

The Roundup

President's Letter

The Johnson Weekend with Lanny and Mike was a blast for those of us who attended. I know that there were other dances this summer for you to attend.

It's important to have a large crowd at our annual Nebraska Square and Round Dance weekend in Hastings on September 20-21. Following the state weekend dance, a state meeting will occur on Sunday morning. We have a significant meeting ahead where we will nominate and elect a new state president, president-elect, and insurance coordinator. If you want to continue enjoying this activity, dancers need to participate and take on a role as an officer actively. Officers and committees play a crucial role in accomplishing important items like organizing upcoming events, on the state and club levels. Someone has to book the callers and cuers set up needed committees, and have a hall booked for the season or event. Without that effort, there are no dances to attend and enjoy.

Were lessons offered by your club over the summer? If so, please keep in contact with these new members and keep them involved until the new dance season begins. As soon as the dance season starts, be sure to take them to nearby dances and show them where other club dances take place.

We have secured a new vendor for food. The Hastings Eagles Club will serve pies on Friday Night. Several sandwiches on Saturday afternoon and a spaghetti dinner with bread on Saturday for dinner. I would like to thank Nellie Anderson for finding this organization to serve the food.

Tom & Jan Robbins



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2025 All Federations

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2026 All Federations

2025 All Federations State Meeting

The next meeting of the State General Membership board will be Sunday September 22, 2024 at 10:00 a.m.

When Federation or State Representative Officers change PLEASE provide the Roundup Editor with their names, address, phone, and email address so I can keep the information current.

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Northeast Federation

Northeast Federation State Rep Report

The Northeast Federation is sponsoring another round of learning/renewing square dance with Jerry Junck as the caller/instructor. The lessons started Aug. 19 and will run through October. Looking forward to a fun start with a great group of newbies/refreshers!

Sunday, October 13, 2024 The Northeast Federation Fall Dance will be called by Mike Hogan from LaVista, NE. This year's theme is "Scarecrows & Sunflowers". Location is at the KC Hall, 105 Elm Ave, Norfolk, NE from 2:30 – 5:00 p.m. The afternoon will feature a special pie auction. Exhibit your pie baking skills and bring a pie for the auction. The pies will be auctioned off by resident auctioneer Randy Gubbels. A meal consisting of smoked pork, scalloped potatoes, baked beans & dessert will follow the dance. The meal and dance are both included in the donation amount: \$12 at the door, \$10 if paid in advance. Contact Mary or Rick Christensen if you are interested in advance tickets.

Hope to see you around a square soon!

Town Twirlers – Randolph

The next dances are September 15, 2024 with Jerry Junck and October 20, 2024 with Tony Lund. All dances are 2:00 – 4:00 p.m. at the Randolph City Auditorium, 119 North Main Street, Randolph, NE

Single Wheelers – Norfolk

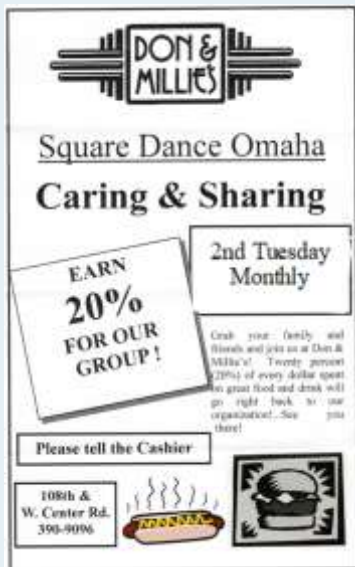
After completing a great summer of dancing at the Pufahl Barn, the Single Wheelers will be dancing at new location starting in September. New location is Westridge United Methodist Church, 2000 West Norfolk Ave, Norfolk, NE. The dance time is 7:00 – 9:00pm. Jerry Junck is the caller for the dances on September 3, 2024, September 17, 2024, October 1, 2024, and October 15, 2024.

Encouraging everyone to attend the Nebraska State Dance on Sept. 20-21, 2024 at Adams County Fairgrounds, Hastings, NE. Featured caller is Mike Bramlett and featured cuer is Mitchell & Chelsea Thompson.

