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"He sees all and gives a hoot"

TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE FOR THE LABOR DAY PICNIC/ DANCE AND THE Y2K NEW YEARS DANCE

#### FROM THE LOFT



FALL ISSUE?? Can it be that this year has passed so quickly that fall is here? Well, on the plus side we know that our winter dancers will soon be arriving and that we can expect some cooler weather. On the negative side we know that the days spent can never be replaced. There is no saving time. It simply

marches on. You either use it or lose it. I do hope that all those who read the BARN OWL have enjoyed the time that they spent this year.

Linda and I attended the Wisconsin State Square and Round Dance Convention held at Stevens Point in August. It was a very nice convention with over 1000 attending. The convention was held in the Holiday Inn Convention Center and the local high school over a block away. Can you imagine walking so far in the heat and humidity of Florida? The Vendors, Mainstream, Youth and Rounds were all in the local high school. It was a very long walk between the two. It was beautiful weather with the low in the mid 50's so the walk was a pleasant experience. Stevens Point is about 1500 miles from THE BARN. We had a great trip and the roads were in great shape.

At the WI convention, Kip and Linda Werner were the Fashion Show Co-Chairman and they did a great job. The theme was The Lawrence Welk Show. They had models from many states including California and Florida. By the way, Florida had 7 dancers registered at the convention and that did not include Kip and Linda Werner or Terry and Jude Zrutskie. Besides Linda and me there was Sharon Calvert and Tom Fontaine. I do not know who the other 3 dancers were. We have some interesting pictures in this issue of the BARN OWL to let you know of some other happenings at this convention. It was enjoyable enough that Linda and I are considering attending a different State Convention each year.

September and October are busy months in square dancing. September is Square Dance Month and during September and October the local clubs will be starting their annual lessons. I have seen a few flyers out inviting new folks to join us in our activity. I hope that each and every one of the dancers in every club are taking these flyers and giving them to everyone

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## **SATURDAY & SPECIALS AT THE BARN**

Sept	6	Labor Day Picnic and dance – Tickets required
		Special Monday Dance – Caller Otis Lutz
l		Cuer Phyllis Williams
Sept	11	Contra Dance – Live Band – 7:30 – 11:00
Sept	25	Swing Night 7:00 – 12:00 midnight
Oct	2	
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Oct	16	
Oct	23	
Oct	30	Swing Night 7:00 – 12:00 midnight

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they see. Don't prejudge, just get those flyers out. Here at THE BARN we are starting a new 10/10 class on August 24th at 7:00 in the evening. We have nearly 4 squares pre-registered already. We have had flyers out for the last 2 months. In fact, we keep flyers out continuously.

There are many dancers and callers who feel that the free 10 weeks of lessons is bad. As a business proposition it makes sense to me. Consider this. Free lessons bring in 10 squares and we give them 10 weeks of free classes. We then charge 10 squares for an additional 20 weeks of lessons. Consider \$3.00 per person per lesson. We will have 80 dancers paving \$3.00 per week for 20 weeks or \$4800.00 in income. Now consider getting 2 squares for 30 weeks paying the same \$3.00 per person per lesson. This would give us \$90.00 times 16. or a total income of \$1440.00. Notice that \$4800.00 is more than \$1440.00. You may say that not all 10 squares stay for the 30 weeks and I say that not all 16 dancers stay for the 30 weeks. If we really believe that square dancing is fun if only people will try it, then what can possibly be wrong with giving the first 10 weeks free? Most clubs will give the first 2 weeks free anyway. That 2 weeks free was not even considered in the above calculations. Look at it like the Internet. All services will give you free 30 days on the Internet as they believe you will stay for the long hauf Linda and I believe that square dancers will also stay for the long haul. This is why we give the 10 weeks free. It is an investment in the future.

Many of you know and have been concerned about Jude Zrutskie. We have really good news to report to you. While at the convention in WI, Jude was there and she was eating. She looked much better and said that things were improving for her. We want to keep her in out thoughts and prayers. Terry and Jude are a wonderful couple to know and we all know Terry is a "Rip and Snort" kind of guy. He certainly worked hard here at THE BARN on the Memorial Hall and clearing the land for the Park. We certainly wish them the best. They will be returning in Oct. along with Kip and Linda Werner. We all welcome those two couples back in a square with us. Again, Kip and Linda, congratulations on a job well done with the fashion show. Your talents could be put to good use if Florida bids on another national convention as expected. It will give you something to do!

As we approach the Millennium ticket sales are going good and we do expect a sell out crowd. If you want to attend the last New Year's Dance of the Millennium, get your tickets now. A real party is planned for you with a great sit down dinner. We have a great lineup of callers for you and Phyllis Williams will do the rounds.

