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**53<sup>rd</sup> Georgia State Convention**

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**November 1 & 2, 2024**  
**(New Date!!)**

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Gainesville GA 30501

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## DIXIE CRIER MAGAZINE

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

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

- 1<sup>st</sup> Quarter (January, February, March)
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Quarter (April, May, June)
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter (July, August, September)
- 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter (October, November, December)

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**HOW DO I SUBMIT AN ARTICLE OF INTEREST, CLUB NEWS, ETC.?** Items of interest, club news, and comments from GSSDA members and member organizations are always welcome and will be published - without charge - as space permits. They must be legibly written or typed using Times New Roman, 12 Font. The submission should be around 300 words or less, and of interest to all dancers.

Submissions **must be signed** to be published. The document must be sent by mail or Email. If sent by email, an electronic signature is acceptable. Please note that GSSDA reserves the right to omit, condense, or rewrite any items submitted. Please Mail or Email items of interest, club news, comments, ads, and address changes to address listed below.

**Submission Deadline is the 15th of December, March, June, September.**

<b>Articles, Ads, &amp; News:</b> GSSDA Attn: Dixie Crier Editor P.O. Box 1120 Flowery Branch GA 30542 <b>dixiecrier@gssda.org</b>	<b>Send Payments to:</b> GSSDA P.O. Box 1120 Flowery Branch GA 30542	<b>Email/Address Changes:</b> GSSDA Attn: Membership Chairman P.O. Box 1120 Flowery Branch, GA 30542 <b>dixiecrier@gssda.org</b>
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### **ARTICLES, ADS & NEWS**

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P.O. Box 1120  
Flowery Branch, GA 30542  
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### **SEND PAYMENTS**

#### **GSSDA**

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P.O. Box 1120  
Flowery Branch GA 30542

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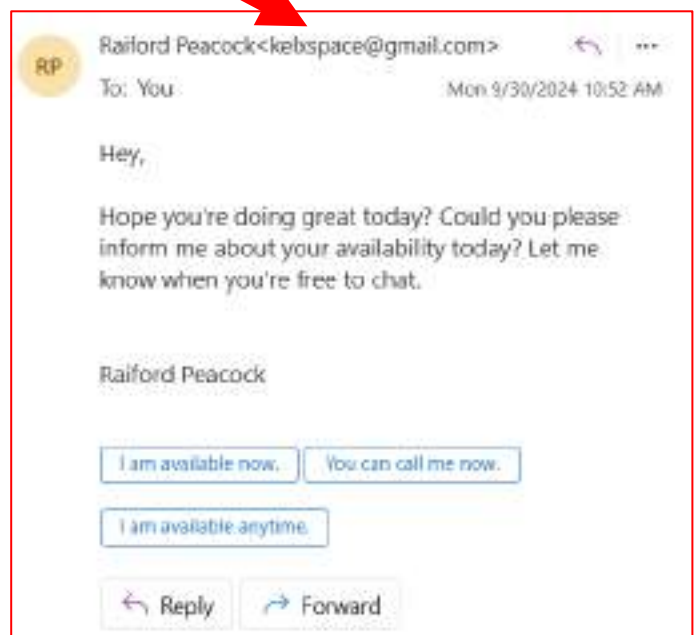
## Editor's Corner



*Is it a scam email?* We all receive many emails daily; how do you tell if it's a SCAM or not? First, we caution you to **always be careful opening** emails and especially responding to emails requesting gift cards or "I'm in a meeting can you do something for me" or an email as shown below. These should

set off warning signals to you. When you reply to this email, they have you hooked, and the scam begins.

We have received reports of emails soliciting donations for GSSDA in the form of Gift Cards, etc. The scammers may use our names in the email line of the email but will list an unknown email address. The scammers are creative and may even use "GSSDA" in the Subject line or the body of the email to lead you to believe the email is from someone you know. Please know that GSSDA Board Members will **never solicit donations** or "Gift Cards" in this manner. We will not ask you to purchase gift cards and send us the numbers from the cards.



If you receive a suspicious email or text, please call Raiford Peacock, GSSDA President, 678-425-4256. Make sure to delete the email.

Be safe!

# *President's Message*

Fall is in the air!



Friday night high school football; Saturday, college football, and Sunday pro football; fairs, festivals, and celebrations all over Georgia; Halloween, Thanksgiving and Christmas; harvest festivals, fairs and parades; drives through the colorful mountain overlooks. All of these things and more contribute to the excitement of Fall in Georgia. And as square dancers, let's not forget our annual Georgia State Square Convention, November 1-2, 2024. The 53<sup>rd</sup> Georgia State Square Dance Convention, the **2024 Pumpkin Promenade** is scheduled for a new date – November 1 & 2.

Square dancers from across Georgia and nearby states will gather in Gainesville, GA in for a weekend of fun and educational activities in support of this fun and beneficial activity. Modern Western Square Dancers, Round Dancers, Contra Dancers and Line Dancers will enjoy two full days of fun and fellowship at the Gainesville Civic Center.

GSSDA Board members and a large cadre of volunteers are hard at work planning, coordinating and delivering a wide variety of fun and education. I hope everyone will join us in Gainesville.

The new “**Georgia Traveler Program Awards**” will be given on Friday at 6:00 pm. On Saturday evening at 6:00 pm, we will honor the winners of the “**Club Community Outreach Award**” and the Dance Leader recognition award, “**Above & Beyond**” Award”. You don't want to miss the 2024 Pumpkin Promenade.

I hope all Georgia dancers will get involved with **your** Georgia State **Square Dancer** Association (GSSDA) and attend GSSDA events and volunteer your support for the activity we all love.

THANK YOU to everyone for your support of GSSDA!

Raiford Peacock  
GSSDA President



# The Honorable Jimmy Carter & Rosalynn Carter

## Georgia Square Dancers

In January 1977, we dubbed my inauguration "The People's Inauguration" hosting square, rounds, and line dancing, as well as a host of other American folk and ethnic cultures ranging the performing and visual arts. We also hosted square dances on the White House lawn during our tenure on Pennsylvania Avenue.

Born in Plains, Georgia, and a graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy at Annapolis, Jimmy served seven years in the U.S. Navy. During his military service he married Rosalynn, also a native of Plains, Georgia. In 1953, after completing his military service, Jimmy returned home to manage the family's peanut warehouse business.



Jimmy & Rosalynn's Square Dance Diploma.  
Courtesy of the Carter Presidential Library.

Jimmy became active in public service including serving on the Sumter County Board of Education, Georgia State Senate and then as the Governor of Georgia.

In 1963, Jimmy & Rosalynn took square dance lessons in southern Georgia, being taught to dance by Rod Blaylock. They joined the Meri Legs Square Dance Club in Dawson, Georgia, a name made from American Legion, where the club danced.

In 1972, Governor Carter and First Lady Rosalynn, joined Wade Driver and Wade's parents in the Saturday night opening tip of the 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Georgia State Square Dance Convention in Macon, Georgia. In 1977 Jimmy was inaugurated as the 39<sup>th</sup> President of the United States. The Carters brought their passion for square dancing with them to Washington DC, hosting an Inaugural Square Dance Ball on January 21, 1977. An event attended by bus loads of proud Georgia square dancers.



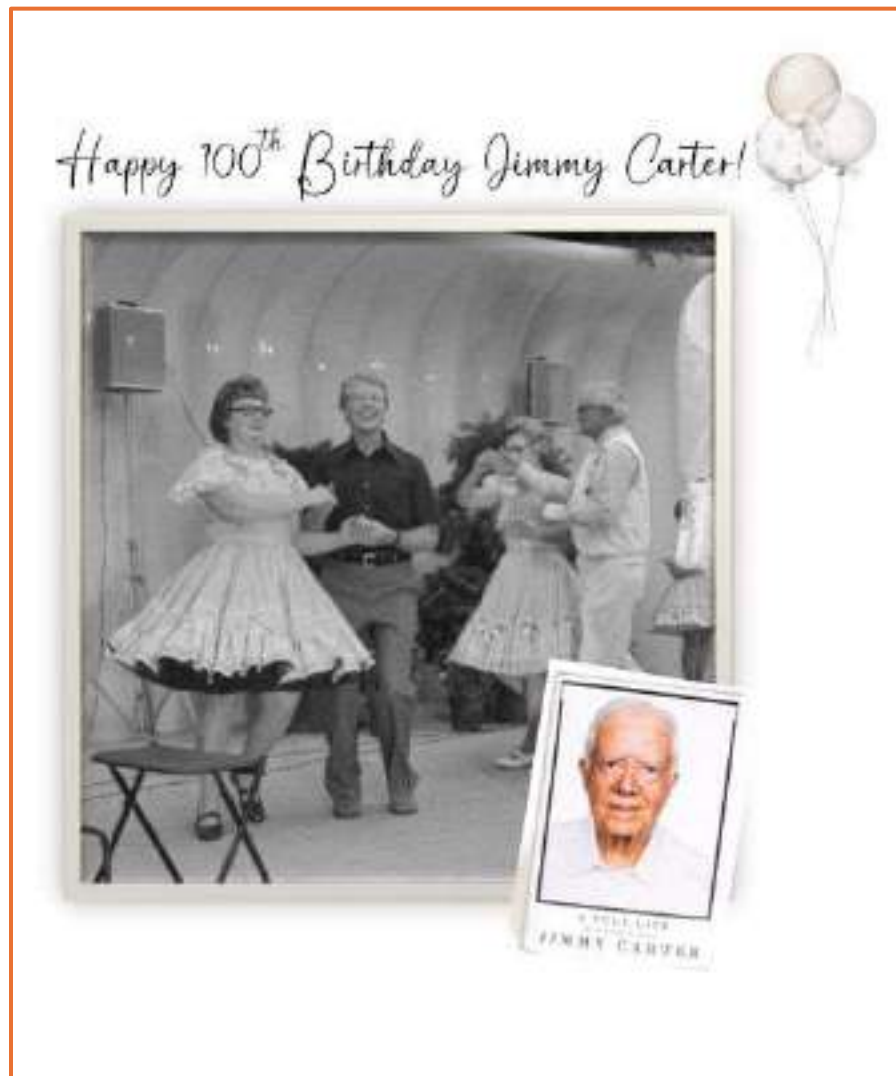
Wade & Gloria Drive with the Carters  
at a Georgia State Convention



President Carter square dancing at Congressional Picnic, July 1977.  
Courtesy of the Carter Presidential Library.

