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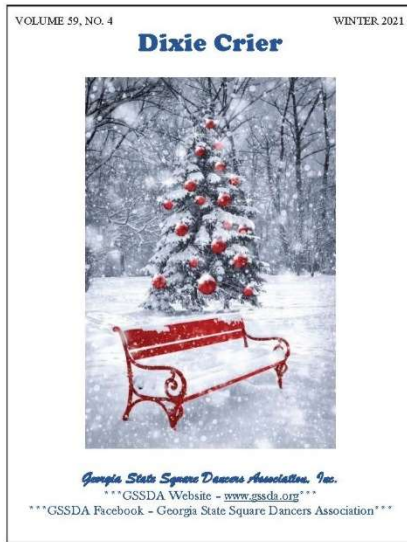


*Georgia State Square Dancers Association, Inc.*

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## DIXIE CRIER NEWSLETTER



The Dixie Crier Newsletter is an educational bulletin of the Georgia State Square Dancers Association, Inc. Each issue contains Georgia and regional club information to include general club contact information, dances, and more.

The Dixie Crier is produced four (4) times a year and distribute electronically:

- Spring Issue (March, April, May, some of June)
- Summer Issue (June, July, August, some of September)
- Fall Issue (September, October, November, some of December)
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**Submission Deadline is the 15th of January, April, July, and October.**

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**ARTICLES, ADS & NEWS**

**GSSDA**

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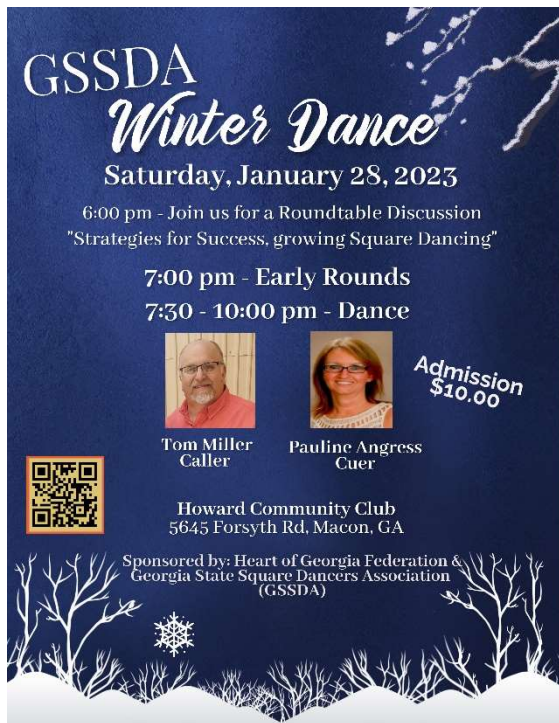
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## President's Message . . .

The 2022 Georgia State Convention was held in Gainesville Georgia. We had an attendance Friday & Saturday of 273 dancers with 79 Dance Leaders for a total attendance of 352. Thank you to all the volunteers that helped with set up and clean up, as well as helping to install the wood flooring. We couldn't have a successful State Convention without our volunteers.




**GSSDA**  
*Winter Dance*  
Saturday, January 28, 2023  
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7:00 pm - Early Rounds  
7:30 - 10:00 pm - Dance

   
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Admission  
\$10.00

Howard Community Club  
5645 Forsyth Rd, Macon, GA

Sponsored by: Heart of Georgia Federation &  
Georgia State Square Dancers Association  
(GSSDA)

QR code: 

**We have a new dance opportunity in January 2023 – please make plans to attend the GSSDA Winter Dance in Macon GA on January 28, 2023 with Tom Miller (AL) and Pauline Angress (AL).**



GEORGIA STATE SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION  
(GSSDA) PRESENTS

**SPRING**  
*Sashay*  
*Weekend*

**MAY 5 & 6, 2023**

ADMISSION \$7.00 PP AT THE DOOR EACH DAY  
YOUTH: FREE

DANCE FRIDAY & SATURDAY EVENINGS  
6:30 – 7:00 PM – EARLY ROUNDS - 7:00 – 10:00 PM DANCE  
SATURDAY WORKSHOPS, FUN SQUARES, & MORE 10:00 AM – 4:30 PM

Location: Western Promenaders  
327 Woods Rd NW, Rome, GA 30165  
www.gssda.org

QR code: 

**Spring Sashay Weekend in Rome GA.  
Save the dates May 5 & 6, 2023.**



## Save the date – September 15 & 16, 2023 for the 52<sup>nd</sup> Georgia State Convention.

Ribbons can be purchased:

- Online at [www.gssda.org](http://www.gssda.org)
- By mail
- Area Representative have ribbons for sale

**Thursday, September 14<sup>th</sup> Trail End Dance** – details to be announced.

**Volunteers – we need ‘em!** Will you volunteer a few hours of your time to help at the State Convention? We need your help!!

**GSSDA Board** – do you have ideas to grow square dancing in Georgia? We are looking for new GSSDA Board members. Most of our meetings are held via Zoom, making it much easier for Board members to meet. Please let us know if you are interested and we’ll add you to the meeting notification email.

### **2023 Meeting Schedule:**

- January 8<sup>th</sup>
- March 12<sup>th</sup>
- May 6<sup>th</sup> – Spring Sashay, Rome (Saturday)
- July 9<sup>th</sup>
- August 13<sup>th</sup> – Convention Walk Thru & Officer Election, Gainesville Civic Center
- September 16<sup>th</sup> (Friday) – Georgia State Convention
- October 8<sup>th</sup> - Installation of New Officers

We look forward to seeing you in a square in 2023. Invite your new club members to join you at these events.

**Louis & Angie McClure**  
GSSDA Presidents

# IMPORTANT



## Is your Club offering a Mainstream Class?

A *Georgia State Square Dancers Association (GSSDA)* Board Member would like to attend your next Class Graduation and present the new dancers with the GSSDA Handbook and information about the GSSDA dances. In 2020 GSSDA developed a new Graduate Program presenting each graduate with a **FREE Georgia State Convention Pass** to the next Georgia State Convention. We want to encourage your new members to **join you** at the State Convention in September.

