

**Bob Mitchell,
Editor**

Presidents' Message



**Don & Renee Krall,
Presidents**

We would like to start the new Board year off on a good note. This is addressed to the Club members who come to class on a regular basis (which is a big help to our students), but whom we never see at our Club dances or our official visitations and recommended dances. Being a Club member means to participate in as many activities as possible. You are not expected to go to every dance, but a good turnout at these dances makes our club stand out from all the other clubs.

As a lot of us know, square dancing as a whole is getting smaller all the time. When we first started dancing, there was not a whole lot of room on the dance floors. Now you see any where from eight to twelve squares at most dances. So if you wish to keep this going, as we do, all of us need to come to as many dances as possible. August is the start of our new Board year, so please give a big thanks to all our new board members and also to the ones that have served during this last year. Then next year when the time comes, think about stepping up to take a position on the board.

Hope to see you in a square real soon and Yellow Rocks to all.

**Don and Renee,
Presidents**

Board Meeting

August 13 @ 7:30

Don & Renee

Krall's home,

**11425 Debra Ave,
Granada Hills**

August, 2018

Clothing Rack

Tuesday, August 14th, is our next Clothing Rack sale that runs from 6:30pm to 8:30pm. We have many gently used nice items at \$5, \$10, \$15 and so forth. There's even some fun stuff for various holidays. Invite your square dance friends from other clubs and come yourself to check out our lovely items for men and women square dancers.

We will need help to set up from 5:30pm to 6pm and again to put away from 8:30pm to 9pm.

We can also use shopping bags for shoppers to take away their new treasures. If you've hated to just throw away all those extra paper bags from the market, please bring them!

Hugs to all,

Sue Neal-Simental

Caller Coordinator



Bob Davis,
Caller Coordinator

And for your dancing pleasure on a hot August night, straight out of Tucson, Arizona, Rick Gittelman will be on our stage.

Rick is a long time instructor for many clubs all over Arizona and is a full-time caller reaching into Southern California and beyond. Most of us have already had the pleasure of dancing to Rick and have come away wondering why don't we have him in Northridge more often. I have always enjoyed dancing to Rick and his sometimes challenging calls that make the evening an event to remember. And should your square break down, savor the moment and give out a chuckle; we're here to have fun above all.

Just a quick note, as not much gratitude is shown for our round dance cuer Cindy Mower. Cindy has been our cuer since long before I was a member of the Valley Trailers, faithfully showing up at all of our dances to get us started on the right foot, if you will, and warming up the crowd with her forever



Rick Gittelman,
Caller

chant, "OK, square 'em up", so how about a big round of applause for her to let her know how much we appreciate what she does for us.

I'll be looking for you on the 18th of August.

Bob Davis,
Caller Coordinator



July Club Member Drawing

At the Club dance for July, Mylta Woodruff's name was drawn from the hat, but unfortunately for Mylta, she wasn't there. Mylta's attendance record at our dances is very good, so it's especially unfortunate that she happened to miss this one. The pot now goes to \$30 for our August dance with Rick Gittelman. It might very well be your name that gets pulled next time, so you really should plan to be there.



June Advanced Dance



**Michael Kellogg,
Caller**

June, 2018, was a five Saturdays month, so of course the Valley Trailers hosted an Advanced dance. Michael Kellogg and Cindy Mower were on stage leading the activities for 25 couples square dancing, and somewhat fewer for the rounds. The tips were mostly alternating between A1 and A2, but it seemed that all six squares were up for both levels, so perhaps the Club needs to consider eliminating the distinction and just have Advanced dancing with the caller instructed to call to the level of the floor.

Michael called a fun and interesting dance with nothing really difficult, but still with enough challenge that not all squares were always successful, which is how an Advanced dance should be. One sequence he called that seemed to break down all of the squares except one was "as couples, partner trade once and a half...twice" from parallel two-faced lines. "As couples" is an A1 concept that can be applied to forma-

tions made up of all couples, where each couple maintains their handhold and does their part of the call as though they were one person. So the idea here is easy enough, the hard part is getting eight people to see the formations and get to the right places at the right time. After the initial mostly unsuccessful attempt at the call, Michael walked the floor through it a couple of times, and it seemed that everyone was successful with it at the end. Some other sequences also caused the dancers some problems, but none were what would be characterized as difficult, just a bit different from what is seen more commonly, but that is what makes an Advanced dance a good dance.

