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# Round the Capitol Square

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Spring has arrived (although we could have a cool spell before Easter). The sunshine does feel good and brightens the day. Set aside March 27<sup>th</sup> for our next ASRDA meeting. Please note that we will be meeting from 4PM to 5PM in Lulling. Our Gonzales club, Come N' Take It Squares, will have their annual dance and meal in Luling following our meeting and need time to setup the barbeque. This is a must meeting to elect ASRDA 2010-2011 officers. The current group of elected officers has offered to serve a second term, but certainly welcome any nominations from the floor. Please be there.

New dancers are learning the square dance moves and appear to be having fun at the various clubs who are fortunate to have them. Do you remember your angels? I know it's redundant to mention that angels are needed as so many of you are already giving your time and help to new dancers. A big thank you to all who have gladly volunteered.

Last but certainly not least, Mid-Tex is fast approaching. The current group has been visiting as many clubs as possible and is working hard to make this dance not only bigger but more fun. The panel contest and club participation contest are a neat extra. Martha and I are looking forward to seeing everyone there.

**Have fun.**

**Ed & Martha Koslosky**

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

Send information on your special event to Social Secretary Charles & Cheryl Sherman  
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**2010**

Mar 27 ASRDA Meeting  
 Mar 27 Come N' Take It Squares Anniversary Dance, caller Bill Wright  
 Mar 31 Shirts'n' Skirts 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Plus Dance, caller Jim Hayes  
 Apr 8 Merry Mixers April Fool's Dance – Caller Andy Petrere – FINAL DANCE - FREE  
 Apr 20 Waterloo Squares 27<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance – caller Mike Bramlett  
 Apr 23-25 Eagles Rockport FunFest  
 Apr 28 Shirts'n' Skirts 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Plus Dance, caller Jim Hayes  
 Apr 30-May 1 Mid-Tex Festival, caller Vernon Jones, cuer Bill & Martha Buck  
 May 29 Apache Rairdancers Pow Wow, caller Dennis Ray  
 June 10-12 TSFSRD Festival, Galveston Island, TX  
 June 23-26 National Square Dance Convention, Louisville, KY  
 June 30 Shirts'n' Skirts 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Plus Dance, caller Jim Hayes  
 July 10 ASRDA Installation Dance  
 July 14 Shirts'n' Skirts Ice Cream Dance, Jim Hayes caller, Jerry & Lucy Pate cuer  
 July 28 Shirts'n' Skirts 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Plus Dance, caller Jim Hayes  
 July 29, 30, 31 Halifax National Festival, Halifax Nova Scotia, Canada  
 Sept 29 Shirts'n' Skirts 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday Plus Dance, caller Jim Hayes  
 Oct 1-2 TSFSRD Presidents Meeting, Wichita Falls, TX  
 Oct 2 Buckles & Bows Happy Every Holiday Dance – caller Mike Sikorsky

**2011**

Mar 19 Buckles & Bows 8<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance, caller Randy Dougherty  
 Mar 26 Come N' Take It Squares Anniversary Dance  
 June 9-12 TSFSRD Festival, Tyler, TX  
 June 22-25 National Square Dance Convention, Detroit, MI

**2012**

Mar 17 Buckles & Bows 9<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance, caller Jerry Story  
 Mar 24 Come N' Take It Squares Anniversary Dance  
 June 27-30 National Square Dance Convention, Spokane, WA

Silent Auction  
Split the Pot



62nd Annual ASRDA  
**Mid-Tex Festival**  
April 30th & May 1st, 2010  
**Dancing with the Stars**

Clothes Vendor  
Tag 'Em



*Saturday Caller*



*Vernon Jones*

*Saturday Cuers*



*Bill & Martha Buck*

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Georgetown Community Center  
445 East Morrow Street, Georgetown, Texas 78626

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*Schedule of Events*

- ★ **Friday Dance** April 30, 2010  
**Local Area Callers and Cuers**  
7:00 - 7:30 pm Early rounds  
7:30 - 10:00 pm Dance, 2+2

- ★ **Saturday Afternoon**  
1:00 - 2:30 pm Rounds workshop  
3:00 - 4:30 pm Square dance workshop

- ★ **Saturday Dance** May 1, 2010  
6:30 - 7:30 pm Early rounds  
7:30 - 10:00 pm Dance, 2+2

*Donation per Dancer*

\$ 14 all events  
\$ 6 Friday dance  
\$ 8 Saturday evening  
\$ 4 Saturday afternoon

