Ta' Lana Twirlers 34th Annual

EASTER BUNNY HOP

Monday, April 17, 2017
at the Sorrento Memorial Hall
located just off the Trans Canada Hwy, on Passchendaele Rd. west of Sorrento town centre

with our featured guest caller & cuer
Heather Wallace

Don't miss the Afternoon Plus Dance!

Afternoon Plus: 2 - 4:30 pm with 1/2 hour pre rounds
Mainstream Dance: 7 - 9:30 pm with 1/2 hour pre rounds
Admission: $10 per dance - includes lunch at 9:30 pm

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*Serving Square & Round Dancers, Contra & Cloggers throughout British Columbia*

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- **Got 2 B Cloggin**: Lynda Colautti
- **Okanagan Cloggin**: Barb Bizovie
- **Penticton Squares**: Diane Tucker
- **R&R Rounders**: Regine Anderson
- **Rhythm Rounds**: Peter & Stella Tenant
- **Star Country Squares**: Yvonne & Len Leduc
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Region 3 - OSRDA
Apr. 9: OSRDA General Meeting
May 13: Freshmen’s Frolic
Oct. 14: Singalong
Oct. 22: OSRDA General Meeting

Region 9 - T-SS&RDA
Apr 23: Freshman’s Frolic
Jun 16 - 18: Chase the Fun
Oct 15: Thanksgiving Dance
Nov 19: Winter’s Eve Dance

2018
Jan 21: 3/4 Dance
Feb 18: Valentine Dance
Mar 8: St. Patrick’s Dance
Apr 22: Freshman’s Frolic

With the exception of February, TSSRDA dances are preceded by the regional general meeting.

PLEASE NOTE:
Change of Venue for Chase the Fun 2017
Adams Lake Recreation & Conference Centre
6349 Chief Jules Drive, Chase, BC
www.alrcc.net
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4 Ways Family Dance Club
Salmon Arm
Youth * Contra
Ranchero Elementary School
Monday Evening 6:30 - 8:30 pm
Instructor: Jean & Bill Wood
www.4waysfamilydance.com
For more information, please contact
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Don’s Plus Club
Salmon Arm
Plus
Don’s Garage
Monday Afternoons: 1:30 - 3:30 pm
Caller: Don & Marlene Krebs
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Enderby River Dancers
Enderby
Mainstream * Rounds
Enderby Senior’s Centre
1101 Highway 97A
Across from the red basket
Friday Evenings 7 - 9:30 pm
Caller/Cuer: Allan & Laura Peterson
www.riverdancers.squaredance.bc.ca
For more information please contact
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Got 2 B Cloggin
Kelowna
Beginner * Easy * Intermediate Advanced
Okanagan Boys & Girls Club
1434 Graham Road, Kelowna
Beginner & Intermediate
Monday Evenings starting at 6 pm
West Kelowna
Okanagan Boys & Girls Club
2829 Inverness Road, West Kelowna
Advanced Classes
Wednesday Evenings, starting at 6 pm
Instructor: Lynda Colautti, CCI
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Gold Classic Dancers
Chase
Round Dance Phase 2+ 3 & 3+
Chase Community Hall
547 Shuswap Avenue
Tuesday Afternoons 1:30 - 3:30 pm
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Kamloops  
**Plus * Round**  
*St. Paul’s Cathedral Hall*  
360 Nicola Street  
Wednesday Night Plus 7:30 - 9:30 pm  
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Cuer: Norm Dobbs  
[link to website]  
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Penticton Squares  
Penticton  
**Mainstream * Plus * Round**  
*Seniors’ Drop-in Centre*  
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Tuesday Nights  
New Dancers 6 - 7 pm  
Mainstream 7 - 9 pm - 2 Rounds Between Tips  
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Kelowna & West Kelowna  
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Monday Evenings starting at 6 pm  
*Mission Hall*  
4409 Lakeshore Rd, Kelowna  
Wednesday Evenings starting at 5 pm  
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**Round Dance Phase II, II+ & III+ & IV**  
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Salmon Arm
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Salmon Arm Squares
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Mainstream
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170 5th Avenue, SW
Wednesday Evenings
Mainstream 7 - 9 pm
Round Dance - Last Wednesday of the month
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Westsyde Squares
West Kelowna
Mainstream * Rounds
Westbank United Church Hall
3672 Brown Rd.
Wednesday Nights
New Dancer 6 - 7:30 pm
Mainstream 7:30 - 9:45 pm
2 Rounds between tips
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Blind Bay Community Hall
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West Coast * Mainstream * Plus * Round
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Kamloops
Desert Gardens Community Centre
540 Seymour Street
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Westcoast New Dancer 7 - 8:30 pm
Mainstream 8:30 - 10 pm
Meyer Dance Studio
Phase 2 waltz & 2 step lessons
Tuesday - 7 - 9:30 pm
Chase - Plus
Chase Community Hall
547 Shuswap Avenue
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GEER GREEN
DOOG KLC GOOD LUCK 2
CIAIREKLI LIMERICK
TOP PO DOLG POT OF GOLD 1
SAKES SNAKES 11
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Unscramble each of the clue words.
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From the Editors’ Desk

Another dance season is nearing the summer break. As with dancing, this is the last issue of the magazine for the season.

Earlier this season, due to many reasons, we felt that we might not be able to continue with the magazine. The main reason being the number of odd jobs that the senior editor has on the side, including working to become a caller.

HOWEVER, due to the contributions and appreciation of many of you, we’ve decided to continue on with the Well Rounded Square.

We appreciate those who take the time to send club tidbits, articles and paid posters. Without you, we couldn’t make the magazine what it is.

Now that we’ve cut the number of issues back to four, it has become more manageable and we’ve have had much more success with it than in the past.

Also remember - if one person buys a subscription and then hands the magazine around for others to read, it could cause the price of the magazine to increase so we are able to cover the cost of paper and ink.

We have made one major change for next season; we will only accept subscriptions that are in writing, be it a subscription form (included with this issue) or an email. If you just hand us the money, you might get forgotten in the shuffle. Written forms make it easier to enter into the database so you’re sure to get your copy of the current issue.

As we head into the summer, There are many events taking place. In this issue, we include those that we know about. We double-check all the information that we receive to make sure it’s accurate. The information, including posters, also appears on our webpage - www.wellroundedsquare.com.

You can even view it on your phone if you’ve forgotten the when and where. We know that we use it as a reference when the memory goes on vacation without us.