The computer cards were used for all but two tips, and the dancers all seemed to be fine with that. The nice thing about the cards is that they mix up the stronger dancers with the not so strong dancers, generally leading to a better time for everyone.

It's too bad that there are so few fifth Saturdays in the year.





**VALLEY TRAILERS
SQUARE DANCE
CLUB
JUNE 30, 2018
ADVANCED
CALLED:
MICHAEL KELLOGG**



The Third Saturday Dance in July

Our third Saturday dance in July took place on a warm summer evening at the Wilkinson Center with Steve Moore and Cindy Mower on our stage doing what they do best. Originally Ken Ritucci had been booked to call, but some personal issues came up for him that prevented him being able to be here, and our ever-resourceful caller coordinator was able to book Steve at relatively the last minute. Steve called a very nice dance, and his yodeling seemed to be an especially big hit with the dancers.

Twelve squares were present, which was a nice turnout, especially considering the hot weather, it's the middle of vacation season, and a substitute caller who likely is not as well known by Valley Trailers members as the original caller is. It all bodes well for our August dance when Rick Gittelman will be calling.



Don and Renee celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary the day before our July dance. Congratulations to them. They don't look old enough to have been married that long. They must have gotten married in grade school! :-)





Where are all the men without partners?

Lovely ladies are waiting at the singles rotation signup board for you to dance with them.

Photos by Don Krall





Sue Cohen, Visitation

Our July visitation to the Lads 'N' Lassies was a high energy dance from start to finish. Mike Sikorsky called Relay the Deucey many times, including in the very first tip. His calling was lively and enthusiastic and he had us smiling a lot. He ended with a hot hash tip and eight squares stayed for it.

There were three clubs visiting: Buckles & Bows with 17, Boots & Slippers with 18, and 19 of us! There were about 12 squares, with five for the A1 tip. A few times, Mike was heard saying, "If you don't like what I'm calling, just do your own thing". He'd ask "How'd ya do?" And we heard "Whoa now" a few times. Plan to attend our Club dance with Mike on September 15th. You're sure to enjoy his calling.

Jim Elder cued the rounds, and had a good number of dancers at times as the evening progressed. The club presented an array of delicious goodies, including jello, cakes, baklava, cookies, and of course, chips, veggies, and fruit.

Sue Cohen, Visitation

Visitation Dance Lads 'n' Lassies Mike Sikorsky, Caller



Photos by Sue Cohen



Recommended Dance with the Happy Squares

Charlie Robertson, Caller

What a delight to dance with Charlie Robertson on the 14th of July! Our 20 club members who were present were treated to a lively and upbeat experience. This was our recommended dance and it drew 12 squares. Joe Scarlatella cued for the many round dancers. Charlie had recorded "Desperado" that morning and debuted it for us. One problem was that his pilot squares kept breaking down.

It was a nice turnout, especially considering that Ken Bower was calling for the Trail Dusters at Wilkinson that same night.

**Sue Cohen,
Visitation**





**Recommended Dance with
Happy Squares, July 14, 2018
Photos by Don Krall**

Host and Hostess

Please be there by 7:00 pm. It is your responsibility to find a replacement or switch with someone if you are unable to help, and contact Mary Beatty at 818-363-0009.

