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Central Florida Square and Round Dancers Association

The President's Message:

Spring is in the Air!

SPRINGTIME in Central Florida! Isn't it wonderful? Birds are chirping, trees are budding, and the weather is perfect. So is the dancing. At this time of year we are fortunate to have some wonderful special dances in the area, besides our regular dances. We hope you have been attending and enjoying these activities.

The CFA board held its first meeting of 1994 in January. A nominating committee was selected with Randy Poole as the Chair. This committee will present a slate of nominees at the general membership meeting at Eustis Community Center on April 30. Then we will elect and install new officers and directors for 1994-1995. (See flyers elsewhere in this issue and at your club.)



Our 5th Saturday Dance in January was very well attended. Roy and Donna Lee Brown began the evening with a program of round dances and continued between square dance tips. Our caller for the evening was Ed Foote from Pennsylvania. Thanks to all of you who came and we hope you had a good time.

Our next 5th Saturday Dance is in April following the general membership meeting and covered dish dinner. Whit Brown and Audrey Philips will conduct our evening of dancing. Plan to come early and enjoy a full afternoon and evening with your friends in the association. The dance is designated as the President's Ball and we hope many of our past presidents will attend.

Don't forget our camping weekend March 18-19. Again this year it will be at the River Forest Campground. We will have a covered dish dinner Saturday evening, followed by a fun dance by J. R. Bledsoe (casual attire preferred). Roy and Donna Lee Brown will cue rounds for us. Come on out and join us whether you have a camper or not. There is plenty of room in the lodge for sleeping bags or cots. We have a relaxing, sociable weekend in store for you.

See you in a square.

—George and Shirley Knapp

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"Where to Dance" Information

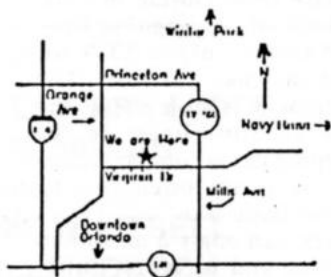
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The Coast Starlight travels from Los Angeles and Seattle through Portland and San Francisco. There are three daily trains between Seattle and Portland with a connection to Vancouver BC.

The Sunset Limited starts in Miami, travels through Orlando and on to Los Angeles by way of New Orleans and San Antonio.

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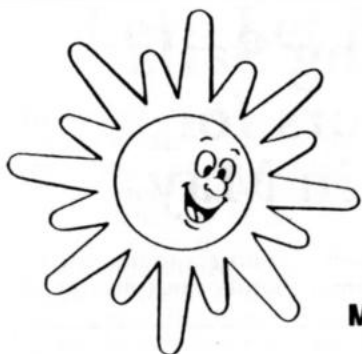
train travel to and from National Square Dance conventions. Amtrak reservations can be made up to 11 months in advance and there is no penalty if reservations are canceled 24 hours in advance. \$25 per person will hold space.

To fit the Sunset's 3-day-a-week schedule a stopover for sightseeing at San Diego or Disneyland, or a day early arrival at Portland for extra sightseeing could be included.

Delta Air Teams Up with Portland Convention

Delta Air Lines Inc. is offering special rates to the June 22-25 convention, based on published round-trip fares within the United States and San Juan. There will be a 5 percent discount off any published fare (excluding group, military, government contract, Visit USA and Delta's Canadian fares) providing all rules and conditions are met. The discount is 40 percent off the unrestricted Coach (Y,YN,YI) fare. Seven days advance reservations and ticketing is required. They will apply June 18-30, 1994.

In addition, all persons who purchase round-trip tickets using the file number D0074 will be entered in a drawing for two free tickets to travel within the continental US, Canada, San Juan, Nassau or Bermuda.



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Committees Raising Sails and Pulling Anchors for State Convention in May

Admirals Paul and Nita Walker have asked their committees to figuratively haul the anchors and raise the sails so the entire flotilla can converge on Lakeland's Civic Center May 27-29.

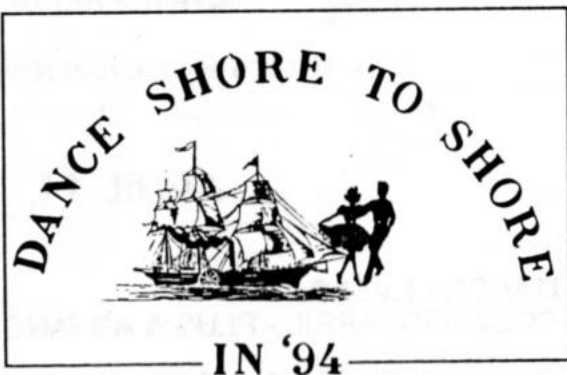
"Let's go full swing preparing a fun-filled state convention for 1994."

Vendors will be stacking their galley and their shelves to bring you the finest in sailing or dancing merchandise, the Walkers claim. "And sailors on the fashion show committee are so excited they are about to mutiny: you won't want to miss this show!"

Ladies will not want to miss the sewing clinic where there will be a "supply depot" of sewing demonstrations available for them.

Signal flag or decorations for the halls will brighten up the dancing decks, the Walkers tell us.

New dancers will be welcome: "Make sure your sea recruits are



aware of this upcoming state convention: there will be a Mainstream Mast just for these happy sailors.

"The ships company will include plenty of workshops for your learning pleasure." Make sure you plan on being there Sunday night for the seaworthy Kickoff Demonstration for the 42nd Florida State and Round Dance Convention.

Order Program in Advance With SASE to Jacksonville

"I would like to know ahead of time where my favorite caller or cuer will be during the convention," one dancer wrote the convention committee recently. So the convention will make the book available ahead of time and all you have to do is send a stamped self addressed envelope to Paul and Nita Walker, 12403 Running River Road, Jacksonville FL 32225.

Navigational maps are available! "If you want an advance convention program please send a SASE to Admiral Walker, 12403 Running River Rd, Jacksonville FL 32225.

Let's Let Everyone Dance

We all know there has been a great decline of dancers in the past several years. Square dancing in the 1990's is not what it was back in the 1970's. The size of our classes — and the amount of classes — has gradually declined. Clubs are closing at a rate of 2 to 5 percent per year across the nation. Everyone agrees on this fact, but what can be done about it? Until we put into effect a good, workable course of action, the decline in square dancing will not only continue, it will worsen. And all of us will be the losers.

Legacy's most recent survey showed that we have class drop-outs due to: (1) the length of classes; (2) the number of calls that must be learned to achieve floor-level dancing; (3) and most importantly, it is just too hard and not much fun.

The American Callers Association (ACA) has proposed that we do away with the existing Basic, Mainstream, and Plus levels and return to the days of one level (and one activity) known as "square dancing."

The three levels can be replaced with a program of square dance choreography and be mastered in a reasonable time to include the best and most useful of our existing movements. They have gone to considerable lengths to compile a list of calls most often called at dances. The list contains about 80 of the more popular calls.

The ACA feels that in addition to shortening the length of time required for students to become accomplished dancers, this proposal would bring all dancers back together on one floor and put the FUN back in square dancing.