If we’ve missed your event or you have another to add, please send us the information and we’ll get it online as soon as possible.

We look forward to seeing you in a square somewhere.

Until the fall….

Bill & Jean Wood, Editors

Clubs Return to Dancing in the Fall…

4 Ways Family Dance - Sept. 25th  
Don’s Plus Club - Oct. 16th  
Enderby River Dancers - Sept 22nd  
Gold Classic Dancers - TBA  
Kamloops Square Dancers - TBA  
Nelson’s Tuesday Plus - Sept 19th  
Penticton Squares - Sept 19th (Open House)  
R & R Rounders - Oct. 1st  
Rhythm Rounds - Sept 24th  
Salmon Arm Squares - Sept 13th (Open House)  
Star Country Squares - TBA  
Ta’Lana Twirlers - Oct. 5th  
Thompson Valley Stars West Coast - Sept. 14th  
Thompson Valley Stars Mainstream - Sept 21st  
Thompson Valley Stars Plus - Sept. 22nd  
Thompson Valley Stars Rounds - Sept 26th  
Westsyde Squares New Dancers - Sept 13th  
Westsyde Squares - Oct. 4th
Greetings from the OSRDA

Just maybe, if appearances are not deceiving, we are starting to see a glimmer of spring at least in the south Okanagan.

Since the previous edition there have been several positive events. The clogging clubs, “Got 2 B Cloggin (Lynda Colautti) & Okanagan Clogging (Barb Bizovie) to their delight, have gained new members.

The Rounds workshops held on Sat 04 Feb & Sat 11 Feb with a follow up dance on the 11th were well received and very usefull. It was evident that a lot of us have been cheating, taking short cuts and are rusty in our round dancing but, we did have a lot of fun and great learning experience.

The workshops on Sat Feb 25th and Sat Mar 04 with a follow up dance on the 04th dealt with phase III + moves & dances and certainly had us moving, twisting & stumbling around like novices who know very little about dancing. Despite all that, it was a great learning and humbling experience. Those dancers attending want to have more of these workshops with dances to follow using new moves.

The Spring Fling will be held on Sat Mar 11th at Knox Presbyterian in Vernon.

Plus is from 11:30 – 1:00 pm, Blossom Ball Pre Rounds 2:00- 2:30 pm MS 2:00 – 4:00 pm. Caller – Don Krebs Salmon Arm, Cuer Laura Peterson Salmon Arm. Bring finger food.

Freshmen’s Frolics will be held Sat May13th at Westsyde Sr Centre 2:00 – 4:00 pm. Bring finger food. Watch for posters.

Remember to give your support to as many dancing events as possible especially to those events in the Okanagan Valley. There will be dancing in the park at Vernon, June & July, also Penticton in June.

I hope to see everyone of you during the summer at one place or another.

The BC Federation AGM is being held during Festival 2017 in Cloverdale on Fri July 17th 9:30 – 12:00 noon in East room of Shannon Hall. All dancers welcome.

The next OSRDA meeting is on 09th April 12:00 noon at Westsyde Sr. Centre. Come join us and give your feedback.

Bill Morey
President OSRDA
Okanagan Square & Round Dance Association

Freshmen’s Frolics

Saturday, May 13, 2017

2 - 4 pm

Mainstream (no rounds)

Caller MC: Allan Peterson
Panel of Callers

All callers are encouraged to participate.

Come dance with our new dancers in the Valley!

Admission $10

Please bring finger food

Westside Seniors Centre
3661 Old Okanagan Highway, West Kelowna

Contacts: Bill Morey 250-498-0773 or Brian Elmer dancinglikethestars@gmail.com
Letter from the T-SS&RDA

Not a lot of activity to report about happenings in Region 9.

Most Clubs in this Region still show a declining membership. Two clubs are no longer active, The Bee Jay Dancers and the Salmon Arm Round Dance Club.

Word has it that two of our Caller’s are contemplating retirement but the Association has not heard of an absolute decision at this time.

Our Association set aside $1800 so our clubs could receive some funding for advertising for new dancers in their areas. Four Clubs spent money and two clubs had interested potential new dancers. Two new dancers remain at one club and the other still has dancers. One club sent out 1700 flier inserts with the local newspaper and did not have one response.

Not a good situation.

On a happier note, I am pleased to state that Chase the Fun 2017 is well under way and I encourage everyone in this Region to participate in this weekend.

There are a few changes for this year in that Caller Steve Edlund is returning as our feature Caller and he is doing the Friday night Mainstream dance and the Saturday Plus and Mainstream dances. Sandy and Merv Meyer will be the Round Dance Cuers for Friday and Saturday. Sunday’s Trail-out dance will be with a panel of Callers and Cuers.

Chase the Fun is also moving to a different venue in Chase. This new venue is a larger Hall with kitchen facilities adjacent to the main hall. Information is on the Chase the Fun Posters and registration forms.

Steve will also be returning to Chase the Fun for 2018.

The joint Region 9 and Region 3 Festival 2019 feasibility committee have voted unanimously to recommend to that their respective Regional Associations agree to take this project on and to inform the BC Federation of our intent. This Festival would be the 20th Anniversary of the last Festival held in Salmon Arm in 1999.

We are fast approaching the end of our regular dancing year. Our final Association Dance is April 23 and is also our AGM. Almost all positions on the Association Board are up for election. Please consider letting your name stand for a position. It would also be nice to see a few people come to this meeting to at least participate and vote.

Have a good spring and summer and Happy Dancing through the many events and jamborees going on this summer.

Bill Wood,
President, T-SS&RDA
Enderby River Dancers are still dancing 2.5 squares on regular dance nights and we are doing plus workshop and it’s going over great – everyone is having fun and learning new skills. Allan is doing his thing with the workshops so nobody is left out –

St. Patrick’s Goofers Night was a great success with 2 new caller/cuer goofers with Bill Morey OSRDA President cueing a great round dance and Mary Potter from Westsyde Squares did a great singing call – Mary was a teenage caller and did a great job – hope she continues and the same goes for Bill. Another new caller/cuer was Matt Mahon from Talana Twirlers and Enderby River Dancers – it was good to see Matt again and he did a great job. Mike Leach from Star Country did his turn at the mic and did a couple of singing calls and Wendy Winterhalder from Enderby also did a couple of good singing calls – Both Jim and Liz Ellis (from Enderby) did cueing and were great – we encourage them to continue with their calling/cueing – we sure need additional callers and cuers.

