

Metro Atlanta Square Dance Association

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# FOOTNOTES

September 2024

# SEPTEMBER

IS



# NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE MONTH



## President's Note

If you like hot weather and have been around Atlanta for the last few weeks, you have enjoyed yourself. Most of us are probably wishing some cooler temperatures would come to visit for a few days.

We had a great turnout for Tony Oxendine at our last MASDA dance! Thanks to all the dancers who were able to join in the fun. Our next dance with Pam Courts on November 10<sup>th</sup> promises to be great, too. If you've ever danced to Pam, you know it will be a dance you don't want to miss. She is a wonderful caller!

Several of the clubs are going to be starting Mainstream lessons in the next few months. Please support these clubs and help out in any way you can. Angels are usually needed at any club, especially men. I have been talking with several women to see if they would like to learn the man's part at our lessons at KSD, which may allow some of our single women more opportunity to dance.

Callerlab is considering a recommendation that the different call levels we have now be combined into just two divisions, Mainstream, with 50 calls, and Plus with about 60 calls. Mainstream, as we know it now, would lose a few calls and could be taught in 14 weeks. Plus would pick up calls from Mainstream and maybe some from Advance. By teaching MS in 14 weeks, a club could have three Mainstream sessions each year. SSD, Social Square Dancing, may have changes as well. One caller said it would still exist as it is, another said it would be dropped from the program. We'll learn more at the next Callerlab Convention.

Are we as clubs willing to support the Callerlab proposal or are we going to continue as we are now? Be sure you discuss this proposal with your caller, so he or she will know your club's voting preference.

See you in a square soon!  
Bill and Julie

9	September					
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30					

UPCOMING MASDA DANCES	
All Dances are Sunday 2:00-5:00pm	
Sept 22nd	Danny Weeks & Dan Campbell
Nov 10th	Pam Courts
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 at <a href="mailto:kjmann1@att.net">kjmann1@att.net</a> .	

10	October					
S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

# ***MASDA's Dan-dy Dance***

**\*\*\*Sunday, September 22\*\*\***

## ***DAN CAMPBELL & DANNY WEEKS***



**Cherokee Promenaders**



**Woodstock Squares and  
Gold Country Squares**

**2 – 2:45 p.m. – Early Rounds**

**3 – 5 p.m. – Mainstream, Plus, and Rounds**

**Admission: Free for MASDA members; \$7 for visitors**



**And on rounds ...**

***SANDRA HIRSCHLER***

**from Silver Stars**

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



# July MASDA Dance



**Thanks,  
Julie!**



# Kennesaw Square Dealers & Woodstock Squares

## Callers' Favorites Dance

Friday, Aug 30th

Dance 7-9

Callers - Shawn Butler &  
Danny Weeks

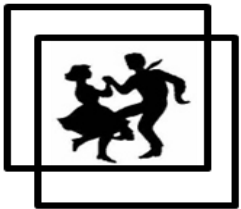
Ben Robertson Community Center  
2753 Watts Dr  
Kennesaw GA 30144  
\$7 admission

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

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

WS Cake Dance  
rescheduled

## DANC'N SINGLES



September 14, Saturday  
**After Labor Day Dance**  
**Guest Caller**  
**Steve Holzhausen**  
**Casual Attire Permitted**



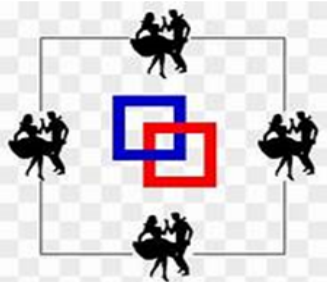
October 12, Saturday  
**Columbus Day Dance**  
**Caller - Charlie Petrea**  
**Casual Attire Permitted**

