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Federation News:

June 9-10: Idaho State Square and Round Dance Festival

Hosted by Snake River Square and Round Dance Council (Area 5) at the Boise Valley Square and Round Dance Center, 6534 W Diamond St., Boise
Jack Cowan, featured caller, Cheryl and Geof Manley, featured cuer. Discounted registration price before May 15. Dry camping available at the dance center (first come first served), and special room rates available at the Quality Inn before May 20 (2526 Airport Way, phone number 208-336-0077). Please see the IDAFED website for more information.

June 8: State Festival Trails End Dance

Boise S&RD Hall. Mike & Tani McNees, cuers, Steve Sullivan, caller. 7:00 pre-RD (with more difficult RD first half hour), 8:00 MS with announced plus and 2 RD between tips.

PLEASE send info/fliers about your club's activities to Lynne Krogh, NEW EMAIL address idadfed3@gmail.com. Please note addresses in this newsletter are not hotlinks.

AREA I

Idaho Panhandle Square & Round Dance Association

Area I Representative: Penny Goodman,
pennyg1953@gmail.com, 208-946-0741

Coeurly Q's – on Facebook

1st Saturday (October-May), 7:00 MS/RD, 9:00 Plus, and occasional Sunday afternoon.
Harding Center (411 N 15th St), Coeur d'Alene.

Mar 4: Mardi Gras

Apr 4: Dancing to the Move/ies

**May 6: Celebrating 63 Coeurly Q Years*
(mystery caller and cuer)

Hoodoo Valley Hoedowners – on Facebook

3rd Saturdays (October-May), 7:00 plus/RD3, 8:00 MS/RD2, and occasional Sunday afternoon. Dancing locations include the Edgemere Grange in Priest River, the Athol Community Center* in Athol, and the Jewel Lake Barn** in Sagle.

Mar 18: Shamrock Shuffle

April 15: *Scarborough Faire (plus 3:30, dinner available 5:00-6:30, main dance 7:00)

May 20: **It's a Barn Dance

July 21-23: 34th Annual Jewel Lake Jamboree. Jay Henderson caller, Debbie Taylor cuer. More info to come.

Kootenai Kloggers – on Facebook

2nd Saturday (October-May), 6:30 PL/RD2-3, 7:30 MS/RD2, and occasional Sunday afternoon. Paradise Valley Grange Hall, Bonner's Ferry.

Libby Spinning Squares – On Facebook, or

contact Jo Wilson, jrussell43@frontiernet.net
4th Saturday (October-April), 7:00 plus, 8:00 MS; 2nd Sunday Afternoon Oct, Dec. Jan., April & 3rd Sunday in May, 3:00 plus, 4:00 MS.
McGrade School (933 Farm to Market Rd), Libby MT.

Mar 25: Back to the 50's

May 21 (Sunday): Luau

Aug 4-6: Logger Festival, Craig Abercrombie caller/cuer, more info to come.

AREA II

Lewis & Clark Square & Round Dance Association

Area II Rep: Sylvia and Adam Izbicki, 208-935-7570 (home), adamsylviaizzi@gmail.com, 208-935-8153 (Sylvia cell), 208-512-2289 (Adam cell).

****April 22: Mountain Dew-ers Spring Fling**
Clearwater Valley Middle/High School, Kooskia
3:30 plus, 6:00 potluck, 7:00 pre-RD, 7:30 MS/RD. Gary Baker caller, John Rich Cuer.
For more info contact Adam Izbicki, 208-512-2289, adamsylviaizzi@gmail.com.

Mountain Dew-ers – Current info available at mountaindewers.weebly.com.
Most 2nd and 4th Saturdays (October-May), MS 6:00-8:00, plus 8:00-9:00. Clearwater Valley Middle School, Kooskia.
MS Square lessons Thursdays at 7:00
Round lessons Tuesdays at 7:00

AREA III

Intermountain Square & Round Dance Association

Area III Representatives: Robyn & Del Morton, delsgal@q.com, 208-573-5190.
www.isrdaboiseidaho.org & on FaceBook.

****Rounds with Margean: Two-Step Class**
Boise S&RD Hall. Sundays at 7 started Jan 22.
For more info call Margean at 208-761-9909.