The Annual Georgia State Convention has a **Relaxed Mainstream Hall** to accommodate the newer dancers and those that may want a slower pace dancing. This is the “*Fun Hall*” with all the fun Dance Leaders. We implemented the “**GSSDA Graduation Program**” in 2020 and have attended many Class Graduations across the state.

Please provide information on your upcoming Class Graduation ceremony to include the number of students graduating, date, time, and location. Please email information to [L-amcclure@charter.net](mailto:L-amcclure@charter.net) or call 678-956-0287.

*We look forward to celebrating with your new dancers.*

*Let's grow dancing in Georgia!*



## GSSDA ARCHIVE ROOM



An addition to the 51<sup>st</sup> Georgia State Square Dance Convention was the Archive Room. *Where did all the stuff come from?* Some items came from a non-temperature-controlled trailer on Sod Andrews's property. After he passed, his family did not want the memorabilia and donated to GSSDA. Some items came from a museum on the campus of Abraham-Baldwin Agricultural College. Much of it was about Georgia square dance callers. By the time GSSDA learned of these treasures, the museum had packed them in

unlabeled boxes. They put labels in one box and the items in another. GSSDA does want to preserve as much of our history as we can.

***What can you do to help?***

If anyone knows about preserving history, please volunteer. We need your help!!! We are relying on Google.

- We would like a short history of each club that dances or has danced in Georgia or is or has been a member of GSSDA. We would like this on standard 8.5 x 11 sheets of paper. We plan to put the Club articles in a binder. Please include date of first dance, callers, and club locations.
- We would like ONE badge from each of the above clubs.
- We would like caller fan club badges.
- We would like ONE badge, dangle, program from dance weekends held in Georgia.
- We would like National Square Dance Convention® souvenirs.
- We will accept banners of closed clubs.
- We would like newspaper articles about square dancing.

Please note: ***None of these will be returned.***

We, DO NOT want square dance clothing, except embellished leather belts.

We will be accepting any of these at the Spring Sashay in Rome, GA.

Your Archivist,  
Jo Anne Johnson [jabchj4@yahoo.com](mailto:jabchj4@yahoo.com)



## 2022 Georgia State Convention Dangle



Do you collect the Georgia State Convention bar each year? SuzieQ (badge vendor) was not able to join us this year at the Georgia State Convention. We can order the Convention bar for the 2022 State Convention and mail to you.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Georgia State Badge - \$6.00

\_\_\_\_\_ 2022 Georgia State Convention Bar - \$2.00 each

Make check payable to: GSSDA. Mail to: GSSDA, P.O. Box 1120,  
Flowery Branch GA 30452.

## National Square Dance Convention® News



*Did you receive your electronic copy of the National Squares E-Magazine, an online publication? The National Squares E- Magazine is the who, what, when, where, and how of the 72<sup>nd</sup> National Square Dance Convention® (72<sup>nd</sup> NSDC).*

This E-Magazine is the source of all things associated with the 72<sup>nd</sup> NSDC and future National Conventions. We are looking for new subscribers, please visit our website at <http://nsdcnec.com/> and sign up today.

Below are the upcoming National Square Dance Convention® – *are you registered?*



**72<sup>nd</sup> NSDC, Mobile Alabama**

**June 21- 24, 2023**

[www.72nsdc.com](http://www.72nsdc.com)



**73<sup>rd</sup> NSDC, Milwaukee Wisconsin**

**June 26-29, 2024**

[www.73nsdc.com](http://www.73nsdc.com)



**74<sup>th</sup> NSDC, Shreveport Louisiana**

**June 28 – 28, 2025**

[www.74thnsdc.com](http://www.74thnsdc.com)

The Heart of Ga Federation and the Western Square Dancers present  
**New Years Eve Dance**  
**2022**



Charlie  
Petrea  
&  
Peggy &  
Doyle  
Ellington

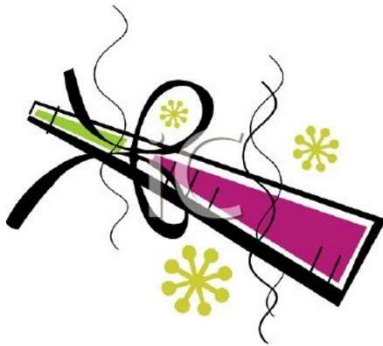


**Peas, Greens,  
Ham and much,  
much more!**



**\$12.00**

**Come Dance the New  
Year in with US!**



Sat. Dec 31, 2022  
early rounds 8-9 dance 9-12  
Howard Community Club  
5645 Forsyth Rd. Macon, Ga  
contact Darlene 474-718-8052





# Happy New Year

## Dance Into 2023!

Presenting  
National Caller

**Larry Belcher**

From Auburn, Alabama



Cues

**Aneesa  
Barge**



**Ribbons Available Soon \$10 per person**

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

**For Information Call:**

Bill Jarrett: 770-361-3711

Bob or Marilyn Mintz: 770-428-8730

Sponsored by *Metro*  
*Atlanta Square*  
*Dancers Association*





## 2023 GSSDA Insurance Program for Clubs and Dancers

**Renewal and funds are due to USDA by December 1, 2022.**

### **Protection Includes Accident & Liability Coverage**

Although safety rules are closely followed, accidents will happen. Accident & Liability Insurance helps protect club members from financial loss due to a covered accidental bodily injury. Liability insurance protects the club and its members and association officials from financial loss due to unforeseen incidents which may develop into litigation against members and dance organizations.

### **Eligibility, Premium & Policy Term**

Dancers of GSSDA member clubs are eligible for USDA insurance at the current price rate of \$5.25 per person per year with a minimum rate of \$45.00 per club. 100% of a club's membership must be covered by this policy for it to become effective. The insurance policy runs from January 1st to December 31st. **People belonging to more than one club need to pay only one fee and will be covered while dancing at any other club's sponsored dances.** This policy does not cover Dance Leaders or their equipment while they are calling/cueing. The policy does cover Dance Leaders if they are dancing to another Dance Leader, and they are included on the club roster and the club member rate has been paid. A summary of coverage can be viewed at <http://www.usda.org/Insurance.php>.