I have received an update on the Branson trip scheduled for October 25th. It is a real bargain at \$899. Per person. We need to get the paper work in as we may need to get two busses lined up. Brochures are available at THE

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BARN or you may get information by calling "Harbor City Travel" at 407-757-7777. Do not wait too long to decide to take this trip.

How many of you would be interested in a trip to Australia? It is one place that Linda and I have always wanted to visit. If there is interest we will get a package together. I would love to see the many wonderful sights "Down Under". We could dance our way across Australia. I will be contacting Joe Downs to get the cost of such a trip.

The 5th Saturday Dance at THE BARN on July 31 was a success with over 20 squares present. It was the President's Ball and we had dancers from all over the state. If you missed it you missed a real good dance. The calling and cueing was great. It was a very hot day but we managed to keep the dancers cool on the dance floor. These 5th Saturday Dances is an excellent way to meet new dancers from around Florida and also to get to know the purpose of the Central Florida Association better. You can schedule the dates well in advance as it is on all 5th Saturdays that occur in the year. They are held at various locations so you do need to pick up a brochure which are available at all clubs. Try it, you will like it. The new area representative for the CFA in the South Brevard and Indian River Area is Sheila Cootes. Please support Sheila when she comes to see you. We need all dancers to join the CFA and help build a strong organization to present the State Convention and to build the blood bank and present square and round dancing to the general public. The cost is chean and when you consider the insurance program, it is a real steal.

The youth group is progressing nicely. We have 2 squares dancing on Saturday morning at 10:00. We have been having new youth each week so we have now started requiring the new dancers to come at 9:30 so they can be taught the fundamentals before the regular class begins. We have hopes of having this group ready for the State Convention in Lakeland in 2000. We thank the dancers coming on Saturday morning to help us with this group. We thank Skip Clelland for filling in for us on the 7th of August while Linda and I were at the state convention in WI. On Saturday, August 14, we had 17 young people at our class. We had 8 present at 9:30 to get them started. On Saturday, August 21st, we met again at 9:30 for the new students and then after the 10:00 class we had a picnic in the park. It is a real pleasure meeting with these really fast learners. If you know of any young people that you would like to see get into this activity please invite them out for our 9:30 session on Saturday morning. We will be getting them in dance outfits shortly. We do hope to be doing demonstrations around the state by Christmas

If you haven't done so yet, start inviting folks out for the new lessons that are about to begin at your club.

#### **GOD BLESS THE USA**

(FOUNDATION Fund Raiser) September 1999



Jerry & Del Reed

"Major Impact" are two words that are tossed around quite often these days. Many times, however, neither word is completely applicable. But.......Those two words are completely applicable when describing the "God Bless the USA" record. What started out as an idea to raise a little money for the Foundation has snowballed into a MAJOR Square dance event.

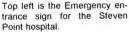
To bring everyone "up to snuff" - the record idea was the brainchild of Doug Bennett and Tony Oxendine. The goal of the project was to raise money to hire a professional marketing firm to help all of us figure out how to attract more "civilians" into our activity. The tune was recorded by 11 CALLERLAB members during the annual CALLERLAB convention in April. At the Tuesday night

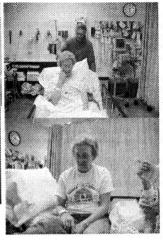
banquet, the artists gave a "live" performance, receiving a standing ovation from their peers. Actually, they gave two "live" performances. The first time, someone (whose initials are Tony) put the wrong tape in, and everyone wound up doing a "live" version to the vocal side. But being the pros that they are, they did it a second time to just the instrumental - receiving another standing ovation. Makes one wonder if any one REALLY knew about the first one?????????

The callers in attendance at the convention were offered the opportunity to purchase (sight unseen) a special limited edition version of the record. The prices for the record were \$25 for a "normal" record, \$50 for one signed by all of the artists, and \$100 for one signed and specifically numbered. In addition, there was an auction for record number 001. The bidding was fast and furious. The opening bid of \$500 was passed early. The next bid of \$1000 was quickly passed as well. The winning bid was

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Top right is Linda about to go for x-rays. Bottom left is the RN explaining to Linda that she hurt herself when she fell and that she has to use crutches and a special shoe. Bottom right is Linda about to be put in the wheel chair for the trip to the car.

