

# FOOTNOTES

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Join in the fun

Stay.... Don't Run

Dancing is for Everyone

# President's Note

We hope everyone is doing well. There has been some Covid going around again. Hopefully those of you who have been unfortunate and contracted Covid are having a speedy recovery without a hospital visit. Make sure to keep safe, and although we love to see you at the dances, if you aren't feeling well, don't take a chance by coming and infecting others with any illness, not just Covid, but even a cold or the flu when that season approaches.

We are looking to have GREAT MASDA dances in 2023! Our National callers, Marty Northrup and Nick Hartley have already been booked and we will start scheduling the other 4 dances soon.

We are finishing 2022 with Shawn Butler calling & Sandra Hirschler cueing our October 30th dance, and Larry Belcher calling & Aneesa Barge cueing our New Year's Eve dance on December 31st. Hope that everyone plans to attend these two dances. See you in a Square!

Bill & Julie Jarrett



October 2022

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## 2022 MASDA DANCE SCHEDULE

Oct. 29th Shawn Butler  
Dec 31st Larry Belcher

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NOVEMBER 2022

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# M. A. S. D. A.

*Metro Atlanta Square Dancers Association*

## PRESENTS

**Saturday, October 29<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

**\*\*\* Mountain View Community Center \*\*\***  
3400 Sandy Plains Road Marietta Ga.

Caller

**Shawn Butler**

Cuer

**Sandra Hirschler**



Early Rounds  
7 – 7:45

Mainstream/Plus/Rounds  
8 – 9:30 pm

**MASDA Members: \$FREE Visitors: \$7 per person**



**For Information Call:**

Bill Jarrett: 770-361-3711

Bob or Marilyn Mintz: 770-428-8730

Please visit [MASDA.net](http://MASDA.net)

Square Dance or Casual Attire

***Join us for an evening of  
dancing, fellowship and FUN!***

Live Lively -



Square Dance

## **UPCOMING CHANGES TO MASDA**

No one really likes changes, but sometimes an organization has to make changes in order for the organization to survive. At one time MASDA was comprised of several hundred Metro Atlanta dancers and there were over 100 dance clubs in the Metro Atlanta area. But sadly, the clubs have disappeared as well as the dancers. Because of these facts, it is necessary that MASDA make some changes to continue providing dances for the MASDA group.

In years past, MASDA never had to worry about having money to pay for National Callers. With the large number of members there was always enough money to pay the price the callers wanted to call a dance, pay the cuer, and hall rental, and the accident insurance. Those times have changed.

These are changes that the Board of Directors feel need to be addressed:

### **1. BUDGET**

The Board of Directors think that is important now for MASDA to have an operating budget each year. I guess it is hard to comprehend that MASDA has operated with no yearly budget, but because of the large membership, and the clothing sale at the Callers and Cuers dance, there was always enough operating money. This is not the case now.

To create a budget, we will use what the bylaws state, so our fiscal year will become January thru December. To really help the Officers, we plan to start collecting dues as close as possible to the beginning of the year. We realize that some do not like to mail in their dues and prefer to pay in person. We usually have a 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday dance toward the end of the year and a National Caller dance sometime close to the start of the year. Hopefully, everyone will be able to pay for their dues in this timeframe.

### **2. DUES**

This is a subject no one likes, but is a necessary evil. The current dues per couple is \$40, which is \$10 for insurance and \$15 each toward MASDA's expenses. Singles have paid \$40, which includes a non-paying guest at the dances. Singles pay the same \$5 for insurance, and if we say the same \$15 per person goes to MASDA, the remaining \$20 would cover their guests. For 6 dances per year, MASDA members

have been paying only \$15 per person to cover the callers, cuers, and hall, including the national callers. Yes, that is only \$2 for a local caller and \$3.50 for a national caller. None of our local clubs offer such a price. And we currently have very few visitors who pay at the door to add to this income.

In January, 2023, the dues will be charged on a per person basis. Each member will pay \$25 for MASDA membership, including \$5 for insurance and \$20 for MASDA expenses. For comparison, that's \$3 for a local caller and \$4 for a national caller, still a great deal! All non-MASDA members will pay at the door, \$7 for the local caller and \$10 for the National caller. The dues will not cover any "special" dances that MASDA sponsors such as the New Year's Eve Dance.

We realize that for 2023, some dues may be prorated, because some people will have just paid their dues in the last couple of months and are not expecting them to come due again until the middle of 2023. Anyone in this situation, please speak to Mike Massey and he will be glad to work it out for you.

We will have a short meeting after the October dance at Mountain View. We need to vote on an officer slate at that dance. As of now the MASDA Officers are:

Presidents: Bill and Julie Jarrett  
1<sup>st</sup> Vice President: Bob and Marilyn Mintz  
2<sup>nd</sup> Vice President: Pete Risse and Karen Mann  
Secretary: Marsha Ewen-Massey  
Treasurer: Carol Willis

Please note that Carol Willis really needs to turn over the Treasurer duties to someone else due to health issues. If you would like to volunteer, please let me know as soon as possible. If there are no volunteers before the dance, names will be accepted at the dance. This list does not include the Directors of the Board or Representatives.