At the end of the evening Allan Peterson gave out Leprechan Goofer badges to those that took part in Enderby’s Goofers night.

We are back to our regular dancing with plus mixed with mainstream until April 21st which is Grad Bash for all new dancers in Region 3 and 9 who attend free receive their Grad Bash dangle – come out and meet the new dancers. See you then

Keep smiling and keep dancing

Bob and Grace Byrne,
President Couple, Enderby River Dancers
Edging into Spring we will celebrate our eight New Dancers with a Graduation Night at 7 p.m. on April 6th at the Halina Centre. April 12th we will hold a Pot Luck dinner and final Club night for the season. Doors at 6:00 p.m., supper at 6:30 p.m. Everyone is invited to join us for a fun dance and social. Just bring a dish, dishes and a smile.

April 22nd is our Spring Fling Party Night at Knox Presbyterian Church where we always enjoy hosting dancers from around the Valley. Check out our Poster!

June 6th - July 25th features Dancing in the Park with MC's from neighbouring clubs sharing their expertise. Plus at 6:15 p.m., Mainstream at 7:00 p.m. July 25th come join us with your picnic supper at 5:30 p.m. in the beautiful Polson Park, Vernon, with dancing to follow.

September 9th - Star Country Squares member Darlene Poetker invites all square dancers to a SHINDIG at her home on a drop in basis - no registration necessary. There is room for RV's and a tenting area is also available for dancers. Allan Peterson will MC and guest callers are welcome. Mark your calendars for September 9th and enjoy something different! BBQ and Fire Pit available and musical instruments welcome! Casual dress and event will be by donation. Details will follow in due course.

Submitted by Yvonne Leduc, Secretary, Star Country Squares
The Kamloops Square Dancers would like to thank all those that came out to make our Sweetheart Swing a great success. We had 5 squares dancing in the afternoon plus dance and another 5 squares dancing for the evening mainstream dance. The Brendzy family truly entertained us. We even got a break in the weather for that weekend.

We are looking forward to our snowbirds returning, but spring is coming and our last dance in April will soon be upon us. We hope everyone has a great summer.

Brent Olsen
President, Kamloops Square Dancers

WESTSYDE SQUARES

Goofer Night - Apr 5th

April 8th – Roast Beef Dinner/Dance with Gary Winter Caller and Allan & Laura Peterson are the Cuers.

Supper 5:30 pm,
Pre-rounds 7:00 – 7:30
Mainstream 7:30 – 10:00 pm.
Tickets $25.00 supper/dance;
$15.00 supper only;
$10.00 for dance.
Bring your dishes & cutlery.
This is a Gluten Free meal.
Graduation of New Dancers will be April 22nd

AGM – POT LUCK SUPPER NO DANCE – April 19th

Westsyde Squares are dancing to the end of May.

Start up for New Dancers will be September 13th

Start up for Club will be October 4th

60th Anniversary Dance on November 4th.
With Callers – Dustin McGifford, Barry Sjolin co-hosting,
Cuer – Regine Anderson.
Special guest callers Ron Heichert and Bob Brander (2 former club callers).
Pre-rounds 7 – 7:30
Mainstream 7:30 – 10:00 pm.
With refreshments after.
CALLERS
Barry Sjolin    Dustin McGifford    Regine Anderson
Penticton BC    Kelowna BC        Penticton BC

Please come celebrate with us on Saturday November 4th, 2017 Westbank Seniors Centre 3661 Old Okanagan Hwy. West Kelowna, BC

7 - 10 P.M. For info call:

Lynda Bjalek 250-763-0084

ANNIVERSARY
60th WESTSYDE SQUARES
60th

CUER

ADMISSION $10.00
WESTSYDE SQUARES
PARTY NIGHT

Saturday April 8, 2017

Please remember to bring your own Table Settings and Cutlery.

Supper at 5:30 p.m.
Featuring Roast Beef
Dinner
Pre-rounds 7:00 p.m.
Mainstream 7:30 p.m.

Westbank Seniors Centre
3661 Old Okanagan Hwy
West Kelowna, BC

CUERS
Laura & Allan Peterson
Salmon Arm, BC

CALLER
Gary Winter
Edmonton, ALTA

Tickets:
Dinner/Dance $25.00
Supper only $15.00
Dance only $10.00

INFO:
Lynda Bjork 250-763-0983 (Pres)
Ron McMullen 250-769-5446 (Treas)
www.westsydesquaresbc.com
westsydesquares@gmail.com

PENTICTON
Squares

SPRING DANCE

Saturday, May 6th, 2017

Caller
Barry Sjolin
Penticton

Caller
Ken Boyd
Penticton

Admission: $10.00
7-7:30 pm Pre-Rounds
7:30-10 pm Mainstream
Refreshments after the dance

Penticton Seniors’ Drop-In Centre
2965 South Main Street
Contact: Diane 250-497-6970 or dmtucker@shaw.ca

PENTICTON
Squares

Square & Round Dance
at GYRO PARK
(end of Main Street across from Lakeside Resort/Casino)

WEDNESDAYS JULY 5 - 26, 2017
7 - 9 pm
Panel of callers & cuers
Visiting callers & cuers are invited to take the mike

See you on the floor!
Bring water & your lawn chair

Contact: Diane 250-497-6970 or dmtucker@shaw.ca

FALL PARTY NIGHT

Saturday, October 21st, 2017

Caller
Dan Preedy
Mead, WA

Caller
Sandy Meyer
Kamloops

Admission: $10.00
7–7:30 pm Pre-Rounds
7:30-10 pm Mainstream
Refreshments

Seniors’ Drop-In Centre
2965 South Main Street
Contact: Diane 250-497-6970 or dmtucker@shaw.ca
SORE HANDS  ~ Anonymous

This is an open letter to all Square Dancers whether you are new this year or have been dancing for decades, you have all met me.

I am SORE HANDS. You can’t see me, but you can affect how much I enjoy a dance.

Do you squeeze the back of a hand with your thumb on a promenade or a circle left? Do you grab a thumb and twist on a swing through? Do you smack hands on a weave the ring or up to the middle and back?

If you do any of these things, please stop and think. Be aware of how strong your grip is or of how hard you hit someone else’s hand.

Square dancing is about touching hands and lives, not proving who is stronger. And yes, we understand that newer dancers are nervous and forget to let go or hold too hard, but a little self-awareness goes a long way.

Sore Hands can happen to anyone at any age and I could be anyone in your square.