OK! Now you have the pictures, here is the story. We had just finished the Fashion Show at the Wisconsin Convention. Well the story starts a little before that. We were about to start the show when the Chairwoman stepped on a lid to the cosmetic container and fell and broke her ankle! What a start to the show. Mary was taken to the hospital. She is doing fine now. After the show we were gathering our things from the "staging" area and Linda came out and hit a slick place on the floor. It was a very slick floor. Many people had already slipped, including me. In any case Linda went down and hit her left knee a good wallop on the floor and twisted her right foot. Now here we are, Linda can not put weight on her left leg because of the knee and the right one won't work because of the right foot. Terry and I took her to the emergency room where they were expecting us. Linda is doing very well now and I won't be as I put these pictures in the BARN OWL for all to see. Especially Dale McClary who got a real rough time from you know who when he was in a wheel chair and got on the wrong plane after his tour. Now, if only this does not come back to haunt me it will have made a good story.

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(get this folks) \$2000. Imagine that - \$2000 for ONE record. The lucky recipients of record number 001 were Bill and Peggy Heyman. Bill and Peggy truly stepped up to the plate in showing their support for square dancing, and our hats are off to both of them.

Immediately after the auction, Doug, Tony, and several volunteers "borrowed" the CALLERLAB registration table to take orders for the record. Man, were they in for a shock! Within a few minutes the line was wrapped around the corridor. Callers were clamoring over each other to buy a copy of the record. CALLERLAB members and partners from all over the world were in line to lend their support to our activity. There was a line at the table for more than an hour and a half.

When the crowd finally dispersed and the money was counted (thanks for all the help, Dar) there was almost \$10,000 in record sales and another \$2000 from the auction - bringing the total to nearly \$12,000.

But that was just the start. In June, the regular vinyl record was produced and offered for sale. Tom and Pam Dillandar of Palomino Records and Bill and Peggy Heyman of Hanhurst's Tapes and Records agreed to distribute and sell the record at no cost. ALL of the money was to go to the Foundation. Orders started pouring in. The record was the number one best seller for both June and July (and maybe August, too). The initial 1000 pressings were gone quickly, so another 1000 were ordered. Those too, flew off the shelves, so a third thousand was ordered. Most of the people in the record business anticipate that there will probably have to be several more re-pressings. Several callers have sold the record at their dances. A couple of these callers have sent in for over \$1000 in sales and donations. Several dancers have bought copies for \$100 and more. It is anticipated that the record could sell as many as 5000 copies - something virtually unheard of in the past decade.

But...... most dancers don't own turntables, and we wanted to get the dancers in on this. So, a cassette tape was produced. Jon Jones graciously donated enough money to press 300 tapes. The CALLERLAB Executive Committee then decided to press an additional 200 copies for a total of 500. The Foundation would pay for the additional 200 copies. We thought that after the National Convention in Indianapolis there would be enough tapes on hand in the Home Office to fill incoming orders. WRONG!!!!!! The tape sold out at the National Convention. Don't worry, more tapes have been ordered, and you can get them from the CALLERLAB Home Office, Palomino, or Hanhurst's.

We do not yet know the exact amount of money that the record and tape
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#### SEPTEMBER BAREFOOT BAY NEWS

Hi! The Barefoot Bay Spinners Square dancers meet on Thursday in building "A" from 12:45 to 3:00.

I've been out for awhile. I had some surgery but I'm coming along fine. Bobbi Bollinger is recovering from her knee surgery and is walking without a cane most of the time. Barbara Popp is recovering from her illness as well. Usually we have more women than men but the tables have turned and at the present we have more men than women. Glad to see Mac and Bernie MacNamee back Thursday.

We won't be having dancers for the first two weeks in August. They are renovating the stage area in building "A". We will be having an ice cream social on the 26th of August. This September we will have five weeks of dancing. All will be at our regular 12:45 time. But on September 23rd we have a luncheon starting at noon. Remember to sign up.

We have been having at least two squares plus a couple of extras. We have two new members, Faith Coddington and Robert Simon. Welcome to you both.

Our first meeting for the winter season will be Oct. 7 at 12:10. Square dance attire is required.

Hal and Marge have led us through a hot summer with Hank and Bobby subbing at times. Ed and Elaine have done a nice job in the kitchen. All of our officers are really terrific. Remember -- Yellow Rock you partner.

Till next time

Emily M. Bedell Secretary - Barefoot Bay Spinners





Some of our Wednesday night dancers. Come join us. 7:00 - 8:30 PM

# **EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY!**

CALLEPLAB, The International Association of Square Dance Callers, is seeking qualified people to fill three positions in the Home Office, to be relocated near Rockledge, Florida.

The CALLERLAB Home Office will move to this area some time after January 1, 2000. A staff of two full time employees and one part time employee will be required. The staff will work for the Executive Director and paid travel to CALLERLAB conventions will be required. Paid travel to National Square Dance Conventions is a high probability.

These positions offer a challenging opportunity to persons interested in working for square dancing's professional leadership organization. Candidates will work closely with some of the best known national and international square dance callers. Close working relationships will also be established and maintained with many of the other organizations in the square dance activity.