**All Clubs and Organizations must submit their GSSDA Annual Membership dues of \$20.00 to GSSDA before enrolling for USDA Insurance Coverage.**

**GSSDA Membership Form can be found on GSSDA website [www.gssda.org](http://www.gssda.org)**



**Due: 12/1/2022**



## INSTRUCTIONS FOR OBTAINING COVERAGE

1. Instructions on how to use the USDA Insurance Enrollment System to obtain USDA coverage <https://www.usda.org/Insinfo/PortalInstructions.pdf>
2. Include a check for payment; \$5.25 per dancers. 100% of the club membership must be insured, minimum of eight (8) members; some of the club members can belong to another club. A minimum of \$45.00 per club must be submitted.
3. Send to the completed form and payment to GSSDA Insurance Chairman at the following address:  
**Pat Inglis, 9133 Creekside Trail, Stone Mountain GA 30087**

The following forms may be needed during the year. All these forms will need to be completed and either sent via US mail or e-mail to the Insurance Chairman.

- a. **Club Sponsored Class Form** [http://www.usda.org/Insinfo/Club\\_Class\\_Form.pdf](http://www.usda.org/Insinfo/Club_Class_Form.pdf)
  - i. To ensure coverage for the class members you must complete this form.
  - ii. List each class member's name and the insured club they are associated with and send to the GSSDA Insurance Chairman at the address noted above.
  - iii. Class members are automatically covered as a part of an insured club, with no additional cost with a time limit of 9 months.
- b. **Additional Enrollment Form** [http://www.usda.org/Insinfo/Additional\\_Enrollment\\_Form.pdf](http://www.usda.org/Insinfo/Additional_Enrollment_Form.pdf)
  - i. This form must be submitted when a new member(s) joins a club after the Club Roster Enrollment for the Year form has been submitted.
  - ii. The form along with the insurance fee for each member listed on the form must be sent to the GSSDA Insurance Chairman at the address noted above.
- c. **Accident Report Form** [http://www.usda.org/Insinfo/Accident\\_Report\\_Form.pdf](http://www.usda.org/Insinfo/Accident_Report_Form.pdf)
  - i. This form must be completed and submitted to the GSSDA Insurance Chairman at the address noted below within 48 hours of an accident.
  - ii. Upon receipt of this accident report a claim form will be mailed to the club.

If you have any questions, please contact the GSSDA Insurance Chairman:

Pat Inglis  
9133 Creekside Trail, Stone Mountain GA 30087  
Phone: 404-294-0268  
Email: [inglisp@bellsouth.net](mailto:inglisp@bellsouth.net)

October 9, 2022



GSSDA

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## Mike Michel

Celebrates 100<sup>th</sup> Birthday In March 2023



### Classic City Square Dance Club Athens Georgia

Plans to host a birthday celebration for Mike Michel  
**Details to be announced.** There will be several presentations during this event to recognize Mike's many contributions to Georgia Square & Round Dancing activities.



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[www.gssda.org](http://www.gssda.org)







# 72nd National Square Dance Convention®

Party Gras 2023

June 21, 22, 23, 24, 2023 in Mobile, Alabama

Ya'll Come Dance & Play on Mobile Bay

Register online at [www.72nsdc.com](http://www.72nsdc.com)

## For Convention Use Only

Registration # \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date Received \_\_\_\_\_  
 Payment Processed \_\_\_\_\_  
 Check# or Pan# \_\_\_\_\_

Version 12/1/2021

**RETURN  
 COMPLETED FORM  
 TO:  
 72nd NSDC  
 P.O. Box 613  
 Leeds, AL 35094**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
 City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone 2: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email\*: \_\_\_\_\_  
 \*E-mail address will only be shared with the NEC  Check if you do not want your email shared.

First Name & Last Name for CONVENTION BADGES		Subtotals
# of past NSDCs prior to 72nd	1 Adult: _____	\$ _____
	2 Adult: _____	\$ _____
	3 Adult/Youth: _____	\$ _____
	4 Adult/Youth: _____	\$ _____
	5 Adult/Youth: _____	\$ _____
	<input type="checkbox"/> Solo # _____ <input type="checkbox"/> 1st NSDC # _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Military/Veteran # _____	

**Magnet for badge** (pins provided free) # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$2.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Program Book & Daily Schedules** (\$20 after 4/30/23) # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$15.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Round Dance Syllabus**  USB \$10  Printed \$10  Both \$15 # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Sew & Save Book**  USB \$10  Printed \$10  Both \$15 # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Hearing Assistance Device Rental** (\$20 refund upon return) # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$40.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Wednesday Night Special Event "Three on A String"** (Bluegrass Comedy)  
 Dinner & Show \$50 per person # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$50.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
 Show Only \$25 per person # \_\_\_\_\_ @ \$25.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**RV Camping** From back side of form (4 night minimum) # \_\_\_\_\_ nights @ \$40.00 \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
**Total Due \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**PAYMENT FOR TOTAL DUE (US Funds)**  
 Check Enclosed  Cash - Receipt # \_\_\_\_\_  Credit Card:  
 Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Card Type (Visa, Mastercard, AmEx) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ **Security Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**HOTEL & CAMPING INFORMATION ON REVERSE SIDE OF THIS FORM**  
 Convention Hotels and Campgrounds must be reserved through 72nd NSDC Registration & Housing for 72nd NSDC rates.  Check box if you will manage your own accommodations.

**INFORMATION FOR COMPLETING FORM**  
 1. You can complete this form and pay online at [www.72nsdc.com](http://www.72nsdc.com).  
 2. Please PRINT legibly to ensure accuracy of information.  
 3. If you have already PRE-REGISTERED using our short form, please enter names in the appropriate space for each badge and enter \$0 (zero) in subtotal by each name already registered to avoid duplicate charge.  
 4. If not Pre-Registered, enter registration fee for each dancer plus quantity and correctly calculated amounts in the subtotal lines, then calculate and enter the total due.  
 5. Registration fees: Adult \$65 - Youth ages 5-17 by 6/24/23 \$32.50.  
 6. Under 5 Free.  
 7. Prices will increase May 1, 2023, to Adult \$80 - Youth ages 5-17 \$40.  
 8. Persons 3-5 circle Adult or Youth. Only need birthday if Youth.  
 9. Badges will include (if you choose) Solo, 1st NSDC and Military Service.  
 10. To indicate which badge, put the corresponding number (1-5) in the blank: Example: Retired Military Veteran # 1.2  
**Registrations are non-transferable.**  
 11. **No Single Day Registrations.**  
 12. A \$10.00 fee per registrant will be imposed for cancellations or changes. Registrations received after April 30, 2023, will receive e-mail confirmation only.  
 13. If sending by mail include credit card information, check, or money order payable in U.S. Funds to 72nd NSDC with this form. Do not send cash.  
 14. If paying by credit card, you can email this form to [registration@72nsdc.com](mailto:registration@72nsdc.com).