****Beginner Rumba Lessons with Zina Robertson Rapp and Dale Rapp**
Boise S&RD Hall. Monday evenings 7:30 to 9:00 started Jan 9. Text Zina 208-571-7475 or Dale 208-919-1054.

****Modern Square Dance Lessons with Darin Keith.**
Boise S&RD Hall. Tuesday evenings at 7 starting Jan 17.

****March 2: Novice Callers Dance**
Boise S&RD Hall. Roy Viken invites everyone to support the new callers who have been working hard to be ready to call for us.
MS/SSD level squares from 7 to 9.

****March 18: 74th Annual Silverleaf Stewfeed "Hit the Floor"**

Boise S&RD Hall. 6:30 pre-RD with Margean Passey Viken, 7:00 party dance with callers and cuers from the floor, 9:00 dinner. Split the pot, silent auction, leftover food sale.

****March 27: In Like a Lion, Out Like a Lamb**
Hosted by Canyon County Stars at the Caldwell Senior Center (1009 Everett St). Adam Izbicki, special guest caller; Ond Swartz, cuer. 7:00 MS with 2 RD between tips.

****April 5: Capital Squares Spring Swing "April Showers"**
Boise S&RD Hall. 7:00 MS/1 RD between tips. Raffle wo win a patio umbrella with 2 chairs, pie and ice cream after the dance.

****July 7-9: Funstitute "Yankee Doodle Dandy Dance"**
Anderson Camp (1188 East 990 South), Eden.
Friday: 7:00 pre-RD, 7:30 MS/1 RD/announced Plus. Saturday: 8-9:30 Breakfast, 12-1:30 Potluck Lunch, 2-4 square dance workshop, 7:00 pre-Plus, 7:30 MS/2 RD, 9:30 Treats. Sunday: 8:00-9:30 Breakfast, 9:00 Food Auction. Dance building has wood dance floor. Anderson Camp has cabins, 30 and 50 amp rv hookups, and tent sites, contact 208-825-9800 for camp reservations, group name is Funstitute. For copy of flier and registration form go to ISRDA or IDAFED website.

****August 5: Boise Hall 45th Anniversary Dance with Tony Oxendine**
Boise S&RD Hall. Tony Oxendine, caller; TJ & Bruce Chadd, cuer. 7:00 pre-RD, 8:00 MS. For more info go to www.boisesquaredancing.weebly.com

****October 20-22: ISRDA Round Dance Festival "Dance Eat Sleep Repeat."**
Boise S&RD Hall. John & Karen Herr, cuer/teachers. Friday: 7:00 pre-RD 2-3, 7:30 party dance 2-5. Sat: 10:00 workshop 4, 12:00 potluck lunch, 1:30 workshop 4 or easy 5, 7:30 pre-RD 5, 7:30 party dance 3-5. Sun: 10:00 workshop 5 or easy 6. ALSO

****October 19: Round Dance Festival Trail's End Dance**

Boise S&RD Hall. Margean Passey Vicken, Zina Robertson Rapp, cuers. 7:00 pre-RD 2, 7:30 party dance phase 2-3. Especially for new dancers. For more info see IDAFED website or contact Lynne Krogh at idafed3@gmail.com.

Canyon County Stars – www.canyoncountystars.weebly.com & on FaceBook.
Caldwell Senior Center.

** CCS does not have a caller at this time. Planning to dance 2nd Mondays at 7:00 with Del Morton calling and Don Swartz cueing. Social evening (no dancing) on 4th Mondays, Schedule may change as guest callers can be arranged.

March 13: Del Morton calling, Don Swartz cueing, MS 7-9.

March 27: Special Dance with Adam Izbicki calling, see info above.

Capital Squares - on FaceBook. Wednesdays at Boise S&RD Hall, 7:00.

Dance With Me Rounds – www.dancingchadds.com. Thursdays 7:00 (April-Sept) at the Boise S&RD Hall.

Gem State Squares – (all plus) 2nd & 4th Fridays Sept-May; 1st, 3rd & 5th Fridays June-Aug; 6:00 A levels, 7:30 plus. Boise S&RD Hall. For info contact darin.keith80@gmail.com.

Silverleaf – on FaceBook. Saturdays (September-May) at 6:00, Silverleaf Hall, Emmett. 1st Saturday birthday/anniversary potluck.

