FOOTNOTES

April 2023



Happy Easter

President's Note

Easter is around the corner, and hopefully, so is the warm weather. You know, those two or three nice sunny days with temps in the mid '70s!

Thanks to all the dancers that joined us for the great MASDA dance in February! Our next MASDA dance will be at a different location, so be sure to check the flier in Footnotes. Saturday April 29th, we'll feature Carlene Bohannon cueing rounds and Clyde Couch & John Norris will be spinning the vinyl for the squares. These three should make for a very interesting and fun filled afternoon.

Charlie Petrea has a new weekly podcast that premiered Sunday, March 12th, titled "Square Dance Callers, Talking". His first interview was with Shawn Butler and it was a great show. Charlie has some amazing callers lined up, so check it out! Here's the link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wRm2T7vdybw

If you're still debating about renewing your membership, MASDA has a great schedule for the year, as you can see below. That makes the \$25 a pretty good deal! Please support MASDA. Hope to see you in a square!

Bill and Julie







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| UPCOMING MASDA DANCES | | | | |
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| Sat | Apr 29th | Clyde Couch & John Norris | | |
| Sat | July 29th | Dan Mitchell & Randy Ramsey | | |
| Sat | Sept 30th | Nick Hartley | | |
| Sun | Nov 12th | Tom Miller | | |
| Sat | Dec 30th | Shawn Butler & Charlie Petrea | | |
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| FOOTNOTES ads are due by the 15th of every month. Delivered |
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| by email, Independents and Non-Dancers may receive a copy by |
| sending an email address to Karen Mann at kjmann1@att.net. |

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Metro Atlanta Square Dancers Association

PRESENTS

Saturday, April 29, 2023

*** Ben Robertson Community Center ***
2753 Watts Drive, Kennesaw, GA 30144



<u>Callers</u> Clyde Couch John Norris

<u>Cuer</u> Carlene Bohannan



Mainstream / Plus / Rounds 7:00 – 9:00 pm

MASDA Members: \$FREE Visitors: \$7 per person



For Information Call:

Bill Jarrett: 770-361-3711

Bob or Marilyn Mintz: 770-428-8730

Please visit MASDA.net Square Dance or Casual Attire

Join us for an evening of dancing, fellowship, and FUN!







Location: Western Promenaders
327 Woods Rd NW, Rome, GA 30165



HOTEL ACCOMODATIONS

Make your room reservations early, Rome is busy in May with school graduations, weddings, and special events. *Please check the hotel reviews prior to booking your room.*

Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott Rome (706) 235-9100 90 Match Point Way NE Rome, GA 30165

Hawthorn Suites by Wyndham 706-378-4837 100-110 West 2nd Ave., Rome, GA

Courtyard Rome Riverwalk 706-295-7006 320 W 3rd St, Rome, GA

Hampton Inn & Suites by Hilton 706-622-5631 875 West 1st St. NW, Rome, GA

Country Inn & Suites 706-232-3380 15 Hobson Way, Rome, GA

Quality Inn 706-292-7797 40 Grace Drive, Rome, GA

America's Best Value Inn 706-235-1717 2973 Highway 27 South, Rome, GA

Baymont Inn & Suites of Rome 706-802-1223 2209 Shorter Ave, Rome, GA

Comfort Suites 706-23206605 23 Chateau Drive, Rome, GA

Econo Lodge 706-234-0014 390 Dodd Boulevard, Rome, GA

Holiday Inn Express & Suites 706-232-0021 35 Hobson Way, Rome, GA

Kings Inn 706-233-9364 3471 Martha Berry Highway, Rome, GA La Quinta Inn & Suites 706-291-1034 15 Chateau Drive, Rome, GA

Red Roof Inn 706-234-3161 217 Highway 411 SE, Rome, GA

Rodeway Inn 706-314-1115 712 Avenue A, Rome, GA

Studio 6 Skytop 706-291-2447 20 Chateau Drive SE, Rome, GA

RV & Camping Sites
Cedar Creek Park
6770 Cave Spring Road SW, Cave Spring, GA 30124
706-777-3030

Lock & Dam Park 181 Lock & Dam Road, Rome, GA 30161 706-234-5001

Rocky Mountain Recreation Area 4054 Big Texas Valley Road Northwest, Rome, GA 706-802-5087

Check the GSSDA Website for the *Weekend Schedule of Events* www.gssda.org



As we're thinking especially of Jimmy Carter these days -An Article from Carol and Jay Sargent

I was reminded of a newspaper article about Jimmy Carter that I have saved all these years amongst my square dancing memorabilia, and I thought you might find it quite interesting, if you don't already know about it. The following is verbatim from the article:

"Atlanta (AP) JAN 4, 2012 -- Jimmy Carter may never have been president if he didn't go square dancing. The Georgia Democrat credits a rural square dance club he joined in 1953 with helping him win a state Senate seat by a scant 66 votes. He shared the story in his latest book, "Through the Years with Jimmy Carter."

He writes: "If I hadn't received support from our square-dancing friends, I would have lost and never become a state senator. And if that had occurred, I never would have run for office again."

We hope you enjoy this fascinating, basically unheard-of information about Jimmy Carter.



September 15-16, 2023 – Georgia State Convention, Gainesville GA

Come dance to Dance Leaders from Georgia and the Southeast region - Alabama, Florida, South Carolina, North Carolina, Tennessee, and more. Fun filled weekend of dancing, workshops to learn a new dance skill, Leadership Training Seminars, Yard Sale, Fun Squares just to name a few.