*Teens are half off*

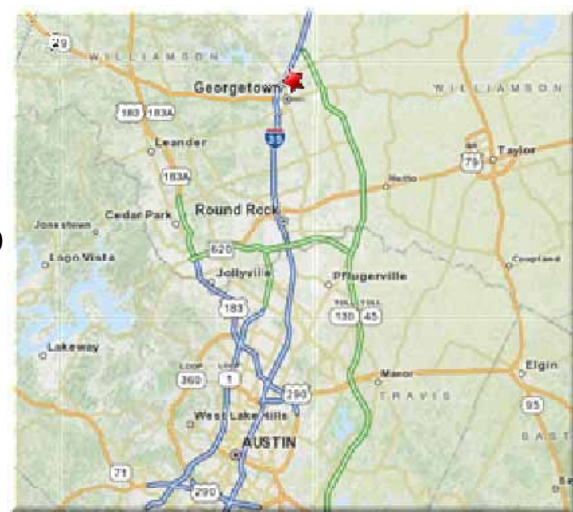
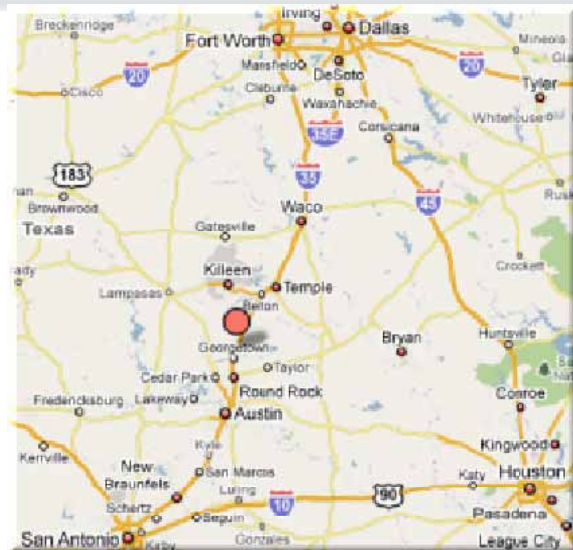
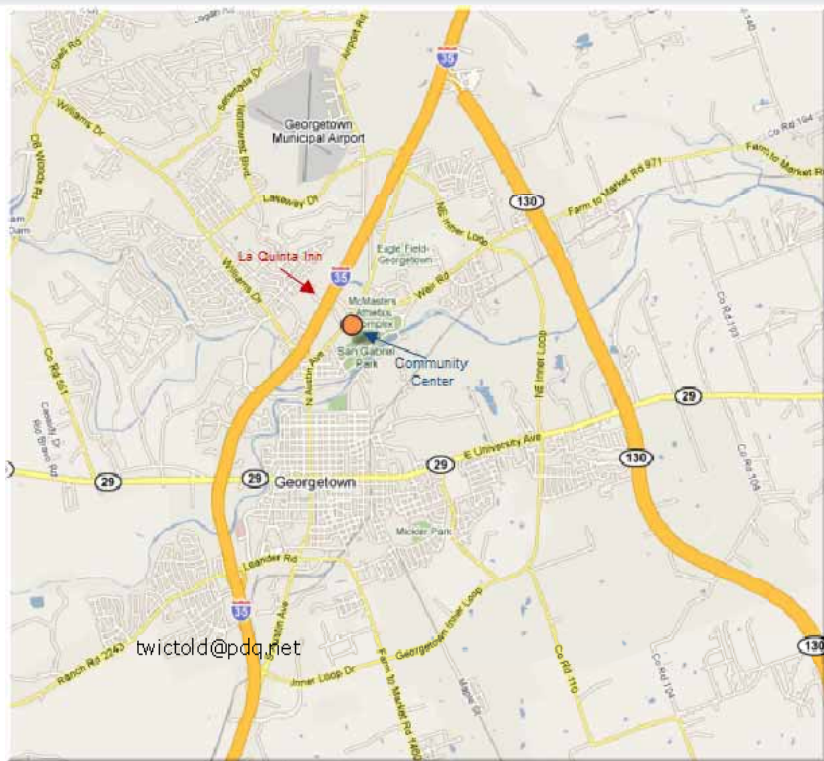
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# 62nd Annual ASRDA Mid-Tex Festival

## April 30th & May 1st, 2010

Georgetown Community Center  
445 East Morrow Street, Georgetown, Texas 78626



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**Saturday Dance** May 1, 2010  
 6:30 - 7:30 pm Early rounds  
 7:30 - 10:00 pm Dance, 2+2  
 8 pm Exhibition

**Saturday Afternoon**  
 1:00 - 2:30 pm Rounds workshop  
 3:00 - 4:30 pm Square dance workshop

**Host Hotel-La Quinta Inn**  
 333 North I-35  
 Georgetown, TX 78628  
 512 869-2541  
 Rate: \$67.50 for up to 2 people

**Camping Information:**  
 Berry Springs RV Park  
 131 Market St.  
 Georgetown, TX  
 512 864-2724  
 Rate: \$25/night + discounts



New Life RV Park  
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 Georgetown, TX  
 512 931-2073  
 Rate: \$32/night

### Mid-Tex Festival Committee

Jay & Sue Welch, Chairman  
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 Tony & Martha Burghart  
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## **SEEKING NOMINATIONS FOR DANCER OF THE YEAR**

The Presidential Advisory Committee is seeking nominees for Dancer of the Year for the Austin Square and Round Dance Association for the 2009-2010 year. Traditionally nominations are taken before Mid-Tex and the winner is announced at the installation banquet and dance.

This is an award given by the ASRDA in recognition of service to the ASRDA. Each nominee should be an active member of an accredited club of the ASRDA and should have been dancing at least two years.

The award may not be given for service to a single club but to the square and round dance community as a whole. The award may not be given to a caller or cuer.

Please send your nomination to Hugh & Donna Woodard at [hugh1661@aol.com](mailto:hugh1661@aol.com) or to any Presidential Advisory Committee member (PAC). The PAC is made up of former winners of the Dancer of the Year award.

Current active members of the PAC are Joe & Bonnie Lowe from the Merry Mixers, Jon & Veronica Steffens (Apache Raindancers), Joe Brown (Merry-Go-Rounds), Calvin & Ruby Buesing (Come N' Take It), George Vacek (Apache Raindancers), Hugh & Donna Woodard (Apache Raindancers), Morris & Ann Winkle (Shirts'n'Skirts), Barney & Ann Bandekow (Apache Raindancers), Chuck & Cheryl Sherman (Shirts'n'Skirts), Tony & Martha Burghart (Shirts'n'Skirts) and Joyce Adams (Apache Raindancers).

Nominations may be typed or handwritten but please submit them in writing detailing the qualifications of the nominee.