Next time you dance, please, stop and think and have a care how you come into contact with everyone. Gentle touch without grasp or grip is the way to go.

And please don’t forget my cousin Sore Shoulders who can be hurt by a sharp tug on a hand or by not letting go soon enough in a right and left grand or swing through.

Please dancers, dance through life with a gentle touch.

Thank you

SORE HANDS

SUMMER FUN

ACROSS
2. To cook food over an open fire, on a spit or grill (8)
6. The season between Spring and Winter (6)
7. Large, roundish or elongated fruit with hard rind (10)
12. Flavoured ice on a stick (8)
13. Coloured or tinted lenses that protect the eyes (10)
16. Parklike area where animals live (3)
17. Noticeably moist air (5)
18. Gliding over water (2 wds) (8)
20. Frozen, flavoured dairy food (2 wds) (8)
22. An expanse of sand or pebbles along shore (5)
24. An insulated chest (6)
26. Inflammation of the skin caused by overexposure (7)
27. Penticton Jamboree (9)
30. Plastic concave disk (7)
36. Having a high temperature (3)
37. Not inside the house (8)
39. Structure made at the beach with wet particles (10)
40. Walking a great distance for leisure (6)
41. A fertile and delightful spot or region (6)
42. To make brown by exposure to sun (3)
43. A team game with nine players on each side (8)
44. To cultivate and harvest (4)

DOWN
1. Stalks of turf (5)
3. Round red or yellow fruit (6)
4. Small, usually stoneless, juicy fruit (7)
5. An area used for outdoor recreation by children (10)
6. Yellow-rayed flower with edible seeds (9)
8. Eight Month (6)
9. Rucksack (8)
10. Sixth month (4)
11. Seventh month (4)
14. Red fruit with seeds on the outside (12)
15. August first (2 wds) (5)
19. Cooling (2 wds) (15)
21. Weather with rain, noise & lightning (12)
23. Abbreviation for 2 Across (3)
25. Land along an ocean or other body of water (8)
28. Knee-length garment (6)
29. An outing with the participants sharing food (6)
31. Far more pleasant in summer than in winter (7)
32. Blooms (7)
33. July first (2 wds) (9)
34. Prickly-stemmed flower (4)
35. An exemption from work (7)
38. S hoes consisting of a sole fastened with straps (7)
Summer Fun
Jean Wood

**Cartoon**

Boy, that new round dance floor is rough! Tell me about it... I told her I keep running in circles, so she gobble gurned my other foot to the floor.

I seem to do better at calling when no one else is listening. Okay, next tip will be in the car.
Don’s Plus Club

Don’s Plus Club is getting near the end of its season - we had a great turnout for OSRDA’s Spring Fling when Don was the caller for Plus and Mainstream – Don had the group from both regions doing a great job in both events. Everyone had a great time.

– There will be no dancing on March 27th and April 17th –

We will be dancing on April 3, 10th and 24th – April 24th will be the wind-up dance with BBQ at 11:30a and final dance from 1:30p to 3:30pm and we hope to see everyone for Fall Start-Up on October 16th 2017 at 1:30pm-3:30pm in the GARAGE....

This season has been great dancing with Don and everyone leaves the Garage with smiles on their faces.
One of the biggest obstacles to keeping Square Dancing alive is the Age Gap. We - the current club dancers in B.C. are almost all over 60, many are in their seventies. We have a badge for the 80 year olds and now an additional dangle for the over 90.

Good for us! Square dancing has kept us young. But-and there is always a but- where are the 20, 30, 40 and 50 year olds who could be dancing with us?

Square dancing needs to be multi-generational. We need the majority of our club dancers to be between the ages of 40 and 80 with a healthy sprinkling of 20 and 30 year olds and families with kids aged 12 to 19 and yes, the active over 80s.

Problem is, we mostly talk to people who are watching our demonstrations and we talk to friends and acquaintances, as 'word-of-mouth' is accepted as the best way to recruit. Do you really think 20-40 year olds are going to be enthusiastic when a pink-panted octogenarian or an elderly lady in a big flouncy skirt toters up and tells them to try Square Dancing "because it's so much fun."

And do you think the 20 to 40 year olds will be enthused by the out-of-date music - especially Hoedowns - that many of us play? Take a look at Square Dancing as so often portrayed on You Tube and Facebook. It's oldsters tottering around with nary a soul under 60 or 70 toting with them. The Image we portray of our favourite activity does not enthuse the 20-50 group.

So what can we do? First of all, if we are 70 and older, don't recruit friends and acquaintances who are 70 and older. Instead recruit 60 year olds and younger. If you are 60 and younger, recruit only people who are at least ten years younger than yourself.

Callers, for heaven's sake invest in some new music. There's nothing wrong with old songs but the older music does not use modern instrumentation and older hoedowns are hokey. Go to the website "Music For Callers" and listen to what is available. A lot of old songs have been newly released with modern sounding instrumentation.

Prices range from US$6.00-$9.00 - pay with PayPal. Find new music on iTunes at $0.99-$1.29 a tune that you feel comfortable using for your patter -easy immediate download to your digital device using an iTunes card.

Treat your dancers to something new! Entice the not-yet dancers with something exciting! Spice up your entertainment value.
We had a great year, lots of smiling faces, a few struggles, lots of dancing and FUN. With more Round Dances around the Valley, everyone will have places to go to put all their talents to good use.

If you have the time, register for The BC Festival in July – Cloverdale, and/or The Alberta Sq. & Rd. Dance Convention – Sept. long weekend.

The Alberta Convention is always real friendly and a whole lot of FUN.

If you would like to learn to Round Dance, Stella & I will be starting a new class in September. Please contact us in advance (542-3568), to let us know that you are interested and we can keep you informed on date and times.

Our tentative date to start in the fall is Sept. 24.
1:00 – New Dancers – Waltz
2:45 – Second Year – 2-Step
4:30 – Phase III – various

We are looking for seeing you around the dance floor this summer.

Smile and the whole world smiles with you, Frown and you frown alone,

So put on a smile, dance and have fun with the Rhythm Rounds.

Peter & Stella Tennant
Thompson Valley Stars

Dancing
Desert Garden Community Centre
540 Seymour Street, Kamloops BC
Thursday Nights 7-10 PM

Where has the year gone, here we are going into April and our final dance at the new dancer level in Chase is right around the corner.