8/18
Danny Ball
Ethel Ball
Candice Belcher
Rod Belcher

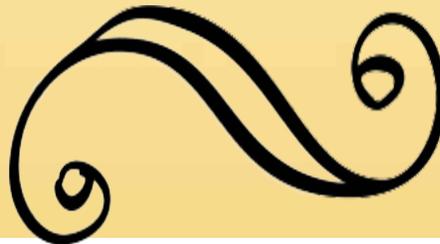
9/15
Virginia Heidt
Chuck McMurray
Minnie McMurray
Tom Nelson

9/29 (Advanced)
Evan Ball
Kathryn McKee

10/20
Mary Beatty
Tom Beatty
Susan Burger
Patricia Streeter



8/02 Francine Kolek
8/03 Barbara Brown
8/03 May Carpenter
8/04 Kay Goeden
8/97 Alan Fick
8/08 Janie Manning
8/11 Paul Libis
8/16 Tina Matz
8/17 Dolores Moutes
8/22 Shirley Nielsen
8/24 Germaine Selim
8/24 Susan Simental
8/25 David Brown



8/10 Marty and Sandy Henriks
8/16 Doug and Tova Sobel
8/17 Roy and Sandy Okada
8/17 Larry and Barbara Weintraub
8/18 Shelly and Maureen Fried
8/26 Jeff and Sandy Cohen

Kitchen Patrol

Please be there by 7:00 pm. It is your responsibility to find a replacement or switch with someone if you are unable to help. Also advise Mary Beatty and Anita Sheidenberger.

8/18
Pam Bailis
Doug Sobel
Jacob Sobel
Tova Sobel

9/15
Jeff Cohen
Sandy Cohen
Sandy DeBear
Charles Greco

9/29 (Advanced)
None Assigned

10/20
Larry Atmore
Marlene Kane
Bob Cirillo
Madeline Johnson



Editor Sez



Bob Mitchell, Editor

In May of this year's issue of Tidbits, I wrote about the singles rotation method that is commonly used at dances to facilitate singles getting assigned to other singles, and recommended that we provide this service consistently at our third Saturday Club dances. Then at our June dance, we did this with some degree of success. So this month I am going to share some of my observations about how it went and give some opinions about what we might do differently in the future. Of course this all assumes that we as a club want to do this, but nobody has expressed any objection so far, so I am assuming that it is going to happen.

Probably the primary problem in June was too few participants, especially men. There were four women and two men who signed up for the rotation. One of the women was able and reluctantly

willing to dance the man's role, so that made an even three couples, and it worked OK. My hat is off to the lady who danced in the man's spot all night; she was a super great sport about it. One unanticipated problem that we ran into was that one of the men was a Mainstream dancer, so that posed a problem with our alternating tip levels approach. Another problem that really didn't come as a surprise is that some people didn't seem to realize that once they have signed up for this, they had to let the person running the rotation know if they want to sit out for a tip or two, even though Don Krall stated this very clearly at the start of the dance. Perhaps the least significant problem was that one of the two men who signed up was your editor, which meant that Dolva didn't get to dance. However, she quite willingly agreed to this since she often sits out anyway to take pictures during the dance, and we usually dance two or three times every week anyway. So she didn't feel like she lost out, but I'm not sure that she's going to agree to this all the time, and I don't expect to ask her to.

One approach that two of our relatively local clubs use, and perhaps others that I'm not aware of, is to have each member couple give up one tip and have the man dance with one of the partnerless women, and if the woman of that couple can dance the man's role, so much the

better; there are two singles partnered up for that tip! This is not a requirement imposed by these two clubs, as I understand it, but rather something that is encouraged and seems to work out quite well. For a club as large as the Valley Trailers, such an arrangement would go a long way in accommodating singles for the eight or so tips in a dance, and the singles rotation can accommodate this quite easily.

Another thing that has concerned me for some time that the singles rotation addresses quite nicely is our new single dancers who have recently graduated from our class. It seems very unfortunate that people spend a full year, and even two or more, becoming proficient at square dancing in a class that routinely provided partners for singles, only to find that partners are generally not provided that same way at a dance. These people often just drop out and are lost to the square dancing community, which is especially unfortunate in this time of declining dancer numbers and folding clubs.

The challenge in square dancing due to there being quite a few more single women than men isn't going to go away, but with appropriate thought and action, I'm sure we as a club can lessen the problems that come from it.