ACA has sent the list of calls to CALLERLAB who is currently surveying their members for input. Both organizations felt that the SQUARE DANCERS must also have

a say in the planning. After all, it is the square dancer's activity.

Plus and Mainstream level clubs in the Central Florida Square and Round Dancers Association have been furnished with information received from ACA and a survey form to be completed. In the near future you should all have the following questions put to you by your club president/leader.

1. Do you prefer the existing levels (mainstream, plus, advance, challenge) of dancing? Yes or no.

2. Would you prefer the level BELOW advance and challenge to be one floor, one activity, one level known as "square dancing"? Yes or no.

Please give some serious thought to this idea. Obviously it would require a degree of sacrifice and cooperation. Everyone would have to give up something for the common cause. The rewards of doing so could be very great. The penalties of not doing so might be grim. Something MUST be done quickly. Otherwise our activity will surely continue to decline until there are no longer any dances to attend without traveling many, many miles.

—Shirley Knapp
(The above is compiled from information received from the American Callers Association.)

Blood Bank Goes Forward

Many thanks to all CFA members who have donated blood to Account 54 at the Central Florida Blood Bank. "You have helped break a record!" say John and Rose Taylor. 1993 donors include Michael Altman, Karen Barnhart, Gerry Bowser, William Briggie, Frances E. Cannaday, Barbara Hoffman, Jack Hoffman, Earnie Planck, David Russell, George Szanyi, and Justine Vanderpool.

Early Bird Magic Pass a Dual Value for '97 Conventioneers

You can't take it with you when you go, says Paul Walker of Jacksonville, publicity chairman for the 46th National Square Dance Convention.

But you can buy an "Early Bird Pass" that identifies you as an Early Bird Supporter of the big event.

You save money and you can use the Magic Pass to attend free the Pre-Convention dance to be held in April 1996. "Most important you not only show dancer support but

you can use your Magic Pass Certificate as payment toward your total fee. Send your money and support the Go for the Magic effort."

Cost is \$20 per person, \$40 per couple. Passes must be purchased by January 30, 1996, must be redeemed not later than June 28, 1997.

Send your application to 46th National Square Dance Convention, POB 541997, Merritt Island FL 32954.

Victory Ball in Orlando Finds All Systems Go for 46th Convention

The Victory Ball in the Orlando-Orange County Convention Center February 19 was intended to celebrate the coming of the National Convention in 1997 and to make a "test" of the convention center as an appropriate site for the national.

State callers and cuers staffed the special dance with halls for rounds, Mainstream, Plus and Advanced.

Worley and Nan Carrier, chairman for the 1997 46th National Square Dance Convention, appeared at the Central Florida Association's Fifth Saturday Dance in Kissimmee January 29 to call dancers' attention to the February event.

Pee Wee and Mary Stewart of Daytona Beach, vice chairmen of ways and means for the national, were also present at Kissimmee.

Six Reasons Given for CFA Membership

Hi, Fellow Dancers! As Membership Vice President we'd like to thank all of our new members and all of you who have renewed your memberships this year. Please encourage your friends to join with us in support of square and round dancing in Central Florida.

Just a reminder of the benefits of being a member:

- Blood Bank Membership
- Insurance program for clubs
- Sponsorship of State Convention
- Fifth Saturday Dances

- Anheuser Busch parks discount card
- Quarterly Keepin' Posted Magazine

More perks will be added along the way.

We've been attending many of the club dances on membership drives.

Thanks to all of you who have responded so favorably. Hope to see you in a square real soon.

—Will and Carol Barnhart, *Vice President, Membership.*

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NON RV CAMPERS: I will be there Fri. Nite ___ Sat. Nite ___ or Both Nites ___ ALL DANCERS: Please pay for Dances at Door

PLEASE SEND THIS REGISTRATION & YOUR CHECK MADE PAYABLE TO, CENTRAL FLORIDA ASSOCIATION, TO;

RANDY & CAROL POOLE, 1541 LAKESIDE DR., DELAND FL 32720

Slumber-Picnic in the Forest Weekend Set for March 18-19

ONCE AGAIN, it is time for our annual camping weekend "fun in the woods" social at the River Forest Campground west of Deland.

This is *not* a weekend just for campers. It is a social weekend for *everyone*. If you do not have a camper, there is plenty of space in the lodge for you or motels available in the Deland area. Non-campers may bring a cot or mattress with a blanket or sleeping bag (it may be cool that weekend in March) and stay in the lodge at the campground. But come prepared for some late night fun when the lights go out! There are some jokers in this crowd.

The good times begin at noon Friday, March 18, as campers and "cotters" begin to roll in and claim their spots. All afternoon as folks are arriving the staff will be busily unpacking food and supplies.

Fishing, hiking, games, and visiting are high on the list of things to do during the weekend. Brown bag suppers are traditional in the lodge for both campers and "cotters" on Friday evening. The coffee pot will be going and popcorn served for those wishing to participate in card or other games during the evening. A breakfast is planned for you on both Saturday and Sunday mornings for a nominal fee.

Saturday around 5:30 p.m. we will have a pot luck dinner. Don't forget to bring your eating gear. The dinner is followed by a fun, casual dance. Again this year we have engaged J. R. Bledsoe to call squares for us. Roy and Donna Lee Brown have agreed to provide cues for the round dancers. We hope some people will come forward with antics, skits, jokes, and other foolery after the dance. Let us know if you have some type of entertainment for us up your sleeve.

Sunday morning we must vacate the campgrounds by 10:00 a.m. There is some cleaning up to be done prior to departing and we ask for your help in this as well as numerous other little job opportunities during the weekend. A sign up sheet will be posted in the lodge; *Please* fill in spaces where you can help us.

We do ask you to pre-register so we can have an idea of how many to plan for. There is space for 35 rigs. There are no hook ups for the rigs; however, there are showers and latrines in the building.

Plan to join us! If you have any questions or need more information, call the Head Campers at (407) 568-6498 (Knapp) or Head Cotters at (904) 734-5295 (Poole).

Remember, *you do not have to camp*, you can sleep in the lodge.

ATTENTION

Club Leaders and Class Coordinators!

Your classes will soon be graduating. Be sure and send their names to *Keepin' Posted* prior to May 1. We will print their names in our June issue and provide a complimentary copy for them. We will only print enough additional issues for those whose names we receive.

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APR 19HOBO DANCE
APR 26PLANTER'S BALL
MAY 3FINGER FOOD
MAY 10.....MOTHER'S DAY
MAY 17.....MILITARY SALUTE
MAY 24.....TRAILS-OUT DNC
MAY 31.....NO DANCE
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COME DANCE WITH THE ANGELS

CLUB NEWS



Dixie Squares Plan Chili Night for March 3

Daytona Beach

OUR NEW YEAR has begun with new officers and board members. Chuck and Mary Lynn Hastings are presidents, Chris Van Cleef and Kathy Moran are vice presidents, Harold and Betty Carrow are secretaries, and Barbara Cain is treasurer. Banner Chairmen are Tony and Kathleen Mlarkar.