Please submit your nominations by May 1, 2010.

**COME N' TAKE IT SQUARES**

Spring is here and time for lots of good dancing! The Texas wildflowers in our area make the drives to dances a joy. All that rain we had this winter has created a beautiful landscape that reminds us why we love living in Texas, in spite of the heat that we will all be complaining about in a month or so. So drive to Gonzales any Monday night (except any 5<sup>th</sup> Monday when we are "dark") to dance with us at the First Presbyterian Church (just south of the Courthouse) and enjoy the blossoms on the way.

I am a new reporter, so bear with me if I do not write what you expect. I wrote years ago for the San Antonio Association newsletter when we lived there and for this newsletter for a short time when we first moved to Gonzales, so it is just a matter of getting back into the routine.

Our President Ruby Buesing (and ASRDA reporter) had surgery last month, but we are so glad she is recovering nicely and will be back dancing soon. Calvin has been a good nurse, but I am not sure he cares to sign on for that job permanently.

Also, Betty Shelton, past ASRDA President, is recovering from further eye surgery and seems to be on the road to better health. We certainly hope she is spared more complications...enough is enough, right, Betty?

Joe and Karen Svoboda have been back dancing. Joe has had many knee problems, so to see him on the floor dancing (even for one tip) was a joy for all of us. He says he is ready to go to Fun Valley this summer. That's the spirit of a true square-dancer!

Our really big news is our beginners' class! We have five enthusiastic, energetic couples taking lessons and learning quickly. Two couples danced years ago (one couple were A-dancers!!), so they are really moving rapidly, and we are so proud and pleased with all of the students and cannot wait to have all these new members. Some Happy Soles from Seguin and Wheel-n-Deals from San Marcos have come to "angel." We enjoy and appreciate them, too.

Callers for April are: 4/5 – Wayne Weston; 4/12 and 4/26 – Cris Crisler; 4/19 – Ed Larder. Wayne and Cris have been sharing the calling/teaching duties and are doing a super job. Lessons are from 7-8, and mainstream and plus dancing from 8-9:30.

Four CTI couples enjoyed the La Grange Roadrunners' Anniversary Dance and reported a great event, as always, with good calling, great dancing, and yummy food.

We are busy getting ready for our barbecue and anniversary dance on March 27. Next month I will report on the fun we had there.

Remember you are always welcome at Come and Take It Squares in Gonzales. We have friendly folks and food galore.

Martha Jo Whitt, Reporter

**SHIRTS 'N' SKIRTS**

We hosted two special dances during March: An All Gospel Dance on St. Patrick's Day and our first 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesday dance of 2010. The All Gospel Dance featured Jimmy Johnson and our own Jim Hayes calling the square dance and our own Marvelous Martha leading the line dancing. Martha went the extra mile and introduced us to gospel music line dancing. We appreciate all of the visitors who helped to make these events truly special.

Our next special dance is our annual **Ice Cream Dance** – scheduled for **Wednesday, July 14**. As always we will have a terrific variety of ice cream – and plenty of it. Jim Hayes and Lucy & Jerry Pate will serve up a great program of dance.

And, we'd like to confirm our regular dance program – every Wednesday night at McCoy School – 7:30 until 9:30. Every evening we have Jim Hayes giving us his unique blend of square dance calls. On the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays we have Lucy & Jerry Pate serving up your favorite rounds and on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Wednesdays we have Marvelous Martha leading the line dancing.

We have a small but very enthusiastic group of students. Lessons are held on regular dance nights from 7:00 until 8:00. We plan to complete the lessons in Mid May.

We're all looking forward to the ASRDA Mid-Tex: April 30 – May 1. The committee is doing a fantastic job – and it will be a great weekend. We encourage everyone to get their tickets early.

For all the latest about Shirts'n'Skirts, visit our website at: <http://www.asrda.org/clubs/shirtsnskirts/>.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jim & Shirley Teegarden  
Shirts'n'Skirts Club Secretary

**MERRY MIXERS**

Formed in 1968, Merry Mixers is currently the oldest club in the ASRDA. Club members have served on the Mid-Tex Committee and held ASRDA offices including President. They have served at many State Festivals, held appointed offices, and all elected offices of the TSFSRD. They have served on Texas Nationals as committee members, vice-chairmen, and chairmen. It has been a privilege and a pleasure to work for our square dance community.

Merry Mixers were in the group that formed the Frank Monk Memorial Scholarship. Later it became known as the Frank & Mildred Monk Scholarship Fund. Frank & Mildred were past presidents of the ASRDA and beloved Teen Coordinators of the Texas State Federation of Square and Round Dancers. The Scholarship is now part of the TSFSRD. Merry Mixers have had five teens awarded this scholarship.

The Merry Mixers have many wonderful memories. We were known for our New Year's Eve Anniversary Dance and more recently for our Root Beer Float Special. We had fun on bus trips, mystery bus trips, picnics, and eating out together. We laughingly remember dancing in the lake, swimming pools, bathrooms, and elevators. We have wrapped callers in tissue paper, squirted them with water pistols, and awoke them to call a tip for us in our pajamas.

The Merry Mixers invite you to our last dance on Thursday, April 8. The dance is free and will be called by Andy Petrere.