Candidates should be familiar with the square dance activity and with personal computer operations. Selected candidates should have some familiarity with data base operations, e-mail procedures, and Internet access.

#### BENEFITS -

Paid vacation, paid sick time off, periodic pay raises, opportunity to work with some of the most talented callers in the square dance activity, and the opportunity to help promote square dancing.

### **POSITIONS** -

Office Manager/Secretary (Full time – 35 hours/week)
Financial Manager (Full time – 35 hours/week)
Mail Clerk (Part time – 21 hour/week)

## For More Information Or To Apply-

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#### PALM BAY PROMENADERS SEPTEMBER NEWS



**VONA BROWN** 

September is upon us and we can now anticipating cooler days of autumn, and eagerly await the return of our northern friends. We miss them. Vacations are mostly over. It's also that time of year to start Beginning Square Dance Classes. The Promenaders will be starting classes October at 6:30 PM here at the Barn Caller - Dale McClary Graduating Plus Level April 27, 2000. Dale is depending on each one of us to make every effort to bring in new dancers. Spread the word around. This is an opportunity to get your friends into the fun and fellowship of Square Dancing. We will also need a host of angels to help the beginners.

By the time you read this our Western Night festival will already have passed - a lot of fun, nice Menu of Chili, Stew, Cornbread, Veggie Tray & Dessert. (Yummy!) All of Wayne

Guice's Round Dance class were invited also.

September Special Dance -- will be held September 16, which will be Pie Night. Bring your favorite Pie & enjoy the fun and fellowship.

Wayne Guice's Round Dance class continues to be well attended. Classes begin at 6:00 PM, followed by early Rounds including the songs that the class has learned.

Congratulations to Carolyn & Dale McClary on becoming Grandparents for the first time. Granddaughter (Hannah) was born July 13, --weight 7 1/2 lbs. This shows us that some of the better things in life come to us in later life. Dale is sure beaming these days!!!

#### **UPCOMING BANNER RAIDS:**

August 28 - Space Trackers -- to Retrieve September 18 - Allemanders -- to Retrieve It sure is nice having our Banner Chairmen, Bill & Pat

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Licensed by: BMI/ASCAP Ludwick back from vacation. We sure missed them. Let's give them our full support on these Raids. Besides it's lot of fun.

Please keep the following members in your Prayers: Be supportive and send cards.

Adriana Suykerbuyk is at home recuperating from surgery. This was a serious operation, and will require a long recuperation period to regain her energy. She & Franz sends their love to all of us and looking forward to coming back dancing. Cards may be sent to: 1395 Hwy A1A - Apt. 203, Satellite Beach, Fl 32937. She loves getting cards.

**Jean Wyckoff** is well on the road to Recovery. She is now able to eat more foods that she is not allergic to. The best news of all is that the last x-ray showed the kidney mass had disappeared. Through prayer, Miracles do happen. We're so happy for her.

Marge Ayres is having her share of health problems also She spent some time in the hospital also. Cards may be sent to her at: 675 E Street Rd. Apt. 2414, Warmister, PA18974-3524.

Our thanks to Pat Ludwick for the lovely cards that she donated to the Club.

#### SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

02 Eileen Noren	03 Tom Monforte
03 Dick Woodward	13 Sharon Calvert
20 Otis Lutz	22 Pat Ludwick
22 Carolyn McClary	30 Andy Musante

#### SEPTEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

5 Carl & Eileen Noren

See you in a square!!!

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# SEPTEMBER Wagon Wheel Squares - St. Cloud



BETTYLEE & BILL TALMADGE

St. Cloud.... The Wagon Wheel Square Dancers have been quite busy but then aren't we all? A few of our dancers went to the National in Indianapolis. We ran into Betty and Ed Hyatt. snow birds, who live in Indiana, but belong to our club during the winter months and had a great visit. one says this was one of the best National's they've ever attended. We found that every one of their executive board were so gracious and congenial and they were very concerned that their quests have a great time. The Floridians attending this National were all smiles as they danced, laughed, and visited. What a great four days of fun. food and fellowship.

We've started planning our fall schedule for the Wagon Wheel Squares. In October we will celebrate our 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. It's hard to believe we've been in existence that long. There are

three charter members still dancing each and every week and they are Sarah Sebek, Mike Mikeal and myself, BettyLee Talmadge. It's been a marvelous 30 years and may the next 30 see us continuing to grow and add members monthly to our long membership list. Our Past Presidents, and we've found 24 of them so far, have all been sent invitations to attend. We're working on a program to be presented about their time of service to the club.