Special dates in March are Chili Night on March 3 and the St. Patrick's Dance on March 17. Please mark your calendar for April 14 when we will be hosting a donkey badge initiation. Anyone who wishes to participate, please join us. Everyone is welcome, no advance reservations are required.

Our Christmas dinner was extra special this year because it was only two days before Christmas, and it seemed more enjoyable because everyone was ready to enjoy a special night after all their Christmas preparations were finished. Bruce and Rita Woods were general chairman, and as usual did a very nice job.

And in January we had our annual Birthday Cake Night on January 27th with a cake decorated in the theme of each month: football

for January super bowl, heart cake for February's lover theme, Easter Bunny, May Flowers, June Brides, Halloween's pumpkin and Christmas's Santa Claus.

There were a total of 15 cakes. Our good cooks really outdid themselves this year, and we were glad as we had a total of 100 guests visiting us on this special night, including raiders and retrievers.

Happy dancing to all!—Harold and Betty Carrow.

Special Nights in Set for Starlight Promenaders

Deltona

THE FIRST MONTH of the new year has set the pace for the rest of 1994 for the Starlight Promenaders. Members of our new board of directors have set a busy fun and dance schedule for this year.

Party nights have changed. We will have a special dance night every month. The event for February was the Heart to Heart dance Feb. 9. Patties, Laddies and Lassies is the special dance Mar. 16. With the state convention and class graduations in April and May we will combine the two months with a costume party celebrating the arrival of Spring: "April Showers-May Flowers" on Apr. 13.

The last Wednesday of each month has been dubbed Show Your colors night: this is the night to show off the club's colors and we hope our visitors will wear their colors too.

Our year ended with the traditional Crystal Ball. Over 100 attended, round and ballroom danced until the New Year arrived. Our own Don Furnish and Bill Beattie provided the music and calls. We enjoyed a delicious catered buffet din-

ner complete with dinner mood music.

The New Year was run, cheered, and tooted in grand style. Maybe next year we can include some country line dancing, whatcha say, Don and Bill?

Our Banner chairpersons, Laura and Gale Boak, have guided our destinies to retrieve banners from several clubs including Orlando Singles, Whirl and Twirl and Fellowship Squares. Upcoming raids and retrievals will see us dancing at the Angel Squares and the Pirates. A fair warning to all area clubs: Gale and Laura have vowed to retrieve all our homesick banners and to steal many to hang in our hall.

Several squares of Promenaders journeyed down to Kissimmee for the CFA's Fifth Saturday Night Dance. We also made plans to attend the Victory Ball by the 46th National Convention Committee.

Remember, we dance on Wednesdays at the DeBary Community Center. Our beginner's class starts at 6:30 and the club dance starts at 8:00. Don Furnish is our caller with Bill Beattie cueing the rounds. Hope to see ya'll there for a "Boot Scootin Good Time."—Tom and Vicki Greenwood.

Angel Squares Tuesday Nights: Hulbert, Shankle

Orlando

THE BIG NEWS is that we've moved back to Tuesdays—every Tuesday evening—at Ben White Raceway. Our new cuer is Pete Shankle and we are looking forward to an exciting time for the rest of 1994.

By the time this comes to press we will already have had our

Valentine's Day and Washington's Birthday dances. The Starlight Promenaders attended our Feb. 1 dance and reclaimed their banner. The finger food was in abundance and we were happy to see our friends from DeBary.

March, April, and May all feature special dances that have the look of fun. (See our ad elsewhere in this issue.) Check out some of our unusual special dances such as the Spring Festival, Winds of March and Planter's Ball. We think you will find new experiences and new joys in them. By all means, come *Dance With the Angels!*

Harbor City A-2 in Auditorium in March

Melbourne

AGNES AND HUGH Janney chaired the Anniversary Dance Jan. 29 and as usual, had a superb refreshment table. Mark Clausing from Ohio called for the first time in Florida: we hope he will come back. Fortunately we were able to provide him with some good Florida sunshine and warm temperatures, a welcome change from the cold in the North.

We do appreciate it when our members volunteer for jobs and a great big thanks to Paul and Marguerite Winters for filling in as Vice Presidents when a vacancy occurred. We can always count on the Winters for help.

Our Monday night review class with Jerry Reed is small, but going well. Don't forget us if you want to get in some good plus floortime: 7:30 Mondays at the Henegar Center West Entrance.

When you next see Jim Hanson, our President, he will be using his



WHERE TO DANCE IN CENTRAL FLORIDA

(Since changes occur between printings - call ahead if you are not sure)



DANCE FOR THE FUN OF IT! YOU ARE INVITED TO ATTEND AND ENJOY "CFA DANCES"!

TIME	CLUB NAME	PHONE	DANCE PLACE	TYPE	CALLER	CUER
SUNDAY						
1:30	HOEDOWNERS	407/767-5411	SR-CITIZEN CENTER, CASSELBERRY	MS/P	J. LOUDER	NONE
1:30	LAND-O-DANCERS	407/645-2678	BEARDALL SR. CITIZEN CTR, ORLANDO	Rds V-VI	NONE	P. & L. HOWARD
2:00	RUNN-A-ROUNDS	407/770-2236	HERITAGE CENTER, VERO BCH	Rds IV-V	NONE	J. RINNELS
2:00	YELLOWROCK SORS	407/673-1164	ARC BUILDING, DAYTONA BCH	Handicapable	D. SELER	NONE
2:30 (1 & 3)	MOTIVATORS	407/492-2726	COMM.HSE, INDIANA & 8TH, ST.CLOUD	A-2	GUEST	NONE
4:00	WHIRL & TWIRL	407/671-8903	HANGING MOSS CTR., ORLANDO	Rds II/III	NONE	R. BROWN
6:00	PARTNERS IN PROGRESS	407/267-8910	SANDRIFT, TITUSVILLE	C-1	S. SMITH	NONE
7:00	ANGLE SQUARES	407/452-2985	BEN WHITE REC.CTR, ORLANDO	P/Rds	D. HULBERT	S. THOMAS
7:00	ORANGE BLOSSOM SORS	904/753-5389	ORANGE BLOSSOM CLBHSE, LADY LAKE	P/Rds	R. HOGAN	J. CHAUVIN
8:00	HAPPY PAIRS	813/424-2957	1099 SHADY LANE, KISSIMMEE	Rds II-III	NONE	V. BURTTNER
8:00	SILHOUETTES CC #334	904/787-2339	VENETIAN CTR, LEESBURG	Rds IV-V	NONE	J. JENKINS
MONDAY						
7:15	BAREFOOT BAY TWIRLERS	407/664-9814	COMMUNITY CTR, BAREFOOT BAY	P/Rds	D. McCLARY	J. RINNELS
7:30	YELLOW ROCKERS	407/768-0948	MEADOWLANE SCHOOL, MELBOURNE	P/Rds	C. DURANT	V. FURTADO
7:30	YOUNG & RESTLESS	407/894-2227	GOOD SAMARTAN, KISSIMMEE	P	S. PACKER	NONE
8:00	HONEYBEES	904/736-2962	ACTIVITY CTR, DELAND	P/Rds	R. HOGAN	J. COWEN
8:00	MIRROR IMAGES	407/889-2178	FRAN CARLTON COMM.CTR, APOPKA	Easy Rds	NONE	S. THOMAS
8:00	PARTNERS IN PROGRESS	407/267-8910	CORONADO BCH HALL, NEW SMYRNA	A-2	S. SMITH	NONE
8:00	SUNSTATE SINGLES	904/761-8187	DAYTONA BCH SHORES COMM.CTR	P	S. SHAFFER	NONE
8:00	SWINGIN' BEARS	407/880-3588	SUN RESORT, APOPKA	MS/P	L. PATTEN	NONE
8:00	WHEEL-A-ROUNDS	904/787-2339	VENETIAN CTR, LEESBURG	Rds II-IV	NONE	J. JENKINS
TUESDAY						
7:00	KLASSY KATS	407/894-5115	BEARDALL SR.CITIZEN CTR, ORLANDO	Rds IV-VI	NONE	J. AUGENBUCK
7:00 (1 24)	CIRCLE SQUARES	904/854-8238	TOP OF THE WORLD, Ocala	P	GUEST	NONE
7:00	RUNN-A-FOUND	407/770-2236	BETHEL CREEK COMM.CTR, VERO BCH	Rds III-IV	NONE	J. RINNELS
7:30	GROVELAND/CLERMONT SORS	904/429-2510	JENKINS AUDITORIUM, CLERMONT	P/Rds	W. BROWN	V. BURTTNER
7:30	PARTNERS IN PROGRESS	407/267-8910	PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, MERRITT ISLAND	A-2	S. SMITH	NONE
7:30	PIRATES	407/869-4804	FRAN CARLTON CTR, APOPKA	MS	J. LOUDER	NONE
7:30	PORT-O CALL (Nov-Apr)	407/727-1254	1300 S.AIRPORT BLVD., MELBOURNE	P/Rds	GUEST	V. FURTADO
8:00	BUCKLES & BOWS	407/892-6240	SR.CITIZEN CTR, KISSIMMEE	MS/P	D. & J. GASKINS	D. & J. GASKINS
8:00	FELLOWSHIP SQUARES	904/248-0716	METHODIST CHURCH, PORT ORANGE	P	L. PATTEN	NONE
8:00	GRANADA SQUARES	904/441-8935	SR.CITIZENS CTR, ORMOND BEACH	P/Rds	D. PHILLIPS	A. PHILLIPS