These are the current Merry Mixers with the number of years they have danced with the club:

Greg Lasley & Cheryl Johnson - 1 year  
 Frank Barr - 3 years  
 Jim Sulester - 3 years  
 Linda Drga - 7 years  
 Ed & Mary Weiss - 10 years  
 Dave & Linda Payne - 14 years  
 Al & Melody Hostetler - 17 years  
 Don & Janet Frawley - 18 years  
 Maxine Barnett - 23 years  
 Gene & Susie Tacchi - 24 years  
 Tutty Maxiner - 24 years  
 Don & Monique Lehning - 26 years  
 Joe & Bonnie Lowe - 36 years

After 42 years of dancing, Merry Mixers departs as a club, but leaves a wonderful square dancing legacy.

Yellowrocks,  
 Bonnie Lowe  
 Merry Mixer Reporter

**THE TEXAS BLUEBONNETS**

The Texas Bluebonnets celebrated our 14<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance in our new home at the Grace Church of the Nazarene located at 1006 Koenig Lane in Austin, TX. Brad Caldwell called the Fantastic Dance on March 20<sup>th</sup>. We had a Bake Sale and 50-50 raffle. We had 50 visitors and 27 members for a total of 77 dancers. The visiting clubs were: Buckles & Bows 1, Swinging Lakers 13, Waterloo Squares 14, Shirts N Skirts 2, Merry Mixers 4, Apache Raindancers 7, MID-TEX 2, Pea Picker 1, and Independents 6. We had great dancing and delicious eats and fun for all.

We are having Plus Lessons with our own Jimmy Johnson teaching. The Lessons are at the Grace Church on the four Tuesdays from 7-8 PM, and then we dance from 8-9 PM.

The ASRDA MID-TEX Dance April 30-May 1 is coming up, and we hope everyone has purchased tickets.

For more information about our club, our website is: [www.asrda.org/clubs/bluebonnets](http://www.asrda.org/clubs/bluebonnets).

See you around the squares.

Mae Scheib, Secretary

**APACHE RAINDANCERS**

The Apache Raindancers will be hosting a special dance on May 29 starring caller Dennis Ray from the Houston area. We promise lots of good refreshments, hospitality, and exciting square and line dancing. The Apaches plan to visit other clubs to personally invite you to join us for this dance to close out the spring and provide an excellent send off for the beginning of summer. This will be a few weeks after Mid-Tex so you should be ready to put your dancing shoes on again!

Speaking of Mid-Tex, the Apaches are working hard to put together a fantastic panel representing our club and many of our members have already registered early. We're also working on our basket of chocolate again this year. We are looking forward to seeing all of you that weekend.

We are pleased and proud that Apache members Jon & Veronica Steffens were elected as Vice President of the Texas State Federation of Square and Round Dancers at the Conclave in March.

**Andy Petrere**

Presented By

**MerryMixers**

for their

**Final Dance**

**Thursday  
April 8**

**3911 Manchaca Road  
South Austin Activity Center  
7:30 - 9:30 PM**

**Free Dance**

**BUCKLES & BOWS**

**BUCKLES & BOWS** wish to send a special welcome to our 9 newly graduated dancers into the Austin Square Dance Community. The graduation was held on **Thursday, March 25<sup>th</sup>**, and the Mid-Tex committee joined us as we welcomed these new dancers. After completing mainstream lessons, 7 of these dancers will continue to dance with Buckles and Bows. Our newest members are: Gus & Jackie Browning, Will & Betty Flamm, Kathy Faltese, Leslie Swearingin, and Mary Wingo. Burl Fulenwider recently moved into Austin, and may be dancing with a club closer to where he lives. Stephanie Taylor, a Graduate Student at UT, first learned to dance with Mike Bramlett in the Dallas area, she recently transferred to Austin and was away from square dancing for a short period. She refreshed her "mainstream dancing skills" with our new dancers this last quarter, and since she lives in Austin she too will be visiting and perhaps joining a club closer to where she lives. Please give all our new dancers a warm welcome when they come to visit and dance at your club.

We will begin a new set of Mainstream lessons at CP Recreation center on Monday, April 5, 2010, from 8-10 pm. Two open houses were held on Monday March 22<sup>nd</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup> from 8-9 pm, (at CP Recreation Center) and we hope many new dancers will join us on Monday evenings. The New Dancer dances will be held every Monday from April thru September of 2010, at the beautiful, new CP Recreation Center. If you know of anyone in the North Austin area that is interested in learning to Square Dance, please encourage them to come to our new dancer dances, better yet, come with them, and be an angel as they learn to dance, and then take them back to your club once they have learned!

We have begun a set of lessons on Tuesday Evenings from 7:00 – 9:00 p.m. at the Round Rock Baca Center. The group started on February 16<sup>th</sup>. So far there are nine enthusiastic dancers we will be working with from now through July or August. Stop by some evening to "Angel" and make them feel part of the Square Dance Community.

Please mark your calendars for Saturday, October 2<sup>nd</sup>. We have Mike Sikorsky in town. He will call an All Plus dance from 3:00 – 5:00 p.m. and our annual Happy Every Holiday dance from 7:30 – 10:00 p.m. at Hyde Park Christian Church. It is sure to be a fun time and one you won't want to miss. Flyers are available at [www.glad2call.com](http://www.glad2call.com) and [www.asrda.org](http://www.asrda.org).

We had a wonderful 7<sup>th</sup> Anniversary dance on Wednesday Feb. 24, 2010 with Tony Oxendine calling.

We thank everyone who came to join us and experience the fantastic calling of one of the top callers in the world. Tony has agreed to return next year on the last Wednesday in February 2011, so mark your calendars now to join us. We have also contracted to have Randy Dougherty call our 8<sup>th</sup> Anniversary dance on Saturday, March 19, 2011. Mark your calendar for that date as Randy is an exciting caller and EXCELLENT choreographer. We will have an All-Plus Dance in the afternoon and our Evening Anniversary Dance. Watch for details in future newsletters.