**TOURS can be purchased on separate brochure or online at [www.72nsdc.com/tours](http://www.72nsdc.com/tours)**

**PROGRAMMED CALLERS & DANCE LEADERS**  
 You must update your profile online by 12/31/22 at <https://sdconvention.com>  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_ Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_ Type: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name \_\_\_\_\_ Type: \_\_\_\_\_

**Dressy casual attire allowed until 6pm. Proper dance attire is required after 6pm for all dancers. 72nd NSDC Convention badge required for entrance to all convention activities.**



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

More information available at [www.72nsdc.com/accommodations](http://www.72nsdc.com/accommodations)

**HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS**

Code	Hotel	Rate
1	Renaissance Riverview Plaza Hotel Headquarters	\$162
2	Battle House Renaissance Hotel & Spa Pet Friendly	\$162
3	Hampton Inn & Suites *One night Deposit charged in advance	\$129*
4	Holiday Inn Dance Leaders Only	\$130

Indicate choice of hotel preference by specifying code number: #1 \_\_\_ #2 \_\_\_ #3 \_\_\_  
 Assignments will be made in order of registration form received & according to availability. Hotels assigned on first come basis. This form must be received, and rooms must be booked by April 1, 2023, to guarantee 72<sup>nd</sup> NSDC pricing.

Room nights needed: (4 Night Minimum)  
 S 6/17  S 6/18  M 6/19  T 6/20  W 6/21  T 6/22  F 6/23  S 6/24  S 6/25  
 # Additional arrive early? \_\_\_ or stay late nights? \_\_\_ Total nights requested \_\_\_

Room request:  Double  Queen  King  Standard  Suite (\*upcharge)  Handicapable Accessible

**SHARED ROOMS** - only one person per room should complete a hotel reservation request. Please list all room occupants here: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Housing Committee does not find or assign roommates.

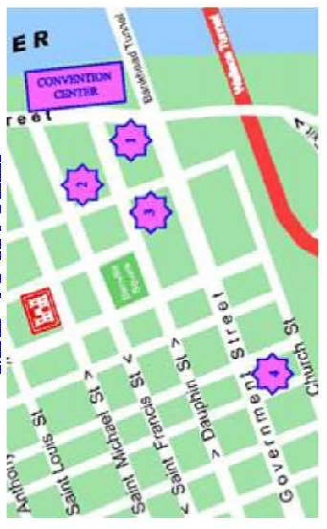
**BLOCK HOUSING** (10-25 rooms) requests must be received by January 2, 2023. Everyone that is part of a Block Housing Group must fill in Block Name and Block Leader Name.  
 Block Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Block Leader Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

No airport shuttle services provided by hotels; arranged shuttle information can be found online at [www.72nsdc.com/accommodations](http://www.72nsdc.com/accommodations).

**Your hotel reservation must be guaranteed with credit card.**  
**Hotel confirmations will be sent via email or mail.** If you do not receive your confirmation by May 1, 2023, please email [registration@72nsdc.com](mailto:registration@72nsdc.com). The balance for your room will be charged at the hotel upon check in. An alternative form of payment may be presented at check in. Your confirmed hotel may assess a one-night tax penalty fee for cancellations received less than 72 hours of arrival, including early departure. No self or online registration available, all convention hotels must be booked, through Housing Chairman.

**CREDIT CARD FOR HOTEL RESERVATIONS**  
 Use same credit card on front side or  Use different credit card below.  
 Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Card Type (Visa, Mastercard, AmEx) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ (\*after July 2023) **Security Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**RV & CAMPING ACCOMMODATIONS**



Campground	Distance	Rate
Meagher State Park Campground	8 Miles / 12-minute drive	\$40

Each site is paved, roughly 65' in length, and has 20, 30 and 50-amp electrical connections as well as water and sewer hookups. Assignments will be made in order of registration form received & according to availability. Sites assigned on first come basis. This form must be received, and sites must be booked by April 1, 2023, to guarantee 72<sup>nd</sup> NSDC pricing.

Site nights needed: (4 Night Minimum)  
 S 6/17  S 6/18  M 6/19  T 6/20  W 6/21  T 6/22  F 6/23  S 6/24  S 6/25  
 # Additional arrive early? \_\_\_ or stay late nights? \_\_\_ Total nights requested \_\_\_

**GROUP CAMPING** requests must be received by January 2, 2023. Everyone that is part of the Group must fill in Group Name and Group Leader Name.  
 Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Group Leader Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**No Bus Passes Available.** Parking Available at Convent or Center \$5 per day (in/out).

**Your camping reservation must be paid in advance with this form. (or Front Side)**  
 Your confirmed campground may assess a one-night tax penalty fee for cancellations received less than 72 hours of arrival, including early departure. No self or online registration available, all site reservations must be booked through RV & Camping Chairman.