Rick & Mary Christensen
Northeastern State Representative



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Southeast Federation

Southeast Federation State Rep Report

We have had some hot weather and another storm here in Lincoln as I write this. But we should be having cooler weather for the fall season and hope to see many of you at our upcoming dances.

York Shirts and Skirts will dance on Sept. 7 with Ken Marks calling. We will be at the state dance on Sept. 20 and 21 in Hastings, as we hope many of you are as well, so there will be no dance on Sept. 21 in York. Ken will call again on Oct. 5. Lanny Weakland will be calling on Oct. 19.

These dances are at the York Senior Center, 725 N. Nebraska Ave., in York, Nebraska. There is a Plus portion of the dance from 7:00 – 7:30, with Mainstream dancing from 7:30—9:30 PM.

The Shirts and Skirts are having lessons with Ken Marks instructing, starting on Sept. 10, from 7:00-8:30 PM. These will last for ten weeks, until November 12. These will be held at the Senior Center.

The Lincoln Live Lively Club continues to dance on the second Sunday afternoon of each month, for the remainder of 2024, from 2:00-4:00 PM. Lyle Waterhouse from Missouri Valley, IA will be calling all the upcoming dances for us. These dances are held at Sacred Heart School gym, 540 N. 31st St., in Lincoln. We have dances on Sept. 8 and October 13.

Lyle will also be teaching lessons for the Live Lively Club on Thursday evenings, beginning Sept. 5, starting at 7:00 PM and lasting until 9:00 PM. They will last until Nov. 21, skipping Halloween, which is on Thursday this year. These will be held at Sacred Heart School.

Check out the York/Lincoln Square Dance Club on Facebook to see some of what these dancers have been up to. Follow us to keep up on our current events and happenings and in case any schedule changes are made.

Roger Hansen and Janet Buck
Southeastern State Representative



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Central Federation

Central Federation State Rep Report

Currently there are no dances scheduled. Stay tuned to the website for when dancing resumes.



Eastern Federation

Eastern Federation State Rep Report

Please support the clubs that have started dancing Heartland Singles, Crossfire Squares (Plus), both have danced thru the summer, River City Square's start Aug. 30, Belles "N" Beaus Sept. 6, Amazing 8's Sept 14, Loess Hills Squares Oct. 6.

The Nebraska State Square & Round Dance needs someone to take over the State Insurance Job, Barb & Bob Welshinger have done this job for more than 20+ years, time for new blood as they will not be continuing.

Dances to put on your calendar

Eastern Federation FALL KICKOFF – Aug 11th at 2:00 P.M. at Rockbrook United Methodist Church 99th & West Center Road Omaha

River City Squares is dancing Friday Aug 30 with Jerry Junck calling & Mike Schrant cueing.

It's not too early to get signed up for Nebraska State Weekend Sept. 20 & 21, forms and information on the web sight.

Bob & Barb Welshinger
Eastern State Representative



2024 JOHNSON WEEKEND

On July 19 & 20, dancers gathered in Johnson, Nebraska, for the Summer Weekend Get-A-Way. They were treated to three dance sessions featuring Lanny Weaklend and Mike Hogan on squares and rounds. Mainstream and Plus dancing kept everyone active. The after-parties were also a hit, with a time to cool down, nibble on snacks and converse with friends. Those staying for the whole weekend enjoyed the hospitality of the city of Auburn and the Arbor Manor Motel. Mark your calendar now for the 32nd edition on July 18 & 19, 2025.