I personally want to thank the Central Florida Square & Round Dancers Association for their honoring of SusanElaine and myself as "Couple of the Year" with our individual plaques which designated us as "Dancer of the Year." This honor was for all the shows and exhibitions we've achieved with and for the square dancers for the past 28 years. We love the planning and detail work it takes to put on the shows that we are invited to do. Someone said the other evening, they did not know we were mother and daughter. Hum, even after all these years, there are still people finding out about us.

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#### **SWINGOUT**

Swingout this month is Saturday Aug. 28th. 7-12 PM

We have Guest Instructors from Orlando, Shawn Swaithes and Donna Bonham. They are Division I Champions which means they go on to compete in the Masters Division in the Country-Western competitions! They will be teaching Cha Cha from 7-7:30 PM. Don't miss them!

Join us for a spotlight dance by Shawn and Donna, mixers, door prizes, and great music and people! Singles always welcome. \$6 donation at the door. Non-alcohol, no-smoking.

Also, due to the success of our dance classes with the Palm Bay Rec. Dept. we will have another set of 6 week classes.

Monday's August 23-September 27th
Beginner 2-Step 6:30-7:30 PM
Beginner West Coast Swing 7:30-8:30 PM \*\*\* No partner needed! \*\*\*

Tuesday's August 24-September 28th. Beginner's Plus 2-Step 6:30-7:30 PM Beginner Plus West Coast Swing 7:30-8:30 PM

Each 6 week class is \$30 per person. For more info. call Laura Beers 727-2457 or email Max10well@juno.com

Thanks for your support! Contact Laura or John for any questions. SwingOut, classes, private instruction or events.

In Japan, Sony Vaio machines have replaced the impersonal and unhelpful Microsoft error messages with their own Japanese haiku poetry. Each only 17 syllables. Ingenious!

Windows NT crashed.
I am the Blue Screen of Death.
No one hears your screams.

The Web site you seek Can not be located but Countless more exist.

Yesterday it worked. Today it is not working. Windows is like that.

Having been erased, The document you're seeking Must now be retyped.

Thank you Patty Martin

A file that big?
It might be very useful.
But now it is gone.

Chaos reigns within. Reflect, repent, and reboot. Order shall return.

ABORTED effort: Close all that you have worked on. You ask way too much.

Serious error.
All shortcuts have disappeared.
Screen. Mind. Both are blank.

# WHERE TO SQUARE, ROUND A

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNE
MELBOURNE  C-1 Dixie Diamonds THE BARN 3820 Minton Road 2:30 - 4:30 PM Jerry Reed instructor 633-1306  CAMPFIRE DANCERS Chapter 082 4th weekend (STARTS ON A FRIDAY EVENING)  THE BARN Class Rounds 6:30 - 8:00 PM Phyllis Williams	BAREFOOT BAY BAREFOOT BAY BAREFOOT BAY TWIRLERS 7:15-7:45 Early Younds 3:00-10:00 Jess Dance Dale McGlay, Caller Jim Reviels, Cuer Information 254-0150  ROCKLEDGE SPACE TRACKERS MCLarty Rec. Center Barton Blvd. 7:30 - 10:00 Class Whit Brown, Caller Information 452-2679  MELBOURNE  YELLOW ROCKERS "THE BARN" 3820 Minton Road 7:00 - 8:00 PM workshop 8:00 - 110:00 Plus Dance Jerry Reed, Caller Vince Furtado, Cuer Information 722-1664  LINE DANCING GPBSC 10 -11:30 AM Glenda Ortiz, Instructor Information 253-1564	MELBOURNE SILVER SQUARES 1300 S. Airport Blvd 7:30 - 10:00 Piles Jory Restocialer Jorge Windle Caller Vince Furtado, Cuer Information 768-2217  "THE BARN"  Line Dancing 10:00 - 11:30 AM Glenda Ortiz Info 253-1564  BARN DANCERS New classes 7:00-8:30 Class Otls Lutz, caller Information 722-1664  BASIC DANCE 8:30 - 10:00 PM Caller: Otis Lutz 407-722-1664	MELBO "THE BARN" Line Dancing 1 Glenda Ortiz Information 25  MAINSTREAR 7:00 – 8:30 Otis Lutz Inst MAINSTREAR 8:30 – 10:00 Otis Lutz Caller