The Carters continued to host square dances in the White House, including hosting dances on the South Lawn of the White House for several events, such as Congressional Picnics.

After returning to Georgia in 1981, Jimmy and Rosalynn have continued dancing at various clubs and events throughout southern Georgia.





**Georgia State Convention  
Trail End Dance Hosted By  
Northeast Georgia Federation (NEGF)**



**Travis Cook**



**Randy & Debbie  
Bradberry**

*October 31st*

**ADMISSION \$10.00**

**7:00 – 9:30 pm**

**Please bring finger foods for table**

**Hosts: All NEGF Clubs**

**Lakeshore Square Dance Location:  
First Presbyterian Church – in gym  
800 South Enota Drive  
Gainesville, GA**

**Costumes optional . . . but encouraged**



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REGISTRATION	QUANTITY	SUBTOTAL
Early Registration before November 1, 2024: <b>\$30.00</b>		\$
Registration At The Door: <b>\$35.00</b>		
Youth - FREE		<i>FREE</i>
Single Day (Friday/ Saturday): \$20.00. <i>Sold at the door only.</i>	<b>Total Due:</b>	\$

*No refunds after October 18, 2024. No ribbons will be mailed after October 18<sup>th</sup> (Available at Registration Table)*

Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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

State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ I would like to volunteer. Club(s) Membership: \_\_\_\_\_

Mail completed form and check to: **GSSDA, P.O. Box 1120, Flowery Branch GA 30542.** Please include a #10 self-addressed (business) stamped envelope for mailing. ***Make your check payable to GSSDA. Register online at [www.gssda.org](http://www.gssda.org)***

Schedules, activities, general information are correct at press time, but are subject to change. Visit our website: [www.gssda.org](http://www.gssda.org) or Facebook Page: Georgia State Square Dancers Association (GSSDA) for latest updates.

## HOUSING ACCOMMODATIONS

**CHECK RATINGS and REVIEWS and CONFIRM ALL CANCELLATION POLICIES**  
as they may vary based on the property and rate. Mention **"Square Dance"** when making reservations!

Don Carter State Park Campgrounds	5000 N. Browning Bridge Rd., Gainesville, GA	678-450-7726	1.7 miles
River Forks Park	3500 Keith Bridge Rd, Gainesville, GA	770-351-3952	6.5 miles
Courtyard Marriott	124 EE Butler Parkway, Gainesville, GA	770-532-4508	0.9 miles
BoonoLodge - (American Best Value)	809 Jesse Jewell Pkwy, Gainesville, GA	770-534-0303	1.7 miles
Fairfield Inn & Suites	1755 Browns Bridge Rd. Gainesville, GA	678-971-4670	2.8 miles
Quest Lodge	520 Queen City Pkwy, Gainesville, GA	770-535-8100	1.7 miles
Hampton Inn	450 Jesse Jewell Pkwy, Gainesville, GA	770-503-0300	1.4 miles
Hilton Garden Inn	1735 Browns Bridge Rd. Gainesville, GA	770-532-3396	2.7 miles
Holiday Inn Express	1189 Dawsonville Hwy, Gainesville, GA	770-533-5140	4.2 miles
Motel 6	1585 Monroe Dr., Gainesville, GA	770-532-7531	1.7 miles
Ramada by Wyndham	400 EE Butler Hwy., Gainesville, GA	770-531-0907	1.1 miles
Super 8 Motel	541 Dorsey St/Jesse Jewell Pkwy, Gainesville, GA	800-536-1211	1.9 miles
TownePlace Suites	1745 Browns Bridge Rd Gainesville, GA	678-971-4102	2.7 miles

**Office Use Only**

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Cash: \_\_\_\_\_ Check #: \_\_\_\_\_

Date Ribbons Mailed: \_\_\_\_\_

# 2024 Georgia State Convention – November 1-2, 2024

## Friday Schedule For GSSDA State Convention November 2024

Time	Ballroom Mainstream	Chattahoochee Plus	Sydney Lanier Variety	Chestnut Variety	Gaines Meeting Room Education Program
1:55 PM	Opening Remarks (Ballroom)				
2:00 - 5:00	Mainstream	Plus			
	Dinner Break				
6:00 - 6:25				6:00 - 6:15 pm Solo Meet & Greet	
6:30 - 6:50	Opening Ceremony (Ballroom) "Traveler Program Awards"				
6:50 - All Dance	Mainstream Tip				
7:00 - 8:00	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus (2) / RD (1)	Advance / Challenge	Lines	
8:00 - 9:00	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus (2) / RD (1)	Advance / Challenge	Contra	
9:00 - 9:30	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus (2) / RD (1)	Advance / Challenge	Fun Squares	
9:30	Closing Announcements				
9:30 - 10:00	All Singing Calls	All Singing Calls		High Energy	

\*2 Tips / 1 RD

\*2 Tip / 1 Line

Tip: 10 mins. (Partner/Singing)

5 mins. Round (1)

5 mins. Lines (1)

## Saturday Schedule For GSSDA State Convention November 2024

Time	Ballroom Mainstream	Chattahoochee Plus	Sydney Lanier Variety	Chestnut Variety	Gaines Meeting Room Education Program
8:45 - 10:00				Yard Sale	
10:00 - 10:30	Mainstream Workshop	Plus Workshop		Room Reset	
10:30 - 11:00	Mainstream Workshop	Plus Workshop	Contra Dance	Fashion Show Setup	
11:00 - 11:30	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus Dance	Contra Dance	Fashion Show	USDA - Tools for Club Leaders
11:30 - 12:00	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus Dance	Contra Dance	Fashion Show	
12:00 - 1:00	Lunch Break				
1:00 - 1:30	Fun Squares	High Energy	Lines	Intro to DED	USDA - Insurance Program
1:15 pm	Daily Announcements				
1:30 - 2:00	Fun Squares	High Energy	Lines	DED Dance	Club Advertising & Public Relations
2:00 - 2:30	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Fun Squares	Lines	DED Dance	How to Become a Caller, Caller, Line Leader
2:30 - 3:00	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Progressive Squares	Intro to Advance	Intro to HEX Dance	National Conventions - 2025 & 2026
3:00 - 3:30	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus Dance	Advance Dance	Intro to HEX Dance	
3:30 - 4:00	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus Dance	Advance Dance	HEX Dance	
4:00 - 4:30	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus Dance	Advance Dance	Hot Hash	
4:30 - 5:00	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus Dance	Advance Dance	Hot Hash	
	Dinner Break				

## Saturday Schedule For GSSDA State Convention November 2024

Time	Ballroom Mainstream	Chattahoochee Plus	Sydney Lanier Variety	Chestnut Variety	Gaines Meeting Room Education Program
6:00 - 6:25	6:00 - 6:30 pm Early Rounds			6:00 - 6:30 pm Solo Meet & Greet	
6:30 - 6:50	Opening Ceremony				
6:50 - All Youth	Mainstream Tip (Youth Edn)				
7:00 - 8:00	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus (2) / RD (1)	Advance Dance	Lines	
8:00	Ice Cream Treats - Vendor Hallway				
8:00 - 9:00	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus (2) / RD (1)	Advance Dance	Contra Dance	
9:00 - 9:30	Mainstream (2)/LN (1)	Plus (2) / RD (1)	No Activity	Hot Hash	
9:30	Closing Announcements				
9:30 - 10:00	Mainstream Singing Calls				

\*2 Tips / 1 RD

\*2 Tip / 1 Line

Tip: 10 mins. (Partner/Singing)

5 mins. Round (1)

5 mins. Lines (1)

10/3/2024



## Schedule of Education Sessions

ALL Education Sessions will be in **Gaines (Hall 5) 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**

Time	Topic	Presenter
11:00 am	<b>USDA Tools for Club Leaders</b> Club Organization; Club Incorporation & Officer liability; Non-profit status; Dancer retention	<b>Scott Ebright</b> USDA Vice-President Central Region
1:00 pm	<b>USDA Insurance Program</b> Dancer Accident; Club Liability; Facility Liability	<b>Elizabeth Sanders</b> USDA Insurance Coordinator
1:30 pm	<b>Club Advertising &amp; Public Relations</b> Local newspapers; fairs & Festivals; Healthcare Community	<b>Cindy Thompson</b> Paulding Pioneers
2:00 pm	<b>How to become a Caller, Cuer, Line Leader</b>	<b>Randy Ramsey</b>
2:30 pm	<b>National &amp; State Conventions &amp; Events</b> Neighboring States & National Conventions	<b>Event Representatives</b>





# Annual Yard Sale

Saturday, November 2, 2024

Chestatee Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

Bring your gently used square wear and accessories.  
and join the Annual Yard Sale.



## VENDORS:

- 8:00 am Vendors line up outside the **LEFT** entrance to Civic Center.
- 8:15 am Civic Center doors will open to Vendors. Go to the Chestatee Room and select your table and setup. ***One table per Vendor, once all vendors have at least one table additional tables can be taken.*** (Tables are available on a first come first serve basis)
- 9:00 am Doors open for Shoppers.
- 10:00 am Yard Sale Ends

## SHOPPERS:

- 8:30 am Shoppers line up outside the **RIGHT** entrance.
- 9:00 am Doors open for Shoppers, go to the Chestatee Room
- 10:00 am Yard Sale Ends

**Shoppers come early to shop!**

**Doors open at 9:00 am!**

***Cash Only!***



**Do you have a few hours to volunteer?**

**We would love to have you join our Team!**

**Please contact: [president@gssda.org](mailto:president@gssda.org)**

**Or sign up to volunteer at the  
Convention Registration table. Thank you!**

**Where do we need volunteers:**

- Registration Committee: Work the attendee check in table, Door Greeters, answer questions.
  - Fashion Show
  - 50/50 Ticket Sales
  - Set up and Move out help
  - Water monitor
  - Room counters
  - Yard Sale: monitor vendor and shopper lines
- And more . . .

# Dance Leader Hospitality Donations

We love our Dance Leaders and want to provide lunch and grab & go snacks during the convention. We cannot accept homemade items.