Eastern Federation Dance Schedule

SEPTEMBER 2024

Club
Theme
Caller
Cuer

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3 Heartland Singles Lanny Weaklend Lanny Weaklend	4	5	6 Belles 'N' Beaus Darwin Barker Ron Stairs	7
8	9	10 Crossfire Squares Lanny Weaklend	11	12	13	14 Amazing 8s Mike Hogan Mike Schrant
15 Bluff Strutters Terry Harrison Lyle Waterhouse Barb Harrison	16	17 Heartland Singles Doug Phillips Amy Swift	18	19	20	21
22	23	24 Crossfire Squares Lanny Weaklend	25	26	27 River City Sqrs <i>We will miss you</i> DUDE Doug Phillips Ron Stairs	28 Amazing 8s Lanny Weaklend Mike Schrant
29	30					

Amazing 8's 8:00pm - 10:30pm Rockbrook Methodist Church 9855 W Center Rd, Omaha	Belles 'N' Beaus 8:00pm - 10:30pm Holy Cross Lutheran Church 4117 Terrace Dr Omaha	Bluff Strutters 2:00pm - 5:00pm 5th Ave Meth- odist Church 1800 5th Ave Council Bluffs	Crossfire Squares 7:30pm - 10:00pm Rockbrook Methodist Church 9855 W Center	Heartland Singles 7:30pm - 10:00pm Rockbrook Methodist Church 9855 W Center	Loess Hills Squares 7:00pm - 9:30pm The Parlor 116 S 1st St Missouri Valley	River City Squares 8:00pm - 10:30pm St. Martha's Episcopal Church 801 Magnolia
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Eastern Federation Dance Schedule

OCTOBER 2024

Club
Theme
Caller
Cuer

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 Heartland Singles Lanny Weaklend Lanny Weaklend	2	3	4 Belles 'N' Beaus Doug Phillips Ron Stairs	5 Loess Hills Sqrs Berry Peck Carla Peck
6	7	8 Crossfire Squares Lanny Weaklend	9	10	11 River City Sqrs Harvest Dance Connie Graham Mike Schrant	12 Amazing 8's Lanny Weaklend Ron Stairs
13	14	15 Heartland Singles Lanny Weaklend Lanny Weaklend	16	17	18 Belles 'N' Beaus Lanny Weaklend Ron Stairs	19 Loess Hill Sqrs Chuck Veldhuizen Amy Swift
20	21	22 Crossfire Squares Lanny Weaklend	23	24	25 River City Sqrs Monster Mash Chris Wildhagen Amy Swift	26 Amazing 8's Trick or Treat Doug Phillips Amy Swift
27	28	29	30	31		

Amazing 8's 8:00pm - 10:30pm Rockbrook Methodist Church 9855 W Center Rd, Omaha	Belles 'N' Beaus 8:00pm - 10:30pm Holy Cross Lutheran Church 4117 Terrace Dr Omaha	Bluff Strutters 2:00pm - 5:00pm 5th Ave Meth- odist Church 1800 5th Ave Council Bluffs	Crossfire Squares 7:30pm - 10:00pm Rockbrook Methodist Church 9855 W Center Rd, Omaha	Heartland Singles 7:30pm - 10:00pm Rockbrook Methodist Church 9855 W Center Rd, Omaha	Loess Hills Squares 7:00pm - 9:30pm The Parlor 116 S 1st St Missouri Valley	River City Squares 8:00pm - 10:30pm St. Martha's Episcopal Church 801 Magnolia Ave, Papillion
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Northeast/Southeast/Central/Western Federation Dance Schedule

SEPTEMBER 2024

Club
Theme
Caller
Cuer

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3 Single Wheelers Jerry Junck	4	5	6	7 York Shirts & Skirts Flags of the World Ken Marks
8 Lincoln Live Lively Lyle Waterhouse	9	10	11	12	13	14
15 Town Twirlers Jerry Junck	16	17 Single Wheelers Jerry Junck	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

York Shirts & Skirts 7:00pm – 9:30pm Senior Center 725 Nebraska Ave York, NE		Live Lively Lincoln 2:00pm—4:00pm Sacred Heart School 540 N 31st St Lincoln, NE		Single Wheelers 7:00pm -9:00pm *Lifepoint Church 715 Madison Ave Norfolk, NE **Pufahl’s Barn Norfolk, NE		Town Twirlers 2:00pm–4:00pm City Auditorium 119 N Main St. Randolph, NE
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Northeast/Southeast/Central/Western Federation Dance Schedule