**52nd  
Georgia State Convention**

**The Place To Be In 2023**

**September 15 - 16 2023**

**Early Registration: \$30.00**

**At The Door: \$35.00**

**Single Day: \$20.00**



Gainesville Civic Center  
830 Green Street NE  
Gainesville, Georgia 30501

**Squares, Rounds, Lines, Contra, Vendors,  
& more**

*For more information & ribbons:*

[www.gssda.org](http://www.gssda.org)

Email: [squaredancing7@gmail.com](mailto:squaredancing7@gmail.com)





## Northeast Georgia Federation (NEGF)

Dance Nights: 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday

Dance Times: 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Location: Various

Dance Leaders: Various

### Information:

Sherry Turner – 404-693-4268

Email: [hess1965@gmail.com](mailto:hess1965@gmail.com)

### Northeast Georgia Federation (NEGF) 2023 Dance Schedule Admission: \$8.00 each



**Saturday, April 29, 2023**  
**The Roaring Twenties**  
**Dan Mitchell, Caller**   **Ancesa Barge, Cuer**  
Location: Bethesda Senior Center, 225 Bethesda Church Road, Lawrenceville GA  
Host Clubs: Silver Stars & Happy Squares



**Saturday, July 29, 2023**  
**Summer Fun & Hotdogs**  
**Jim Duncan (FL), Caller**



**Mike McDonald, Cuer**   **Debbie McClain, Lines**  
Location: YMCA, 50 Brad Akins Drive, Winder GA  
Host Clubs: Jug Tavern Squares & Gold Country Squares



**Saturday, September 30, 2023**  
**The Wild Wild West Returns**  
**Ronnie Langley, Caller**  
**Susan Wolford, Cuer**  
Location: First Presbyterian Church (Gym),  
800 South Enota Drive, Gainesville GA  
Host Clubs: Lakeshore Squares & Classic City Squares

Website: [www.negf.net](http://www.negf.net)

Information: Sherry Turner 404-693-4268

Please bring finger foods for refreshment table. Thank you!



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Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Federation Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Caller: \_\_\_\_\_ Cuer: \_\_\_\_\_

Dance Location Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Days of Dances: \_\_\_\_\_ Time: \_\_\_\_\_

Website: \_\_\_\_\_

Facebook: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Members in your club: \_\_\_\_\_ Number of Clubs in Federation: \_\_\_\_\_

**Club Level of Dance:** \_\_ MS, \_\_ Plus, \_\_ Advance, \_\_ Rounds, \_\_ Lines, \_\_ Other

**#1 Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

**#2 Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

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#### **Federation Name:**

- Northwest Georgia Federation (NWGF)
- Northeast Georgia Federation (NEGF)
- Metro Atlanta Square Dance Association (MASDA)
- East Alabama / West Georgia Federation (EA/WGF)
- Heart of Georgia Federation
- Central Savannah River Association Square/Round Federation (CSRA S/R)
- Dixie Federation
- Southeast Georgia Federation Rounds & Squares (SEGFRS)
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# FEDERATION NEWS

## HEART OF GEORGIA FEDERATION, MACON, GA

**Location:** Howard Community Club  
5645 Forsyth Road, Macon, GA

**Dance Night:** 5<sup>th</sup> Friday

**Dance Times:** 7:00 pm

**Caller:** Federation Callers and Cuer

**Cuer:** Federation Cuers

**Information:** Darlene Wood 478-718-8052

**Email:** [woodt1@att.net](mailto:woodt1@att.net)

Dec 31 New Year's Dance \$12-person Early Rounds 8-9 pm; Dance 9-12 pm  
Caller: Charlie Petrea Cuer: Peggy Ellington

## METRO ATLANTA SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION, MARIETTA, GA

**Location:** Mountain View Community Center  
3400 Sandy Plains Road, Marietta, GA

**Dance Nights:** 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday

**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 7:45 pm – Early Rounds  
8:00 – 9:30 pm - Dancing Mainstream/Plus alternating with Rounds

**Caller:** Various Callers

**Cuer:** Various Cuers

**Information:** Bill Jarrett 770-361-3711 or Bob & Marilyn Mintz 770-428-8730

**Website:** [www.MASDA.net](http://www.MASDA.net)

Dec 31 Happy New Year –Dance into 2023! DANCE 9 -12:00 pm.  
Advance Ribbons \$10 person, at the Door \$15  
National Caller: Larry Belcher. Cuer: Aneesa Barge

## NORTHEAST GEORGIA (NEGF)

**Location:** Various Locations in the Northeast Georgia Federation Area

**Dance Nights:** 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday

**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm - Dancing Mainstream/Plus alternating with Rounds/Lines

**Information:** Sherry Turner 404-693-4268

**Email:** [hess1965@gmail.com](mailto:hess1965@gmail.com)

Please check our website [www.negf.net](http://www.negf.net) for update

# Club News

*Please check with clubs before attending dances.*

## BARTOW DIXIE GRANDS, CARTERSVILLE, GA

**Location:** Bartow County Senior Center  
102 Zena Dr., Cartersville  
**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Monday  
**Dance Times:** 7:30 – 9:30 pm – Dancing Mainstream/Plus alternating Lines & Rounds  
**Caller:** Clyde Couch – 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays  
**Guest Caller:** Guest Caller 5<sup>th</sup> Mondays  
**Line Instructor:** Melba Trapp  
**Information:** Raiford Peacock, President 678-425-4256  
**Email:** [raiford.peacock@yahoo.com](mailto:raiford.peacock@yahoo.com)  
**Facebook:** Bartow Dixie Grands  
**Website:** BartowDixieGrands.com

Dec 5 Black Out Night (Try to wear all black)  
Dec 19 Christmas Party  
Jan 2 Monday Mingle  
Jan 9 Round Dance Class: Two Step  
Jan 16 Monday Mingle  
Jan 23 Round Dance Class: Two Step  
Jan 30- Monday Mingle  
Feb 6 Stupid Cupid Dance: Unescorted singles dance free; find your surprise Valentine; cake walk, cake auction; Special “Valentine Square Drawing  
Feb 13 Round Dance Class: two Step  
Feb 20 President’s Day Dance  
Feb 27 Round Dance Class: Two Step  
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## BELLES & BEAUX SQUARE DANCERS, VALDOSTA, GA

**Location:** Valdosta Senior Center  
1360 East Park Ave. (next to a fire station), Valdosta, GA  
**Dance Nights:** Tuesday (every unless otherwise announced)  
**Dance Times:** 6:30 pm – 8:30 pm – Dancing Beginners/Mainstream/Plus alternating lines  
**Caller:** George Lavender  
**Information:** George home 229-241-1484, Cell 229-460-2755 or VLPR Senior Center 229-253-1266  
**Email:** [glavender@mchsi.com](mailto:glavender@mchsi.com)

If you are travelling a distance, we suggest you call George in advance (229-241-1484) to be sure we are dancing as we sometimes have a schedule conflict with Senior Center activities and have to cancel!