If your club or organization would like to contribute to this effort, please contact Betsey Tate at [squaredancing7@gmail.com](mailto:squaredancing7@gmail.com) or mail a check payable to: GSSDA, P.O. Box 1120, Flowery Branch GA 30542.

Thank you for showing our Dance Leaders how much we appreciate them!





# Pumpkin Spice & Everything Nice Fashion Extravaganza

**Saturday, 11:00 am – Noon**

**Location: Chestatee Hall, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor**

We're bringing back a favorite activity this year. Please make plans to come enjoy our Fashion Show Extravaganza on Saturday.



**Questions please contact: Wanda Sherriff**

Phone: 706-266-7284

Email: [wandasheriff@icloud.com](mailto:wandasheriff@icloud.com)







## GSSDA Annual Memory Wall Guidelines for Submission

### Purpose:

The purpose of the GSSDA Annual Memory Wall is to recognize and remember those square dancers who have passed away during the last 24 – 36 months. Memorials of these individuals will be displayed at the GSSDA Annual Convention. They are to be displayed on what will be called the GSSDA Memory Wall at the annual GSSDA Convention.

### Guidelines for the Memorials:

1. Memorials shall be submitted to the Memorial Wall Coordinator by the established deadline.
2. Memorials shall be in the form of an 8½ x 11 sheet (suitable for framing) that should prominently display the name of the individual, pictures and a brief square dance history of the deceased dancer. This should not read like a typical obituary but more upbeat. An explanation of how he/she enjoyed square dancing is encouraged.
3. Memorials may be submitted by fellow square dancers, friends or community members. Please include in your email (*but not necessarily in the memorial*) the name and contact information of the author.
4. Submissions must be in pdf format and submitted to the Program Coordinator two (2) weeks before the State Convention.

The 2024 Program Coordinator is Karen Kight.  
Phone: 478-477-8339 Email: [kekight@yahoo.com](mailto:kekight@yahoo.com)

2024 Georgia State Convention – November 1-2, 2024

# SOLO MEET & GREET

at the

## *Georgia State Convention*

Introduce yourself to other SOLO dancers 30 minutes prior to the start of each nightly dance



November 1-2 at 6 pm each evening  
Gainesville Civic Center / 1st floor / Chestatee Hall 4

E-mail for info: [SoloDancers.GSSDA@gmail.com](mailto:SoloDancers.GSSDA@gmail.com)

*Angels!! We need you!!*

Please volunteer even 1 tip to share your favorite activity with a solo dancer.

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## Basket Raffle Fundraiser

**Thank you to the clubs, organizations, and individuals that have volunteered to donate a Raffle Basket.** We appreciate your generosity.

**Do you need basket ideas?** The baskets can contain items obtained through donations by local businesses or by your club members. It is sometimes easier to decide a theme for your basket and then solicit donations. Ideas for basket themes are: "Ladies", "Men's", "Birds", "Kitchen", "Sports", etc. Below are some of the baskets offered at previous Conventions to give you an idea of what we have in mind. The sky and your imagination are the limit!! ***Once you have determined your theme, have fun collect items to fill your basket.***

Please bring the basket to the Georgia State Convention on Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>. Thank you for participating in this fundraising effort for the GSSDA!! If you have any questions, please give me a call - **Brenda Wood 678-230-5952 [brendaww260@gmail.com](mailto:brendaww260@gmail.com)**





## GSSDA State Convention Pumpkin Pie Contest



***Do you have a favorite pumpkin pie recipe?***

***Prepare two (2) identical pies and let us be the judge.***

### ***Contest Guidelines***

1. For purposes of this contest the term “Pie” is intended to mean any desert containing Pumpkin as the main flavor ingredient.
2. Each contestant is to provide two (2) identical dishes. One for the judges to taste and one for sale via silent auction after the contest.
3. All entries must be in place by 11 am and judging must be complete before 12 noon on Saturday. The preparer/cook’s name will not be displayed until after the judging is complete.
4. There shall be five (5) judges chosen by the GSSDA President. The names of the judges shall not be made public until after the judging is complete.
5. Both the pie for sale and the one for judges tasting must be displayed during judging.
6. The remainder of the dish that is used by the judges for tasting will be moved to the Dance Leader Hospitality room for the Dance Leaders to enjoy after the winner is announced.
7. Ribbons showing the winning pies will be displayed during the silent auction. All monies raised from the silent auction will support the GSSDA Convention. The names of the preparers of all entries will be displayed after the winners are announced. *(unless otherwise requested by preparer)*

***Contest Coordinator: Robin White***

***Phone: 404-451-4992***

***Email: [robin.white78@outlook.com](mailto:robin.white78@outlook.com)***



# GSSDA ARCHIVE COLLECTION



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.

We introduced the Archives Room at the 51<sup>st</sup> Georgia State Square Dance Convention. ***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

### ***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 the 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)

## ***GSSDA Georgia Traveler Program***



The Purpose of GSSDA's Georgia Traveler Program (GTP) is to recognize square dancers who visit a variety of club dances, festivals and state square dance conventions. Participants in the GTP attend a club dance or festival in all areas of Georgia and experience the wide variety of wonderful callers, cuers and dancers throughout Georgia. They represent GSSDA's finest and meet square dance friends from all over the state. A special dangle is awarded to the participant after they have visited at least 9 separate square dance events (*not including their home club*). Different color dangles are awarded for different levels of involvement in this prestigious group.

If you are interested in joining this elite group of square dancers or simply want more information, please go to the GSSDA website (GSSDA.ORG) and download the descriptive brochure and start visiting. No advance registration is required. You may email the GTP Program Coordinator at [President@GSSDA.org](mailto:President@GSSDA.org) for more information.

Be part of an elite group of Georgia square dancers!

Join the **GSSDA Georgia Traveler Program**  
and proudly display your dangle.

GSSDA Georgia Travelers Program Award  
will be presented Friday, November 1<sup>st</sup>  
during the Closing Ceremony



### FAQ for the Georgia Traveler Program

1. Must I have the specific form for reporting my visits?  
No, as long as the information is complete, accurate and readable it will be acceptable.
2. Does the GSSDA event where I receive the award count as the last “visit” for the award?  
No, the report of your visits must be in at least 3 days before the start of the event at which you plan to receive the award. However, the event at which you receive the award can count as a visit for the next level award.
3. If I cannot attend the GSSDA event to receive my award will the award be mailed to me? or can a friend pick it up for me?  
No, you must be present in person to receive your award. If you are unable to attend the GSSDA Event you can pick up your award at the next GSSDA event you attend.
4. I attended a dance at the Hilton Head Ocean Waves Club in Hardeeville, SC. Does this count as a visit?  
Yes, the Hilton Head Ocean Waves are a dues paying member of the GSSDA so the visit does count. Clubs just outside the Georgia State line who join and pay dues as a GSSDA Member Club are eligible to count toward the Georgia Traveler awards.
5. I visited and danced with the Buttons and Bows in Woodstock, GA last Friday night but I forgot to get my form signed. Can I count that visit?  
If you get the Caller or the Club President to sign your form attesting that you were there on that date, we will accept the documentation. The Georgia Traveler Program operates mostly on the honor system. Square dancers are a trustworthy group, and we pretty much trust the documentation you provide.
6. I am a member of two clubs. Do I list both as my home club?  
No, you simply pick one as your home club. It would be unfair to penalize those dancers who are members of multiple clubs. Everyone, even independent dancers, must list one club as their home club.
7. I am an Independent dancer and not a member of any club. What do I do about listing a home club?  
Simply choose the club you most often attend and list it as your home club.
8. If I visit a Club that is not a GSSDA Member Club, does it count?  
Yes, you are not required to visit only GSSDA Member Clubs. As long as the Club is inside the geographic boundary of Georgia OR is a dues paying GSSDA Member Club. (See FAQ #4)

Program Purpose:

To encourage GSSDA members to visit a variety of club dances, festivals and state or national conventions.

Participant Goal:

To attend a club dance or festival in all areas of Georgia and experience the wide variety of wonderful callers and dancers throughout Georgia. To represent the GSSDA and meet square dance friends from all over the state.

Program Rules: A special dangle will be awarded to the participant after they have visited at least 9 separate square dance events (not including your home club) and have a form signed and returned to GSSDA for verification. Different color dangles will be awarded as follows:

9	Clubs Visited - Red Dangle
15	Clubs Visited - White Dangle
20	Clubs Visited - Blue Dangle
25	Clubs Visited - Silver Dangle
30	Clubs Visited - Gold Dangle

Multiple visits to a club only count as one visit per year.

Award dangles will be presented at a GSSDA dance or convention event.

Visitations must happen within a rolling 36 month period. The 3 year time period will begin with the first visit listed/counted.

Travelling couples must complete separate forms. Separate award dangles will be presented.

COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING  
INFORMATION ABOUT YOURSELF

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_  
State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email: \_\_\_\_\_  
Home Club: \_\_\_\_\_

I am applying for the  
GSSDA Travel Dangle.

- \_\_\_\_\_ 9 Clubs Visited - Red Dangle
- \_\_\_\_\_ 15 Clubs Visited - White Dangle
- \_\_\_\_\_ 20 Clubs Visited - Blue Dangle
- \_\_\_\_\_ 25 Clubs Visited - Silver Dangle
- \_\_\_\_\_ 30 Clubs Visited - Gold Dangle

Complete this form and return to: GSSDA  
P.O. Box 1120,

Flowery Branch, GA 30542.

Or scan & Email to:

[president@GSSDA.org](mailto:president@GSSDA.org)

You may bring documentation with you to the GSSDA Convention and present to the GSSDA Travel Program Coordinator.

For more information about this program please contact your GSSDA Georgia Traveler Program Coordinator.

GEORGIA STATE  
SQUARE DANCERS  
ASSOCIATION

SQUARE  
DANCE  
TRAVELER  
PROGRAM



Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Name or Special Event:

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City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Club Officer or Caller signature:

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Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Club Officer or Caller signature:

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This page may be duplicated to list  
additional clubs visited.





### GSSDA Dance Leader “Over & Above” Award

**Purpose:** The purpose of the “GSSDA Dance Leader “Over & Above” Award” is to honor Dance Leaders who promote square dancing by recognizing those who demonstrate outstanding community involvement and go above and beyond to promote both their club and Square Dancing in general.