Kennesaw Square Dealers







Square Dance Club







April 14th: Big Band



YES! The 2nd Friday!

April 21st: Empty **Pockets Dance**



Coming Soon to a KSD Square near you!

Dancing Through the Decades May 19th Planes, Trains & Automobiles



Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 1, 3, 5 Fridays 7:00-9:00pm



Caller: Shawn Butler Cuer: Aneesa Barge

Ben Robertson Community Center at 2753 Watts Drive, Kennesaw, GA Please verify dances on www.facebook.com/KSDclub





Square dance attire optional Presidents Bill & Julie Jarrett 770-354-5968







Access our website with your phone camera.



Square Dancing 2nd & 4th Saturdays 8:00 – 10:00 PM *Mainstream w/Announced Plus - Lines – Rounds*

APRIL 8th – No Dance – Happy Easter

APRIL 22nd – Baseball/Hot Dogs Dance

Caller: Troy Grooms

Lines: Randy & Debbie Bradberry

MAY 13th – Train Day Dance

Caller: Troy Grooms

Rounds: Sandra & Gunter Hirschler



Caller:
Troy Grooms

Lines:

Randy & Debbie Bradberry

Rounds:

\$7 Per Person

Sandra & Gunter Hirschler

Square Dance Lessons

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Contacts: David and JoAnne Johnson 678-682-8554 Jon and Joan Martin 770 736-0810

Our beloved Bethesda Park Senior Center is recovering from frozen pipe water damage. Until further notice: Always check our web site for current dance locations.

www.SilverStarsSquareDance.com



Guest caller
Ken Burke



Saturday, April 15 2 to 4 p.m. -- Adv/Challenge 7 to 9:30 p.m. -- SSD - A2

Admission is \$8 for members, \$10 for non-members. Buy one session, get one free!

Peachtree Baptist Church 2108 Briarcliff Road NE Atlanta GA 30329

COVID vaccination required; masks are optional.



































Join the fun at our next MASDA Dance on April 29th!



WHEEL AROUNDS



Mountain View Community Center 3400 Sandy Plains Road Marietta, GA 30066

Dan Mitchell, Caller





Aneesa Barge, Cuer



April 1st Easter Dance

April 15th Anniversary Dance

Sneak Peek....

ALTERNATING
MAINSTREAM, PLUS,
and ROUNDS!
1st & 3rd Saturdays
7:30 to 9:30 P.M.

May 6th Cinco de Mayo Dance

Roll with the Wheels @www.wheelarounds.com

Guy Lee - 770-693-1336 Pat Goldston- 770-565-2203

DANC'N SINGLES





April 8, Saturday **Dance into Spring**





\$25 Per Person

May 13, Saturday **50's Sock Hop!**

WE LOVE VISITORS, COME DANCE WITH US!! Our Dances Are Held At Living Stone Church 545 Lorene Dr. SW Marietta, GA 30060 Family Center (gym) Building #6 770/434-1320 2nd Saturday 7:30 – 9:30 PM

Caller: Buddy Trundle
Cuer: Aneesa Barge

For More Information,
Please Call
Pat Inglis
404/932-5512 or
John Pardue
404/876-2155

MASDA MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL / CHANGE OF ADDRESS

MASDA Annual Membership is \$25.00 per person, which includes six dances

(four with Atlanta area callers and cuers and two with national callers), and annual insurance coverage with United Square Dance Association (USDA). ☐ New Member ☐ Renewal ☐ Change of Address ☐ Change of Email Address **PLEASE PRINT:** MEMBER(S): LAST NAME FIRST NAME(S) PRESENT ADDRESS: ______ CITY ZIPCODE OLD ADDRESS: _____ STREET CITY **ZIPCODE** PRESENT EMAIL ADDRESS: OLD EMAIL ADDRESS: _____ PRIMARY PHONE: Mail this form and check payable to **MASDA** to:

Mike & Marcia Massey 1606 Brentwood Dr.

Marietta, GA 30062

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Linda Robinson – 404-273-5974

SPECIAL EVENTS Elaine Conn –770-242-9011

COORDINATOR:

MASDA CLUB INDEX

| CLUB | PHONE | LEVEL | DANCES |
|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------|---------|
| Bartow Dixie Grands | 770-386-4437 | M/P | M 135 |
| Cherokee Promenaders | 706-266-7284 | M/P | |
| Dance 'n' Squares * | 770-714-4035 | M/P | FE |
| Danc'n Singles | 404-932-5512 | M/P/R | S 2 |
| Diamond Turns | 770-265-5001 | R 2-5 | Th E |
| Hotlanta Squares | Hotlanta.Squares @gmail.com | M/P/A/C | Various |
| Kennesaw Square Dealers | 770-354-5968 | M/P/R | F 135 |
| Lads 'n' Lassies | 770-386-4437 | M/P | S 13 |
| MASDA | 770-361-3711 | M/P/R | S 5 |
| Matrix South | 678-772-9047 | A/C | Su E |
| Silver Stars | 678-682-8554 | M/P/R | S 24 |
| Western Promenaders | 706-409-2311 | M/P | S 234 |
| Wheel Arounds | 770-693-1336 | M/P/R | S 13 |

LEGEND

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| Α | Advanced | E | Every | |
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| Р | Plus | 24 | 2nd & 4th | |
| R | Rounds | 234 | 2nd, 3rd, 4th | |
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| | Seniors 55+ | | | |

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