We have had a terrific year with the mainstream dancers we have retained from previous years and our new dancers who have really stepped it up these past few months. This past month of dancing everyone has been dancing to full mainstream with some pretty fast calling from Merv, keeping our brains and feet working in unison, well most of the time, so much fun. We have been fortunate in having 3 squares most evening and on several occasions have had people from out of town join us while visiting family or friends in Kamloops.

Sandy Meyer continues to cue for us between tips and has a special round she repeats each week where everyone is up working on the round dance either with a partner or on their own. This has become quite a fun adventure for those of us who don't normally round dance.

Jim Flack continues to help with a portion of the calling on Thursdays and his patterns and patter keep us thinking. We are so fortunate to have such a dedicated new caller and everyone appreciates the time he puts into his tips.

Many of our dancers have been making trips to other clubs for the special Valentines and St. Patrick's dances or just to dance on a regular night.

The TV Stars Round dancers are still dancing on Tuesday nights 7-9 PM at the Meyer Dance Studio with phase 2 waltz & 2 step lessons. This is a dedicated group of Round dancers with 14 plus people most evenings.

We would like to thank all our dancers for being so dedicated this year and turning out in such strong numbers - kudos to all of you.

Jim and Ellen Seminoff
Mainstream Club Reps
Thompson Valley Stars

Season Start-up:

New dancers classes (West Coast) will start: Thursday September 14 2017 at Desert Gardens Community Center 7:00 to 9:30 pm.

Mainstream dancing will start on Sept. 21 at 8:30 pm same location.

Plus Dancing will Start Friday Sept. 22 at the Meyer Dance Studio 1:30 to 4:00 pm.

Round Dancing will start Tuesday Sept 26 at the Meyer Dance studio, 7:00 to 9:30 pm.

‘New to You’
Square & Round Dance clothing
 assorted sizes & Styles
 (even some men’s western shirts)

Some ‘Dance’ Shoes
 assorted sizes & styles

contact: Sandy Meyer 1915 Westsyde Road
Phone: 250 376-5636
14th Annual Peachfest Square Dance Festival
Penticton, BC
August 9 – 12, 2017

All dances held at Princess Margaret High School
120 Green Ave., West
(Air Conditioned Hall with wood floor)
- Panel of Callers and Cuers -

Wednesday, August 9th
REGISTRATION &
CASUAL DANCING
2:00 - 4:00 p.m.
7:00 p.m. Pre Rounds
7:30 p.m. Mainstream Dance

Thursday, August 10th
9:30 a.m. Casual Dancing -
Mainstream (free)
2:00 p.m. Roundoree
(50% Phase 2, 50% Phase 3 & 4)
7:00 p.m. Pre Rounds
7:30 p.m. Mainstream Dance

Friday, August 11th
No morning dance so dancers can
attend Peach Festival events or
popular Golf Tournament
2:00 p.m. Teen Dance (free)
To be held at Gyro Park Bandshell
next to Penticton City Hall
7:00 p.m. Pre Rounds
7:30 p.m. Mainstream Dance

Saturday, August 12th
10:00 a.m. Annual Peachfest Parade
(dancers are welcome to participate)
1:30-2:30 p.m. Aquaducks
(at Okanagan Lake near Power St)
2:30 - 4:30 Plus Dance (with
rounds between tips)
7:00 p.m. Pre Rounds
7:30 p.m. Mainstream Dance

**Schedule subject to change**
$45/person for all four days --- August 9 – 12\text{th}, 2017
18 and under $22.00

Drop ins per session space permitting - $10 per person at the door (under 18 - $5)

Please send completed form along with Cheque or Money Order (please do not send cash) to –
“Peachfest Square Dance Festival”, PO Box 21003, Penticton BC  V2A 8K8

For information on accommodation – please visit www.tourismpenticton.com

For information on the Festival, please call 250-493-4248 or email reanderson@shaw.ca or peach-
festival@hotmail.com
Registration Form – Please Print Clearly

Last Name ____________________________ First Name ____________________________

Last Name ____________________________ First Name ____________________________

Mailing Address ________________________________________________________________

City ___________________ Prov/State ____________ Postal / Zip Code _________________

Email: __________________________________________ Phone ________________________

CONTEST:
A perpetual trophy (donated by Sandy’s Badges - crafted by Bruce Spencer) will be awarded at the Festival to the Club with the most pre-registered dancers by June 30, 2016.

To be sure your club is included in the contest, please provide the name of your home square dance club:

____________________________________________________________________________

Club Name ____________________________ Location ______________________________

Full Four Day Package $45.00 / person (includes all 6 sessions)

18 and under - $22.00 / person (includes all 6 sessions)

Prices quoted are in Canadian Funds

Please make Cheques or Money Orders payable to:

“Peachfest Square Dance Festival”
PO Box 21003, 165 - 2111 Main Street, Penticton BC V2A 8K8

Number of Adults ________ x pkg price $45.00 = $ ______________________

Number of Youth ________ x pkg price $22.00 = $ ______________________

Total Registration Amount $ ______________________
REMEMBER, in order for Square Dancing to live on, we need new dancers, new callers and new cuers! IMHO by Jean Wood

We keep trying to sell, “Modern Square Dancing” but are we really doing that?

Your children and your grandchildren probably roll their eyes when you mention Square Dancing.

You could remind them that it’s a great way to spend quality time with the family. To get away from the habit of sitting on the couch watching the tube or being glued to that computer screen or video game.

Social Media is great for some things but people need tactile contact, not to mention the physical activity that is healthy for all of us. Our brains will turn to mush if they are not exercised and challenged. Stress can drive us insane! But then, everybody already knows this, right?

Instead of pushing the health benefits, let’s push the fun aspect. Isn’t that why you started dancing… because it was fun. Way back when, did someone tell you that it was good for you?

Let others know that things change as times change. If we can get younger dancers, we can work around their likes and dislikes. The only way we can know what they want is if they come out and tell us what makes them happy.

I am one of those dancers who is under 60. My children and grandchildren like to dance. They like the crinolines but don’t want to be forced to wear them. They DON’T like the music!

I also know, from experience, that there are those who do not want to dance with the young dancers or blame the new dancers when the square breaks down. Is that fair to them? Does it make them want to come back?

When I first started Square Dancing, I almost ran out the door before I even got on the floor. Why? I was not used to a lot of physical contact and there were all these people rushing to hug me. Even now, I don’t like to be hugged by complete strangers. Should we be giving new dancers time to acclimatize before we start mugging them?

Are we being considerate of our new callers and cuers? Are we encouraging them to continue with a very challenging course of action?