OCTOBER 2024

Club
Theme
Caller
Cuer

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1 Single Wheelers Jerry Junck	2	3	4	5 York Shirts & Skirts Ken Marks
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13 Lincoln Live Lively Lyle Waterhouse	14	15 Single Wheelers Jerry Junck	16	17	18	19 York Shirts & Skirts Costumes Optional Lanny Weaklend
20 Town Twirlers Tony Lund	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

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2024/2025 Special Dance Schedule

NEBRASKA STATE SQUARE & ROUND DANCE WEEKEND

@ Adams County Fairgrounds—Hastings

9/20/24	8:00 p.m.	Mike Bramlett	Mitchell & Chelsea Thompson
9/21/24	9:00 a.m.	Mike Bramlett	Mitchell & Chelsea Thompson

River City Squares REGATTA—St. Martha's Episcopal Church, Papillion

5/23/25	8:00 p.m.	Chris Wildhagen	Amy Swift
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Eastern Federation MEMORIAL DAY WEEKEND @ St. Martha Episcopal Church—Omaha

5/24/25	8:00 p.m.	Joe Saltel & Mike Hogan	Ron & Norma Stairs
5/25/25	9:30 a.m.	Joe Saltel & Mike Hogan	Ron & Norma Stairs

SUMMER WEEKEND GET-A-WAY - Johnson, Nebraska

7/18/25	7:30 p.m.	Mike Hogan & Lanny Weaklend	
7/19/25	7:30 p.m.	Mike Hogan & Lanny Weaklend	



**53rd Annual Nebraska State
Square and Round Dance Weekend
September 20-21, 2024**

Adams County Fairgrounds, Hastings, Nebraska

THEME



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FALL/AUTUMN**

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CAMPING: Adams County Fairgrounds
Register online at Campspot.com

Event Starting Times

Friday Evening	7:30 pm
Saturday Morning	9:30 am
Saturday Afternoon	1:00 pm
Saturday Evening	7:30 pm

REGISTRATION
(Please print clearly)

Deadline for advanced registration and refund is September 1, 2024
Questions? 402-659-4444 or bobwbarb@cox.net

Suggested donation – per person

	<u>Advanced</u>	<u>Door</u>
All Events	\$40.00	\$45.00
Friday evening	16.00	18.00
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Saturday evening	16.00	18.00
Youth (under 16)	½ price	½ price

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(state)

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FRIDAY, MAY 23—TRAILS IN DANCE

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SATURDAY, MAY 24, 2025

9:00 am to 10:00 am – Registration
10:00 am to 12:00 noon – Dancing
12:00 noon to 1:30 pm – Lunch Break
1:30 pm to 5:00 pm – Dancing
5:00 pm to 7:15 pm – Dinner Break
7:15 pm to 10:30 pm – Dancing
After Party at host hotel, bring your own snack & drink

SUNDAY, MAY 25, 2025

9:30 am to 10:00 am – Registration
10:00 am to 12:00 noon – Dancing
12:00 noon to 1:30 pm – Lunch Break
1:30 pm to 5:00 pm – Dancing
5:00 pm to 7:15 pm – Dinner Break
7:15 pm to 10:30 pm – Dancing
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<input type="checkbox"/> Saturday Evening: \$12.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday Evening: \$10.00		

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Address _____
City, State, Zip _____
Amount enclosed \$ _____

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May 23-24, 2026
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WITH

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Lanny Weakland and Mike Hogan

July 18 – 19, 2025

32 Years

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Dance Schedule

Friday, July 18	8:00 – 10:30 pm	Mainstream dance with designated Plus tips & Rounds
Saturday, July 19	Morning	Free to explore the area or sleep in
	1:30 – 4:00 pm	Workshop ... Hot Hash ... ?? ... FUN ... Casual
	8:00 – 10:30 pm	Mainstream dance with designated Plus tips & Rounds

Weekend Package

\$50 couple / \$25.00 single

Individual Sessions

\$20 couple / \$10 single

No need to pre-register



Need more information?

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_____ One Day/Night	\$30.00
_____ Individual Square/Round Dance Sessions	\$15.00
Total individual registration fees enclosed	\$ _____

Source Dance Attire Admitted, Not Required

Cancellation Policy:

- Full Refund will be given if cancellation notice is received prior to July 15, 2025.
- One-half Refund will be given for cancellation between July 15 and August 1, 2025.
- No Refund will be given for cancellation after August 1, 2025.