Syringa Squares –1st, 3rd, 5th Fridays, September-May, 7:00 prerounds, 7:30 MS/PI. Boise S&RD Hall.

Tanglefoot – www.tanglefootsquares.weebly.com & on FaceBook. 2nd & 4th Thursdays, 7:00-10:00 Boise S&RD Hall, MS/PI.

The Thistle & Ghillies Scottish Country Dancers – on FaceBook. Mondays, 7:30-9:30, Eagle Performing Arts Center, 1125 E State St, Eagle. Beginners welcome.

Treasure Valley Rounds – For info contact Zina Robertson Rapp, 208-571-7475, after 4:00. Mondays, phase 3-4, 6:00 to 8:00, dark in August. Boise S&RD Hall. *Beginner Rumba lessons 7:30-9:00 starting Jan 9.*

**AREA IV
Magic Valley Square & Round Dance Association**

Area IV Representative: Reed Dilworth, dilworthreedw@gmail.com, www.magicvalleysquaredance.com & on FaceBook.

Buttons n Bows – For info contact Sue and Rae Ormond, hrsormond@gmail.com, or 208-536-2475. 2nd and 4th Saturdays (Sept-May), 7:00-9:00 at the Jerome High School; workshops Mondays (Nov-May) 7:00 at the Mountain View Barn on Hwy 93 in Jerome.

Magic Valley Dancers – on FaceBook. Workshops Wednesdays at 7:00 Sept-May, workshop third Wednesday July-August, with potluck dinner at 6:30 on third Wednesdays. Jerome Senior Center, Jerome. ** Potluck and workshop third Wednesdays only during the summer.

River Reelers – For info contact Ralph and Brenda Walquist, walquist24@gmail.com, 208-438-5456. Future location and schedule to be determined.

AREA V
Snake River Square & Round Dance
Council

Area V Representatives: Judy & Steve Sullivan, ssjsulliv@aol.com, 208-237-3609.

Mystic Squares –

Fridays, 6:00 NKA, 7:30 Basic/MS/Plus. 418 W Lewis, Pocatello

Spinning Spuds -

Tuesdays at 7:00, Crosspoint Community Church in Idaho Falls (1900 Grandview Dr).

OTHER EVENTS OF INTEREST: Regional, National, Continental

April 21-23: 62nd California State Square Dance Convention
Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds, Yuba City CA. SSD through C, Rounds 2-5, and trail's end dance Thursday. www.CAState2023.org.

May 5-6: *Utah State Square & Round Dance Festival, Dance with Mee in 23*
Town and Community Hall, 140-160 West Main, Midway UT. MS through C, rounds, youth hall. www.utsquaredance.org.

May 12-14: *76th Annual Silver State Square and Round Dance Festival*
Nugget Casino Resort, Sparks NV. SSD through A, rounds, and trail's end dance Thursday. www.squaredancenevada.org.

May 25-29: *34th Annual Yakima Memorial Day Plus Weekend, and 20th Annual Trail-In Round Dance.*

Yakima Square & Round Dance Center (207 E Charron Rd), Yakima WA. For more info, contact Kay & Roger Mahan, 206-612-1781, mahanrk@aol.com.

Yellowrock Campground (formerly Lolo Square and Round Dance Center), Lolo MT. Square and round dances and workshops June through August. For info on dance schedule contact Butch 208-503-0551, or Time 406-218-8677. www.yellowrockcampground.com.

Circle 8 Ranch, Cle Elum WA. Square and round dances and workshops May through September. www.circle8ranch.net.

USA West

2023: July 26-29, Albuquerque NM
www.newmexico.usawest.net

National Square Dance Conventions
72nd (2023): June 21-24, Mobile, Alabama.
www.72nsdc.com.

73rd (2024): June 26-29, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. www.73nsdc.com.

74th (2025): June 25-28, Shreveport, Louisiana. www.74thnsdc.com.

Roundalab Conventions:

2023: June 15-19, Springfield MO
www.roundalab.org.

ICBDA Conventions (International Choreographed Ballroom Dancing Association, Phase 3/4/5/6 Rounds):

2023: July 5-8, Winston-Salem NC
www.icbda.com.