**Description:** Anyone (Dancers, Dance Leaders, or the general public) may nominate a GSSDA Member Dance Leader for this award by submitting a written narrative describing why this Individual is deserving of recognition. This nomination is to be submitted to the GSSDA Board by the established deadline. Examples should be given about Dance Leader's voluntary participation in Community Festivals, Events, parades, etc. The narrative should describe how the Dance Leader increases the popularity and visibility of square dancing. The narrative should also explain how the Dance Leader goes over and above what is expected by participating in and supporting the community.

A three-person committee, appointed by the GSSDA President and approved by the GSSDA Board, will select the winning GSSDA Member Dance Leader from among the nominations. This award is to be announced at the GSSDA Annual Convention. Only one award will be given per year. If the Committee does not receive enough nominations or determines that there are no deserving GSSDA Dance Leader Members, they (the Committee) may decide not to award the prize during that year. There is no requirement that the award be given every year.

*Nomination Deadline is 30 days prior to the GSSDA Annual Convention.  
Nomination narratives must be submitted to [President@GSSDA.ORG](mailto:President@GSSDA.ORG)*

GSSDA Dance Leader “Over & Above” Award will be presented Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> during the Closing Ceremony.



### GSSDA Community Outreach Award

**Purpose:** The purpose of the “GSSDA Community Outreach Award” is to encourage Member Clubs to promote square dancing in their area by recognizing and rewarding Member Clubs that demonstrate outstanding community involvement and promotion of both their club and Square Dancing in general.

**Description:** Anyone (Clubs, Dancers, Dance Leaders, or the general public) may nominate a GSSDA Member Club for this award by submitting a written narrative describing why this Club is deserving of recognition. This nomination is to be submitted to the GSSDA Board by the Board established deadline. Examples should be given about Club participation in Community Festivals, Events, parades, etc. The narrative should describe how the Club increases the popularity and visibility of square dancing. The narrative should also explain how the Club participates in and supports their community as a whole.

A committee of three GSSDA Board Members will select the winning GSSDA Member Club from among the nominations. This award is to be announced at the GSSDA Annual Convention. Only one award will be given per year. If the Committee does not receive enough nominations or determines that there are no deserving GSSDA Member Clubs, they (the Committee) may decide not to award the prize during that year. There is no requirement that the award be given every year.

GSSDA Community Outreach Award will be  
presented Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup>  
during the Closing Ceremony.





**Fri. Dinner Show \$45pp**

**Dry camping on site**

**Phase 2-5 Rounds**

**MS, PLUS, ADV. & C SQUARES**

**Trail End Dance Thursday nite**

**Two full days of Dancing**

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**70TH FSSRDC**

**JANUARY 17-18, 2025**

**The Center at Deltona**  
**1640 Dr. MLK Blvd.**  
**Deltona, Florida 32725**

**TO REGISTER**  
**SCAN ME**



**Make check payable to:**  
70th FSDC  
Mail to: Jenny Green  
108 Mound St.  
Longwood, FL 32750  
Service Charge for NSF or returned check: \$35



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**CONVENTION**

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BAND!!**

**WOOD  
FLOORS!**

**ROUNDS**

Phases II-VI

Waltz	Rumba
Foxtrot	Jive
Mambo	Cha
Bolero	2 Step
W Coast Swing	

**SQUARES**

SSD/Club 50	DBD
Mainstream	Hex
Plus	Singing Calls
Advanced	Hot Hash
Challenge	Progressive

**Tentative Schedule**

**THURSDAY**

Trail-In Dance 8:00-11:00pm  
2 Sq. Dance Halls  
2 Dedicated Rd. Dance Halls

**FRIDAY & SATURDAY**

10:00am – 11:00pm  
8 Halls of Dancing  
\*Live Band: Evening Hours

**W.L. Mills Conference Center**  
**234 Airport Road**  
**Gatlinburg, TN 37738**

**Specials**

**Contra**  
**Singles Dance**  
**Sewing Clinic**  
**After Party**  
**Fashion Show**  
**Vendors**

**Facebook: TN Square &  
Round Dance Convention**

<https://www.tnsquaredance.org/>

## 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 74th National Square Dance Convention® to be held in Shreveport Louisiana (74th NSDC).

This E-Magazine is the source of all things associated with the 74th 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?*



**74<sup>th</sup> NSDC, Shreveport Louisiana**  
**June 28 – 28, 2025**  
[74thnsdc.com](http://74thnsdc.com)



**75<sup>th</sup> NSDC, Waco Texas**  
**June 24 - 27, 2026**  
[75nsdc.com](http://75nsdc.com)



**76<sup>th</sup> NDC, Loveland Colorado**  
**June 23- 26, 2026**  
[76ndc.com](http://76ndc.com)





# 74<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention®

Shreveport Convention Center - June 25-28, 2025  
400 Caddo Street, Shreveport, Louisiana  
*Come Dance on the Wild Side*  
Register online at [74nsdc.com](http://74nsdc.com)

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO:  
**Rhonda Bailey**  
**74<sup>th</sup> NSDC**  
**111 Wood Duck Lane**  
**Texarkana, TX 76601**  
Email: [RhondaW252@outlook.com](mailto:RhondaW252@outlook.com)

**For Convention Use Only**  
Registration # \_\_\_\_\_  
Date Received \_\_\_\_\_  
Payment Processed \_\_\_\_\_  
Check# or Ref # \_\_\_\_\_

Rev Form 3/21/24

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Country: \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email\*: \_\_\_\_\_

\*E-mail address will only be shared with the NEC ☐ Check if you do not want your email shared.

No. of past NSDC's prior to 74th	First Name & Last Name for <u>CONVENTION BADGES</u>		Subtotals
	1. Adult		\$ _____
	2. Adult		\$ _____
	3. Adult/Youth _____ ** DOB ____/____/____		\$ _____
	4. Adult/Youth _____ ** DOB ____/____/____		\$ _____
	5. Adult/Youth _____ ** DOB ____/____/____		\$ _____

Magnet for Badge (pins provided free)	# _____ @ \$2.00	\$ _____
Program Book & Daily Schedules (\$25 after 4/30/2025)	# _____ @ \$20.00	\$ _____
Round Dance Syllabus - <input type="checkbox"/> USB Drive or <input type="checkbox"/> Printed copy (Must be purchased by 4/30/2025)	# _____ @ \$15.00	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Printed copy & USB (Must be purchased by 4/30/25)	# _____ @ \$30.00	\$ _____
Sew & Save Book - <input type="checkbox"/> USB Drive or <input type="checkbox"/> Digital Download	# _____ @ \$15.00	\$ _____
Cookbook	# _____ @ \$15.00	\$ _____
Hearing Assistance Device (NIC) - Refundable Deposit	# _____ @ \$50.00	\$ _____
Wednesday Night Special Event - Dennis Swanberg		
<input type="checkbox"/> Dinner & Show \$60 per person	# _____ @ \$60.00	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Show only \$30 per person	# _____ @ \$30.00	\$ _____
RV Camping from back side of form (4 night minimum)	# _____ @ \$35.00	\$ _____
Convenience Fee for Credit Card Processing	@ \$3.00	\$ _____

**Total Due \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**PAYMENT** (Complete if paying in person or by postal mail (US Funds))  
☐ Check Enclosed ☐ Cash (In Person) - Receipt # \_\_\_\_\_ ☐ Credit Card  
Name on Card: \_\_\_\_\_  
Card Type (Visa, Mastercard, AmEx, Discover): \_\_\_\_\_  
Card Number: \_\_\_\_\_  
Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Dressy casual attire allowed until 6pm. Proper dance attire is requested after 6pm for all dancers.  
74th NSDC Convention badge required for entrance to all convention activities.  
Shoes must be worn at all times.

## INFORMATION FOR COMPLETING FORM

- You can complete this form and pay online at [www.74nsdc.com](http://www.74nsdc.com).
- Please PRINT legibly to ensure accuracy of information.
- 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.
- If not pre-registered, enter registration fee for each dancer and correctly calculate amounts in the subtotal lines, then calculate and enter the total due.
- Registration fees:** Adult \$70; Youth ages 5-17 by 6/25/2025 - \$35.00 Under 5 Free.
- Prices will increase May 1, 2025** - Adult: \$85 - Youth ages 5-17: \$42.50.
- Persons 3-5 circle Adult or Youth. **\*\*Only need birthday of Youth.**
- Registrations are non-transferable.**
- No One-, Two-, or Three-Day Registrations.**
- A \$10.00 fee per registrant will be imposed for cancellations or changes before April 30, 2025. **No refunds after April 30, 2025.**
- Registrations received after April 30, 2025, will receive e-mail confirmation.
- If sending by mail include credit card information, check, or money order payable in U.S. funds to 74th NSDC with this form. Do not send cash.
- If registering by email, omit payment information on form. You will receive an invoice by email. (Note \$3.00 CC payment convenience fee.)

**TOURS can be purchased on separate brochure or online at [74nsdc.com/tours](http://74nsdc.com/tours)**

**DANCERS - PLEASE HELP US PLAN!** Check all that apply.

☐ SSD Only ☐ Mainstream ☐ Plus ☐ Advanced ☐ Challenge ☐ Contra  
☐ Lines ☐ Clogging ☐ Rounds ☐ Handicapable ☐ Solo

## PROGRAMMED CALLERS & DANCE LEADERS

You must update your profile yearly & online by 12/31/24 at [www.74nsdc.com/profile](http://www.74nsdc.com/profile)

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

## HOTEL & CAMPING INFORMATION ON REVERSE

Convention Hotels and Campgrounds must be reserved through 74th NSDC Registration & Housing for 74th NSDC rates.  
☐ Check box if you will manage your own accommodations.



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

More information available at [www.74nsdc.com](http://www.74nsdc.com)

### HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Code	Hotel	Rate
1	Hilton Shreveport Hotel - Headquarters	\$169
2	Sam's Town - Weekday Rate (Sunday - Thursday)	\$115
	Caller/Cuer Hotel - Weekend Rate (Friday - Saturday)	\$145
3	Holiday Inn - Shreveport (3-minute - 0.7 mile)	\$115
4	Holiday Inn Express - Shreveport (3-minute - 0.7 mile)	\$115
5	Hampton Inn - Bossier (6-minute drive)	\$139
6	Hilton Garden Inn - Bossier (6-minute drive)	\$139
7	Homewood Suites - Bossier (6-minute drive)	\$169

Indicate choice of hotel preference by specifying number: #1 #2 #3  
 Hotel assignments will be made in order of registration form received & according to availability. This form must be received, and rooms booked by March 1, 2025 for Sam's Town or May 1, 2025 for other hotels to guarantee 74th NSDC pricing.