Thank you for your on-going support of the best hobby ever!

Bill and Julie Jarrett





# Kennesaw Square Dealers



Square Dance Club  
[www.squaredealers.com](http://www.squaredealers.com)



## October 7<sup>th</sup> Fall Festival Dance

Pickup Operation Christmas Child Boxes

### Sneak Preview:

**Nov 14<sup>th</sup> Our Giving Dance**

Drop off **OCC** boxes and donate to **Pets For Vets**

**Dec 16<sup>th</sup> Christmas Dance**



Mainstream/Plus/Rounds 1, 3, 5 Fridays 7:00-9:00pm



Caller: Shawn Butler Cuer: Aneesa Barge

Ben Robertson Community Center at 2753 Watts Drive, Kennesaw, GA

Please verify dances on [www.facebook.com/KSDclub](http://www.facebook.com/KSDclub)



Square dance attire optional  
Presidents Bill & Julie Jarrett 770-354-5968





Access our web site  
with your phone camera.



**Square Dancing 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays 8:00 – 10:00 PM**  
*Mainstream w/Announced Plus - Lines – Round*

## OCTOBER 8<sup>th</sup> Luau Barbecue Dance

Guest Caller: Jim Duncan

With Line Dancing

Time Change This Dance Only 7:30 PM – 10:00 PM

One Time Price Change \$10 Per Person All Guests



## OCTOBER 22<sup>nd</sup> Autumn Harvest Dance

Caller: Troy Grooms

With Round Dancing



## NOVEMBER 12<sup>th</sup> - 44<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance

Caller: Troy Grooms

With Lines by Debbie Bradberry



**Caller:**  
Troy Grooms

**Lines:**  
Randy Bradberry

**Rounds:**  
Sandra Hirschler

**\$7 Per Person**

**Dancers with current Covid-19 vaccinations are Welcome...**

### Square Dance Lessons

<u>CLUB</u>	<u>LESSONS</u>	<u>CONTACT</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>START</u>
Silver Stars	Beginner	Jon Martin	770-736-0810	Oct 3, 2022

Contacts: David and JoAnne Johnson 678-682-8554  
Jon and Joan Martin 770 736-0810

**Bethesda Park Senior Center**  
**225 Bethesda Church Rd SW (Off Ronald Reagan Pkwy)**  
**Lawrenceville, GA**

*www.SilverStarsSquareDance.com*

# DANC'N SINGLES



October 8th, Saturday  
**Columbus Day Dance**

November 12th, Saturday  
**Salute to our Veterans**



*No Masks  
needed if  
you have  
been  
vaccinated.*

**WE LOVE VISITORS,  
COME DANCE WITH  
US!!**

Our Dances Are Held At  
**Living Stone Church**  
**545 Lorene Dr. SW**  
Marietta, GA 30060  
Family Center (gym)  
**Building #6**  
770/434-1320  
2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday  
7:30 – 9:30 PM

Caller: **Buddy Trundle**  
Cuer: **Aneesa Barge**

For More Information,  
Please Call  
Pat Inglis  
404/932-5512 or  
John Pardue  
404/876-2155



**Thanks for your  
pictures, Wanda!**



**Do you have  
pictures to share?**



**Well, they're not all Wanda's!**

**LIVE LIVELY  
AND SQUARE DANCE**







# WHEEL AROUNDS

Mountain View Community Center  
3400 Sandy Plains Road  
Marietta, GA 30066

*Dan Mitchell, Caller*

*Aneesa Barge, Cuer*



**ALTERNATING  
MAINSTREAM, PLUS, And  
ROUNDS!  
1st & 3rd Saturdays  
7:30 to 9:30 P.M.**

**October 1<sup>st</sup> Fall Festival Dance**

**October 15<sup>th</sup> Regular Dance**

*Sneak Peek....*

**November 5<sup>th</sup> Regular Dance**

*Roll with the Wheels @*[www.wheelarounds.com](http://www.wheelarounds.com)

*Guy Lee - 770-693-1336 Pat Goldston- 770-565-2203*

Check the web page for changes due to COVID-19.



**Promenade Down Peachtree 2023 Atlanta**



**January 13-15, 2023**

**Decatur Recreation Center**

**231 Sycamore Street**

**Decatur, Georgia 30030**

**Register online at [hotlantasquares.org](http://hotlantasquares.org)**

**Three callers**

**15 Hours of square dancing in three halls**

**Mainstream to C1**

*Our Callers*



**Ted Lizotte**



**Sandie Bryant**



**Tom Miller**



**CHEROKEE PROMENADERS**



# 54th Anniversary Dance

**Sat, Nov. 5, 2022**

Live Lively-



Square Dance!

**Guest Caller: Mike Hoose**

**Rounds: Cheryel & Doug Byrd**

Live Lively-



Square Dance!

Eat: 6-7pm

Pre-Rounds: 7-7:30

Dance: 7:30-9:30

Admission: \$10 pp

Calhoun Recreation Dept.