I am a new caller and there are those who complain about the music that I use OR that it’s too fast (it’s still 128 bpm) OR the fact that I like to throw in some of the more unused moves to mix things up. There are those who refuse to give me a chance to show what I can do because I like to be more up-to-date. There are even those who have said that they would rather quit a club if their current caller or cuer retires. Sorry guys and gals, but I find that a little insulting.

Doing demos is great IF you remember that the poufy skirts and yeehaw music is NOT the way to attract younger dancers. It’s very nice to watch but not to be a participant.

Get out there and shake it up! Use the kind of music that gets their feet going and makes them want to dance. Use easy moves so that you can invite them to join in and find out that it IS fun. The best way to learn is to DO.

Too often I hear, “This is how we’ve always done it.” One caller said that we’ve been too easy on our dancers because of their advanced ages and the fact that they can’t move as fast as they used to. Are our dancers getting too used to the same old, same old? So much so that they can at least dance the repetitive moves in their sleep?

We need to seriously rethink how we approach recruiting new dancers. Let’s not forget that some of those new dancers could become new callers and cuers.

So… where do we start?

How about talking about possibilities within your clubs and your region. What are other regions successfully doing? Talk to your delegates so they in turn can talk to the BC Federation. Who knows… that little idea of yours could lead to bigger things. Don’t scoff at those same little ideas or the person making the suggestions just might think that it’s not worth trying. Try everything and then DO SOMETHING!!
Square and Round Dance Weekend
June 16 - 18, 2017
Adams Lake Recreation & Conference Centre
6349 Chief Jules Drive, Chase BC

Directions: Exit off Highway #1 into the Village of Chase on Shuswap Avenue. Turn onto Pine Street. Travel on Pine and go over the bridge, take the second right after the bridge (Village Road). Take an immediate left onto Chief Jules Drive. The Centre is the second building to the right. Website: http://www.alcc.net

Friday, June 16
Trail In Dance with Pre-Rounds
Caller: Steve Edlund
Cuers: Merv & Sandy Meyer
Time: 7:30 - 10 PM

Saturday, June 17
Continental Breakfast
Time: 7:30 - 9:30 AM
Round Dancing - Phase II - IV
Cuers: Merv & Sandy Meyer
Time: 9:30 - 11:30 AM
Mainstream Workshop
Caller: Steve Edlund
Time: 1:00 - 2:00 PM
Plus Dance
Caller: Steve Edlund
Time: 2:30 - 4:30 PM
Catered Dinner
Time: 5:30 PM
Mainstream with Pre-rounds
Caller: Steve Edlund
Cuers: Merv & Sandy Meyer
Time: 7:30 - 10:00 PM

Sunday, June 18
Continental Breakfast
Time: 7:30 - 9 AM
Trail Out Dance
Panel of Caller and Cuers
Time: 9:30 - 11:30 AM

Also on Sunday, June 18
Pancake Breakfast (by donation)
At the Chase Community Hall
Hosted by the Chase Rotary Club
Time: 8:00 - 11 AM

BOOK EARLY
Limited Local Accommodations

Chase Country Inn
Website http://www.chasecountryinn.ca
Toll-free 877-679-3333
Phone 250-679-3333

Chase Lions RV Park
14 fully-serviced & 15 non-serviced sites
Phone 250-679-8470

Overlander Motel
Website http://www.overlandermotel.com
Toll-free 866-679-8633
Phone 250-679-8633

Quaaout Lodge & Spa
at Talking Rock Golf Resort
Website http://www.quaaoutlodge.com
Toll-free 800-663-4303 (reservations)
Phone 250-679-3090

Jade Mountain Motel
Website http://www.jademountainmotel.com
Toll-free 866-717-6849
Phone 250-679-3200

Niskonlith Lake Provincial Park
Phone 250-955-0861

Sunny Shuswap B&B
Website http://www.sunnyshuswapb&b.com
Phone 250-679-8324
### Chase the Fun 2017

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*Weekend Pass (includes all dances) $40 before May 15, $45 after that date
**Dinner tickets must be purchased by June 9, 2017

**REGISTRATION**

Please send Cheque (Canadian Funds) payable to Thompson-Shuswap Square & Round Dance Association
c/o George & Nancy Alison
3533 Eagle Bay Rd, Blind Bay, V0E 1H1
For further info: gonalison@telus.net
250-675-5375
www.chasethefun.com
Computer Printable Patterns

The history of patterns, for the home seamstress, has come along way and is still moving forward. Before 1860 stitchers shared hand traced patterns with their friends and family. They took apart old garments and used them for patterns. In 1860 commercial patterns were just getting started. There were no guidelines on the paper and a very limited amount of instructions. Some of the old patterns are still around, they have mysterious holes in the pieces with notches on the edges. It wasn’t until 1919 that McCall’s started printing directly on the pattern paper. They printed instruction sheets in tiny fonts with a lot of words and small line drawings.

The future is patterns on the computer, printed on regular desk top printer paper. This has many advantages. One - go pattern shopping at any time without leaving the house. Two - print the pattern and then copy or reprint a spare. Or just keep it in a computer file. Three - copy paper is stronger than pattern tissue. Four - many more patterns choices, from major pattern companies to small independent designers. Five - the pattern companies save money and resources by not printing and distributing patterns that don’t sell and are trashed at the end of the season. Six - pattern companies can keep a larger selection of patterns in their catalogs when they are printable.

Printable patterns come with step-by-step instructions, a list of necessary notions, fabric yardage and pattern layout suggestions. Just like the ones from the store. Some of them have online videos and a help desk that can be emailed. Invest in file folders, large manila envelopes or plastic bags to store computer generated patterns.

Many of the online patterns must be purchased. They usually cost a lot less than the same pattern from a store. Most of the purchased patterns have a restriction on the number of times they can be downloaded, but there is always the copy machine. By looking on line free patterns for almost everything can be found. Even the major pattern companies have some free downloads. Just type 'sewing patterns free' into your search engine.

Charitable organizations, including those who provide support for cancer patients, premature infants and injured veterans, provide free downloadable sewing patterns. Specialty patterns are available that include back opening dresses, Velcro closures and side seams - helpful for people whose movements are restricted. Tiny little hospital gowns for infants and projects to help foster children are always appreciated.

There are programs for designing garments on the computer. Wild Ginger (PC)
and Cochineal (Mac) are two of the better known brands. Input measurements and select a basic design. From there the possibilities are endless. Change the neckline, redraw the sleeves and add a ruffle. There are some CDs with a number of garments already styled. Input your measurements and get the design you want, that is fit perfectly for you. Heirloom and wardrobe pattern collections, available on CD’s, can contain hundreds of patterns.