8:00	SILVER ROUNDS	407/727-1254	LAND YACHT HARBOR, MELBOURNE	Rds II-IV	NONE	V. FURTADO
8:30	MERRY GO ROUNDS	407/889-2178	SR. CITIZEN CTR, CASSELBERRY	Rds II-III	NONE	S. THOMAS
WEDNESDAY						
7:00	LACOSTA SQUARES	904/761-5691	LACOSTA VILLAGE, DAYTONA BCH	MS	D. SELLERS	NONE
7:00	STRATO SQUARES	904/428-1496	BEN WHITE REC. CTR, ORLANDO	A-2/C-1	J. SAUNDERS	NONE
7:30	LAKE COUNTY TWIRLERS	904/742-0232	SUNSET ISL SR. CENTER, LEESBURG	P/Rds	J. HATFIELD	J. HELTON
7:30	ROLLING SQUARES	904/824-1937	ROLLING GREENS CLUBHOUSE, OCALA	P/Rds	E. FELSTED	J. CHAUVIN
7:30	WILLIAMSBURG WHEELERS	407/869-4804	GREENBRIAR CLUBHOUSE, ORLANDO	MS/P	J. LOUDER	NONE
8:00	SPINDRIFTERS	904/239-0974	CONRADO CIVIC CTR, NEW SMYRNA	P/Rds	C. ROD	C. ROD
8:00	STARLIGHT PROMENADERS	407/532-5088	COMMUNITY CTR, DEBARY	P/Rds	D. FURNISH	B. BEATIE
8:00	WHIRL & TWIRL	407/629-4773	HANGING MOSS CTR, ORLANDO	MS	D. ROBINSON	NONE
8:00	HOLLYWOOD SQRS (Sep-May)	407/725-8511	HOLLYWOOD ESTATES, MELBOURNE	P/Rds	D. McCLARY	V. FURTADO
8:30	WAGON WHEEL ROUNDERS	407/855-3300	COMM.HSE.INDIANA & 8TH, ST.CLOUD	Rds II-IV	NONE	P. & J. SHANKLE

THURSDAY						
12:45	BAREFOOT BAY SPINNERS	407/664-5534	COMM.CTR., BAREFOOT BAY	MS	D. McCLARY	NONE
6:30	WHEEL-A-ROUNDS	904/376-2428	DANCING SHADOWS HALL, BELLEVIEW	P/Rds	R. HOGAN	S. GRAHAM
7:30	ORANGE BLOSSOM SQRS	407/562-5966	COMM.CTR., VERO BEACH	P/Rds	S.SMITH/W.BROWN	P. WILLIAMS
7:30	GARDEN PATCH SQRS	407/880-3588	TANNER AUDITORIUM, WINTER GDN	MS/P	L. PATTEN	NONE
7:30	HOLIDAY SQRS (Nov-Apr)	904/787-9187	HOLIDAY TRAVEL PK, LEESBURG	MS/P/Rds	GUEST	J. CHAUVIN
7:30	ORANGE ROCKERS (Nov-Apr)	407/330-4431	CIVIC CENTER, DEBARY	A-1/A-2	D. FURNISH	NONE
8:00	DIXIE SQUARES	904/767-4123	CITY ISL REC.CTR, DAYTONA BCH	P/Rds	J. BARRET	A. PHILIPS
8:30	PALM BAY PROMENADERS	407/723-7088	HENNEGER COMM.CTR, MELBOURNE	P/Rds	D. McCLARY	D. MALOZZI
8:30	SUNNI'S ROUNDERS	407/889-2178	FRAN CARLTON COMM.CTR, APOPKA	Rds	NONE	S. THOMAS

FRIDAY						
7:00	SPRUCE CREEK SWINGERS	904/854-2644	SPRUCE CREEK CLBHSE, OCALA	P/Rds	E. FELSTED	M. LAIRKE
7:30	HARBOR CITY SQUARES	407/783-1670	FRONT STREET COMM.CTR, MELBOURNE	P/Rds	GUEST	GUEST
7:30	ORLANDO SINGLES	407/880-1583	BEN WHITE REC. CTR, ORLANDO	P/Rds	D. FURNISH	J. AUGENBUCK
7:30	CLERMONT TWIRLERS (Nov-Apr)	813/424-2957	CLERBROOKE RESORT, CLERMONT	P/Rds	R. HUMAN	V. BURTTNER
8:00	WAGON WHEEL SQUARES	407/892-1935	COMM.HSE, INDIANA & 8TH, ST.CLOUD	P/Rds	D. McCLARY	P. & J. SHANKLE
8:00	WHIRL & TWIRL	407/629-4773	HANGING MOSS CTR, ORLANDO	P/Rds	D. ROBINSON	R. BROWN
8:15	CANAVERAL SQUARES	407/633-0123	McLARTY REC.CTR, ROCKLEDGE	P	S. CLELLAND	NONE