#### Room nights needed: (4 Night Minimum)

☐ S 6/21 ☐ S 6/22 ☐ M 6/23 ☐ T 6/24 ☐ W 6/25 ☐ T 6/26 ☐ F 6/27 ☐ S 6/28 ☐ S 6/29

# Additional arrive early? \_\_\_\_\_ or stay late nights? \_\_\_\_\_ Total nights requested \_\_\_\_\_

Room request: ☐ Single ☐ Double ☐ Queen ☐ King ☐ Handicapable

**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:** All Block Housing requests are due by **July 15, 2024** and must be filed by **Sept 15th**, include the name, email, and phone number of Block Housing Leader.

Block Name \_\_\_\_\_

Block Leader Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

No airport shuttle services provided. See [www.74nsdc.com](http://www.74nsdc.com) for transportation information.

Register and submit your hotel room choice early (on the form or online) to have the best chance of having your selection available, and no later than May 1, 2025. A weblink and phone number to the hotel reservation system will be sent to attendees in the order that the forms are received.

Do you prefer email or text notification? Email ☐ Text ☐

**Note that hotels will not take your reservation for our convention until July 1, 2024.** The hotel will provide your confirmation number as you provide your credit card number to hold the room. **You must be registered for the convention with a registration number to receive the convention contracted rate.** No self or online registration is available for the contracted rate except through the weblink and phone number which will be provided by the convention Housing Vice-Chairman.

### MAP OF HOTELS & CAMPGROUND SHREVEPORT-BOSSIER



### RV & CAMPING ACCOMMODATIONS

Campground	Distance	Rate per Day
State Fair of Louisiana 3701 Hudson Street, Shreveport, LA 71109	4.5 miles / 9-minute drive	\$35.00

Each site is roughly the same size with full hookups including water and sewer with 30 or 50-amp electrical connections. ☐ 30 amp requested ☐ 50 amp requested.

Assignments will be made in the order of registration form received & according to availability to make sure we have plenty of 50-amp connections. This form must be received, and sites must be booked by May 1, 2025, to guarantee the 74th NSDC pricing. We have over 200 sites available, so no issue on availability.

#### Site nights needed: (4 Night Minimum)

☐ S 6/21 ☐ S 6/22 ☐ M 6/23 ☐ T 6/24 ☐ W 6/25 ☐ T 6/26 ☐ F 6/27 ☐ S 6/28 ☐ S 6/29

# Additional arrive early? \_\_\_\_\_ or stay late nights? \_\_\_\_\_ Total nights requested \_\_\_\_\_

**Buses Not Available.** Parking Available at Convention Center \$5 per day (in/out).

**GROUP CAMPING** requests must be received by January 2, 2025. Everyone that is part of the group must fill in Group Name and Group Leader Name. **To camp together, best to arrive together.**

Group Name \_\_\_\_\_

Group Leader Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Your confirmed campground may assess a one-night penalty fee for cancellations received less than 72 hours of arrival, including early departure. On-line registration available. All site reservations will be coordinated through RV & Camping Vice-Chairman with this form. For further information see web site: [www.74nsdc.com](http://www.74nsdc.com).



**DON'T GET CAUGHT SNOOZING**



**A reminder from your Friendly Housing Guy**  
**Housing for the 74th National Square Dance Convention® to be held June 25-28, 2025**  
**in Shreveport, LA, is filling up fast.**  
**So don't delay, get your "link" today!**

**Make sure you have filled out your convention Long Form & send it to Registration! You can go online to register at:**

**<https://www.74nsdc.com/register-online>**

**or print & mail your form today to:**

**Rhonda Bailey, 74th NSDC Registration Chairman**  
**111 Wood Duck Lane, Texarkana, TX 75501**

**Once you receive your link for Housing, make sure to follow up & complete your Reservation!**

**We are here to help & answer any questions you may have!**  
**Bobby & Ramona Parker, 74th NSDC Vice Chairman of Housing**  
**[borayparker@yahoo.com](mailto:borayparker@yahoo.com), 205-368-4562**

**The 74th National Square Dance Convention®**  
**presents a special one-night event featuring**

## **CALLER JACK PLADDYS**

**WEDNESDAY,**  
**OCT. 30, 2024**

**7:00 PM - 9:30 PM**

**Bella Luna**  
**of Millcreek**

**Venue address:**  
**809 Millcreek Rd.**  
**Hot Springs Natl Pk.**  
**AR 71901**



**Don't miss out**  
**on the fun!**

**Special**  
**donation only**  
**dance is a fund-**  
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**the 74th NSDC**

### **NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CALLER JACK PLADDYS**

From Indian Springs, Ohio and a Royal Records Recording Artist, Jack has called extensively throughout the U.S., Canada, Japan, the Middle East & Europe. He serves on the Board of Governors for CALLERLAB and is an accredited Caller Coach; serves as Central U.S. Leader for Grand Square International, Inc.; & is currently Vice President of the Miami Valley Callers Association in Dayton, Ohio. Jack operates the Midwest Caller College & is a staff coach for the National Square Dance Convention® GSI Caller School.

### **YOU'RE INVITED TO THE** **BIG BIRTHDAY BASH!**

**Come dance & help Ted Hofmeister, the 74th NSDC**  
**General Chairman, celebrate his birthday!**  
**Same Date, Venue & Time!**



**For the latest information on the 74th NSDC join our Facebook group!**  
**Register for 74th NSDC - June 25-28, 2025 - [www.74NSDC.com](http://www.74NSDC.com)**  
**Dance Sponsored by the Levi's and Lace Square Dance Club - Hot Springs, AR**

**Georgia State Square Dancers Association, Inc.  
Dance Leader Members of GSSDA**

Dance Leader	Services Provided	Area Served	Phone	May 7, 2024 Email	Home Club
Anderson, Frank	squares;	North Metro Atlanta	770-344-8258	calier78@comcast.net	Danc'N Squares, Powder Springs, GA
Barge, Aneesa	rounds;	Metro Atlanta	770-894-1025	aneesatopolina@gmail.com	Kennesaw Square Dealers, Kennesaw, GA
Butler, Shawn	squares, birthdays; weddings;	Metro Atlanta	770-529-0535	sbutler624@bellsouth.net	Kennesaw Square Dealers, Kennesaw, GA
Campbell, Dan	squares; birthdays; weddings;	Rome & Northwest GA	770-547-3624	shepherdscrew@yahoo.com	Cherokee Promenaders Calhoun, GA
Chamberlain, Betsy	squares;	Warner Robins & Middle GA	478-918-4263	efryhan@gmail.com	Peach Country Promenaders Perry, GA
Clark, Estelle		Garden City, GA		emastclark1@bellsouth.net	Danc'N Rythms Garden City, GA
Couch, Clyde	squares;	Cartersville & Northwest GA	770-608-8005	cycouch@att.net	Bartow Dixie Grands, Cartersville, GA
Ellington, Peggy	lines; rounds;	Milledgeville, GA			Oconee River Buskers, Milledgeville, GA
Grooms, Troy	squares;	Lavonia & Northeast GA	770-757-8650	groomstroy@yahoo.com	Silver Stars, Lawrenceville, GA
Hall, Alan	squares;	Ringgold & Northwest GA	706-937-5038	hallosa@gmail.com	Friday Nite Live Ringold, GA
Heins, Don	squares;	Brunswick & Southeast GA	912-265-1504	donheins@msn.com	Coastal GA Squares Brunswick, GA
Hinkle, Cis	squares; contra	Metro Atlanta	404-377-7755	cis.hinkle52@gmail.com	Hotlanta Squares Atlanta, GA
Hirschler, Sandra	rounds;		770-265-5001	sandrah@bellsouth.net	Silver Stars, Lawrenceville, GA
Holzhausen, Steve	squares;	Loganville & East Metro Atlanta	678-625-1161	sholzhausen@gmail.com	Jug Tavern Squares Winder, GA
Jones, Bill	squares;	Milledgeville, GA			Oconee River Buskers Milledgeville, GA
Kennedy, Linda	lines;	Dawsonville & North GA	706-525-1829	adbowen@windstream.net	Gold Country Squares Dahlonega, GA



7:45 PM  
05/07/24

**Georgia State Square Dancers Association, Inc.  
Dance Leader Members of GSSDA**

Dance Leader	Services Provided	Area Served	Phone	May 7, 2024 Email	Home Club
McClain, Debbie Gibson	lines; rounds;	Lakemont & Northeast GA	864-247-0073	Mike@dancestuffetc.com	Lakeshore Squares Gainesville, GA
Morrison, Bob	squares;	Winder & Northeast GA	678-425-1896	boldmorrison@windstream.net	Lakeshore Squares Gainesville, GA
Norris, John	squares;	Rome & Northwest GA	706-323-2974	jencnrl@yahoo.com	Paulding Pioneers Dallas, GA
Petrea, Charlie	squares; birthdays; weddings;	Metro Atlanta & North GA	678-481-8852	cwpetreastr@gmail.com	Cherokee Promenaders Calhoun, GA
Ramsey, Randy	squares;	Suwanee & North East Metro Atlanta	678-765-8297	2rcaller@sprynet.com	Lakeshore Squares Gainesville, GA
Roberts, Lois	rounds;	Rome & Northwest GA	706-766-1511	lois59@gmail.com	Western Promenaders Rome, GA
Rowan, Sam	squares;	Bluffton, SC & Metro Savannah	843-705-6745	samrowan01@yahoo.com	Sun City Squares Bluffton, SC
Simpson, Ricky	squares;	Easton/Ellee	706-779-2721	rsimpson067_ws@gmail.com	Gold Country Squares Dahlonega, GA
Smith, Richard	squares;	Gainesville & Northwest GA	770-844-9853	richasm1@aol.com	Happy Squares Athens, GA
Trapp, Melba	lines;	Rome & Northwest GA	706-766-4418	melbatrapp@yahoo.com	Western Promenaders Rome, GA
Weeks, Danny	squares;	Jasper & North Metro Atlanta	678-215-7090	weeksdanny66@gmail.com	Woodstock Squares Woodstock, GA
Wood, Tom	squares;	Macon & Middle GA	478-718-0308	woodt1@att.net	Western Squares Macon, GA