**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: **Guest Caller**  
Cuer: **Aneesa Barge**

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

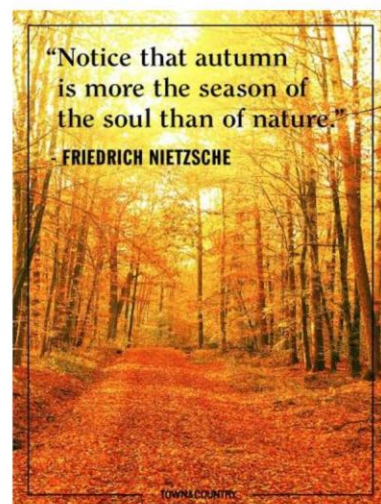




# WHEEL AROUNDS

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

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



*Dan Mitchell, Caller*



*Aneesa Barge, Cuer*

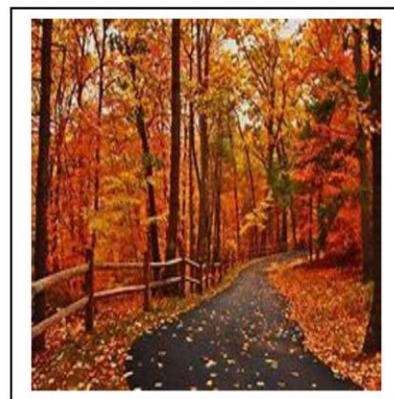


**September 7<sup>th</sup> Regular Dance**

**September 21<sup>ST</sup> Fall Dance**

***Sneak Peek....***

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



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

**Guy Lee - 770-693-1336**

**Pat Goldston- 770-565-2203**





# Woodstock Squares

## Friday the 13<sup>th</sup> Dance

Friday, September 13th

Dance 7-9

Caller – Danny Weeks



## First of Fall Dance

Friday, September 27th

Dance 7-9

Caller – Danny Weeks

Woodstock Senior Center  
223 Arnold Mill Road  
Woodstock, GA 30188  
\$7 admission

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

[info@woodstocksquares.com](mailto:info@woodstocksquares.com)



# ♠ Kennesaw Square Dealers ♦



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



**UPDATE: Friday, August 30th: COMBO DANCE**  
**With Woodstock Squares at KSD Ben Robertson Hall!**

Thursday, Sept 5th: **Class Open House 7:00-9:00pm!**

Bring your friends to learn our favorite hobby!

Thursday, Sept 12th: **Mainstream Class 7:00-9:00pm!**

Friday, Sept 6th:  
**Labor Day Dance**



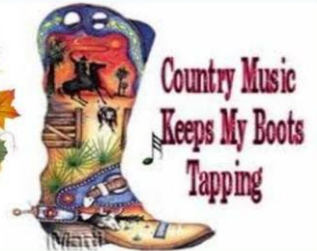
Friday, Sept 20th:  
**Kaleidoscope Dance**



**KSD October 2024 Preview**

**Friday, Oct 4th: Fall Festival Dance**

**Friday, Oct 18th: Country Hoedown**



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

Caller: Shawn Butler Cues: 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







Square Dancing 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays 7:00 – 9:00 PM  
*Mainstream w/Announced Plus - Lines – Rounds*

**Always check our Web Site for Dance Status before Visiting**

## September 14<sup>th</sup> – Thank a Police Officer

Caller: Troy Grooms  
 Lines: Randy Bradberry



## September 28<sup>th</sup> – Football Tailgate

Caller: Troy Grooms  
 Rounds: Sandra Hirschler



## October 12<sup>th</sup> – Luau w/Barbecue

Caller: Shawn Butler  
 Lines: Randy Bradberry



<b>Caller:</b>	<b>Lines:</b>	<b>Rounds:</b>	<b>Visitors: \$7 Per Person</b>
Troy Grooms	Randy & Debbie Bradberry	Sandra & Gunter Hirschler	

### Square Dance Lessons

<u>CLUB</u>	<u>LESSONS</u>	<u>CONTACT</u>	<u>PHONE</u>	<u>START</u>
Silver Stars	Beginner	Jon Martin	770-736-0810	Sept 9, 2024



Contacts: Randy and Debbie Bradberry  
 770 466-8372

**Bethesda Park Senior Center**  
 225 Bethesda Church Rd SW  
 Next to Ronald Reagan Pkwy  
 Lawrenceville, GA

[www.SilverStarsSquareDance.com](http://www.SilverStarsSquareDance.com)