All requests for cancellation must be in writing or e-mail to HASSDA Festival Contact.

*Dance registration provides a complimentary membership to HASSDA for adults (**18 years of age & up**) from August 1, 2025 to July 31, 2026.*

(Please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope.)

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In Remembrance...

Clinton Gayle Philson

1935 - 2024

Clinton and Ann were very long square dancers and held many offices for their local club and the state board. They were members of the York Shirts & Skirts.

Clinton Gayle Philson was born on April 4, 1935 and passed away on July 21, 2024 at 89 years old. He was the youngest of five children of Willard Ernest and Francel Airth (Barr) Philson.

Clinton attended country school and attended York High School, graduating in 1953. Clinton joined the Army, serving from 1958 to 1960, serving most of his time in Germany. After returning to York, he did various jobs, most notably with Standard Oil of America, and on November 19, 1961, he married Ann Barney, who was the love of his life, at the First Presbyterian Church in York.

In 1976, he and Ann purchased a Standard Oil Jobership in Atkinson, which they ran as Philson Oil Company until 2000. After selling their business, Clinton and Ann moved to the York area where they lived for 20+ years, and then most recently they moved to Lincoln.

Although he had retired, Clinton was never satisfied with sitting still, so he filled his retirement years helping out where he could and taking care of his family.

Throughout his life, Clinton was involved in many activities in the communities they lived in. He was especially proud of his service as a volunteer fireman and EMT in Atkinson, volunteering with the churches they attended, and volunteering with the food bank in York. He was always willing to help anyone with anything at any time.

His family meant more to him than anything else in the world, and he was unendingly proud of his children and grandchildren.

Clinton was a deeply beloved husband, father, uncle, cousin, brother and friend. He worked hard to make sure his family was taken care of and felt loved every day. His passing was sudden and unexpected, but quick, just like he always hoped it would be.

Clinton is survived by his wife, Ann, of 62 years; son, Brad and wife, Sue Anne, of Lincoln; daughter, Sandi and husband, Chad Roseberry, of Wellsville, Kan.; grandchildren, Alexis and husband, Eric Turner, of Minneapolis, Minn., Sam Philson of Lincoln and Maude Roseberry, as well as brother-in-law, Bob (Joyce) Barney and sister-in-law, Carol Barney and many cousins, nieces, nephews, grandnieces, grandnephews and many friends.

He was preceded in death by his parents; sisters, Gwen Ogden and Gen Johnson and brothers, Myrvan Philson and Maurice Philson and all of their spouses, as well as in-laws, Carol and Dallas Fenster and Norm Barney.

*God has them in his hands . . . We have them in our hearts.
They will always be remembered!*

*In
Loving
Memory*



What's Cooking

Pork Chop Skillet

Ingredients

- 2 tablespoons butter
- 4 pork chops, boneless
- 1 1/4 cups water
- 1 (6-ounce) package long-grain and wild rice mix with herbs
- 1 (15.25-ounce) can corn, undrained
- 1 (14.5-ounce) can diced Italian-style tomatoes, undrained

Directions:

Heat the butter in a large skillet over medium heat.

Add the pork chops to the skillet and cook until a thermometer inserted into the center of the pork reads at least 145 degrees F, about 10-15 minutes.

Transfer the cooked pork to a cutting board and cut each of them into bite-size pieces.

Add the water and the long-grain and wild rice mixed with herbs to the skillet and stir well.

Layer the pork chop pieces over the rice.

Pour the corn over the pork chop layer.

Pour the tomatoes over the corn layer.

Cover the skillet and simmer the pork chop skillet until the rice is tender and the liquid is absorbed, about 30-40 minutes.

Serve.