Buckles & Bows dances every Thursday evening from 6:30 – 9:00 pm at CP First United Methodist Church, 600 W. Park St. in Cedar Park. We have been working on Plus moves from 6:30 – 7:30, then Mainstream from 7:30 – 9:00 p.m. We always dance casual and visitors are always welcome!

Arnold & Marie Gladson

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**\*Expired**

**If you wish to become a Square Dance  
Booster please send a check for \$10 made out  
to ASRDA to Donna Woodard, 10621 Denell  
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Callers and cuers in the ASRDA area. Please contact them when you need someone for your dance.

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Hugh and Donna Woodard**

**WATERLOO SQUARES**

Wow, talk about March "Madness", did we have it at Waterloos! Our Independence Day and St. Patrick's Day Dances were really fun, and we had great participation and attendance at our open houses for the Spring 2010 lessons too. Hanna Marsden did a lovely job putting the final touches on our "Texas Trash" basket for Mid Tex, and Sue Gillar planned our door panel for the same event. Both ladies thank all of you who helped with these.

It appears that April activities will keep us moving too. We have a great line up of guest callers and will be celebrating our 27th anniversary as a club on April 20. Of course, many of us will attend Mid Tex April 30 and May 1.

Along with all that the Spring 2010 Class of Waterloo Squares Square Dance Lessons is now in week 5! We had a remarkable turnout for the first two "Open House" nights and many of these folks are now taking lessons. Please come and bring your friends for an evening of fun and a great opportunity to help these new dancer candidates! You'll find us at Faith Presbyterian Church 1314 East Oltorf Road just off IH 35 across from Travis High School. We ask that angels be there no later than 7:15 p.m. in order to begin lessons promptly. The mainstream lessons are followed by Plus classes at 9:00 p.m, and believe me, they are just as much fun! Plan to join us as we are treated to the excellent teaching and calling by instructor Wayne Weston!

April also finds a number of us celebrating birthdays. We wish Steve Andricak, Suzzana Andricak, Shari Archer, Opal Klaehn, Jim Nienkark, and Ron Shumate a wonderful day. Happy Anniversary to Ernie and Bobbie Saulman!

On a sadder note, we want our friends at Merry Mixers to know that our thoughts go with them as they disband with their last dance on April 8. We are sorry that this is the case and wish you all well. We hope we see you all on the dance floors of other Austin clubs!

Below is Waterloo's Caller Schedule for April. Our doors are always open and we welcome all of you to join us.

Tue Apr 6	Guest Caller	Cris Crisler
Tue Apr 13	Guest Caller	Wayne Weston
Tue Apr 20	27th Anniversary	Mike Bramlett
Tue Apr 27	Guest Caller	Chet Miles

Happy Easter and Happy Spring to everyone!  
Dolores Jameson

**LA GRANGE ROADRUNNERS**

I am so happy to report that the Roadrunner's Texas Independence Day dance was a huge success. We had 22 squares in attendance. The Clubs represented there were from the following places: La Grange, San Antonio, Tomball, Lago Vista, Sugar Land, Gonzales, Keeney, Houston, College station, Bellville, Austin, Georgetown, Humble, Livingston, Jennings, La, Thorndale. There were a total of 177 square and round dancers there having a great time. The Po Boys called and John Becker was the cuer. Again this year Jim Mayes made a beautiful purple martin house to be raffled off. Our own Art Holle was the winner, but he already has one, so he auctioned it off and Mr. & Mrs. Burghart bought it. The proceeds this year are going to the Teen Scholarship. Winners of the door prize for our 2010 dance were Sharon and Bob Hawthorn. We want to thank everyone that attended and helped make this once again a big success. We hope to see all of you at our 2011 dance which will also be held at the Ellinger Hall.

We hope to see Lynn Holle back on the floor soon. Lynn fell and injured her right ankle. Get well soon Lynn.

Our club will be entertaining the residents of Care Inn Nursing Home on March 16th at 6:30. We love making those folks smile.

The club met at Frank's in Schulenburg for our dinner out with patrons that support our club by buying ads in our Patron's Book. While there, we held our regular business meeting. New officers were elected and they are as follows;

President: Bill and Myrna Thiessen  
Vice President: Ed and Martha Koslosky  
Secretary: Alan & Mildred Perry  
Treasury: Adrienne & Warren Armstrong

Congratulations to all of them, I know they will do a bang up job.

In April the club will be entertaining at Jefferson Place here in La Grange

Our new dancers are doing great and we are so glad to have them. Art makes learning to dance fun and easy.

I will not be submitting an article next month as I will be having knee replacement surgery on April 6th. I hope this won't keep me from dancing too long.

Respectfully submitted, Gloria Spann



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**MONDAY**

**APACHE RAINDANCERS-1** Hyde Park Christian Church, 610 East 45<sup>th</sup>. Pres Joyce Adams 452-3117, [jadams55@texas.net](mailto:jadams55@texas.net) . Caller Al Frazier 339-7910. 7:30 - 9:30. MS/P No 5<sup>th</sup> Monday <http://www.asrda.org/clubs/apache/>

**COME N' TAKE IT SQUARES-1** Presbyterian Church, 414 Saint Louis, Gonzales, 830/672-3636; Pres Calvin & Ruby Buesing 830-672-7384, [rubyb@gvec.net](mailto:rubyb@gvec.net) . Guest callers 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mon.; Cris Crisler on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Mon. 830/624-0690. No 5<sup>th</sup> Monday. 7:30 PM to 9:30. MS/P <http://www.asrda.org/clubs/comentakeit/>

**LONE STAR LAMBDAS 1** Gethesemane Lutheran Church, 200 W. Anderson Lane, Gary Pritchett 418-1629 [gary.pritchett@yahoo.com](mailto:gary.pritchett@yahoo.com) , caller Mikael Jacobson 210-363-5471, 7:00-9:00 MS/P Casual Attire <http://www.lonestarlamdas.org/>

**MERRY-GO-ROUNDS-2** Hancock Recreation Center, 811 E. 41<sup>st</sup> St, Jerry & Lucy Pate cuers 250-5185 [jpatel2@austin.rr.com](mailto:jpatel2@austin.rr.com) , 7:30 – 9:30, Phase III – V.