**Bob Mitchell,
Editor**

A Square D District Director's Report



**Linda Kaplan,
A Square D**

Hi All:

With the warm weather upon us, it's important to dress appropriately and safely. Women should never wear flip flops or shoes without backs. Open toed shoes are worn at your own peril because if you are inadvertently stepped on, you may incur an injury. ASD insurance does provide insurance for such incidents, but it's best to wear footwear that would lessen the possibility of injury.

Clubs continue to celebrate anniversaries so support these clubs by attending these special dances. Valley Trailers is celebrating our 64th anniversary on November 17.

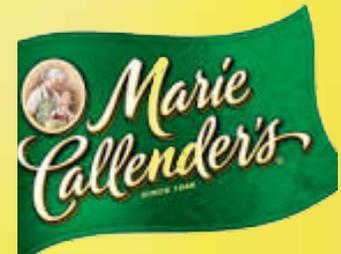
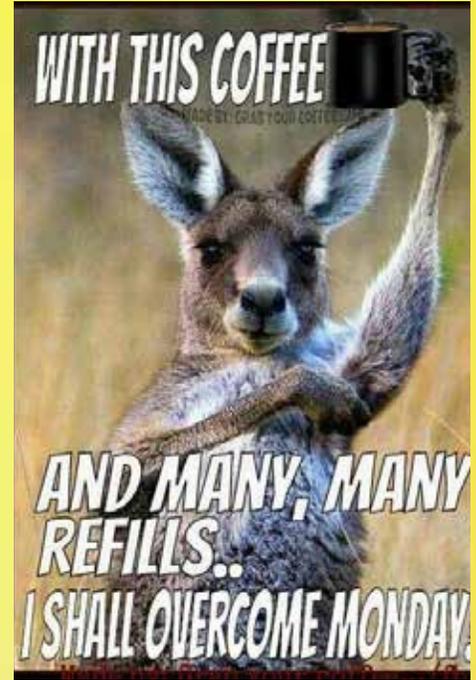
Square dancers can adver-

tise our club, and square dancing in general, by wearing club polo shirts and yes, even badges to the grocery store, to the doctor's office, and other local places. People are curious and may ask about square dancing.

We will open a new beginner's class on Tuesday, September 11, and now is the time to talk to friends who are not yet dancing and to new people you meet about how square dancing has changed your life.

See you in a square,

**Linda Kaplan,
A Square D Rep**



Fund Raiser

Our next fund raiser will be at Marie Callender's on Thursday the 9th of August. This is the Northridge restaurant on Tampa Avenue.

Get a flyer at class or the emailed flyer on a phone will work. It's good for all day, so if you want to eat there twice, you'll help the club that much more. We get 20% of the take. Bring friends and family.

**Sue Cohen,
Vice President**

A Camping Proposal



**Toba Burg,
Camping**

Don has done a masterful job as Wagon Master for many years. However, the time has come for the Club to step up and take over some of the duties involved in putting together the camping weekends.

We're just a little older and fewer members have rigs... but so many enjoy coming out for the picnic, games, and pot-luck supper. I present the following proposal for your consideration. Dividing up the work load would be fun. The Club would no longer need the utility trailer if a few would bring the items needed in their vehicles. The food related supplies could be pared down into a couple of tubs: would you be willing to bring something from the trailer?

The dates of October 25, 26, 27 have been reserved at Travel Village, with the picnic on Saturday the 27th.

Traditional games (beanbag toss, horse racing) could be

brought to the outing by other folks. Saturday lunch will take a few people to co-ordinate; are you interested?

No longer would it be necessary for Don to cook breakfast on Sunday for the campers. Everyone bring a cut-up piece of fruit for a friendship fruit salad. Club supplies bagels, cream cheese, coffee & tea. Who would like to bring the bagels?

Each task taken individually would not be so overwhelming. The traditional camping weekends could continue. It will take about 12 people to do the jobs that Don has been doing all these years. Let's do it!