STRAWBERRY HEAVEN ON EARTH CAKE

Ingredients

- 1 10-ounce premade angel food cake cut into 1-inch cubes
(or a boxed angel food cake mix prepared according to box directions,)
- 1 21-ounce can strawberry pie filling (or your favorite flavor pie filling)
- 1 3.4-ounce box vanilla instant pudding mix
- 1 1/2 cup cold whole milk
- 1 cup sour cream
- 1 8-ounce tub whipped topping (thawed)

Directions:

Lightly spray a 9x9 glass baking dish with cooking spray. Set it aside.

Layer half of the cubed angel food cake in the bottom of the prepared baking dish.

Evenly spread 2/3 's of the strawberry pie filling on top of the cubed angel food cake.

Layer the remaining angel food cake cubes on top of the strawberry pie filling.

Using a medium-size mixing bowl, whisk together the cold milk and the sour cream until the mixture is well incorporated and no lumps are visible.

Whisk in the instant pudding mix and continue whisking until the mixture is smooth and just beginning to thicken.

Evenly spread the milk mixture over the top of the angel food cake cubes.

Using an offset spatula, evenly spread the thawed whipped topping.

Spoon the remaining strawberry pie filling in dollops across the whipped topping. Using a butter knife, gently swirl the pie filling.

Cover tightly and chill in the refrigerator for at least 8 hours or overnight. Keep the cake in the refrigerator until you are ready to serve.



Dance Your Way to a Better Life

All forms of physical activity are good for the mind, body and soul, and dancing is no exception. Doing so on a regular basis contributes to the following:

- **Cardiovascular Fitness** – Dancing – Round, Contra/Traditional and Square (RCT&S) – is a safe way to exercise. The moves are interesting, and the level of exertion is up to each participant. “Rev up” for a high-intensity workout, or take it slow and easy for a relaxing, yet beneficial, workout. Dancing regularly can lead to a slower heart rate, lower blood pressure and an improved cholesterol profile.
- **Healthy Environment** – RCT&S clubs are smoke- and alcohol-free. This allows the participants to dance and socialize in a safe environment.
- **Body and Brain Boost** – RCT&S dancers react to directions which are given, forcing the body and brain to be tightly coordinated. A number of moves are memorized, which helps keep the mind sharp.
- **Calories Burned** – Dancing burns between 200 and 400 calories in thirty minutes – that’s the equivalent of walking, swimming or riding a bike.
- **Steps** – The President’s Council on Physical Fitness and Sports recommends 10,000 steps per day to maintain physical fitness. Dancing, on average, provides over 3,000 steps per hour.
- **Sturdy Bones** – The side-to-side movement of dancing strengthens weight-bearing bones in the hips and legs, which helps prevent and slow the loss of bone mass.
- **Rehabilitation** – RCT&S is a great way to get back into the swing of things if you are recovering from an injury. Dancing keeps your joints moving, and is a nice alternative to jogging, or other high-impact activities.
- **Social Aspects** – You never know who you’re going to meet on the dance floor. Some types of dance, such as Contra, require you to switch partners every dance, so it’s easy to make friends. Lifetime relationships are formed, and some even meet the loves of their lives. There are dancing groups for everybody – handicapable people, gays and lesbians, youth, singles and couples.



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- To promote fun and fellowship through square dancing, round dancing, contra, and clogging.
- To coordinate dance activities of member clubs.
- To encourage and assist persons interested in forming new clubs, advise and assist member clubs with their problems, and sponsors' state wide activities, such as the annual state weekend.

On The Computer

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Colorado Round Dance Association
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kansassquaredance.com

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squaredanceminnesota.com

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Note from the Editor

The dance season is gearing up once again and clubs have either already started lessons or getting ready to start them. As many of you have heard Callerlab is working on changing the lesson plan (how many calls are taught) to get more people into lessons. I'm not sure how everyone else feels, but the lesson plan is not going to bring people through the door. I say this since most lessoners don't know how many calls they learn. We have to figure out how to get people through the door to take the lessons. I am asking the same million dollar question as everyone else, "How do we get people through the door?". My only answer is, "just keep trying different things and discussing with each other what you have tried". Something someone else has tried and didn't work, may work for someone else, so keep sharing what you are doing whether it worked or not. So my last words are "keep trying".

Looking forward to seeing you all around the square.

Amy & Kenard Swift
Roundup Editor