

FOOTNOTES

February 2023



*Let's Show Love By Bringing
Friends
To The Dance Floor*

President's Note

Welcome to 2023! We hope you had a wonderful holiday season.

We had a great MASDA New Year's Eve dance with Larry Belcher and Aneesa Barge! I would personally like to thank the MASDA Board and the MASDA members who helped by bringing snacks for the food table, setting up the hall, and cleaning up after the dance. Thank you all for purchasing ribbons and supporting your Metro Atlanta Square Dancers Association.

The next MASDA dance will be on Sunday, February 19th at Mountain View Community Center with National Caller Marty Northrup calling and Sandra Hirschler cueing. Check the Footnotes flier to get the times.

Remember that dues are \$25 per person and are due at the start of the year. We will have a list at the dances for you to check your fee amount, as dues for 2023 may have been prorated, depending on the month that your 2022 membership renewed. MASDA needs to maintain a certain number of members to hold dances each quarter. If membership falls, then dances will have to decrease in number. Please renew by the February dance.

Bill & Julie Jarrett



2 February						
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26	27	28				

UPCOMING MASDA DANCES	
Feb 19th	Marty Northrup
Apr 29th	Clyde Couch
July 29th	Dan Mitchell
Sept 30th	Nick Hartley

FOOTNOTES ads are due by the 15th of every month. Delivered by email, Independents and Non-Dancers may receive a copy by sending an email address to Karen Mann kjmann1@att.net.

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Metro Atlanta Square Dancers Association

PRESENTS

Sunday, February 19th, 2023

***** Mountain View Community Center *****

3400 Sandy Plains Road Marietta Ga.

Caller

Marty Northrup

Cuer

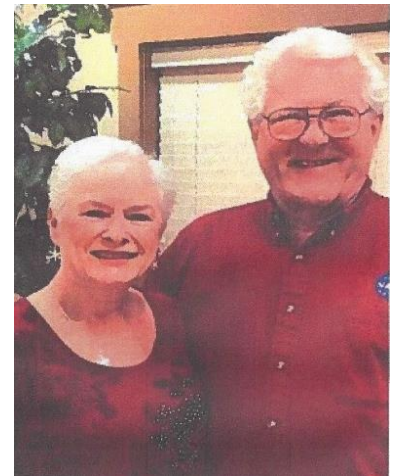
Sandra Hirschler

Advanced

2 – 2:45 pm

Mainstream/Plus/Rounds

3 – 5:00 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

Square Dance or Casual Attire

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

Live Lively -



Square Dance



BLAST FROM THE PAST



How large was MASDA back in its heyday?

Pete Risse, MASDA Historian

Back in 1975 when we had MASDA dances, we had 80 plus squares, but we did not have a facility large enough to handle this many squares. During that year, we held each dance in two locations. Footnotes would advertise each location and list which callers would be at each location. Dancers could then decide at which location they wanted to attend. Dance locations were mainly in high schools around the Metro area including Marietta, Mableton, Clayton County, Riverdale, Decatur, College Park and even as far away as Acworth. The Shrine Temple was first used for a dance on April 30, 1977, and was used up through 2013 depending on availability. This facility could handle up to 100 squares.

DANC'N SINGLES



February 11, Saturday

Valentine's Day Dance

WEAR RED!



March 11, Saturday

St. Patrick's Day Dance

Wear GREEN!

*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
2nd 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

GSSDA *Winter Dance*

Saturday, January 28, 2023

Update: Dance Leader Change

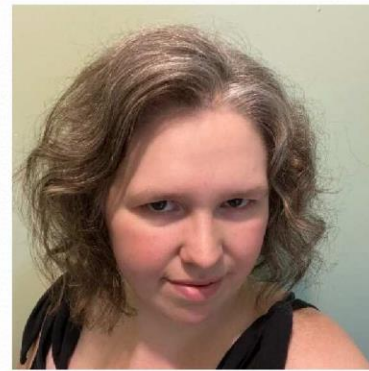
**6:00 pm – Join us for a Roundtable Discussion
“Strategies for Success, growing Square Dancing”**

7:00 pm – Early Rounds

7:30 – 10:00 pm - Dance



Tony Oxendine
Caller



Aneesa Barge
Cuer

Admission: \$10.00

Location: Howard Community Club, 5645 Forsyth Rd, Macon GA



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



Access our web site
with your phone camera.