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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 – 9:30 pm

**Caller:** Federation Callers and Cuers

**Cuer:** Federation Cuers

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

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

## METRO ATLANTA SQUARE DANCERS ASSOCIATION (MASDA), MARIETTA, GA

**Location:** Mountain View Community Center  
3400 Sandy Plains Road, Marietta, GA  
**Dance Nights:** Various Sundays  
**Dance Times:** 2:00 – 2:45 pm – Advanced Squares or Early Rounds  
3:00 – 5:00 pm – Alternating Mainstream / Plus / Rounds

**Caller:** Various Callers  
**Cuer:** Various Cuers  
**Information:** Bill Jarrett 770-354-5968  
**Email:** See MASDA website  
**Website:** [www.MASDA.net](http://www.MASDA.net)  
**Facebook:** MASDA

September 22<sup>nd</sup> Dan Campbell & Danny Weeks with Sandra Hirschler

November 10<sup>th</sup> Pam Courts with Melba Trapp

2025 More fun dances to be announced

**Special MASDA National Caller Dance**  
**Starring the *SENSATIONAL PAM COURTS***  
**\*\*\*\*Sunday, November 10\*\*\*\***



*Cincinnati's multi-talented Pam Courts has been one of America's most popular square dance callers since 1990.*

**2 – 2:45 p.m. – Advanced**  
**3 – 5 p.m. – Mainstream, Plus, and Lines**  
**Admission: Free for MASDA members; \$10 for visitors**



And leading lines ...  
the **MAGNIFICENT MELBA TRAPP**  
from Bartow Dixie Grands

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

## NORTHEAST GEORGIA FEDERATION (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:** Debbie Bradberry

**Email:** [debbiebrad@hotmail.com](mailto:debbiebrad@hotmail.com)

**2024 Officers:**

President: Debbie Bradberry, [debbiebrad@hotmail.com](mailto:debbiebrad@hotmail.com)

Vice President: Kathy Larson, [kathylyndall@gmail.com](mailto:kathylyndall@gmail.com)

Secretary: Angie McClure, [L-Amcclure@charter.net](mailto:L-Amcclure@charter.net)

Treasurer: Connie Keener, [ckeener@thesoftwaresource.com](mailto:ckeener@thesoftwaresource.com)

October 31<sup>st</sup> – Georgia State Trail End Dance. Costumes welcome.

A promotional poster for the Georgia State Convention Trail End Dance. The background is a dark wood plank texture with large, stylized orange and yellow autumn leaves scattered around. At the top, a yellow rectangular box contains the event title in bold black text. Below this, two portrait photos are shown side-by-side: a man in a blue shirt and a couple in a red shirt. Their names are printed below the photos. The date 'October 31st' is written in a large, yellow, cursive font. Below the date, the admission price, time, and a request to bring finger foods are listed in yellow text. The hosts are listed as 'All NEGF Clubs'. The location is provided in the bottom right corner. A small orange box at the bottom left encourages costumes.

**Georgia State Convention  
Trail End Dance Hosted By  
Northeast Georgia Federation (NEGF)**

**Travis Cook**

**Randy & Debbie  
Bradberry**

*October 31<sup>st</sup>*  
**ADMISSION \$10.00**  
**7:00 – 9:30 pm**  
**Please bring finger foods for table**  
**Hosts: All NEGF Clubs**

Lakeshore Square Dance Location:  
First Presbyterian Church – in gym  
800 South Enota Drive  
Gainesville, GA

Costumes optional . . . but encouraged





In 2024 Georgia has graduated and welcomed **many** new dancers to square dancing.

Please bring your new dancers to the Georgia State Convention. 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 look forward to dancing with you soon!

## SQUARE DANCE CLASSES

**Are planning an upcoming class? Please submit your class information [President@gssda.org](mailto:President@gssda.org) and we will post to the GSSDA website.**



### Is your Club offering a Mainstream Class?

We would like to attend your next Mainstream Class Graduation and present the new dancers with the GSSDA Handbook and information about the GSSDA dances. A *Georgia State Square Dancers Association (GSSDA)* Board Member will attend the graduation ceremony to present each graduate with a **FREE Georgia State Convention**

**Pass to the Annual Georgia State Convention.** We want to encourage your new members to [join you](#) at the State Convention in November. GSSDA implemented the “**GSSDA Graduation Program**” in 2020 and has attended many Class Graduations across the state.

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.

Please provide information on your upcoming Class Graduation ceremony to include the number and name of students graduating, date, time, and location. Please email information to [president@gssda.org](mailto:president@gssda.org)

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

*Please complete the following Graduation Form and email to [President@gssda.org](mailto:President@gssda.org)*

**GSSDA**  
**Class Graduation Report**

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Class Level: \_\_\_\_\_ Instructor: \_\_\_\_\_ Graduation Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Graduation Time: \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Line #	NAME (last, first)	Email	phone	Zip Code of residence	GSSDA Office Use
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Signature of Instructor or Club President: \_\_\_\_\_



## *Let's Dance – Plan to Visit Another Club*

### **Sunday**

- Classic City Squares - Unitarian Universalist Fellowship, 780 Timothy Road, Athens, GA 30606

### **Monday**

- Bartow Dixie Grands - Bartow County Senior Center, 33 Beavers Drive, Cartersville
- Hotlanta Squares - Peachtree Baptist Church, Fellowship Hall, 2108 Briarcliff Road, Atlanta, GA

### **Tuesday**

- Paulding Pioneers Squares, Paulding Senior Center, 54 Industrial Way N, Dallas GA 30132
- Sun City Squares - Pinckney Hall on Del Webb Blvd., Sun City Hilton Head Hwy 278, Bluffton, SC

### **Thursday**

- Cherokee Promenaders - Calhoun Recreation Department, 601 S. River St., Calhoun, GA
- Coastal Georgia Squares - Christian Life Center in the back of College Place United Methodist Church, 3890 Altama Ave., Brunswick, GA
- Western Square Dancers - Howard Community Club, 5645 Forsyth Road, Macon, GA

### **Friday**

- Dance'N Squares, West Cobb Senior Center, 4915 Dallas Hwy, Powder Springs, GA

- Gold Country Squares - Lumpkin County Senior Center, 266 Mechanicsville Rd, Dahlonega, GA
- High Mountain Squares - Robert C. Carpenter Community Building, Highway 441, Franklin, NC
- Jug Tavern Squares – YMCA, 50 Brad Akins Dr. Winder, GA
- Kennesaw Square Dealers - Ben Robertson Community Center, 2753 Watts Drive, Kennesaw GA
- Lads & Lassies - North Henry Baptist Church, 1093 Flat Rock Road, Stockbridge, GA
- Magnolia Squares - Roddenberry Memorial Library, 320 North Broad Street, Cairo, GA (Note New Location)
- Swingin' Harts Square Dance Club - Hart County Recreation Center, 200 Clay Street, Hartwell, GA
- Woodstock Squares - Woodstock Senior Center, 223 Arnold Mill Rd, Woodstock GA 30188
- Wrecktangles Squares - East Ridge Methodist Church, 1601 Prater Rd., East Ridge, TN 37412

### **Saturday**

- Danc'n Singles Square Dance Club - Living Stone Church, 545 Lorene Drive SW, Marietta, GA 30060
- Lakeshore Squares - First Presbyterian Church, 800 South Enota Drive, Gainesville, GA (in gym)
- Silver Stars - Bethesda Park Senior Center, 225 Bethesda Church Road SW, Lawrenceville, GA (next to Ronald Reagan Pkwy)
- Western Promenaders - Western Promenaders Barn, 327 Woods Road, Rome, GA



# CLUB NEWS

*Please check with clubs before attending dances.*

**Visitors help small clubs continue . . . plan your club visitation today!**

**Non-GSSDA Members:**

- Fountain City Twirlers, Columbus, GA
- Masters City Squares, August GA
- Oconee River Buskers, Milledgeville GA
- Pleasant Grove Promenaders, Dalton GA
- Richmond Reelers, Augusta GA
- Star Promenaders, Augusta GA
- Wheel Arounds of Marietta, Marrietta GA
- Windy Hill Squares, Smyrna GA



## BARTOW DIXIE GRANDS CARTERSVILLE, GA

**Location:** Bartow County Senior Center  
33 Beavers Drive, Cartersville

**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Monday

**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm

**Dance Level:** 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

October 7<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance – Guest Caller: Charlie Petrea.  
Admission: \$7.00

October 21<sup>st</sup> Regular Dance, Caller: Clyde Couch

November 4<sup>th</sup> DARK – Facility closed for election

November 18<sup>th</sup> Thanksgiving Dance. Caller: Clyde Couch. Special  
Thanksgiving Feast

December 2<sup>nd</sup> Regular Dance, Caller: Clyde Couch

December 16<sup>th</sup> Christmas Dance, Caller: Clyde Couch

December 30<sup>th</sup> New Year's Party, Caller: Clyde Couch

**BARTOW DIXIE GRANDS**

presents

**“Fall Colors”**

**Square Dance!**

*Bring your fall treats for the food table  
and dress for the cooler weather (if you dare)!*

**Monday, September 30, 2024**

**7 – 9 pm**

*Visiting Dancer admission: \$7*

**Bartow Center at Hamilton Crossing**

**33 Beavers Drive**

**Cartersville, GA 30121**

**Caller: Clyde Couch      Lines: Melba Trapp**

**Fun, Fitness, Fellowship & Food**

Square dance attire requested, but not required.