New square dance lessons start every 10 weeks on Tues

# AND LINE DANCE IN BREVARD

SDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
URNE 0:00-11:30 3-1564 A CLASS ructor A DANCE	BAREFOOT BAY BAREFOOT BAY BAREFOOT BAY SPINNERS Community Center 12:45 - 2:45 Mainstream Dale McClary, Caller Information 254-0150  ROCKLEDGE Canaveral Squares McLarty Rec. Center Barton Blvd. Round Dance Class 7:00 - 9:00 PM Vera Smith, Cuer  MELBOURNE  PALM BAY PROMENADERS "THE BARN" 3820 Minton Road 6:00 - 7:30 rounds class 8:00 - 10:00 Plus Dance Dale McClary, Caller Wayne Guice, Cuer Information 722-1664	ROCKLEDGE CANAVERAL SQUARES McLarty Rec. Center 790 Barton Blvd. Plus Dance/Rounds Lessons 7 - 8:30 PM 8:00 - 10:00 Plus/Rounds Callers Skip Cleland, Jennifer harmonizing Vince Furtado, Cuer Information 635-8125  MELBOURNE  "THE BARN" 3820 Minton Road A2 FUNSHOP/DANCE 7:30 - 9:30 PM Jerry Reed, Caller Information 633-1306 A1 Class 6 - 7:30  ROCKLEDGE COUNTRY WESTERN DANCING KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS HALL 3435 S FISKE BLVD. Line and Couples Dancing MC and Instructor Curt Wiysel Teach 7:30 to 9:00 PM Requests 9:00 to 11:30 PM Phone 631-5759	ROCKLEDGE SPACE TRACKERS McLarty Rec. Center Barton Blvd. 7:30 - 8:00 Rounds 8:00 - 10:30 Plus Whit Brown, Caller Phyllis Wiilliams, Cuer (1st & 3rd Sat) Guest Caller 2nd & 4th Information 452-2679  SATELLITE BEACH ALLEMANDERS Satellite Beach Civic Center 8:00 - 10:30 Plus 1,2 & 3rd Saturdays John Saunders, Caller Vince Furtado, Cuer Information 676-5741  MELBOURNE SATURDAY NITE LIVE Special as set up by callers/cuers Call for Information 722-1664 See page 3  Last Saturday of the month is SWING NIGHT 7:00 to -

day at 7:00 PM.

## WORD STUDY OF THE WORD

#### **EVIL**

Every day we get bombarded by more acts of violence. The information we receive via TV, radio and the press gets more violent every day. What is wrong with our world? Can we make any sense of it? I would like to look at Romans, chapter 1, verses 20 through 32 to seek an answer to the above questions.

Ro:1:20: For the invisible things of him from the creation of the world are clearly seen, being understood by the things that are made, even his eternal power and Godhead; so that they are without excuse:

Ro:1:21: Because that, when they knew God, they glorified him not as God, neither were thankful; but became vain in their imaginations, and their foolish heart was darkened.

Ro:1:22: Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools,

Ro:1:23: And changed the glory of the uncorruptible God into an image made like to corruptible man, and to birds, and fourfooted beasts, and creeping things.

Ro:1:24: Wherefore God also gave them up to uncleanness through the lusts of their own hearts, to dishonour their own bodies between themselves:

Ro:1:25: Who changed the truth of God into a lie, and worshipped and served the creature more than the Creator, who is blessed for ever. Amen. Ro:1:26: For this cause God gave them up unto vile affections: for even their women did change the natural use into that which is against nature:

Ro:1:27: And likewise also the men, leaving the natural use of the woman, burned in their lust one toward another; men with men working that which is unseemly, and receiving in themselves that recompence of their error which was meet.

Ro:1:28: And even as they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, God gave them over to a reprobate mind, to do those things which are not convenient:

Ro:1:29: Being filled with all unrighteousness, fornication, wickedness, covetousness, maliciousness; full of envy, murder, debate, deceit, malignity; whisperers.

Ro: 1:30: Backbiters, haters of God, despiteful, proud, boasters, inventors of evil things, disobedient to parents,

Ro:1:31: Without understanding, covenant breakers, without natural affection, implacable, unmerciful:

Ro:1:32: Who knowing the judgment of God, that they which commit such things are worthy of death, not only do the same, but have pleasure in them that do them.

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We start our study by noting that God has made Himself known through the things that we see and experience. There is none that has an excuse that they could not know that there is a God. The more we learn the more that God is revealed. It is not a lack of God revealing Himself to us that is the problem, but rather, our own vain attempts to explain Him away so that we can escape the judgement that is sure to come upon the world. I am not talking about a "hell" that I do not believe exists, but I am talking about the present condition of the world in which we are now living.

We can see these "wise" men daily on TV or in the press telling us that there is no God. That we all evolved from something. We are left wondering where this "something" came from. We are told that the "big bang" is the answer. Where did the "stuff" for the big bang come from? There is no answer that these "learned" men can supply us that can explain what we are, where we came from, or where we will go. Verse 22 states the case for these individuals quite clearly. "Professing themselves to be wise, they became fools." Notice it was "their" profession that they are wise. It is important to notice that "God also gave them up to the uncleanness through the lust of their own hearts, to dishonor their own bodies between themselves".