## CHEROKEE PROMENADERS, CALHOUN, GA

**Location:** Calhoun Recreation Department  
601 S. River St., Calhoun, GA  
**Dance Nights:** Thursday (every)  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm - Dancing Mainstream/Plus  
**Caller:** Charlie Petrea (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>)  
**Caller:** Dan Campbell (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>)  
**Lines:** Sandy Campbell (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>)  
**Information:** Wanda Sheriff 770-266-7284  
**Email:** wandasheriff@icloud.com  
**Facebook:** Cherokee Promenaders – Calhoun, GA

Cherokee Promenaders are very happy to announce our TWO new callers! Charlie Petrea will call on the first and third Thursdays and Dan Campbell will call on the second and fourth Thursdays with Sandy Campbell calling lines. Fifth Thursday nights we will have guest callers. Dancing is from 7 to 9 and admission is \$6 per person. Our next beginner's class will begin March 2<sup>nd</sup> and lessons are from 6 to 7. Prior to March we will have workshops from 6:30 to 7 every week unless otherwise posted)

Dec 29 Year End Dance with BOTH Charlie and Dan calling with Sandy leading lines.  
Jan 19 Snowflake Dance with Charlie Petrea calling.  
Feb 9 Valentine Dance with Dan calling and Sandy leading lines.  
Mar 16 St. Patrick's Day Dance with Charlie Petrea calling. 'There will not be a workshop this night as our beginning class will have started.

Visit us in Calhoun! We would love to see you in a square!

## CLASSIC CITY SQUARES, ATHENS, GA

**Location:** Unitarian Universalist Fellowship  
780 Timothy Road, Athens, GA.  
**Dance Nights:** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday  
**Dance Times:** 3:30 0 5:30 pm Dancing Mainstream/Plus  
**Caller:** Bob Morrison  
**Cuer:** Rounds if 2 more couples present  
**Information:** Susan Derrick –770-315-9319  
**Email:** [sderrick9319@gmail.com](mailto:sderrick9319@gmail.com)  
**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/groups/classiccitysquares>

We are back at our home, UUFA!

Dec 11 Good Cheer to All! NOTE: This dance only 2:30 – 4:30 pm  
Jan 8 Winter Wonderland  
Jan 22 No Theme  
Feb 12 Mardi Gras  
Feb 26 No Theme  
Mar 12 Special Dance to celebrate the birthday of our own Centenarian, Mike Michel.  
Caller Sam Rowan.



**COASTAL GEORGIA SQUARES**  
**BRUNSWICK, GA**

**Location:** Christian Life Center in the back of College Place United Methodist Church  
3890 Altama Ave., Brunswick, GA  
**Dance Nights:** Thursday (every week except the 3rd)  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm - Dancing Mainstream/Plus and some Lines  
**Caller:** Don Heins  
**Information:** 912-269-1504 or 912-269-7909  
(Please call Don to be sure we're dancing the evening you may want to visit.)  
**Email:** [donheins@msn.com](mailto:donheins@msn.com)

Visitors are always welcomed, but please call or text Don at 912-269-7909 to be sure we are dancing!

**DANC'N SINGLES SQUARE DANCE CLUB, MARIETTA, GA**

**Location:** Living Stone Church  
545 Lorene Drive SW, Marietta, GA 30060  
Facility: Family Center Gym (Building 6)  
**Dance Nights:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday  
**Dance Times:** 7:30 – 9:30 PM - Dancing Mainstream/Plus alternating with Rounds  
**Caller:** Buddy Trundle  
**Cuer:** Aneesa Barge  
**Information:** Pat Inglis – 404-932-5512  
**Email:** [pinglis@agnesscott.edu](mailto:pinglis@agnesscott.edu)

Dec 10 NO Dance  
Jan 14 Winter Festival, Wear Black & White  
Feb 11 Valentine's Day Dance

## **GOLD COUNTRY, DAHLONEGA**

**Location:** Lumpkin County Senior Center  
266 Mechanicsville Rd, Dahlonega, GA  
**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 pm - Workshop  
7:30 – 9:30 pm – Dancing Mainstream/Plus  
**Caller:** Ricky Simpson  
**Information:** Arthur Sheehan @ 678-227-2689  
**Email:** [asls@windstream.net](mailto:asls@windstream.net)  
**Facebook:** Gold Country Squares  
**Website:** [www.goldcountrysquares@weebly.com](http://www.goldcountrysquares@weebly.com)

Dec 2 Ugly Sweater Contest & Toy Drive. Bring your ugliest sweater for a prize of a jar of honey  
Bring a toy to distribute to the local child center.  
Dec 16 Merry Christmas Dance  
Jan 6 Happy New Year Dance  
Jan 20 Football Madness and Hot Chocolate Night.  
Feb 3 Blackout Night. We will provide glow in the dark lights to wear and you will have  
to follow the lights.  
Feb 17 Happy Valentine's Dane  
Mar 3 A Special Guest Caller to BE announced Later

## **HAPPY SQUARES, ATHENS, GA**

**Location:** The Smith House  
1760 Old Epps Bridge Road, Athens, GA  
**Dance Nights:** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm - Dancing Mainstream/Plus  
**Caller:** Richard Smith  
**Information:** Kathleen Deegan-Neal /Bob Neal 706-255-7929 (text only), 706-296-9867  
**Email:** [kdeeganneal/@yahoo.com](mailto:kdeeganneal/@yahoo.com)

**January and February: check for location on Facebook, Square Dance North Georgia or call the club.**

Dec 8 Christmas Dance  
Jan 12 Winter Wonderland theme  
Jan 26 Club dance  
Feb 9 Valentine's Day theme  
Feb 23 Club dance



## HIGH MOUNTAIN SQUARES, FRANKLIN, NC

**Location:** Robert C. Carpenter Community Building  
Highway 441, Franklin, NC  
**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and most 5<sup>th</sup> Friday  
**Dance Times:** 6:15 – 6:45 Workshop  
6:45 – 8:30 Dance  
**Caller:** Guest Callers  
**Cuer:** Michael McDonald  
**Line Instructor:** Debbie McClain  
**Information:** Charles @ 828-226-2126 or Bob @ 828-332-0001  
**E-Mail:** [charlesn36@yahoo.com](mailto:charlesn36@yahoo.com) [eztoo@morrisbroadband.com](mailto:eztoo@morrisbroadband.com)  
**Facebook:** High Mountain Squares (lmason5@windstream.net)