**TUESDAY**

**LA GRANGE ROADRUNNERS-3** Randolph Recreation Center, 653 E. Pearl St., La Grange. Pres Bill & Myrna Thiessen 979-966-0089, [myrna\\_thiessen@hotmail.com](mailto:myrna_thiessen@hotmail.com) . Callers Al Frazier, Traylor Walker alternating. 7:30 – 9:30, no fifth Tuesday. <http://www.asrda.org/clubs/roadrunn/>

**TEXAS BLUEBONNETS-1** Grace Nazarene Church, 5920 Sunshine Drive. Pres Par Keys 243-7400, [earlandpar@yahoo.com](mailto:earlandpar@yahoo.com) & Joanie Rivers 433-6091, [joannie37@gmail.com](mailto:joannie37@gmail.com) . Caller Jimmy Johnson 926-6128. MS/P 7:30-9:30. <http://www.asrda.org/clubs/bluebonnets/>

**WATERLOO SQUARES-1-7** South Austin Senior Activity Ctr, 3911 Manchaca Rd; Pres Larry & Ginger Shimkus 249-7839 [larryandginger@sbcglobal.net](mailto:larryandginger@sbcglobal.net) ; Visiting Callers MS/P 7:30-9:30. <http://www.asrda.org/clubs/waterloo/>

**WEDNESDAY**

**SHIRTS'n'SKIRTS-3-7** McCoy Elementary School, NW corner of I-35 & Williams Drive, Georgetwon., Pres Tony & Martha Burghart 512-255-8417 [MDBurghart@sbcglobal.net](mailto:MDBurghart@sbcglobal.net) ; Caller Jim Hayes. MS/P, Line dancing on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed. led by Martha Burghart, Rounds on 2<sup>nd</sup>. & 4<sup>th</sup> Wed., Cuers Jerry & Lucy Pate, 8-9:30. All Plus Dance every 5<sup>th</sup> Wed. [asrda.org/clubs/shirtsnskirts/](http://www.asrda.org/clubs/shirtsnskirts/)

**SWINGING LAKERS-1** K-Oaks Clubhouse in Lago Vista, Pres Ken & Carole Miller, 259-3965, [honeycome.basket.weaver@wildblue.net](mailto:honeycome.basket.weaver@wildblue.net) . Caller Gary Bible, 7:30-9:30, MS/P <http://www.asrda.org/clubs/swinglakers/>

**THURSDAY**

**BUCKLES & BOWS-1** Cedar Park Methodist Church, 600 W. Park St., Cedar Park, TX., Callers Arnold & Marie Gladson 219-9258, [agladson@austin.rr.com](mailto:agladson@austin.rr.com) . MS 7pm-9pm. Plus 9pm-9:30pm. <http://www.glad2call.com/BucklesBowsClub.htm>

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**MERRY MIXERS-1** South Austin Senior Activity Ctr, 3911 Manchaca Rd; Pres David & Linda Payne 288-0018, [sicodave@sbcglobal.net](mailto:sicodave@sbcglobal.net) . Visiting callers. No 5<sup>th</sup> Thursday. MS/P 7:30-9:30 pm. **FINAL DANCE APRIL 8, 2010** <http://www.asrda.org/clubs/merrymixers/>

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**REGISTRATION UPDATES**

**Registration Rates**

Time is running out to Register at the \$50.00 rate. Rates will change after May 31, 2010 to \$60.00 per person – this is an increase of \$20.00 per couple, save some money and register before May 31. No confirmations will be mailed by US Mail after May 31, and ribbons will be available at the door. If you provide an email address we will confirm by email after that date.

**Registration Hours and Packet Pick Up Information:**

Packets will be available Starting at noon on Tuesday June 22, 2010 in **Lobby A** of the Kentucky Fair and Expo Center, 937 Phillips Lane, Louisville KY. These packets will include your Convention Badge and items that you preordered in advance – IE: Program Book, Syllabus, Wednesday Evening Special Events Tickets, Cookbooks, and Sew & Save.

**Hours of Registration:**

6/22	Tuesday	Noon until 5:30 pm
6/23-6/25	Wednesday –Friday	8:30 am until 8:30 pm
6/26	Saturday	9:00 am until 8:00 pm

**Parking Passes** – For those that purchased these in advance – they will be available at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, 830 Phillips Lane, Louisville. This is right out side the Main Gate of the Kentucky Fair and Expo Center. There will be a Dancer Hospitality Table for pick up. You will need to sign and pick up your passes there. Please make sure you pick up your pass before you pick up you packet, so you do not have to pay to park. That is one advantage of ordering these in advance so you could save a gate fee to pick up your packets. Passes are good Tuesday through Saturday. If you haven't ordered – please do so by May 31. The only way to get in without paying each time is with a parking pass. They will be higher at the door – if available.