# **SQUARE DANCING at West Cobb Senior Center**

## **Active Adults 55+**

### **DANCE 'N SQUARES**

**West Cobb Senior Center**

**4915 Dallas Hwy Powder Springs**

**770-528-8200**

**Every Friday 11:45am – 1:45pm**

**Caller:**

**Frank Anderson**

*Mainstream/Plus*



**Club President:**  
**Peggy Hines**

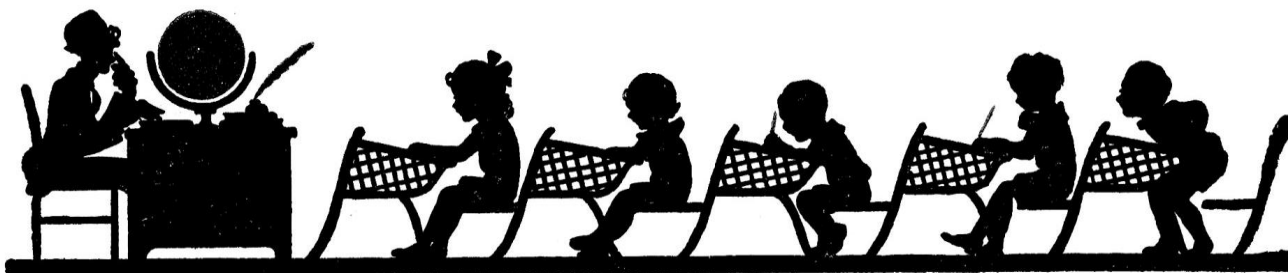
### **Eight Reasons Why You Should Join Us on Friday:**

- Square dancing is lots of fun
- Meet new friends
- Great exercise for body & mind
- Helps to keep your mind sharp
- We dance during daylight hours
- We often have refreshments
- We are a friendly club
- Pay only \$5 at the door

**Got Questions, Call Our President:**  
**Peggy Hines – 770-714-4035**







## BACK TO SCHOOL DANCE

Saturday, September 14 | 6:30 — 9:30 p.m.

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### Tom Davis, Caller

from Xenia, OH

*Live and in person*

Advanced & Challenge: 6:30-7:30

SSD & Plus: 7:30-9:30

**\$8 for members, \$10 for non-members**

**Peachtree Baptist Church**

**2108 Briarcliff Road NE, Atlanta**

**<https://hotlantasquares.org>**







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

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

**Early Registration - \$30.00**  
**At The Door - \$35.00**  
**Single Day Ribbons - \$20.00**

**Gainesville Civic Center**  
**830 Green Street NE**  
**Gainesville GA 30501**

**For More Information & To Order Ribbons**  
**Please visit our website [www.gssda.org](http://www.gssda.org)**  
**Email: [squaredancing7@gmail.com](mailto:squaredancing7@gmail.com)**

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





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

Received: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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



**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**



## More MASDA Pics



## MASDA MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL / CHANGE OF ADDRESS

MASDA Annual Membership is \$25.00 per person,  
which includes all MASDA dances January – December 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: \_\_\_\_\_

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

DANCE CLUB(S): \_\_\_\_\_

Mail this form and check payable to MASDA to:

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

**\$25 Per Person**





# 2024 MASDA OFFICERS

<b>PRESIDENT:</b>	<b>Bill &amp; Julie Jarrett</b> - 1129 Fairwood Close NW, Acworth, GA 30301 770-361-3711 (Bill); 770-354-5968 (Julie) - Kennesaw Square Dealers
<b>1ST VICE PRESIDENT:</b>	<b>Bob &amp; Marilyn Mintz</b> – 1297 Arden Drive, Marietta, GA 30008 770-428-8730 – Kennesaw Square Dealers
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## 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	770-351-7755	M/P	S 13
MASDA	770-361-3711	M/P/R	S 5
Matrix South	678-772-9047	A/C	Su E
Paulding Pioneers	214-729-2110	M/P	Tu 24
Silver Stars	678-682-8554	M/P/R	S 24
Western Promenaders	706-409-2311	M/P	S 234
Wheel Arounds	770-693-1336	M/P/R	S 13
Woodstock Squares	404-408-3180	M/P	F 24

## 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!