## 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

**Dance Level:** Dancing Mainstream/Plus

**Dance Class:** 6:00 – 7:00 pm

**Caller:** Charlie Petrea (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>)

**Caller:** Dan Campbell (2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>)

**Caller:** Guest Caller (5<sup>th</sup>)

**Lines:** Brenda Gettman (1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>)/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

**Admission:** \$6.00

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

October 3<sup>rd</sup> “Planes, Trains, and Automobiles Dance”

October 31<sup>st</sup> “Spooktacular Dance”

**November 9<sup>th</sup> (Saturday) “56<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance, Caller-Justin Russell**

November 28<sup>th</sup> **NO DANCE (Thanksgiving)**

December 19<sup>th</sup> “Joy to the World Dance”

December 26<sup>th</sup> **NO DANCE (Christmas)**



## CLASSIC CITY SQUARES ATHENS, GA

**Location:** Unitarian Universalist Fellowship  
780 Timothy Road, Athens, GA 30606

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

**Dance Times:** 3:30 - 5:30 pm

**Dance Level:** Mainstream/Plus

**Caller:** Bob Morrison

**Cuer:** Bob Morrison, when round dancers are present

**Information:** Kathy Larson, 317-855-0009

**Email:** kathylyndall@gmail.com

**Facebook:** <https://www.facebook.com/groups/classiccitysquares>

October 13  
October 27  
November 10

November 24  
December 8

December 22

Club Dance

**Hallowe'en Dance** costumes or Hallowe'en colors

**SPECIAL Thanksgiving Harvest Dance** Betsy Chamberlain calling-\$6 admission per dancer  
Soup Supper served, collecting canned goods and monetary donations for the Food Bank of Northeast Georgia

Club Dance

**Ugly Sweater Dance** Collecting new and gently used clothing for Sparrow's Nest (men) and Project Safe (women & children)  
No dance--Happy Holidays!



## 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

**Dance Level:** 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)

We dance every Thursday night other than holidays or special church events at College Place Methodist Church, 3890 Altama Ave., Brunswick, GA at 7:00 PM. Our group is small but very welcoming to visiting dancers.



## **DANCE'N SQUARES POWDER SPRINGS GA**

**Location:** West Cobb Senior Center, 4915 Dallas Hwy, Powder Springs, GA 30127  
**Dance Nights:** Friday, every  
**Dance Times:** 12:00 pm - 2:00 pm  
**Dance Level:** Mainstream, Plus, Lines  
**Caller:** Frank Anderson  
**Lines:** Margaret Pensado  
**Cost:** \$5.00  
**Information:** Peggy Hines, 770-714-4935, West Cobb Senior Center 770-528-8200  
**Email:** dolphinlady@bellsouth.net

MEMBERSHIP REQUIRED TO DANCE AT WEST COBB SENIOR CENTER. Membership is free for Cobb residents. Non-resident fee is \$90 yearly. (Participants must be 55+)

November 15 – Guest Caller: Danny Weeks

November 22 – Guest Caller: Danny Weeks

**Mainstream Lessons for 2025 will be announced later.**

**OUR DANCING TIME WILL CHANGE BEGINNING OCTOBER 4TH. WE WILL DANCE FROM 12:00 PM. TO 2:00 PM EVERY FRIDAY.**

## **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  
7:00 – 7:30 PM – Plus Workshop  
**Dance Level:** Mainstream/Plus alternating with Rounds  
**Caller:** Charlie Petrea  
**Cuer:** Aneesa Barge  
**Information:** Pat Inglis – 404-932-5512  
**Email:** pinglis@agnesscott.edu

October 12      Columbus Day Dance  
November 9      Salute to Our Veterans  
December      ***Our Club is not dancing in December***

## **FRIDAY NITE LIVE EAST RIDGE TN**

**Location:** East Ridge Methodist Church, 1601 Prater Rd, East Ridge, TN 37412  
**Dance Nights:** Fridays 2<sup>nd</sup> / 4<sup>th</sup>  
Workshops: 6:30 – 7:30 pm A-1 & A-2  
**Dance Times:** 7:30 – 8:30 pm  
**Dance Level:** Advance  
**Caller:** Alan Hall  
**Information:** Patti 985-789-0611 / Marcy Hall, 423-316-9038  
**Email:** marcyhall00@gmail.com  
**Facebook:** Wrecktangles & Friday Nite Live

## **GOLD COUNTRY DAHLONEGA, GA**

**Location:** Lumpkin County Senior Center  
266 Mechanicsville Rd, Dahlonega, GA

**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays

**Dance Times:** 6:30 until 7:00 pm – Plus Lessons  
7:00 – 9:00 pm

**Dance Level:** Mainstream/Plus

**Caller:** Danny Weeks

**Lines:** Linda Kennedy

**Information:** Brenda Wood, 678-230-5952  
Nici Angell 706-867-6050

**Email:** brendaww260@gmail.com / 1welkin@windstream.net

**Facebook:** Gold Country Squares

**Website:** <https://goldcountrysquares/weebly.com>

October 4 Celebrating Fall - **Graduation of Mainstream Class**

October 18 Gold Rush Days

October 25 Haunted Dahlonega Walking Tour by Nici Angell  
Downtown Dahlonega, GA  
Tickets available at all prior dances Adults: \$10.00  
Ages 8 – 18 \$5.00, under 8 free

**November 2 DARK – Georgia State Convention**

November 15 Honoring our Veterans

December 6 Annual Fill-A-Tin - come fill a tin with homemade  
goodies for the holidays - \$10

December 20 Christmas Dance

**Upcoming Class Graduation: October 4th**



### **GOLD COUNTRY SQUARES**

**Friday, October 4th**

Mainstream & Plus 7pm – 9 pm  
Art in the Park rehearsal 6:30 – 6:50

Help us welcome Autumn  
with it's beautiful colors



**And celebrate our  
graduating class  
of Autumn 2024.**

**266 Mechanicsville Road  
Dahlonega, GA**

Caller: Danny Weeks  
Lines by: Linda Kennedy



## 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> Fridays

**Dance Times:** 6:15 – 6:45 Workshop  
6:45 – 8:30 Dance

**Dance Level:** Mainstream / Plus

**Caller:** Guest Callers

**Cuer:** Michael McDonald

**Line Instructor:** Debbie McClain

**Information:** Betty Fisher 828-787-2324, Bob Walker 828-332-0001

**E-Mail:** bettyfisher351@gmail.com

**Facebook:** High Mountain Squares (lmason5@windstream.net)

October 4      Wear Your Pink, Mike Cox

October 18     Ugly Sweater Night, Richard Smith

November 1     DARK

November 15    Gratitude Gala, Randy Ramsey

November 29    DARK

December 6     Toys for Tots, Keith Lester

December 20    Christmas Dance, Richard Smith

## HOTLANTA SQUARES ATLANTA, GA

**Location:** Peachtree Baptist Church  
Fellowship Hall, 2108 Briarcliff Road, Atlanta, GA

**Dance Nights:** Mondays

**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 8:30 pm – SSD/Mainstream Class  
8:30 – 9:30 pm – Plus Class

**Dance Level:** SSD, Mainstream, Plus, Advance

**Caller:** Cis Hinkle, Instructor

**Dance Nights:** Tuesdays

**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 8:15 pm – Advanced Class  
8:15 – 9:30 pm – C1 Class

**Caller:** Cis Hinkle, Instructor

**Information:** George Lloyd, Secretary  
Chris Johnson 678-772-9678

**Email:** Hotlanta.Squares@gmail.com

**Facebook:** Hotlanta squares (both public and private groups)

## JUG TAVERN SQUARES WINDER, GA

**Location:** YMCA  
50 Brad Akins Dr. Winder, GA  
**Dance Nights:** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 8:45 pm  
**Dance Level:** Mainstream/Plus /Lines  
**Caller:** Steve Holzhausen  
**Lines:** Teresa McLocklin  
**Information:** Presidents: Sue & Leon Urban 404-580-0321 / 404-277-3120  
**Email:** [sueurban770@gmail.com](mailto:sueurban770@gmail.com)  
**Website:** [www.jugtavernsquares.org](http://www.jugtavernsquares.org)  
**Facebook:** Jug Tavern Squares

October 11<sup>th</sup> Regular Dance  
October 25<sup>th</sup> Boots, Hats, and Bandanas Dance  
November 8<sup>th</sup> Veterans Day Dance  
November 22<sup>nd</sup> Regular Dance  
December 13<sup>th</sup> Christmas Toys for Kids Dance. Please bring an unwrapped toy or \$10 donation. All donations going to the Winder Fire Department Toys For Kids at Christmas Program  
December 27<sup>th</sup> No Dance, Happy Holidays from JTS



## 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> Friday

**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm

**Dance Level:** Mainstream/Plus alternating with Rounds

**Caller:** Shawn Butler

**Cuer:** Aneesa Barge

**Information:** Bill & Julie Jarrett at 770-354-5968

**Email:** officers@squaredealers.com

**Facebook:** Kennesaw Square Dealers

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

October 4<sup>th</sup> Fall Festival Dance

**Rest of 2024** Hall unavailable due to election and other activities. If another location becomes available, it will be posted on MASDA.net website

January 2025 See you then!



# Kennesaw Square Dealers



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



Mainstream Classes Thursdays 7:00-9:00pm!  
Angels Welcome, especially gentlemen!

Friday, Oct 4th:  
Fall Festival Dance



Fall Festival Happy Fall y'all!

Friday, Oct 18th:  
Dance Cancelled

Ben Robertson Community Center will be filled with election equipment.  
**Please vote!**



KSD November 2024 Preview

Friday, Nov 1st: Dance Cancelled. Did you vote?

Friday, Nov 15th: Hall unavailable – dance cancelled.