Computer patterns may be in PDF, JPG, TFF or BITMAP format. Make sure to check the computer system requirements before buying and trying to print a pattern. Many need specific operating software, cookie and ActiveX enabling. Most printable patterns need either Windows or Internet Explorer. These come standard on most personal desktop computers and laptops.

These programs can go through a lot of paper. Check the number of pages that will be printed and make sure the paper drawer is full. This is a great place to recycle paper that has printing on one side. It doesn’t matter what is on the back of the pattern.

Printable patterns need to be assembled after printing. Pages are called tiles, each piece of paper contains one section of the pattern. They are taped or glued together, then cut out, like traditional tissue patterns. Assembling the pages is easy, just match the marks on each page. Tracing the assembled pattern pieces on to pattern paper may make them easier to use.

The assembly step can be avoided by taking the computer file to a business supply company that prints blueprint sized copies. This service can be expensive.

Once you get accustomed to this new way of thinking of patterns, you will see what fun it is. Greater selection, computer generated just-for-me sizing, and ease of shopping will get you excited about this new generation of sewing.

The only constant in life is change.
BC FESTIVAL 2017

SQUARE & ROUND DANCE MINI FESTIVAL
JULY 6, 7, 8
Cloverdale Rodeo Grounds
6050 176 St., Cloverdale, B.C.

THURSDAY
Registration opens at 11:00 a.m.
Dancing and workshops 1:30 p.m. till 5:00 p.m.
Dinner break 5:00 p.m. till 7:00 p.m.
Opening Ceremony 7:00 p.m.; Dancing till 10:00 p.m.

FRIDAY
Halls open at 9:30 a.m.
BCSRD Federation AGM 9:30 a.m. till 12:00 noon
Dancing and workshops 10:00 a.m. till 12:00 noon
Lunch break 12:00 noon till 1:30 p.m.
Dancing and workshops 1:30 p.m. till 5:00 p.m.
Dinner break 5:00 p.m. till 7:00 p.m.
Dancing 7:00 p.m. till 10:00 p.m.

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Dinner break 5:00 p.m. till 7:00 p.m.
Closing Ceremony 7:00 p.m.; Dancing till 10:00 p.m.

REGISTER NOW
bcfestival2017.squaredance.bc.ca

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BC Square & Round Dance Federation
Hosted by
Fraser Valley Square & Round Dance Association and
Vancouver & District Caller Teachers Association

Like us on Facebook!
www.facebook.com/bc.festival.2017

bcfestival2017@gmail.com
B.C. is hosting a great opportunity for all dancers in the region to meet friends, dance to a wealth of callers and cuers, enjoy our amenities, and have a great square dance vacation from July 5 right through to July 9, 2017, and all you need to do to join the fun is invest a bit of time in checking out our website (listed below), and register online. It’s that easy. Or pop a form in the mail, and you’re set.

In July, our B.C. square and round dancers are setting up the final plans to welcome you all to a Festival guaranteed to provide memories of fun and friends for a long, long time. To start off our festivities, we have arranged a great Official Trail-In Dance on Wednesday, July 5 right on the Cloverdale Rodeo Grounds, in Shannon Hall, a lovely hall with wood flooring just made for dancing. The fun starts at 7:00 pm with Pre-Rounds, and Square & Round dancing to a panel of callers from 7:30-9:30 pm. This costs only $6 adults/$3 youth under 21, and directions to the hall are located on our website – www.bcfestival2017.squaredance.bc.ca.

Our first day of the Festival activities will be Thursday, July 6, and we hope you bring your club banner and join in the Banner Parade for the Grand March! Our programmers have lined up over 33 callers and cuers to give us all an entertaining three days of dancing to our favourite levels, and our decorations crew will have a sunrise and sunset theme for our enjoyment in the two main halls. There will be a large choice of snacks and beverages available in the halls, and numerous restaurants within walking distance as well. And why not place an ad in our program, letting the dancers in our area know that your club is proud to participate, and mention your future dances. We are expecting visitors from all over our province, and other provinces as well, and many visitors from the USA, and even from Australia. Contact valleycircle@shaw.ca if you are interested. Our fun continues until Closing Ceremonies on Saturday night, July 8, but it doesn’t finish there, because...

We must have a Trail-Out Dance to close the whole affair, and swap stories and emails with our new-found friends, and what better place than at Abbotsford, right next door to Cloverdale, in the ASAA Hall, 33889 Essendene Ave., Abbotsford. Square and Round dancing there will be from 1:30-4:00 pm, with a panel of callers entertaining us some more, and the cost for this will be $6 ($5 if you’re an ASAA member), and $3 for youth under 21. Again, our website (see above) has the map and directions on it. This hall has a great dance floor, used weekly by one of our local clubs, and is also the meeting site for many B.C. Federation meetings and dances, so be prepared to enjoy a great end to a fabulous vacation, and maybe the start of many more.

And please consider our other special events – Northern Twisters 60th Anniversary on June 2-4 in Prince George has Jerry Jestin & Murray Few lined up for a great weekend, contact www.northerntwisters.ca, and the Chase The Fun event, June 16-18, is always a great time as well, contact 250-675-5375, or email gnalison@telus.net.

In August, specifically Aug. 9-12, in Penticton, B.C. B.C. is hosting the Peachfest Square Dance Festival, featuring the world-famous Aquaducks dance along with a full dance program and a chance to participate in the Peachfest Parade. Contact 250-493-
4248, or email reanderson@shaw.ca or peachfestival@hotmail.com. This would be a perfect time to check out B. C.’s beautiful interior region after you’ve met us at the coast.

After all, word is out that our next B.C. Festival is planned for 2019 in the beautiful B. C. Interior, a tourist’s and a dancer’s delight, from the majestic mountain ranges to the streams and rivers and lakes with that fresh mountain water, to our friendly interior towns and cities. In other words, we want you to come visit us, and we welcome you back again to repeat the fun.

NELSON’S TUESDAY MORNING PLUS

Nelson’s Tuesday Morning Plus Dancers have again had a very good year as some weeks we had four squares dancing.

We end our 2016 – 2017 season on April 18th with a luncheon following the dancing at 11:30 AM.

We start up again on September 19th, 2017, this will again be held at the Schubert Senior Centre at 3505 – 30th Avenue in Vernon, B. C. The time will be 9:00 AM to 11:30 AM.