**Toba Burg,
Camping**

Membership



**Mary Beatty,
Membership**

This is just an early reminder to watch for your membership renewal notice some time in the middle of August. The annual dues are still \$20.00

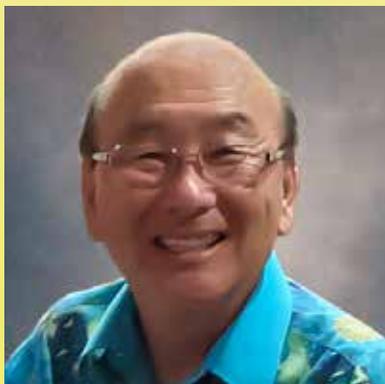
per person and will be payable by September 30th.

Please be sure when responding to return the Member Information Sheet (whether there are any changes or not) along with your check, as this is the way the club keeps the database current.

You will notice that there is an addition to the form wherein members are asked: What can you contribute to support the club? What expertise do you have, such as good with numbers, good working with computers, a good organizer, willing to help with the clothing rack, decorating the hall for dances, etc. This is very important to the very existence of any club. You have plenty of time to think about your answer between the time you receive the Tidbits and get the renewal notice. So please take a few minutes and complete this section before mailing your dues.

**Mary Beatty,
Membership**





Roy Okada

The two largest square dance clubs west of the Pecos share a rather unusual conundrum. Each club has a roster of at least 200 dues paying members. However, each club struggles every month to break the double-digit squares attendance barrier for their club dances, with the exception of their Anniversary dances.

The Ramblin' Rogues of Mission Viejo and the Trail Dusters of Calabasas both share a unique identity which distinguishes them from most other square dance clubs. Their primary purpose is to provide monthly social activities for their members that are not necessarily associated with square dancing. In other words, they are basically social clubs.

Fred Barker, president of the Ramblin' Rogues, has

worked tirelessly over the past year to correct this troubling attendance situation. Working with their board, the club has moved their dance from Anaheim to Mission Viejo to make it be closer to where the majority of the members live. Fred also has questioned why each month there are always less than two squares of visitors attending the Friday night club dance.

The Rogues probably have a larger core of advanced level dancers than any other club in the USA. This presents a problem for the incoming students as the bar is set so high. The current class of students seems to be struggling to a greater degree than previous classes. This has led to the elimination of the dance by definition or DBD instruction used in their class in past years. The hope is that it will make it easier for the new students to learn how to square dance at their Thursday night class.

The Rogues do not have round dancing at their monthly club dances. Instead, they structure their dance format from Plus to the A2 levels. This is very different from the Valley Trailers' format. One key difference is cuer Cindy Mower, who has consistently bolstered the attendance at the VT club dances. Normally, one can expect at least 25 couples round dancing each month. Perhaps this could explain one aspect of the Rogues' conundrum.

Whatever the reason, Fred Barker is determined to keep the Ramblin' Rogues great!

Roy Okada

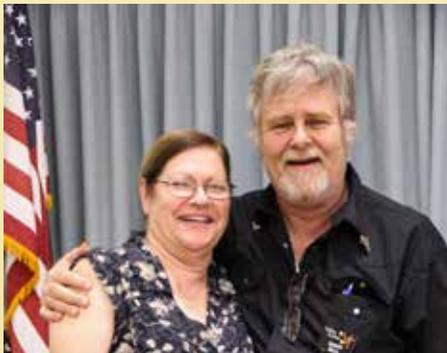


Theater Party

Save August 26th, a Sunday, to join us for lunch and a musical. We have reservations at Red's BBQ in Simi Valley for lunch at 11:45. The first 32 to signup get seated in our reserved room in the back. (20% gratuity will be added). Any people we have over 32 will be seated in the regular dining area. After we eat, we'll travel a short distance to the Simi Valley Cultural Center. They're presenting Oklahoma!! Sign up at class or email Marlene Kane to get on the list. We hope to spend that Sunday with many of you.