As we study these verses we will find that God gave them up to 1) their bodies, 2) their Souls and 3) their spirit.

In verse 25 we see man changing the truth of God into a lie and worshipped and served man more than the Creator, God. The very spirit of man is now changed as God gave them up unto vile affections. The very soul of man is given up to lust.

If the above verses are not God's judgement on homosexuals I guess I will never know anything. Our society tells us to be tolerant and the government based on the righteousness of man tells us we are "breaking" the laws to hate the acts of homosexuals. Yet it is these very acts that caused God to "give them up". You read verses 26 and 27 and you decide what God is telling you.

Verse 28 states that "they did not like to retain God in their knowledge, God gave them over to a reprobate mine." Here is the final downward spiral of man. Their very spirit is given up.

The next verses, 29 through 32 really tells us where we are today. We will just look at a few of them.

Haters of God. How can that be? Who hates God? How about the people (Continued on page 22)

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that deny His laws? How about the people that deny His very existence? How about the people that enjoy the very things that God opposes? We are not talking about God's people that fall short of His standards. We are talking about people that enjoy doing the things that God tells us not to do.

Without understanding, covenant breakers. We live in a time when a man's word means nothing. If a person tells you that they will do it tomorrow, all that really means is that they are not going to do it today. It has nothing at all to do with tomorrow. What happened to a man's word? We are a world of covenant breakers. We have legal documents that are used to try to enforce a covenant. All this does for us is to provide the lawyers with a good living.

The news we receive is what we want to see. The violence so prevalent today is presented because the stations receive high ratings. These ratings are based on what people want to watch! Look at verse 32! "Who knowing the judgement of God, that they which commit such things are worthy of death, not only do the same, but HAVE PLEASURE in them that do them."

Now Otis, you have gone too far. We don't have pleasure in this stuff. I would ask then why do we have the movies and TV shows that we do. If no one went to see such stuff or watched such stuff on TV, would they make these things? Of course the answer is NO! It is the profit in these things that keep more garbage pouring out on the TV and movie screens. Believe me, If everyone that professed to be one of God's children did not watch these things, they would soon go away. What a wonderful thought. The filth gone, what would our young people do then. Well maybe they would stop killing, maiming, raping, robbing and destroying each other. Now that is a wonderful thought.

Every time we lower the standard, we find more violence. We can not do away with the 10 commandments. They are a fundamental law of the universe. They are as certain as gravity. Breaking them results in judgement as certainly as jumping off of a high building. We will reap the result of breaking the law. We might try to say that the law of gravity is "old fashioned" and doesn't apply in today's modern world. If we jump from a high place we will die. If we break God's laws, we will die! Not only will we die but we will live the consequences of breaking the law until we do die.

We have a beautiful world. It is full of wonder. We can never learn all that there is to know. We will always be learning some of God's wonderful plans for us. We will do that for eternity. We can experience a lot more of God's planned pleasure for us now – if we will honor Him as God. Men, love your wives as God loved the church and gave Himself for it. Wives love your husbands. A family should reflect God and His church. If we get enough happy families, we will have a happy nation and world.

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#### SEPTEMBER YELLOW ROCKERS NEWS



JIM AND JANE HART

The summer of '99 has come and gone and we are hoping our very hot days will soon be gone also. We hope everyone has had a wonderful summer of fun - visiting with friends and family and seeing new and familiar sights. We are always interested in your travel plans, so tell us about your summer.

Don't forget several activities are going on Labor Day weekend. The

Knot Head Konvention will be held in Lakeland. It is always fun with lots of good callers to enjoy; and there are also great Round Dance cuers.

Monday, September 6 there will be a dance here at The Barn. Dress will be casual. We will eat from 6:00 to 7:30. The Barn will provide hamburgers and hot dogs, but it would be appreciated if everyone would bring a dish to pass. A square dance will follow from 7:30 to 9:30. Tickets are \$5.00 per person which covers the picnic and square dance. Otis will be the caller and Phyllis Williams the cuer. It will certainly be a fun evening.

We want to say a big THANK YOU to Mel and Rita Grenier from everyone in Yellow Rockers for all your hard work; we sincerely appreciate you being class coordinators for the Yellow Rockers and for helping out with everything.

#### September Birthdays

Sept 2

Sept 5 Steve Powers Sept 9 Elaine Voorhis

Sept 18 Marilyn Jonas

Sept 23 Gene DiCerbo

Sept 29 Cecile Ellis

We look forward to seeing you in a square.