Dec 2 Toys for Tots. Caller: Richard Smith  
Dec 16 Christmas Dance. Caller: Keith Lester  
Dec 30 Welcome 2023.. Caller: Rickey Simpson Cuer: Mike McDonald Lines: Debbie McClain  
Jan 6 Snow Balls. Caller: Keith Lester  
Jan 20 Warm Cocoa and Fuzzy Slippers. Caller: Randy Ramsey  
Feb 3 Salute to Great Presidents. Caller: Mike Cox  
Feb 17 Masks for Mardi Gras. Caller: Ken Perkins  
Mar 3 March Winds. Caller: Keith Lester

## HILTON HEAD OCEAN WAVES, HILTON HEAD, SC

**Location:** Palmetto Electric  
One Cooperative Way, Hardeeville, SC  
**Dance Nights:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday  
**Dance Times:** 6:30 pm Dancing Mainstream Plus, Rounds and Lines  
**Caller:** Various  
**Line Instructor:** Lisa Aldert  
**Information:** Linda Collins 843-757-2789  
**Email:** [Lindacoolercollins@gmail.com](mailto:Lindacoolercollins@gmail.com)  
**Facebook:** HH-Ocean Waves

## IRISH REELERS, DUBLIN GA

**Location:** Southwest Laurens County Elementary School  
1799 Georgia Highway 117, Rentz, GA  
**Dance Nights:** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Friday  
**Workshops:** Tuesday following Friday dance;  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm - Dancing Mainstream/Plus  
**Caller:** Tom Woods  
**Information:** Dee Padgett, President - 478-595-8895  
**Email:** [janicehr@icloud.com](mailto:janicehr@icloud.com)

Dec 9 Christmas Dance. Door Prizes and ½ Pot Drawing  
Mar 18 St. Patrick's Day Dance Caller: George Lavender. Cuer: Peggy Ellington

## JUG TAVERN SQUARES, WINDER, GA

**Location:** YMCA  
50 Brad Akins Dr. Winder, GA  
**Dance Nights:** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Friday  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 8:45 pm – Dancing Mainstream/Plus/Rounds/Lines  
(Check back with us at Dance Time)  
**Caller:** Steve Holzhausen  
**Cuer:** Bob Morrison  
**Lines:** Teresa McLocklin  
**Information:** Presidents: Harry & Nancy Warren 770-633-0401  
**Email:** [memeanddado5@gmail.com](mailto:memeanddado5@gmail.com)  
**Website:** [www.jugtavernsquares.org](http://www.jugtavernsquares.org)  
**Facebook:** Jug Tavern Squares

Dec 9 Christmas Toys for Kids Dance (Bring an Unwrapped Toy or \$10 Donation Please)  
All donations going to the Winder Fire Dept. Toys for kids at Christmas Program  
Jan 13 Rubber Ducky Dance. (It's National Rubber Ducky Day)  
Jan 27 Chocolate Cake Dance. Come have some chocolate eon us!  
Feb 10 Valentine Day Dance  
Feb 24 Mardi Gras Masquerade Dance

## KENNESAW SQUARE DEALERS, KENNESAW, GA

**Location:** Ben Robertson Community Center  
2753 Watts Drive, Kennesaw GA  
**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Friday  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm - Dancing Mainstream/Plus alternating with Rounds  
**Caller:** Shawn Butler  
**Cuer:** Aneesa Barge  
**Information:** Bill & Julie Jarrett at 770-354-5968  
**Email:** [officers@squaredealers.com](mailto:officers@squaredealers.com)  
**Facebook:** Kennesaw Square Dealers  
**Website:** [www.squaredealers.com](http://www.squaredealers.com)

Dec 16 Christmas Dance  
Jan 6 Kickoff 2023  
Jan 20 Swingin' 60's  
Feb 10 Sweetheart Dance **Note: 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday!**  
Feb 17 Mardi Gras



## LAKESHORE SQUARES, GAINESVILLE, GA

**Location:** First Presbyterian Church  
800 South Enota Drive, Gainesville, Ga  
**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm. No workshop or early round (new time)  
**Caller:** Randy Ramsey  
**Cuer:** Mike McDonald  
**Line Instructor:** Debbie McClain  
**Information:** Louis & Angie McClure, Presidents - 678-956-0287  
**Email:** [L-Amclure@charter.net](mailto:L-Amclure@charter.net)  
**Website:** [www.lakeshoresquares.com](http://www.lakeshoresquares.com)  
**Facebook:** Lakeshore Squares

Dec 3 Rock Around the Christmas Tree – Toys4Tots collection  
Dec 17 Christmas Sweaters & Cookies Too!  
Jan 7 Chili Cook Off  
Jan 21 Rubber Ducky – Bath Safety Month  
Feb 4 Love Boat – Valentine’s Dance  
Feb 18 Western Roundup  
Mar 4 59<sup>th</sup> Anniversary & Dance Leader Appreciation  
Mar 18 St. Patrick Day Dance with Marty Northrup, Guest Caller

## MAGNOLIA SQUARES, CAIRO GA

**Location:** Roddenberry Memorial Library (Note New Location)  
320 North Broad Street, Cairo, GA  
**Dance Nights:** Friday (every)  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm - Dancing Mainstream/Plus alternating Lines  
**Caller:** George Lavender @ 229-241-1484  
**Information:** Roscoe Johnson @ 229-377-9635  
**Email:** [glavender@mchsi.com](mailto:glavender@mchsi.com)

If you are travelling a distance, we suggest you call George or Roscoe (see above) to be sure we are dancing. Sometimes we have a conflict and a dance must be canceled!