**Sue Cohen,
Vice President**

Mainstream Coordinators' Message



**Ethel & Danny Ball,
Class Coordinators**

Well, it is truly turning out to be a hot summer! Hope you are all finding a way to keep cool! Lloyd Lewis invited a film crew from Japan to film our class on Tuesday, July 17th. Our Valley Trailers were all wearing our club outfits, and we had six squares dancing to our two callers, Lloyd Lewis and Vic Kaaria. It was great to see so many of our class members having a great time! I sure hope we will get to see the pictures that they created. For those of you who are new to square dancing, we just wanted to touch on costuming for dances. When I first started square dancing in the 80's, it was still customary for everyone to be wearing square dance clothes, even at the classes. That has changed in recent years here in the San Fernando Valley because, unfortunately, we no longer have square dance shops

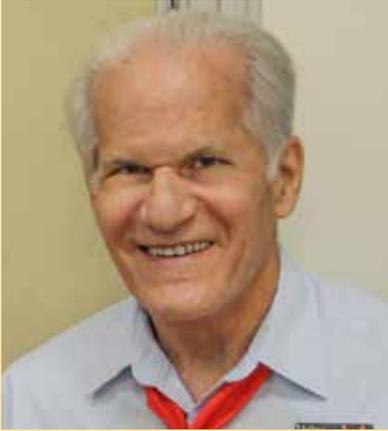
here. Of course, at the dances, many people still dress in traditional square dance costumes. For the men, it is simple. Just a western shirt with long sleeves and maybe some accessories and a man is good to go. For a woman, it is a little more complicated and "dated". Square dance clothes for the woman include a full circle skirt, peasant style blouse, petticoat, sissy pants, and usually dance shoes and pantihose. It is far more cumbersome and can be very expensive. A western shirt can run \$25-65.00, but a woman's outfit can cost upwards of \$200. This is why everyone should take advantage of our very own Valley Trailers Clothing Rack. The Valley Trailers have a complete shop in a trailer. The items are slightly used but not worn, and you can purchase them for a fraction of the cost of new items online. Petticoats, for example, that can cost \$50.00+ at a retail shop, are only \$5-15.00. Our Clothing Rack will be "open" at the Tuesday night class on August 14th. It will be available before the class begins. So bring some cash and come early to try on clothes and get the best deals! We have various colors and sizes. It is the best deal in town on square dance attire! This Mainstream class will be finishing up on September 4th, the day after Labor Day. If you are interested in being promoted to the Plus class, please see me and Danny about arranging a

time when we can evaluate your dancing to see if you are ready to move up to the next level. As always, feel free to ask any questions that you might have about our club or any of the calls, or anything else that you may be concerned about with regards to square dancing. As always, we are looking for new dancers. If you have a friend or a family member who might be interested in joining our class, please let them know that we will be starting a new class on Tuesday, September 11th. (Now that should be an easy date to remember!) See you on Tuesday!

**Ethel & Danny Ball,
Mainstream Class
Coordinators**



Plus Coordinator's Message



Alan Epstein,

Plus Class Coordinator

On Tuesday, July 3, Vic took us through the last of the Plus calls. The rest of our sessions will, therefore, be reviews of the calls. This is good because it will allow anyone with questions about the calls to have them reviewed before the July 21 and August 18 Valley Trailers dances.

All the Plus students should have received the email I sent out alerting you that everyone has to be evaluated at a "formal" dance. As I mentioned, these are called at a faster pace than the Tuesday night class routines and will sometimes have dance by definition calls thrown in. This is the "real world" when it comes to square dancing. And, I want to remind you that we want everyone to pass the dancing. We all make mistakes, and we understand

that. We will not be looking to "catch" dancers in their mistakes. We need to see that only a minimum (if any) are made, and that one can recover quickly after a mistake and prevent the square from breaking down. In my email I also strongly suggested everyone try to go to both dances. The July 21 dance will help get you accustomed to the speed and help you get through the nervousness of something a little different. If you do well on July 21, and show us you know your stuff, we will not have to "test" you again on August 18. If July 21 does not go so well, you will have another chance on August 18. If you do well there, you're in! Your July 18 dance will not be "averaged" into the August 18 dance. I also mentioned in my email that it will be good practice to dance the Mainstream tips at the formal dances. It will help you get used to the speed and help you relax a little when you see you can do it. Remember, we do not control what the caller does.