Doris DiCerbo

Jim and Jane Hart, Secretary

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September Anniversaries

Sept 8 Franklin & Olga Cech Sept 22 Russ & Joanna Baxter (Continued from page 8)

have generated in sales. A conservative estimate is somewhere around \$30,000

That is staggering!!!!! But that's not all of the good news. This year at the National Convention, CALLERLAB Chairman Larry Cole was presented a check from the National Executive Committee for \$5000 to be given to the Foundation. So.... the total is somewhere between \$35 and \$40.000 and STILL COUNTING.

What started out as a small project to raise some money has blossomed into one of the most dynamic things to affect square dancing in years. Callers, dancers, and dance associations have all gotten the "God Bless the USA" fever. More importantly, it has given us a common goal to work towards. Who knows?????? Maybe a year or so from now, we'll all be watching "ER", and right in the middle of it, see a commercial advertising square dancing. IT COULD HAPPEN!

We hope you will help with this project and share in the joy of helping square dancing grow.

Keep Smilin' & we will see ya in a square!!

Jerry & Del

Subject: News for Barn Owl

Date: Fri, 30 Jul 1999 13:24:21 -0400

From: "Carey S. Slack" <careysslack@email.msn.com>

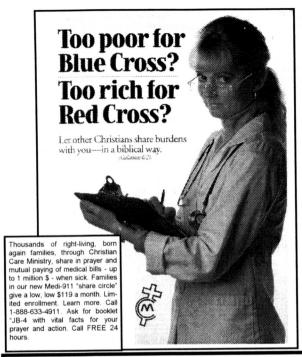
To: <Danceworld@net4u.net>

We have received news that Evelyn Romano passed away May 24, 1999. Evelyn had been a member of several area Square Dance Clubs. She passed away at the home of her daughter in Bangkok, Thailand. After funeral service in Bangkok, she was returned to St. Augustine for family services July 1st.

Her ashes were placed in the ocean by the Coast Guard Auxiliary of which she was a member.

Many of us remember Evelyn and will miss her enthusiasm on the dance floor and her happy smile.

Sent in by Carey Slack





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## DANCEWORLD BUILDING FUND

We have a total of \$1,377.45 in the building fund as of July 15, 1999. We have three people who have signed up for the \$1.00 a day for a year. I have asked these dancers and they have given me permission to use their names. If you make a contribution and do not want your name used, please give us these instructions. There are no contributions to small – and – none to large. We have received a good sum of money in memory of departed loved ones. You can subtract the listed contributions from the total above and see how much has been given in memory of loved ones.

Jack Taylor	— Contributing \$1/day	\$ 80.00
Zoni Taylor	— Contributing \$ 1/day	\$ 80.00
Phyllis Willian	ns — Contributing \$1/day	\$150.00
Wayne and F	iona Wright Special gift	\$ 50.00

We have also raised \$96 in sale of raffle tickets for the beautiful quilt that is on display at THE BARN. Our fundraising staff is also planning some special crafts sales and "garage" sales to raise money. We have a real big project ahead but I know we can do it. If you can see your way, and want to be an active part in achieving a world class dance center here in Brevard, please contribute to this building fund. It will be a facility unlike any other and you can be part of making it happen.

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Please help us keep this information correct. When you change officers, or have a change for the summer, please call us with the information. We will gladly make the changes.

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In November our club plans to fill three Thanksgiving baskets for some families in the St. Cloud community. This is an on-going project that the club has been doing for a great many years. Then in December we'll have our annual Christmas dinner where plans are already in place to make this one an extra special event, since we are into our 30<sup>th</sup> year.

And let's not forget the millennium year that will soon be arriving. The Wagon Wheel's are planning a special New Year's Eve Dance with our own Caller Dale McClary, and John Saunders will be calling, too. On rounds we'll have our Cuers Jan and Pete Shankle with Guest Cuer Wayne Guice to assist. Everyone will get to dance. At this point in time, it looks like we're gonna pack the hall. With just three months to go, we're just about sold out

If we don't see you personally, we want to wish you all the best and "Happy Holiday's" and may the millennium year bring you and yours great joy and happiness.

BettyLee and Bill Talmadge

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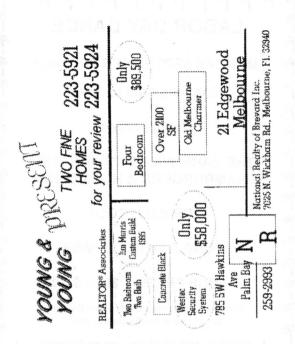
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1999 CFA President's Ball and installation of new officers at THE BARN.

Will and Carol Barnhart are the new Presidents of the CFA. They have some good programs planned for their administration. We all can support them by joining the CFA. Forms are available at THE BARN. Also shown is the outgoing president and Duke and Doris McCluskie. At the bottom right are the workers of the CFA. Please join and give the CFA a helping hand.



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