## OCONEE RIVER BUSKERS, MILLEDGEVILLE, GA

**Location:** Walter B. Williams Recreation Park, Baldwin County Recreation Department  
on Highway 22, Milledgeville, GA  
**Dance Nights:** Monday (every)  
**Dance Times:** 6:30 – 8:00 pm - Dancing Mainstream/Plus alternating with Rounds  
**Caller:** Bill Jones  
**Cuer:** Peggy Doyle Ellington  
**Information:** Bob Irvin [lqbrvin@gmail.com](mailto:lqbrvin@gmail.com) 478-804-1127

## SILVER STARS, LAWRENCEVILLE, GA

**Location:** Bethesda Park Senior Center  
225 Bethesda Church Road SW, Lawrenceville, GA

**Dance Nights:** 2<sup>nd</sup>& 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday

**Dance Times:** 8:00 – 10:00 pm - Dancing Mainstream/Plus alternating with Lines/Rounds  
See schedule below for Lines or Rounds Dates

**Lessons:** Call Jon Martin 770-736-0810

**Caller:** Troy Grooms

**Lines:** Randy & Debbie Bradberry

**Cuer:** Sandra Hirschler

**Information:** JoAnne Johnson 678-682-8554 or Jon Martin 770-736-0810

**Email:** [David.JoAnne@silverstarssquaredance.com](mailto:David.JoAnne@silverstarssquaredance.com)

**Facebook:** Silver Stars Square Dance Club

**Website:** [www.silverstarssquaredance.com](http://www.silverstarssquaredance.com)

Dancers Vaccinated and Boosted for Covid 19 are Welcome!



Dec 10	Gingerbread Dance with Rounds
Dec 24	No Dance – Merry Christmas
Jan 14	Snow Fest with Lines
Jan 28	Mardi Gras with Rounds
Feb 11	St. Valentine’s Day with Lines
Feb 25	NO DANCE – see you on March 11
Mar 11	Pi€ Day with Lines
Mar 25	Springtime with Rounds

## SUN CITY SQUARES, BLUFFTON, SC

**Location:** Pinckney Hall on Del Webb Blvd.  
Sun City Hilton Head Hwy 278, Bluffton, SC

**Dance Nights:** Tuesday - Every

**Dance Times:** 6:30 pm - Dancing Mainstream (4<sup>th</sup> tip Plus) with Lines and Rounds  
8:00 – 9:30 pm - Dancing Plus

**Caller:** Sam Rowan

**Information:** Susan Joy Rowan 843-705-6745 (leave message)Gated Community – Call for gate pass

## SWINGIN' HARTS SQUARE DANCE CLUB, HARTWELL, GA

**Location:** Hart County Recreation Center  
200 Clay Street, Hartwell, GA  
**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 pm – 7:30 pm - Workshop  
7:30 – 9:30 pm - Square Dancing with Rounds when Requested  
**Caller:** Bob Morrison  
**Information:** Kathleen Neal, President – text - 706-255-7929  
**Email:** kdeeganneal@yahoo.com  
**Facebook:** We regularly post to "Square Dance North Georgia" and "GSSDA".

Dec 2 Christmas Toys for Tots  
Jan 6 Welcome 2023 Party  
Jan 20 Regular Dance  
Feb 3 Regular Dance  
Feb 17 Valentine's Love Songs

## WESTERN PROMENADERS, ROME, GA

**Location:** Western Promenaders Barn  
327 Woods Road, Rome, GA  
**Dance Nights:** 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday  
**Dance Times:** 7:30 9:30 - Dancing Mainstream/Plus alternating with Rounds and Lines  
**Caller:** Clyde Couch – 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>  
**Caller:** Ronnie Langley 3<sup>rd</sup>  
**Lines:** Lois Roberts 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>; Allie Parnell 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup>  
**Information:** Dick Lemelin at 706 409-2311 or Melba Trapp at 706-766-4418  
**Facebook:** Western Promenaders  
**Website:** westernpromenaders

Dec 3 Class  
Dec 10 We Still Remember – 81 Years Ago  
Guest Caller: Tom Miller Guest Cuer: Pauline Angress  
Dec 17 Noel – Merry Christmas Dance  
Dec 24 Closed "Christmas  
Dec 31 It's Gotta Be Midnight Somewhere. Guest Caller: Coosa River Boys  
Jan 7 Class  
Jan 14 Let It Be, Let It Be – Our 1<sup>st</sup> Dance of '23  
Jan 21 The "Squirrel Day" Dance  
Jan 28 SSS Dance (Soups, Salads, Sandwiches)  
Feb 4 Class  
Feb 11 Mardi Gras  
Feb 18 Strut Your Colors (Club Colors)  
Feb 25 Chowders and Chili  
Mar 4 Class  
Mar 11 St. Patrick's Day



## WESTERN SQUARE DANCERS, MACON, GA

**Location:** Howard Community Club  
5645 Forsyth Road, Macon, GA

**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Thursday

**Dance Times:** 6:30 – 7:00 Plus Workshop  
7:00 - 9:00 pm – Dancing mainstream/Plus alternating with rounds

**Caller:** Tom Wood

**Cuer:** Peggy Ellington

**Information:** Joyce Mosely 478-737-1565 or Tom Wood 478-718-0308

**Email:** [joyce.mosely@cox.net](mailto:joyce.mosely@cox.net)

We are hosting Heart of Georgia New Year's Eve Dance with caller, Charlie Petrea and cuer, Peggy Ellington. See Flyer



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**SEGFRS Federation (Southeast Georgia) – Vacant**

**PAST PRESIDENTS**

1972	Wade & Gloria Driver
1973	J.W. & Virginia McDonald (Completed Driver Term)
1974	Dick & Lessie Gerfen
1976	J.W. & Virginia McDonald
1978	Dan & Mary Martin
1980	Hardy & Kathryn Nixon
1982	Kimsey & Mary Ann Dickey
1984	Jack & Fran Line
1986	Billy & Betty Stevens
1988	Bill & Peggy Flack
1990	Kimsey & Mary Ann Dickey
1992	Ben & Lulline Cotton
1994	Alex & Betty Sprayberry
1996	Jack & Fran Line
1998	Ray & Janice Layson
2000	Ben & Lulline Cotton
2002	Bernard & Sandra Lowe
2003	Willis Crump (Completed Lowe Term)
2004	Willis Crump
2006	Ralph & Judie Gill
2008	Ben & Lulline Cotton
2010	Willis Crump
2012	Vance & Theresa Donaldson
2014	Rich & Shea Meineke
2015	Willis Crump (Completed Meincke Term)
2016	Willis Crump
2018	Willis Crump
2019	Louis & Angie McClure (Completed Willis Crump's Term)
2020	Louis & Angie McClure

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