**Bus Passes** from the Convention Hotels are currently \$50.00 per person; this will be going up to \$60.00 per person after May 31. Our Buses will run from the **Convention Hotels to Expo Center unloading at Lobby B.** – **Note Registration Office for the 59<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention is located in Lobby A – once unloaded – take a left in the main hallway to the next lobby.**

**Have you converted your Early Registration?** If not please fill out the long form that you received last November and order your Program Book, Syllabus, Wednesday Evening Special Event Tickets, and let us know if we can help with your hotel needs. Our Convention Hotels are filled first come basis, so please send in your form today. If you can't find the one we sent you, just fill out any blank form and send it in, or you can down load a copy of the form from our website: [www.59thnsdc.com](http://www.59thnsdc.com).

**Registration/Housing information:** Contact the 59<sup>th</sup> NSDC Housing/Registration Chairman at: 59<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention®, P.O. Box 128, Milton, KY 40045-0128. Phone: (502) 732-0979. Fax: (502) 732-4600. Email: [reghousing@59thnsdc.com](mailto:reghousing@59thnsdc.com) You can also download a 59<sup>th</sup> NSDC Registration Form and find other useful information about the 59<sup>th</sup> NSDC at our Web Site: <http://www.59thnsdc.com>

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### REGISTRATION UPDATES (cont.)

**Volunteers** needed to help in Registration during the Convention. Would you like a place to rest but get to meet new friends or get reacquainted with old friends? What better place than Registration to offer a warm greeting and hand out packets to the arriving dancers from around the world? If you are interested – please contact us at [reahousing@59thnsdc.org](mailto:reahousing@59thnsdc.org). We will also have a board in Lobby A near the Registration Area, if you decide later on to help.

**Contact Board** – Located in Lobby A – near the Registration Area will be a contact board where dancers can leave message for each other.

**Registration Area for the Upcoming National Square Dance Conventions®** will be Located in Lobby B, this is where the Bus Drop off area is also located. Please make sure to stop by and visit, get some information and register to attend the upcoming conventions!

### PROGRAM UPDATES

**KEYNOTE ADDRESS** - The keynote address for the 59th National Square Dance Convention is scheduled for 11:00 a.m. on Friday, June 25th, in Room C101, and will feature Tony Oxendine. Tony has chosen for his topic "Take 2 aspirin and call me in the morning". Come and see what Tony plans to do with that topic!!

**ORGANIZATION ROUND TABLE** - The Organization Round Table discussion which is open to all dancers, callers, club leaders and organization leaders will be held in Room C101 at 4:30 p.m. on Thursday afternoon. Diane Gum of Colorado will be leading a discussion on "What Are We Doing Right". This is a "not to be missed" session and should be chock full of valuable information for all of our dance world!!

**CLUB LEADERSHIP CERTIFICATION PROGRAM:** Louisville will be continuing the Club Leadership Certification Program. This is an excellent program for you to get your new and not-so-new members educated on many issues. Courses from the Panels and Seminars will give them the boost they may need to accept a more confident and positive role in your club or association. Encourage them to attend AND attend with them if that will help. Credits will be earned by attending selected panels and seminars. Credits earned at prior conventions will be carried over to help them complete their certification this year in Louisville. If you begin your certification in Louisville and do not finish the required credits, they will be carried forward to the 60th National Square Dance Convention in Detroit. See you there!!

**BID SESSION:** Don't forget the BID SESSION on Friday morning at 9:00 a.m. in Freedom Hall. Come see what cities are considering bids for future conventions!!

**SEW & SAVE:** New patterns! New ideas! The Sew & Save is the place to get the latest scoop! Open from 10:00 a.m. until 5:00 each day of the convention so you can trace patterns, attend demonstrations of the latest techniques, get information on pattern adjustments, attend Make & Take sessions, and drop your tickets in the bags for a chance to win one of the over 100 door prizes, including a Cracker Barrel rocker, a beautiful handmade quilt, a handcrafted engine and passenger car for you train buffs, dresses, shirts, fabrics, slippers, and much more. Come see what we have to offer!

## 59<sup>th</sup> NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION® Kentucky Expo Center Hall Assignments

### Ballroom:

This room is on the second floor of the Expo Center in Freedom Hall, featuring Rounds Phase V & VI. There is 7162 sq ft. Tile Floor, and is easily accessible by ramp or elevator. Clinics are scheduled every day at 12:00 Noon, and teaches will be from 1:00 until 5:00 PM. The Hall will be closed from 5:00 until 7:00 PM for dinner.

Round dancing will resume with a quick Review from 7:00 until 8:00 PM with continuous Phase V & VI Round Dancing from 8:00 until 10:00 PM.

### Freedom Hall:

On the main floor there is 25,000 square feet of dance space.

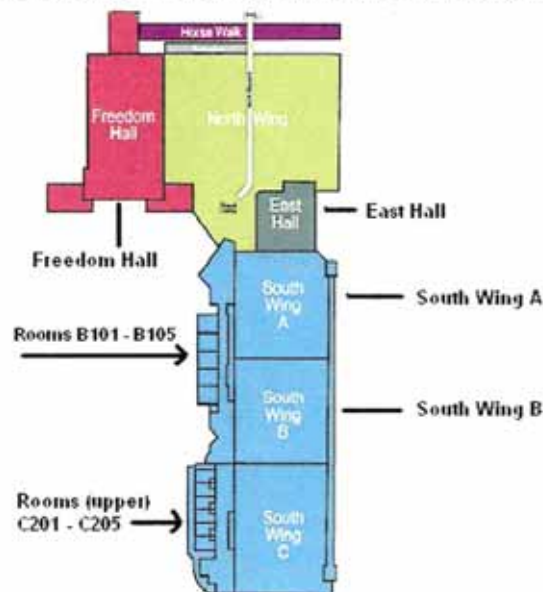
Daytime Special Events include the Bid Session, Fashion Show and Ceremonies. Evening events are Mainstream Dancing in approximately 25,000 square feet of dance space. Featured nightly will be the famous *Ghost Riders Band* from 7:00 PM until 10:00 PM. There will be exhibitions while the band is taking a break. The "second annual" Open Competition started last year in Long Beach will be held in Freedom Hall on Thursday afternoon at 4:00PM. Mainstream After Parties will also be held in Freedom Hall.