SATURDAY						
7:00	J & M ROUNDS	407/894-5115	BEN WHITE REC.CTR, ORLANDO	Rds III-IV-V	NONE	J. AUGENBUCK
7:15 (1 & 3)	HAPPY HOEDOWNERS	904/753-4181	COMM.CTR, LEESBURG	P/Rds	W. ISHAMEL/GUEST	J. JENKINS
7:30	SPACE TRACKERS	407/452-3841	McLARTY REC.CTR., ROCKLEDGE	P/Rds	W.BROWN/GUEST	P. WILLIAMS
7:30 (1 & 3)	DANCING SHADOWS SQRS	904/245-3945	DANCING SHADOWS HALL, BELLEVIEW	P/Rds	GUEST	J. CHAUVIN
7:30 (1 & 23)	ALLEN/ANDERS	407/723-4247	CIVIC CTR, SATELLITE BEACH	P/Rds	C. WALLTON	V. FURTADO
7:30 (2 & 4)	KISS-A-ME SQUARES	407/847-4963	COMM.CTR, KISSIMMEE	MS/P	S. CLELLAND	GUEST
7:30 (2 & 4)	PIRATES	407/869-4804	CARLTON COMM.CTR, APOPKA	P/Rds	J. LOUDER	R. BROWN

new knee that he acquired a few weeks ago. We'll be glad when he's back dancing again! Rumor has it that he had it programmed to automatically perform all square dance calls.

We're having two A-2 dances in March at the Melbourne Auditorium: March 2 and 16. Call 254-0301 or 783-1670 for details on these dances. Remember too, that Front Street Center is our Friday location!—Kathleen and Wally Bayless.

Whirl and Twirl Moves: A Dream Come to Pass?

Orlando

WE ARE buying our own building.

After many years of hoping, dreaming and searching W & T has found the building that will be our new home. Closing was scheduled to take place in January but has been delayed due to unforeseen difficulty in getting a clear title.

New directions to the new home will be unnecessary since the move is just two doors away from our present location. Extensive refurbishing will take place, including a wood dance floor. This alone should add more years of dancing to the legs of all who will be dancing here. Who can blame us for anxiously awaiting this wonderful event? Watch this space for further developments.

Activities for February and March include a Tenderfoot Valentines Dance Feb. 9, a Bigfoot Valentines Dance Feb. 11, a Sweetheart Fund Raiser Dance with live disk jockey, proceeds to be for interior of the new Whirl and Twirl Dance Hall.

Feb. 18 will be Cherry Pie Night. Let's Celebrate the Presidents' Birthdays and hang the calories. And Feb. 26 is Red Hot Saturday Night with continuous Red Hot dancing till you drop.

March includes Taw Appreciation Day on March 13, when the men do all the preparation, cooking and cleaning up. Guys, get your best dessert recipe ready to roll. Ladies, sit back, look pretty, and enjoy. Mar. 16 is St. Paddy's Dance for the Tenderfeet; Mar. 18 is for the Bigfeet. Wear Your Green!

As for the W & T Blue Bandits, they were active. Four squares raided the Swinging Bears in Apopka. In November they were off again to the Happy Hoedowners in Leesburg and to the Pairs and Squares in Casselberry. They kept going in December with a raid to the Lake County Twirlers in Eustis. Way to go, Blue Bandits and leaders Jim and Sharon Burke.

Frank and Gloria Hatcher on one of the aforementioned raids received an award for 200 points (40 raids). Good job!

November brought W & T's annual Thanksgiving dinner, which took place this year on Nov. 19. As usual it was an outstanding affair. There were over 100 people chomping away on turkey, ham, stuffing and all the side dishes and fixings imaginable. What would Thanksgiving Dinner be without pumpkin pie and batches of deserts? We never found out because they were all there.

During the months of November and January we had the pleasure of awarding the Circle of Service Award to two very deserving couples. To be eligible one had to perform outstanding service in the realm of round and square dancing for at least 3 years not only to their club, but to the Square and Round Dance community as a whole.

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The two most deserving couples were Barry and Adrainna Walker and Dottie Faulkner and Carl Klammer. Congratulations to you both.

December was Holiday Time at Whirl and Twirl and party we did.

We celebrated with two Christmas parties—Dec. 15, Tenderfoot, and Dec. 17, Bigfoot.

The Bigfoot party was enlivened with a performance of The Night Before Christmas by the Wandering Misfit W & T Players. This was a performance never seen before and never to be seen again (and rightly so) but great fun. Thanks are extended to Willie and Mary Waggoner, Don and Marlene LaMoreaux, Roy and Betty Meador, and Keith and Jan Wilkinson, for the beautiful holiday decorations in our dance hall.

New Tenderfoot officers for 1994 are Madelaine and Larry Romeo, Vice Presidents, and Bob Roberts and Corrine Melter, cashiers.

Thanks for a fine job well done to the outgoing VPs, Joe and Elizabeth Pemoulie and to Cashier Willow Santangelo. Our Banner Wall is once again nice and full these days thanks to the Blue Bandit Leaders, Jim and Sharon Burke, and to all the Blue Bandits who have been out on raids. In January they raided the Angel Squares and also the Pirates. All you clubs that have banners hanging on our wall—*come and get them back!* This will give us a chance to visit with you again and to go out and get more.

The New Year's Eve party at our club was outstanding. Caller was Wayne McDonald from Tennessee who was just super, and our Roy and Donna Lee did a great job on round dance cueing.

We had food galore, desserts galore and good fellowship galore, not to mention skits by the Whirl

and Twirl Misfits Actors Association. It is not recommended that any of these performers consider giving up their day jobs quite yet, but their skits really were great fun. Thanks to all who participated.

As someone once said before, "a good time was had by all."

Until next time, remember, be very kind to one another *and come on chillun, let's dance!*—Sid Rothburd.

Space Trackers Recommend State Convention

Rockledge

IT IS AMAZING to see our class progress so rapidly. Such enthusiasm! They are really a fun group to say the least. Rarely do we have late comers and even more rare are the "no shows." This says a lot for the many supportive angels who help make the class more comfortable and relaxed.

Of course the flu season has taken its toll just as it has on our club's attendance, too. Nasty stuff, that flu. All in all, though, the club has held up pretty well through the flu epidemic that is fast spreading across the states. And being in Florida with the flu is far better than being up North in their horrid weather with the flu! We still are dancing with 12 to 15 squares each Saturday.

This article is being written before the big Victory dance on February 19—but I was just thinking of all the new classes in our area. How exciting for them to be able to attend the Florida State convention at the end of May where they can get their feet wet on conventioning and after-parties.

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WEDNESDAYS—Spin Drifters, 7:00-7:30 Early Rounds, 7:30-10:00 Plus Dance. Coronado Center, Corner Pine and Flagler, New Smyrna Beach.

SATURDAYS—Kiss-A-Mee Squares 2nd and 4th, Early Rounds 7:30-8:00; Cues Rounds for evening dance, Community Center, Kissimmee.

