Thanks Leo & Mary Ellen for some very nice memories.

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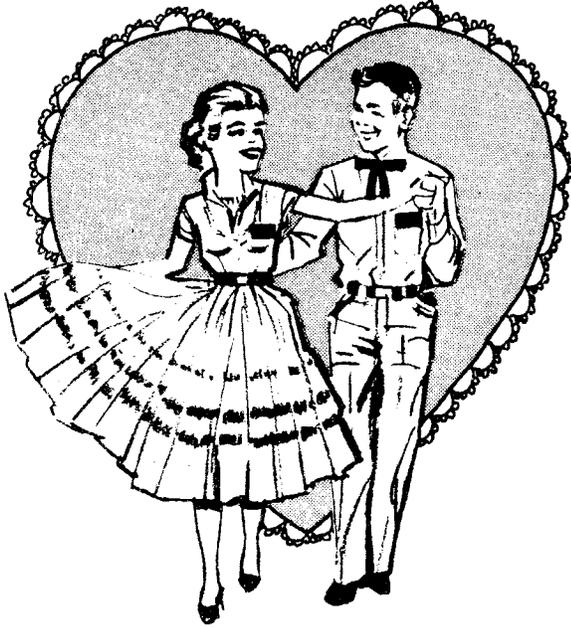


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