I think everybody realizes by now that sometimes at the Tuesday night class, Linda and I have to change squares around to try to make them more "balanced". And, sometimes we have to take some people out of a square so that all the students get to dance each tip. We do not get any pleasure out of this, especially because some people get annoyed (or worse) at us for doing this. We appreciate

that some dancers (mostly non-students) want to try to help us. But we would appreciate everyone understanding we are doing what we think is best for the class. When we receive this extra "assistance," it sometimes makes matters worse for the students and the Club as a whole. So, we would appreciate it if we could be allowed to make our decisions without the input of others. Thank you.

Take advantage of the Tuesday night classes. Ask Vic about any questions you may have.

**Alan Epstein,
Plus Class
Coordinator**



Local Club Dances

Boots & Slippers

8/25 Deborah Carroll
-Jones

9/28 Rick Hampton
10/27 Eric Henerlau

Buckles & Bows

8/12 Buddy Weaver
9/22 Jay Henderson
10/27 Mike Seastrom

Farmers & Charmers, Lads 'n' Lassies

8/04 Eric Henerlau
9/01 Jay Henderson
10/06 Jet Roberts

Frazier Park Mountain Squares

8/26 Dale Hoppers
9/23 Tim Pepper

Happy Squares

8/11 Michael Kellogg
9/08 Dan Preedy
10/13 Pat Carnathan

Sierra Hillbillies

8/05 Jay Henderson
9/09 Charlie
Robertson
10/07 Frank Lesclinier

Trail Dusters

8/10 Pat Carnathan
9/08 Buddy Weaver
10/13 Tim Pepper

Western Weavers

8/10 Scott Byars
8/24 Jon Jones
9/14 David Mee
9/28 Darren Gallina

Official Visitation

VT Club members - Don't forget to wear club outfits.

Date: August 25
Club: Boots & Slippers
Level: Plus
Caller: Deborah Carroll-Jones
Theme:
Location: Simi Senior Center
Time: Rounds at 7:00, Squares at 7:30

Recommended Dance

Date: August 4
Club: Farmers & Charmers
Level: Plus
Caller: Eric Henerlau
Theme: Dog Days of Summer
Location: Wilkinson
Time: Rounds 7:30, Squares 8:00



Weekend Events

Dance Level - Mainstream thru Challenge

RIVCO Square
Dance Festival
November 8 - 11

Callers:

Jet Roberts,
Tony Oxendine,
Johnny Preston,
Mike Sikorsky
Wade Driver
Gary Shoemake
Ken Bower

Indio, CA

Info: 865-387-2217

62nd Annual Jubilee

Oct. 5 - 7

Plus, Advanced,
Challenge

Callers:

**Andy Allemao,
Vic Ceder,
Charlie Robertson**

Santa Clara Valley
Square Dance
Association, San Jose
Info - Mary Jane
Wegener
408-725-0344

Labor Day Jamboree

8/31 - 9/02

Callers:

Charlie Robertson
Mike Sikorsky
Don Wood

Arcadia, CA

Info: 626-357-5211

Fiesta 2018

November 2 - 4

Plus - Challenge

Callers:

Bronc Wise,
John Marshall,
Andy Allemao

San Diego

Info: Carl/Cindy McLaren
619-890-4058

Mid Cal Classic

August 31 - Sept. 2

Callers: Bob Baier

Jet Roberts

Plus & A2

Los Baños

Info: Harlan Bowen
707-489-6819



Advanced Dances

Weaver Believers

4th Friday - **A1/A2**

August 24

September 28

8:00 - 10:30 PM

Canoga Park

Women's Club

**Caller - Buddy
Weaver**

Valley Trailers

Advanced Dances

September 29

Darren Gallina

December 29

Ken Ritucci

Wilkinson Center

Northridge

Phantom Squares

A2 7:45 PM

August 10

Tim Ploch

September 7

Bronc Wise

October 12

Sandie Bryant

C-1 12:15/C-2 3:30

Sunday after the

A2 Friday dance,

Canoga Park

Women's Club

Romney's Stars

Oct. 12 - 14

A-2 Weekend

Caller:

Romney Tannehill

Hesperia

Info: 909-261-4890

Trailblazers

C-1 - 11:00

A2 3:00 pm

August 4

Bill Harrison

September 1

Barry Clasper

October 6

Darryl Lipscomb

C-2 11:00, C-3A 3:00

on Sunday

after Saturday

Dance

**Mel's Dance Hall
Westminster, CA**

Cayucos

Capers

A-2

August 3 - 5

Callers:

Jet Roberts

Joe Saltel

Info: Harlan Bowen

707-489-6819

A2

Workshop

7:30 to 9:30 pm

Mondays

Caller:

Romney Tannehill

Mel's Dance Hall

Westminster, CA

Round Dance Events

SUNDAYS

1st Sunday Dance Parties, Phase II – VI 1:30-4:30 pm
Wilkinson Sr. Center, Northridge Cindy Mower

Selected 3rd Sunday Parties, Phase II – IV 1:30 – 4:30 pm
Wilkinson Sr. Center, Northridge Cindy Mower and/or Joe Scarlatella

4th Sunday Parties, Phase II thru V, 1:30 – 4:45pm
5380 Bell St., Somis 93065 Gus & Lynn DeFore

5th Sunday Parties, Phase IV – VI, 1:30 – 4:30 pm
Wilkinson Center, Northridge Milo & Cinda Molitoris

MONDAYS

Beginning Cha Cha & Ongoing Two-Step & Waltz Class, 7:00 – 9:00pm
Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, 11315 White Oak Ave.,
Granada Hills, CA 91344 Joe Scarlatella & Monica Shanks

Phase IV & IV+, Occasional V Class, 5380 Bell St., Somis 93065
Gus & Lynn DeFore

TUESDAYS

Starting Tuesday, April 3, dance schedule
5:30 – 7:30pm, Phase 4 - 5 dance/teach
7:30 - 9:30pm, Phase 5 - 6 dance/teach

Valley Beth Israel, 13060 Roscoe Blvd, Sun Valley
Milo & Cinda Molitoris

Phase III & IV Class, 7:30-9:15pm, 5380 Bell St., Somis 93065
Gus & Lynn DeFore

WEDNESDAYS

Phase III Rumba, Waltz, & Cha Cha Class, with occasional
Phase II, 5380 Bell St., Somis 93065 Gus & Lynn DeFore

THURSDAYS

Phase II Two-Step Class 6:30 - 8:00 pm (Started March 1, 2018)
Phase III - IV + Classics and ROMs 8:00 - 9:30 pm
Wilkinson Center, Northridge Cindy Mower

August 2018

Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday

Clothing Rack August 14		1	2	Round Dance Class	3	4 Farmers & Charmers, Lads n Lassies Caller: Eric Henerlau
5 Sierra Hillbillies Caller: Jay Henderson	6	7 Square Dance Class	8	9 Fund Raiser Marie Callender's See Page 12	10 Western Weavers Caller: Scott Byars	11 Happy Squares Caller: Michael Kellogg Trail Dusters Caller: Pat Carnathan
12	13	14 Square Dance Class	15	16 Round Dance Class	17	18 VT Valley Trailers Caller: Rick Gittelman
19	20	21 Square Dance Class	22	23 Round Dance Class	24 Western Weavers Caller: Jon Jones	25 Boots & Slippers Caller: Deborah Carroll-Jones Buckles & Bows Caller: Buddy Weaver
26 Theater Party See page 14	27	28 Square Dance Class	29	30 Round Dance Class	31	21

Valley Trailers Dance Schedule

Date	Theme	Caller
8-18		 Rick Gittelman
9-15		 Mike Sikorsky
9-29	Advanced	 Darren Gallina
10-20		 Hunter Keller
11-17	Anniversary	 Mike Seastrom  Dee Dee Dougherty
12-22		 Dan Preedy



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