### Scheduled Dance Hall Assignments

B102 - **Contra**: 5,000 sq ft - with 3,000 sq ft composite floors over carpet  
 B103 - **CW/Lines**: 5,000 sq ft - with 3,000 sq ft composite floors over carpet  
 South Wing A - **Plus**: 50,000 sq ft of concrete floor  
 South Wing B - **Mainstream**: 25,000 sq ft of concrete floor  
 East Hall A - **Showcase of Rounds and Phase 3 & 4**: 18,000 sq ft concrete floor  
 East Hall B - **Advance**: 14,000 sq ft concrete floor  
 East Hall 1 - **Challenge**: 3,500 sq ft carpeted floor  
 East Hall 3/4 - **Rounds PH I & II**: 6,000 sq ft: composite floor over carpet  
 C 201/202 - **Clogging**: 8,000 sq ft: composite floor over carpet  
 C203 - **Singles**: 4600 sq ft: 2500 sq ft composite floor over carpet

### Variety/Handicapable Hall

Located in Room B 104 on the main level, this 5,000 square foot hall will feature composite flooring. During the day, this hall will feature a "variety" of dance choices for continuous dancing from 10:00 AM until 7:00 PM. There will be Clinics on "Introductions to Plus" and "Introductions to A1" each day; an "Introduction to Hexagon Squares" on Thursday; and an "Introduction to Exploding/Progressive Squares" on Friday. This Hall will feature the New and Young Callers, High Energy Dancing and different levels of DBD/APD dancing. It will also be the location of the Youth competition on Friday afternoon at 4:00 PM. From 7:00 PM until 10:00 PM each evening this Hall will be used for Handicapable dancing.



## **59<sup>th</sup> NSDC® CEREMONIES SCHEDULE**

### **WEDNESDAY Opening Ceremonies**

**Site:** Outside under front porch of Freedom Hall – West end  
**Time:** 5:00-5:30PM

**Welcome** – Master of Ceremonies – Tom Dillander  
**Entertainment** – Square dance by local youth  
**Presentation of the colors** – Kentuckiana Girl Scout Council  
**Pledge of Allegiance** – Samuel Mestel  
**National Anthem** – Iris Butler  
**Invocation**  
**Introduction of the 59<sup>th</sup> General Chairman** – Ron and Cindy Schoen  
**Introduction of the National Executive President** – Sam and Linda Margheim  
**Welcome** – City Official  
**Ribbon Cutting**  
**Closing** – Master of Ceremonies

### **FRIDAY Ceremonies**

**Site:** In Freedom Hall  
**Time:** 5:30PM

**Welcome** – Master of Ceremonies – Tom Dillander  
**Entertainment** – Davis Bluegrass Band  
**Presentation of the colors** – ROTC  
**Pledge of Allegiance** – Charlie Lewis – Retired P.O.W.  
**National Anthem** – Patriotic Song by Bluegrass Band  
**Invocation** – Pastor from Methodist Church  
**Introduction of the 59<sup>th</sup> General Chairman** – Ron and Cindy Schoen  
**Introduction of the 60<sup>th</sup> General Chairman** – Louis and Nancy Friedlander  
**Invitational Skit for Detroit**  
**Closing** – Master of Ceremonies

### **SATURDAY Ceremonies**

**Site:** Freedom Hall  
**Time:** Line up for Parade in concourse of Freedom Hall at **5:00PM**  
Parade begins at **5:30PM**

\*Everyone is invited to participate in the Parade of States.

**Welcome** – Master of Ceremonies – Tom Davis  
**Parade of States** – once completed, everyone will take a seat in the stands  
**Entertainment** – Patrick Henry Hughes  
**Presentation of the Colors** – National Guard  
**Pledge of Allegiance** – Officer of Civil Defense  
**National Anthem** – Patrick Henry Hughes  
**Invocation** – Pastor Mark Darnstaedt, Shepard of the Hills Lutheran Church,  
Lanesville, IN  
**Introduction 59<sup>th</sup> General Chairman** – Ron and Cindy Schoen  
**Introduction National Executive Committee President** –  
Sam and Linda Margheim  
**Awarding of the 63<sup>rd</sup> National Square Dance Convention®**  
**Remarks from the 63<sup>rd</sup> General Chairman**  
**Closing** – Master of Ceremonies

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**MID-AMERICA REUNION**

**Tuesday, June 22, 2010**

8:00 – 11:00 pm, Crown Plaza Hotel (Across from Expo Center Main Gate).

Have you been dancing long enough to remember Mid-America? If so, you're in for a real treat come next June. If you haven't been dancing that long – or if you never came to a Mid-America Weekend, you're still in for a rare treat.

The idea of Mid-America was originally formed at a meeting at the National Convention in Birmingham in 1986. The first Mid-America dance was held at the KY Exposition Center in September of 1987. Mid-America was formed with 13 National callers and three local couples. Two of those couples resigned in the 1990's leaving only one local couple to pull everything together each year. Three local callers were hired in the 1990's and two round dance cuers joined the group each year.

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