Those wanting to attend our Plus dancing call us at – 250 – 545 – 2259.

Just an update on Kadie, she has had all her treatments for Lymphoma Cancer and is now Cancer Free, she is now back dancing after a very challenging experience.

Happy Dancing to all and hope to see all of you at the many dances being held this Summer.

Nelson and Kadie Reeme
# BC Square and Round Dance Mini Festival

**July 6, 7, 8, 2017**  
Cloverdale Rodeo Grounds  6050 176 Street, Surrey, B.C.  
www.BCFestival2017.squaredance.bc.ca  
1-800-335-9433

## Fees and Deadlines

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**Please list the Club(s) you belong to:**  
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**Registration** *(Please print clearly)*  
☐ 3-day OR Single Day Only  
☐ Thursday  ☐ Friday  ☐ Saturday  
(check all that apply for all registrants listed)

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**Camping**  
Wed. to Sat. nights; Fee includes electricity—does not include water/sewer.  
Showers available on site  
$20/night

Camping nights:  
Wednesday  Thursday  Friday  Saturday  
(Circle all that apply)

**TOTAL**

**Mailing Address:**  
Street:  
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**Payment:**  
☐ Personal Cheque  
☐ Money Order/Bank Draft  
(Payable to “BC Festival 2017” in Canadian funds)

*Please fill out the reverse side.*

2016-03-12
The Well Rounded Square

www.facebook.com/WellRounded2017
Vancouver B.C. District Callers Round Square and Round Dance Federation
Hosted By:
Fraser Valley Square & Round Dance Association
Sponsored By:
BC Square & Round Dance Federation

Roundup Policy:
1. Full refund until May 15, 2017, less a $5 per person administration fee.
3. Spectators pay $2 at the door.

Mail Registration Form and payment to:

B.C. Federation 2017
Abbotsford B.C. V2S 6B1
#57 - 33133 Boulton Crescent
M. Basrgard, Registrar

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Please bring your CLUB BANNER for the Grand March on Thursday Evening!

Please wear your own club badge.

Proper dance attire is required at all B.C. Federation functions.

See website for map and directions

Square and Round Dancing 7:30 - 9:30 pm
Pre-rounds 7:00 pm

6788 176 St., Cloverdale
Wednesdays, July 5th at the Cloverdale Rec Centre

Official Trail-In Dance

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Arnold “Arnie” Gerlinsky 1925 –2017

It is with great sadness we announce the sudden passing of Arnold Gerlinsky on February 15, 2017 at Bastion Place, Salmon Arm, BC. He was born in Humboldt, Saskatchewan on February 25, 1925 and died at 91 years of age. He is survived by his son Gary Gerlinsky (Rose), grandson Ajay Gerlinsky (Ashley), granddaughter Joy Gerlinsky, great granddaughters Rylee, Tori and Sierra. He also leaves behind his brothers Ed Gerlinsky, Alfred Gerlinsky, John Gerlinsky (Madeline), sister Clara Frestadt and many nieces, nephews and extended family.

Arnold is predeceased by his wife Mabel, his brother Tony (Janet), father Valentine, mother Cecelia, sister Marie in infancy as well as his great grandson Nash.

A Heavy Duty Mechanic by trade, he was a proud 50 year union member of the IUOE local 225 and recently received his 50 year watch of which he was very proud. He was also a member of the Moose Lodge and had a passion for square dancing and old cars, particularly Studebakers. He was a member of several square dance clubs in Kamloops, Chase and Blind Bay. He was also a member of the Studebaker Drivers Club and enjoyed driving around BC to various meets. Most of all he enjoyed the people of these two groups. His last years were spent at Bastion Place as his dementia had taken away his abilities and memories to cope on his own anymore. The family would like to thank the staff of the secure ward at Bastion Place for the love and caring he received there and Dennis and Gary who served him in many ways.

An Open House to celebrate Arnie’s life was held on February 25, 2017 at Fischer’s Funeral Services, Salmon Arm.

Share memories and submit condolences through Arnie obituary at www.fischersfuneralservices.com

Dear Fellow Dance Leaders:

On behalf of the Alberta Square and Round Dance Federation, and the committee for the 2017 Alberta Convention, we would like to invite all instructors – callers, cuers, and dance leaders to Edmonton September 2–4, 2017, to attend the 49th annual convention. “Cue it up the QEII!”

We are planning a special convention to be held at the Central Lions facility, 11113 113 Street NW Edmonton, near Kingsway Mall. All dancing venues will be under one roof, with smooth floors, and air-conditioned rooms.

The CDCDA Trail-in dance will be held on Friday September 1st at the same facility and will feature Edmonton area instructors in a pre-programmed format which will offer multiple dance disciplines. No instructors will be paid.

Unique offerings for the convention will include a dance trip to Fort Edmonton, and an invitation to try the various disciplines during several sessions, open to the general public. These sessions will also be available to all convention attendees, for example if a square dancer would like to try round dancing, or clogging.

Detailed information for the convention can be found at www.communitydance.org. You can register and pay on-line, or print a form to mail in your cheque and registration. In order assist program planning, we ask all instructors – callers, cuers, and dance leaders to please register by April 30, 2017.

Dance leaders are the cornerstone of a successful convention – and we look forward to your participation!

Sincerely,

Gary and Eileen Smith
Chair Couple of the 2017 Alberta Convention Committee

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Chase the Fun 2017

June 16 - 17 - 18

Please note: new Venue in Chase
Adams Lake Recreation & Conference Centre
6349 Chief Jules Drive  http://alrcc.net

Our Caller
Steve Edlund

Cuers Sandy & Merv Meyer

Weekend Pass $40
if registered by May 15 - $45 after that date
Includes continental breakfast Sat. & Sun.
Catered Dinner $20
Dry Camping $5 per night

Please send cheque (Canadian funds)
Made payable to: Thompson - Shuswap Square & Round Dance Assoc.
c/o George & Nancy Alison, 3533 eagle Bay Rd. Blind Bay, BC V0E 1H1
or register online at www.chasethefun.com
For further info: 250-675-5375 or gnalison@telus.net

for directions to the Hall
and schedule details go to:
www.chasethefun.com
Registrations are now being accepted for the **BC Festival 2017** in Cloverdale, BC.

Visit their website:  
[bcfestival2017.squaredance.bc.ca](http://bcfestival2017.squaredance.bc.ca)
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