SUNDAYS—Heatherwood Squares 1st and 3rd Sundays (*March*), 2nd and 3rd Sundays (*April*). Then no dances until Fall. 2:00-2:30 Early Rounds, 2:30-4:00 Plus Dance. 1925 Harden Blvd., Heatherwood club House, Lakeland

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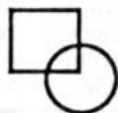
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and I do believe Florida has many, many terrific callers. Let's all help encourage all new dancers to attend both the State and National conventions. They certainly will be hooked on square dancing for life!

We "Trackers" have been very busy with banner raids and retrievals. It seems somehow we always manage an entourage between 40 and 60 dancers each time we venture out. It sure is nice to meet new people and start new friendships or to rekindle friendships already established. We are fortunate that many of our past graduating class have become staunch travelers looking forward to each new club and adding to their collection of visitor's dangles.

It is always sad to learn of clubs closing. And it is doubly sad if a city loses its only two clubs. Such is the case of Titusville. The Sunday afternoon Sundancers always offered so much fun to people who did not or could not venture out after dark. And the Friday night Twirl-Aways offered a great relaxing way to start the weekend.

I encourage all these dancers to seek our other area clubs and not give up square dancing. The Space Trackers extend an invitation to all members of these two clubs to join us to continue the fun and camaraderie of square dancing.—Judy Frye.

25 Years for Wagon Wheel Squares

Saint Cloud

THIS IS the club's 25th year and it looks like we are off to a good start. On Jan. 14 about six squares of Space Trackers from Rockledge along with their caller, Whit and Sue Brown, came to retrieve their banner. They are a friendly and enthusiastic bunch and

we enjoy having them come dance with us.

Congratulations to the Kiss-A-Mee Squares on their 25th rodeo dance Jan. 15. It was great fun.

The club and class barbecue had a real good turnout and a beautiful day. There was plenty of food to be had. Bob Hawthorne and his helpers did a fine job cooking the hot dogs and hamburgers.

The annual Thanksgiving Dance was a huge success and everyone was sure generous in donating food. Winn Dixie helped us out by donating the turkey as they have for the past few years. The family chosen was very thankful and couldn't believe it when the van was unloaded and they received all that food. It just proves that square dancers do care about those people that are having a little bad luck.

The second annual Christmas supper and style show on Dec. 1 will feature modeling by club members of selections from King's Kid Corral: they brought the store with them.

Wagon Wheel Rounders had a pre-New Year's dance on Dec. 29 with Jan and Pete hosting. Floss Kohl and Jack Whitney won the door prizes and Jan outdid herself with all the delicious food she brought and Pete mixed his famous secret recipe punch.

The New Year's eve dance turned out a very nice crowd for a festive time. Between Dale and Darrell Figg doing their best on calling, plus Dale's serenades and Darrell's magic tricks, a great time was had by all. Our own Sarah Sebek did a rousing Charleston complete with her flapper days costume. Charlie Heller as Father Time and the New Year's Baby (Ed Forrest), made a surprise appearance. Food was great and many door prizes were collected by Dot Nimmons.



"Skip" Smith

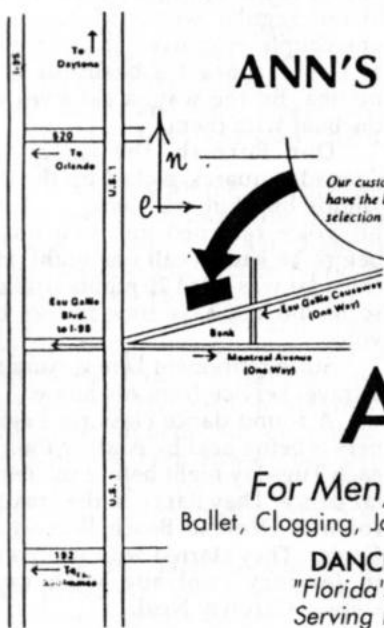
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- Tuesday ... A-2 Dance w/Exp 7:30-9:30 pm Merritt Island Presbyterian Church. Start 9/21
- Thursday (1-3-5) ... Orange Blossom Squares, Vero Beach; Rounds 7:30, Squares 8-10
- Friday ... C-1 Workshop 8-10 pm Canal St New Smyrna Beach. Start 9/24
- Saturday (2-4) ... Dance, Plus and a little more! 8-10 pm Coronado Recreation Ctr, New Smyrna Beach. Starts 10/23

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Three squares attended a banner raid to Buckles and Bows. Eleven and a half couples attended the final dance of the Sundancers in Titusville. —Bev Whitney.

Granada Squares Plan St. Patrick's Dance Mar. 15

Ormond Beach

A ST. PATRICK'S Dance will be held March 15 and the anniversary dinner-dance will be held at 6:30 p.m. April 5. All are welcome to join us for any dance. Please call Bill or Avis Miller 904/672-9894 to make reservations for the April dinner.

Co-President Gerry was welcomed back in January after a bout with pneumonia: out of five weeks Guy was ill, Gerry carried on like a real trooper as President for all but the one day Guy was in the hospital. We are happy to welcome many of our regular winter visitors and one couple even lives on their boat at Daytona Beach's beautiful new marina. By the way, a cat lives on the boat with them.

Don Furnish, the caller for Granada Squares, picked up the laryngitis bug but was lucky to have his voice returned just two hours before he had to call one night. His calendar was filled 20 nights straight so he did not have time to lose his voice.

Since retirement Don is running a travel service from his home.

A round dance class for beginners is being held by Audrey Philips each Tuesday night before the regular dance. They dance in the smaller room at Ormond Beach Recreation Center. They started with waltz and in January continue with two-steps.—Carolyn Neal.

Orange Blossom Squares Dance Sunday Nights

The Villages of Lady Lake

BOB AND MARION SUPLEE, new Presidents of Orange Blossom Squares, have announced dancing every Sunday night in the Recreation Hall from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Villages of Lady Lake with guest callers featured. Jeannette Chauvin cues the rounds.

The club has published a pocket directory listing all dates and special activities during the year.

A Mainstream and Plus workshop is held every Thursday night from 7 to 9:30 p.m. with Walt Ishmael as the caller. The hall is located on Highway 27/441 North at Lady Lake FL.

For information call 904/753-2999 or 753-8546.

Dances are well attended, square and round dance classes are in full swing with everyone having fun while they learn to dance.

Other new officers include Warren and Mary Whitmore, vice presidents, Roger and Janet Dykes, secretaries, and John and Jean Smith, treasurers.

Directors, with the activities for which they are responsible, include Al and Amelia Fleisher, banner raids, Richard and Marie Narloch, badges, Dick and Shirley Martin, square dance class, Dick and Ginny Farley, round dance class, Lloyd and Melba Grass, Elizabeth Irish and Marion McGrath, hospitality, Elton and Jaynelle Mayer, publicity, John and Fern Fowler, newsletter, and Charles and Alice Bradshaw, Orange Blossom Specials.

Ernie and Jane Keckomen are past presidents and Normal Olson is resident agent.—Jaynelle Mayer.