Square Dancing 2nd & 4th Saturdays 8:00 – 10:00 PM
Mainstream w/Announced Plus - Lines – Rounds

FEBRUARY 11th – St Valentine’s Day

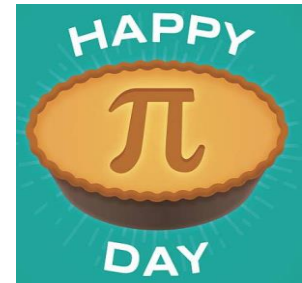
Caller: Troy Grooms
Lines: Randy & Debbie Bradberry



FEBRUARY 25th – No Dance – See you on March 11th

MARCH 11th – Pi(e) Day Dance

Caller: Troy Grooms
Lines: Randy & Debbie Bradberry



Caller: Troy Grooms **Lines:** Randy & Debbie Bradberry **Rounds:** Sandra Hirschler **\$7 Per Person**

Square Dance Lessons

<u>CLUB</u>	<u>LESSONS</u>	<u>CONTACT</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>START</u>
Silver Stars	Beginner/Plus	Jon Martin	770-736-0810	March 13, 2023

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

**Our beloved Bethesda Park Senior Center has suffered frozen pipe water damage.
Until further notice: always check our web site for current dance locations.**

www.SilverStarsSquareDance.com



WHEEL AROUNDS

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



Come join us for homemade ice cream.

Dan Mitchell, Caller



Aneesa Barge, Cuer



February 4th Ice Cream Dance

February 18th Valentine Dance

Sneak Peek....

March 4th Regular Dance

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

Roll with the Wheels @ www.wheelarounds.com

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

♠ Kennesaw Square Dealers ♦



Square Dance Club
www.squaredealers.com



Sneak Preview

Mar 3rd 70's Disco

Mar 17th Luck of the Irish



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



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



HOTLANTA SQUARES



Pre-Valentine's Day Dance *(singles always welcome!)*

Monday, February 13th, 7 - 9 PM

Guest caller: **Charlie Petrea**

Mainstream & Plus levels

\$6 for members, \$8 for non-members

Peachtree Baptist Church

2108 Briarcliff Road NE, Atlanta

New series of Social Square Dance classes for beginners!

Free Open House on Monday, February 27th, 2022

and a 2nd open house on Monday, March 6th

7:00pm - 8:30pm

at Peachtree Baptist Church



Admission: \$5 per weekly class

Cis Hinkle

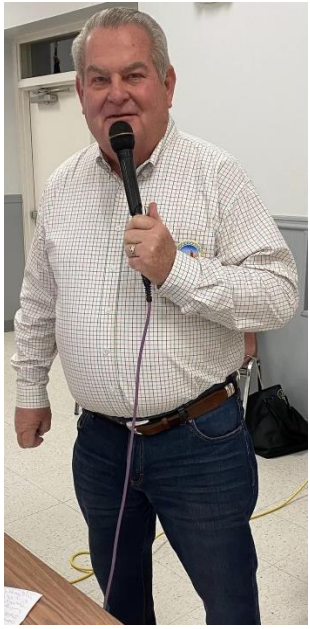
Official Club Caller/Instructor



Beginning March 13th, classes will meet each Monday from 7:00pm until 8:30pm.

For more info, visit our website: www.hotlantasquares.org

We adhere to CDC guidelines for COVID-19 safety protocols. Proof of vaccination required. Masks currently required while dancing (policy subject to revision).



Save the dates . . . in 2023



May 5-6, 2023 – Spring Sashay, Rome GA

Event is held at the Western Promenaders Club facility in Rome Georgia. The facility has wood floor and large dance floor. In 2022 we had **15 Dance Leaders** join us for workshops, fun squares, and more.

Visit our website for additional information: www.gssda.org



September 15-16, 2023 – Georgia State Convention, Gainesville GA

Come dance to Dance Leaders from Georgia and the Southeast region - Alabama, Florida, South Carolina, North Carolina, Tennessee, and more. Fun filled weekend of dancing, workshops to learn a new dance skill, Leadership Training Seminars, Yard Sale, Fun Squares just to name a few.

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



2023 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 AND INSURANCE MANAGER:** **Pat Inglis** – 9133 Creekside Trail, Stone Mountain, GA 30087
404-932-5512 – Dancin' Singles
- 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
- 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	678-772-9047	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+		

This month's cover was created by Edyie Hawthorne. Edyie and Wayne dance with Kennesaw Square Dealers and Bartow Dixie Grands. Thank you, Edyie, for continued support with these wonderful colorful covers!