601 S. River St.

Calhoun, GA 30701



## *MASDA History*

MASDA is not a new organization. We have lots of wonderful history. This new Footnotes section will be for our reading pleasure every month. Please send me short articles for sharing. I'll start this month with a message from Pete Risse, who as you all know created Footnotes for many years. Enjoy!

Karen:

Just a bit of information. I think you remember me showing you the first issue of Footnotes, Volume 1, Issue 1, dated August 1956, the mimeograph copy. A lady named Helen Pate was the first editor of Footnotes and she continued being the editor through 1960. On August 11, 1999, she wrote me a short note saying that she was now 89 years old and that she really liked the way the Footnotes looked now. She passed away on June 12, 2000. If she were alive today, I wonder what she would think of Footnotes now?

I can now say the same thing; they are really superb!!!

Pete

# Happy New Year

## Dance Into 2023!

Presenting  
National Caller  
**Larry Belcher**

From Auburn, Alabama



Cuer  
**Aneesa  
Barge**



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

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

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Atlanta Square  
Dancers Association*





# DIAMOND TURNS ROUND DANCE CLUB

Cuer: Sandra & Gunter Hirschler

MOUNTAIN VIEW COMMUNITY CENTER  
3400 SANDY PLAINS ROAD  
MARIETTA, GA. 30066

sandrah@bellsouth.net  
gunterh@bellsouth.net

We dance every Thursday, most rhythms, phase 2 thru 5  
Time: 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm

770.265.5001 or 404.216.4621

Please note that Diamond Turns will be taking a break for the summer. Please watch Footnotes for info on our return. Thanks!

## MASDA MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL / CHANGE OF ADDRESS

MASDA Annual Membership is \$25.00 per person, which includes six dances (four with Atlanta area callers and cuers and two with national callers), and annual insurance coverage with United Square Dance Association (USDA).

New Member  Renewal  Change of Address  Change of Email Address

**PLEASE PRINT:**

MEMBER(S): \_\_\_\_\_  
*LAST NAME FIRST NAME(S)*

PRESENT ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
*STREET CITY ZIPCODE*

OLD ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_  
*STREET CITY ZIPCODE*

PRESENT EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

OLD EMAIL ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_

PRIMARY PHONE: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail this form and check payable to MASDA to:

**Mike & Marcia Massey**  
1606 Brentwood Dr.  
Marietta, GA 30062

**\$25 Per Person**



# 2022 MASDA OFFICERS

- PRESIDENT:** **Bill & Julie Jarrett** - 1129 Fairwood Close NW, Acworth, GA 30301  
770-361-3711 (Bill); 770-354-5968 (Julie) - Kennesaw Square Dealers
- 1ST VICE PRESIDENT:** **Bob & Marilyn Mintz** – 1297 Arden Drive, Marietta, GA 30008  
770-428-8730 – Kennesaw Square Dealers
- 2ND VICE PRESIDENT & HISTORIAN:** **Pete Risse** - 3726 Toxaway Court, Atlanta, GA 30341  
770-491-0646 – Diamond Turns
- SECRETARY & WEB MASTER:** **Mike & Marcia Massey** - 1606 Brentwood Drive, Marietta, GA 30062  
770-361-3765 (Mike); 678-361-0867 (Marcia) - Kennesaw Square Dealers, Hotlanta Squares
- TREASURER:** **Carol Willis** – 2668 Carolyn Drive SE, Smyrna, GA 30080  
678-386-5468 – Wheel Arouds
- FOOTNOTES EDITOR:** **Karen Mann** – 3520 Valley Hill Rd NW, Kennesaw, GA 30152  
770-655-0772 – Kennesaw Square Dealers
- REPRESENTATIVES AT LARGE:** **Darline Barge** – 770-617-1211  
**Pat Goldston** – 770-565-2203  
**Midge Johnson** – 770-785-7845
- INSURANCE MANAGER:** **Pat Inglis** – 404-932-5512
- SPECIAL EVENTS COORDINATOR:** **Elaine Conn** – 770-242-9011



## MASDA CLUB INDEX

CLUB	PHONE	LEVEL	DANCES
Bartow Dixie Grands	770-386-4437	M/P	M 135
Cherokee Promenaders	706-266-7284	M/P	
Dance 'n' Squares *	770-714-4035	M/P	F E
Danc'n Singles	404-932-5512	M/P/R	S 2
Diamond Turns	770-265-5001	R 2-5	Th E
Hotlanta Squares	Hotlanta.Squares@gmail.com	M/P/A/C	Various
Kennesaw Square Dealers	770-354-5968	M/P/R	F 135
Lads 'n' Lassies	770-386-4437	M/P	S 13
MASDA	770-361-3711	M/P/R	S 5
Matrix South	770-460-1789	A/C	Su E
Silver Stars	678-682-8554	M/P/R	S 24
Western Promenaders	706-409-2311	M/P	S 234
Wheel Arouds	770-693-1336	M/P/R	S 13

## LEGEND

LEVEL		DANCES	
A	Advanced	E	Every
C	Challenge	13	1st & 3rd
M	Mainstream	135	1st, 3rd, 5th
P	Plus	24	2nd & 4th
R	Rounds	234	2nd, 3rd, 4th
*	Active Seniors 55+		

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