Thursday, Nov 28th: *Thanksgiving*



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](https://www.facebook.com/KSDclub)

Square dance attire optional

Presidents Bill & Julie Jarrett 770-354-5968



## **LADS N LASSIES STOCKBRIDGE, GA**

**Location:** North Henry Baptist Church  
1093 Flat Rock Road, Stockbridge, GA

**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays

**Workshop:** 6:30 pm

**Dance Times:** 7:00 pm – 9:00 pm

**Dance Level:** Mainstream/Plus alternating with Rounds

**Caller:** Betsy Chamberlain, Steve Holzhausen, Tom Wood

**Cuer:** Carlene Bohannon

**Information:** Steve & Marsha Cash, 770-351-7755, [mcash2188@gmail.com](mailto:mcash2188@gmail.com)

October 19 Halloween Dance

November 16 Thanksgiving

December 7 Christmas

## LAKESHORE SQUARES GAINESVILLE, GA

**Location:** First Presbyterian Church  
800 South Enota Drive, Gainesville, GA (in gym)  
**Dance Nights:** 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm, 6:30 pm Workshop  
**Dance Level:** Mainstream / Plus with Lines  
**Caller:** Randy Ramsey  
**Line Instructor:** Debbie McClain and Mike McDonald  
**Information:** Louis & Angie McClure, Presidents 678-956-0287  
**Email:** [L-Amcclure@charter.net](mailto:L-Amcclure@charter.net)  
**Website:** [www.lakeshoresquares.com](http://www.lakeshoresquares.com)  
**Facebook:** Lakeshore Squares

October 5<sup>th</sup> A Night on Broadway – Guest Caller: Jim Duncan  
October 19<sup>th</sup> Costume Party  
November 2<sup>nd</sup> Dark – See you at the Georgia State Convention  
November 16<sup>th</sup> National Philanthropy Day – Coats & socks Drive  
for Veterans  
December 7<sup>th</sup> National Time Travelers Day (Dancing Thru The  
Ages). Charity Christmas Fund Collection  
December 21<sup>st</sup> Rock Around The Christmas Tree, Lines: Randy &  
Debbie Bradberry

**Upcoming Class Graduation: Monday, October 7, 2024**

**Plus begins Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup> - \$5.00 per week. You must have a partner**

### Plus Dance Class

Monday, 6:30 – 8:20 pm

October 14<sup>th</sup> - December 30<sup>th</sup> (12 weeks)

**\$5.00 per class or donation to Club**

**Note: you must have a partner for Plus Class, no angels.**

Lakeshore Squares  
First Presbyterian Church  
800 South Enota Drive, In Gym  
Gainesville GA

## **PAULDING PIONEERS SQUARES DALLAS GA**

**Location:** Paulding Senior Center, 54 Industrial Way N, Dallas GA 30132  
**Dance Night:** 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays  
**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm  
**Dance Level:** Mainstream/Plus  
**Caller:** John Norris  
**Line Instructor:** Melba Trapp  
**Information:** Pam & Don VonMinden, 214-729-2110  
**Email:** [yellrose1@verizon.net](mailto:yellrose1@verizon.net)  
**Facebook:** Paulding Pioneers Group

## **PEACH COUNTRY PROMENADERS PERRY GA**

**Location:** 1060 Keith Dr., Perry GA 31069  
**Dance Nights:** Tuesday, every  
**Dance Times:** 6:15 - 9:00 pm  
**Dance Level:** Mainstream, Plus, Lines  
**Caller:** Betsy Chamberlain  
**Information:** Jim & Cathy Meeker, 941-720-6194  
**Email:** catjim3@aol.com



## SILVER STARS LAWRENCEVILLE, GA

**Location:** Bethesda Park Senior Center  
225 Bethesda Church Road SW, Lawrenceville, GA (next to Ronald Reagan Pkwy)

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

**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 pm

**Dance Level:** 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 & Gunter Hirschler

**Information:** Randy or Debbie Bradberry 770-466-8372 or Jon Martin 770-736-0810

**Email:** randy.debbie@silverstarssquaredance.com

**Facebook:** Silver Stars Square Dance Club

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



<b>October 12</b>	<b>Our Famous Luau w/BBQ</b>	<b>w/Lines</b>
	<b>Guest Caller Shawn Butler</b>	
October 26	Halloween	w/Rounds
November 9	Veteran Appreciation	w/Lines
November 23	46 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary	w/Rounds
December 14	Candy Cane	w/Lines
<b>December 28</b>	<b>NO DANCE – Happy Holidays</b>	

## 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 – 8:00 pm - Dancing Mainstream  
8:00 – 9:00 pm - Dancing Plus  
Request Rounds & Lines

**Dance Level:** Mainstream, Plus, Rounds, Lines

**Caller:** Sam Rowan

**Information:** John Rhyon [JR4803@gmail.com](mailto:JR4803@gmail.com) 846-705-3214  
Susan Joy Rowan 843-705-6745 (leave message)

**Note:** 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:** Workshop 7:00 pm – 7:30 pm; Dance 7:30 – 9:30 pm -

**Dance Level:** Mainstream/Plus with Rounds

**Admission:** \$5.00

**Caller:** Bob Morrison

**Information:** Kathleen Neal, President – text - 706-255-7929

**Email:** [kdeeganneal@yahoo.com](mailto:kdeeganneal@yahoo.com)

**Facebook:** We regularly post to "Square Dance North Georgia" and "GSSDA".

## 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> Saturdays

**Dance Times:** 7:30-9:30 pm

**Dance Level:** Mainstream/Plus alternating with 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 706 409-2311 Melba Trapp 706-766-4418

**Facebook:** Western Promenaders

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

### Oct. 5 Closed-1st Saturday

Oct. 12 The PINK Dance Caller: Clyde Couch, Lines: Lois Roberts

Oct. 19 Oktoberfest Caller: Ronnie Langley, Lines: Lois Roberts

Oct. 26 5th Annual Bob Sloman Memorial Special Time: 7:30-10:00 – Dangle Dance,  
Callers: Clyde Couch/ John Norris, Lois Roberts

### Nov. 2 Closed, 1st Saturday- GSSDA Dance in Gainesville

Nov. 9 Pumpkin & Spice Caller: Clyde Couch, Lines: Lois Roberts

Nov. 16 Come Dance with Friends Caller: Ronnie Langley, Lois Roberts

Nov. 23 Count Your Blessings (Thanksgiving), Caller: Clyde Couch, Lines Lois Roberts

Nov. 30 Yellow Rock Dance Caller: Clyde Couch, Lines Lois Roberts – Dangle Dance

Dec. 7 Closed-1st Saturday

Dec. 14 Remembering Pearl Harbor Caller: Clyde Couch, Lois Roberts

Dec. 21 A Savior Is Born Caller Ronnie Langley, Lines: Lois Roberts

Dec. 28 Dancing 2024 Out The Door, Caller: Robert Ferguson, Rounds Cuer and Lines:  
Diane Martin-Hamilton

**5th Annual Memorial  
Bob Sloman  
OCTOBER 26, 2024**

**CALLERS**  
Clyde Couch & John Norris

**Leading Lines**  
Lois Roberts

**Admission:** \$4.00/Pair  
Non-Dance: \$6.00/Pair  
Dance Time: 7:30-10:00 PM  
Bob's Friends Fund: 50/50

Western Promenaders 327 Woods Road Rome, Ga.  
email: dick.lemelin32867@yahoo.com melinda.gibson@yahoo.com

**"Dance 2024 Out the Door"**  
Western Promenaders' Last Dance of the Year!  
**December 28, 2024**

**Guest Caller Robert Ferguson**  
His square dance career began in Indiana and Michigan where he moved to Texas and currently calls out of Sevierville, Tennessee. We met Robert when he and his wife stopped by our club while visiting friends in Rome. We knew immediately we wanted him to call our "last dance of '24"!  
Join us December 28th - you'll be glad you did!

**Guest Cues**  
Diane Martin-Hamilton  
Diane from Gainesville, AL will introduce our both Rounds and Lines.

**WESTERN PROMENADERS**  
327 Woods Road, Rome, Ga. 30165  
email: dick.lemelin32867@yahoo.com melinda.gibson@yahoo.com

## 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:** Plus Workshop 6:30 – 7:00; Dance 7:00 - 9:00 pm

**Dance Levels:** 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)



## WOODSTOCK SQUARES WOODSTOCK GA

**Location:** Woodstock Senior Center, 223 Arnold Mill Rd, Woodstock GA 30188

**Dance Nights:** 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays

**Dance Times:** 7:00 – 9:00 PM

**Dance Levels:** Mainstream & Plus

**Caller:** Danny Weeks

**Cuer:** N/A

**Information:** Randal Talton 678-471-2690

Ann Talton 770-856-0021

**Email:** randal@wa5gel.net, annrcollins@bellsouth.net

**Facebook:** Woodstock Squares

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

September 13 <sup>th</sup>	Friday the 13 <sup>th</sup> Dance
September 27 <sup>th</sup>	First of Fall Dance
October 11 <sup>th</sup>	Saints & Servants Dance Friday
October 25 <sup>th</sup>	Ghost & Ghouls Dance, Friday
November 8 <sup>th</sup>	Football Fans Dance
November 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Cake Dance
December 13 <sup>th</sup>	Christmas Party
December 27 <sup>th</sup>	Merry Christmas – no dance tonight

### Upcoming Classes/Graduation:

\* Break for Holidays



The poster for Woodstock Squares features a central illustration of a multi-layered cake decorated with autumnal fruits like apples, grapes, and oranges. The text "Woodstock Squares" is written in a large, brown, cursive font at the top, with a small cartoon cow in the upper right corner. Below this, "Cake Dance" is written in a bold, brown, serif font. The date "Friday, November 22nd" and the time "Dance 7-9" are prominently displayed in the center. The caller's name, "Caller - Danny Weeks", is written below the time. At the bottom, it says "Featuring Cake Walk and Cake Auction". The location "Woodstock Senior Center, 223 Arnold Mill Road, Woodstock, GA 30188" and the admission fee "\$7 admission" are listed at the bottom center. The website "www.woodstocksquares.com" is at the bottom left, and the email "info@woodstocksquares.com" is at the bottom right. There are also illustrations of other cakes on the sides.

Woodstock Squares

Cake Dance

Friday, November 22nd

Dance 7-9

Caller - Danny Weeks

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## WRECKTANGLES EAST RIDGE, TN

**Location:** East Ridge Methodist Church  
1601 Prater Rd., East Ridge, TN 37412

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

**Dance Times:** 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm

**Dance Level:** Mainstream/Plus alternating with Rounds

**Caller:** Alan Hall

**Cuer:** Connie Goodman

**Information:** Kimberly Holden

**Email:** [kimberlyniven18@gmail.com](mailto:kimberlyniven18@gmail.com)

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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: \_\_\_\_\_

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# 2025 SAVE THE DATES

- **January 25, 2025 - Winter Dance, Stockbridge Ga**
- **June 6, 2025 - Spring Sashay, Rome Ga**
- **November 6 – 7, 2025 - Georgia State Convention, Gainesville Ga**