Awards for Banner Raids

768 members participated in 26 raids in 1993, according to Vince and Marie LaRusso of Lady Lake. The following awards were presented at year's end:

Sapphire (for 60 raids) Charles and Alice Bradshaw, Vince and Marie LaRusso, Eldon and Jaynelle Mayer.

Pearl (for 35 banner raids) Ernie and Jane Keckomen.

Big Orange (for 10 banner raids) Richard and Marie Narloch.

Bandit Badge (for 5 banner raids) Al and Amelia Fleisher, George and Fran Stowe, and Warren and Mary Whitmore.

We are proud to show our orange and white colors on banner raids.—Vince and Marie LaRusso.

Going to Oregon in June? 6 Ways to Have Fun there

One way to add to the fun of attending the 43rd National Square Dance convention in Portland is to take advantage of trail dances along the way, states Marvin Baker, Trail Dance Director. He or his taw Tana can be reached at (503) 935-7580. En route for some will be the Washington State festival June 17-18 in Kennewick WA.

Six other ways to enjoy Oregon are offered:

- Collect driftwood and seashells along the 300-mile Oregon coast.
- Shop handcrafts at the Saturday Market in Downtown Portland.
- Cruise in a sternwheeler on the Willamette or Columbia Rivers.
- Tour the rolling hills of the Willamette valley wine country.
- Sleep in Indian tepees at Kah-Nee-Ta Resort.
- Do the caves near Grants Pass.

Central Florida Association Minutes of 16 January 1994

(Edited for Keepin' Posted)

The meeting was called to order by President George Knapp at 2:05 p.m. and opened with a moment of silent prayer.

Minutes of the last meeting were accepted as read. The Treasurer's report was filed for audit.

Area Directors Reports—

Jim McConaha: In recent months the directors for Lake, Marion and Sumter counties have resigned for various reasons. New directors for Lake county, Vernon and Eloise Canaday, were welcomed to the meeting. The appointment of a director for Indian River has been made with Joe and Cindy Ausserer of Vero Beach accepting. They will include Barefoot Bay in their territory. Because of these and other recent additions, the latest update on the Directory of Clubs and the Where to Dance list will be completed in the very near future.

Reports were given by the Hoffmans, Byers Thompson, Vernon Canaday, the Schraders and by Carol Poole for Volusia West. Canaveral Squares have new presidents and are including monthly special dances in their program. North Central Brevard is undergoing change with some clubs folding while new ones are forming. The Palm Bay Squares are reverting to their former name (The Yellow-Rockers) and moving to a new location. All directors report good support for the coming Victory Dance but all have ribbons available.

Blood Bank: (Rose Taylor) CFA's Account #54 has 114 credits as of Dec. 23. This is an increase of 35 units since July and shows outstanding participation by members. David Russell will be presented with a badge bar denoting his contribution and granting him free admis-

sion to all CFA dances, along with a certificate of appreciation.

Mr. Russell is a regular donor and has made major contributions to the CFA account over a period of years.

Membership: (Will Barnhart) As of Jan. 16 we have 444 members. The Barnharts have titled their membership drive, "Take the membership to the people," and are having good results working along with the Area Directors in membership drives at club dances.

Insurance: (Roger Chapin) There are 1833 members in the program, representing 28 clubs.

Keepin' Posted (George Knapp) The last issue was produced and mailed on schedule and there was an increase in advertising for the issue. Rubber stamps denoting "Club copy" and "Complimentary Copy" have been purchased and we hope to see these copies circulating around the clubs in the future.

97 National Convention: (Duke McCleskey) 84 committee positions have been assigned as of this date. An attorney for the convention board has been named. The first issue of The Magic Memo is near completion and those with the "need to know" will be on the mailing list. The convention outfits have been designed and the custom made Florida logo is already on sale. This logo will be used on the back of the purchased vest (to match the aqua pants). The ladies outfit will be made available in a kit to include the pattern.

(Pee Wee Stewart) Ribbons for the victory Dance Feb. 19 are still available from either the Stewarts or the area directors. Deadline for your recipes to be included in the cookbook is March 15. The new order of tee shirts has arrived and the shirts are now available in all sizes.

Other items soon available to promote the 97 National convention are jackets, emblems and belt buckles.

(Jack Hoffman) All of the components of the Early Bird package are coming together and will be shortly ready for mail.

Area Directors Needed: (George Knapp) The positions for directors in both Sumter and Marion counties are still not filled.

Nominating Committee: Randy and Carol Poole are named to chair the nominating committee. Others include Jim and Jan McConaha and Jack and Barbara Hoffman. The slate will be named at the next meeting.

Camping Weekend: The camping weekend will take place in River Forest Campground in Deland on March 18 and 19. There are still spaces for motorhomes available and space indoors for others wanting to camp. Call Randy Poole for information (904) 734-5295.

Lifetime Membership: It is moved and seconded that Dewey and Donna Hendricks, past presidents of both CFA and the Florida Federation, be granted Lifetime Honorary Membership. The award will be made at the Jan. 29 Fifth Saturday Dance in Kissimmee.

Respectfully submitted, Max and Vivienne Garapic, Secretary.

Card of Thanks

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the Central Florida Square and Round Dancers Association members for their cards, notes and phone calls in the recent event of the death of Carol's father. Your prayers and thoughtfulness helped us through a very difficult time. A big yellow-rock to you all.—Randy and Carol Poole, Deland FL.

Round Selections Announced by Round Dance Council of Florida

Round of the Month Selections for 1994 have been announced by the Round Dance Council of Florida.

For Phase II dancers in January and February it was "The One Rose" by Barnes on Marlet MAR 2001.

For Phase II/IV dancers in October/November it is "Don't Be Mean" by Kammerer on Windsor 5201 or 4778.

For Phase V/VI, December and January a special pressing of "The Children" choreographed by Barton is named.

The Classic selection for November and December is "Dream Awhile" by Ellis on Mercury 30004 and Vernon's VR-008.

Roundalab Selections are Given by Wilkinsons for First Quarter 1994

John and Jean Wilkinson announced in January Roundalab Rounds-of-the-Quarter for January-March 1994. Selections and two runners-up include:

Phase II—"Green Green Grass of Home" (Grenn 14121) by Joe and Grace Micketti, "Jiffy Two-step" (Windsor 4546) by Mike and Carol Molitoris and "For Me and My Gal" (Grenn 14275) by Lyle and Faye Long.

Phase III—"Thoroughly Modern Millie" (Chantilly CR1008) by Bob Paul, "Shimmy Cha" (Collectables 0153A) by Dan and Doris Sobala, and "Memories are Made of This" (Collectables 6076) by Neil and Doris Koozer.

Phase IV—"Shadow Tango" (Roper 210) by Bob and Mary Ann Rother, "Somewhere in Time Foxtrot" (special pressing NC88-2-B) by Larry and Pam Wacker, and

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Kitchen Magic from Florida Cook Book Closes March 15

Recipes are wanted for a new cookbook to be entitled "Kitchen Magic from Florida," designed for distribution at the 1997 46th National Square Dance Convention.

It is hoped the book can be placed on sale during the 1994 Florida State Convention: deadline for contributions is March 15, 1994.

So say Bob and Ann Sorensen of Miami, who head the cookbook committee.

Where does the Magic come from?

"You will be the Magic in our 1997 National Convention Cookbook," says Sorensen. "We need your best recipes to include in the book.

"Please remember to double-check all recipes after printing them, so make sure you have listed all ingredients and quantities correctly!"

Categories will include the following:

- Appetizers and Finger Foods
- Microwave Cooking
- Soups and Salads
- Recipes for Campers
- Main Dishes and Casseroles
- Seafood
- Meat and Poultry
- Bread and Rolls
- Cooking for a Crowd
- Desserts

"To add a little humor to our cookbook we would like for you to share with us some of your cooking mistakes and what happened to your family or guests after the mistake!" says Sorensen.

"Like the time I tried to fry an egg for my father-in-law without butter or oil. We will call these Kitchen Bloopers. So come on . . . Share!"

All entries must be typed or printed and mailed before March



15 to Paul and Marie McClain, 5505 E 6th Av., Hialeah FL 33013. Include your name and the name of your club for publication.

Liability and Accident Medical Areas of Coverage

Safety rules are usually followed closely, yet accidents will happen. The accident medical coverage provided by your state association helps protect club members from financial loss due to a covered accidental bodily injury. Liability insurance protects the club and its members and association officials from financial loss due to unforeseen incidents which may develop into litigation against members and organizations.

Detailed description of the liability insurance, including limits of protection, who is covered and where claims are to be filed, is included in a leaflet published by the United Square Dancers of America Insurance Administrator and the National Insurance Coordinator.

Part II, which deals with the accident medical coverage, describes the limits to be paid, \$7500 for death, eyesight or dual dismemberment, \$3750 for single dismemberment, and \$10,000 for usual and reasonable accident medical expenses including dental.

Harbor City Squares

Front Street Civic Center
2210 S. Front Street and
Melbourne Causeway
Melbourne FL

Early Rounds 7:30-8:00 Plus Dance
8:00-10:00 Advanced 10:00-10:30

March Callers and Cuers

4—Jack Pladdys, Cincinnati, Phyllis Williams (Front St)

11—Roger Chapman, Winter Haven, Jim Runnels (Front St.)

18—Chuck Myers, Daphne AL, Vince Furtado (South Brevard Senior Center, 618 E. Melbourne Av.)

25—John Saunders, New Smyrna Beach, Jim Runnels, (Front St.)

For Advanced Dancers:

2—Jack Pladdys, Cincinnati (Melbourne Auditorium, 625 E. Hibiscus Blvd.)

16—Chuck Myers, Daphne AL (Melbourne Auditorium, 625 E. Hibiscus Blvd.)

Jim and Marty Perry Jim and Betty Hansen
(407) 783-1670 (407) 254-0301

Roundalab Selections

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"Somewhere in Time Waltz" (special pressing NC88-2-A) by the Wackers.

Phase V—"The Music Played" (Roper 264A) by Mike and Marsha Burkhardt, "Adios Mundo" (Roper 406B) by Brent and Mickey Moore, and "Somewhere" (special pressing NC882A) by Paul and Linda Robinson.

Phase VI—"If You" (special pressing) by Brent and Mickey Moore,, "Daddy Cha" (special pressing) by Irv and Betty Easterday, and "Emily Emily" (special pressing) by Jim and Bobbi Childers.

Cue sheets are available from publishers of commercial cue sheet publications and/or from round dance record suppliers.

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TUESDAYS, 8:00 P.M.
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First two weeks open for you to decide

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SPECIAL EVENTS

March 16, 18--Tenderfoot and Bigfoot St. Patrick's Dances

April 13-15--Tenderfoot and Bigfoot Hobo Dances

May 5--Luau, Hawaiian Dance
Election of Officers

For additional information call
657-1748 or 677-8721

Roundalab Meets in Portland, June 19-21

Educational features of the 1994 Roundalab convention in Portland OR June 19-21 include the following:

How to teach the Cha-Cha,
Introduction to Slow Two-Step,
Basic Tango,
Country Western Dancing,
Marketing Round Dancing,
The Music We Use,
Teaching Foxtrot and Waltz Together,
Styling and Body Mechanics,
Line Dancing,
Getting the Best from your Sound Equipment.

Central Florida Calendar

- March 13—Taw Appreciation Dance, Whirl and Twirl, Orlando
- March 15—St. Patrick's Dance, Granada Squares, Ormond Beach
- March 15—Closing Date, Kitchen Magic Cookbook entries (for 97 National Convention)
- March 16—Lads and Lassies Dance, Starlight Promenaders, Deltona
- March 16—A-2 Dance, Melbourne Auditorium, Harbor City Squares (also March 2)
- March 17—St. Patrick's Dance, Dixie Squares, Daytona Beach
- March 18-20—Slumber and Picnic in the Forest, River Forest Campground, Central Florida Square and Round Dancers Association. Fun dance Saturday night with J. R. Bledsoe and Roy Brown. (407) 568-6498.
- April 5—Anniversary Dinner Dance, Granada Squares, Ormond Beach
- April 12—Birthday, Anniversary Dance, Angel Squares, Ben White Raceway with Dick Hulbert and Pete Shankle.
- April 14-16—Myrtle Beach Ball in Convention Center, Myrtle Beach SC. With Tony Oxendine, Jerry Story, Darryl McMillan, and Jack and Genie Whetsell and Jim and Priscilla Adcock. (803) 731-4885.
- April 30—Annual Meeting and Potluck Dinner, Central Florida Association, Community Center, Eustis, 3 p.m. Presidents Ball with Whit Brown calling and Audrey Philips cuing.
- May 27-29—"Dance Ship to Shore in '94": Florida State Square and Round Dance Convention, Civic Center, Lakeland. Florida State Callers and Cuers.



CENTRAL FLORIDA SQUARE & ROUND DANCERS ASSOCIATION
5th SATURDAY DANCE

PRESIDENT'S BALL

And

ANNUAL MEETING

With Caller

WHIT BROWN

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AUDREY PHILIPS

APRIL 30, 1994

EUSTIS COMM. CTR

General Meeting 3:00 PM

ELECT & INSTALL OFFICERS

Pot Luck Dinner 5:00 PM

(Please Bring Covered Dish)

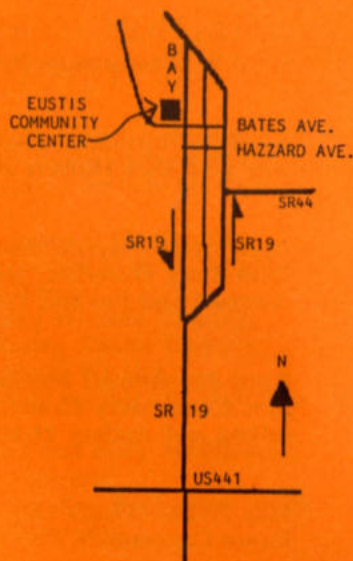
Early Rounds 7:30 PM

Square Dancing 8:00 PM

Alternating Mainstream & Plus

Current CFA Members \$2.00

Provisional Members \$3.00



FOR MORE INFO: 407-568-6498