

Metro Atlanta Square Dance Association

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FOOTNOTES

March 2025

*Put Some Spring
In Your Dancing*



President's Note

Tom Miller & Pauline Angress are this Sunday and then Shawn Butler & Charlie Petrea lead us in March! Spring is all about MASDA dancing where your \$25 goes a long way. See you in a square soon!

Bill and Julie

**Make the world go away
Live Lively**

**It all starts in a square
With a circle of friends**

GET SQUARED AWAY

March						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
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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					

UPCOMING MASDA DANCES	
All Dances are Sunday 2:00-5:00pm	
Feb 23rd	Tom Miller & Pauline Angress
Mar 23rd	Charlie Petrea & Shawn Butler
May 18th	Alan Hall
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 kjmann1@att.net .	

April						
Su	Mo	Tu	We	Th	Fr	Sa
		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			

It's MASDA Miller Time with
International Caller and Recording Artist

TOM MILLER

*****Sunday, February 23, 2025*****



Since 1976, Pennsylvania's Tom Miller has been entertaining dancers around the world with his beautiful singing and creative choreography.

2 – 2:45 p.m. – Advanced

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

Admission: Free for MASDA members; \$10 for visitors

And on rounds from Alabama ...

PAULINE ANGRESS



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

MASDA MARCH MADNESS

with SHAWN BUTLER & CHARLIE PETREA

*****Sunday, March 23, 2025*****



They've channeled the Blues Brothers and dressed as donkeys. Come find out what high jinks they'll bring this time.

One thing's for certain: You'll be guaranteed an *entertaining* afternoon of dancing with some *fantastic* music.



2 - 2:45 p.m. – Early Rounds

3 - 5 p.m. – MS, Plus, and Rounds

**Admission: Free for MASDA members;
\$10 for visitors**

And on rounds ... the incredible ... the superb ... the cue-mazing ... the wonderful ... the astonishing ... the marvelous ... and fantabulous ...

MISS ANEESA BARGE

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

PAULDING PIONEERS

March 11

St. Patrick's Day Dance

**LEPRECHAUN'S
CAKE WALK**



March 25

Spring Equinox Dance

50/50 HONEY POT

Food table opens
after the first tip

6:30-7:30 PM--lessons

7:30-9:30 PM--dance

CALLER: JOHN NORRIS

LINES: MELBA TRAPP

The Events Place

855 Hiram Douglasville Hwy (Hwy 92)

Hiram, GA

pauldingpioneers@gmail.com

HOTLANTA SQUARES

FEBRUARY VALENTINES / MARDI GRAS DANCE



Join Hotlanta Squares as we welcome guest caller **Tom Miller** (calling MS – C1)

Saturday, February 22
7 – 9:30 PM
Mason Mill Rec Center
1340 McConnell Drive, Decatur

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



Welcome to Hotlanta Squares
POF 2020 | Atlanta's premier
gay and lesbian square dance
club
HotlantaSquares.org
POFIndex.html



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



Dinners to Be Auctioned

Sun March 16	St. Paddy's Day
Sun May 4	Italian Dinner
Sun June 8	Outdoor BBQ
Sun August 17	Pork Tenderloin
Sun Sept. 7	Chicken Rockefeller
Sun Oct. 5	Ribs on the Barbie

**All dinners include Happy Hour
Cocktails through Dessert**



Free

March 1st Dinner Auction Dance

Come dance for free and bid on one or more of our fabulous dinners.

March 15th St. Patrick's Day Dance

Sneak Peek....

April 5th Regular Dance



Roll with the Wheels @ www.wheelarounds.com

Guy Lee - 770-693-1336

Pat Goldston - 770-565-2203

Valentine Dances!



Paulding Pioneers



Woodstock Squares

**CAUTION
SQUARE DANCERS**



**ARE LIKELY TO BUST A MOVE AT
ANYTIME OR ANYWHERE**

♠ Kennesaw Square Dealers



Square Dance Club

www.squaredealers.com



PLUS Classes Begin February 27th!

Join us 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Ben Robertson Community Center

Register online: kennesawparksandrec.com

Select Adult and scroll down

March 7th Spring into Square Dancing!



March 21st: St. Patrick's Day Dance



KSD April Preview:

Apr 4th: Bunny Hop at Eastwood Church

Apr 18th: Good Friday – dance cancelled



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



Caller: Shawn Butler Cuer: Aneesa Barge

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

Please verify dances on www.facebook.com/KSDclub



Square dance attire optional

Presidents Bill & Julie Jarrett 770-354-5968





Square Dancing 2nd & 4th Saturdays 7:00 – 9:00 PM
Mainstream w/Announced Plus – Lines (See Line Dance Dates)

Always check our Web Site for Dance Status before Visiting

March 8th – Mardi Gras

Caller: Troy Grooms
Lines: Randy Bradberry



March 22nd – DARK – No Dance – Facility Unavailable

March 29th – NEGF 5th Saturday Dance 7 – 9 PM

Welcome Spring – Jug Tavern Venue, Winder GA

April 12th – Hillbillies’ Shotgun Wedding Dance

Caller: Troy Grooms
Lines: Randy Bradberry



Caller: Troy Grooms
Lines: Randy & Debbie Bradberry

Visitors: \$7 Per Person

Square Dance Lessons

CLUB	LESSONS	CONTACT	PHONE	START
Silver Stars	Beginner	Jon Martin	770-736-0810	Call

Contacts: Troy and Annette Grooms
770 271-1771

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

www.SilverStarsSquareDance.com



DANC'N SINGLES



March 8, Saturday
**Wearing of the Green
 Plus Workshop @ 7 pm**
**Guest Caller
 Danny Weeks**

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



April 12, Saturday
**Dance into Spring
 Plus Workshop @ 7 pm**

Caller: **Charlie Petrea**
 Cuer: **Anesa Barge**

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

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



**If you have a partner, great. If you
 don't, come anyway, we'll find you a
 dance partner.**

Just come SQUARE DANCING

Woodstock Squares

Pie Dance



Friday, March 14th

Dance 7-9

Caller – Danny Weeks



Spring Dance

Friday, March 28th

Dance 7-9

Caller – Danny Weeks



Holy Trinity Lutheran Church
2922 Sandy Plains Road
Marietta, GA 30066
\$7 Admission

Excerpt from *The Epoch Times*:

Octogenarian Couple Has Been Square Dancing Since 1956—Credits Good Health, Happy Marriage to Dance

For acclaimed square dancer Donald Hanhurst, 88, and his wife, Loretta, 85, dancing is not just a shared passion but a lifestyle. And they're not giving up their favorite hobby anytime soon.

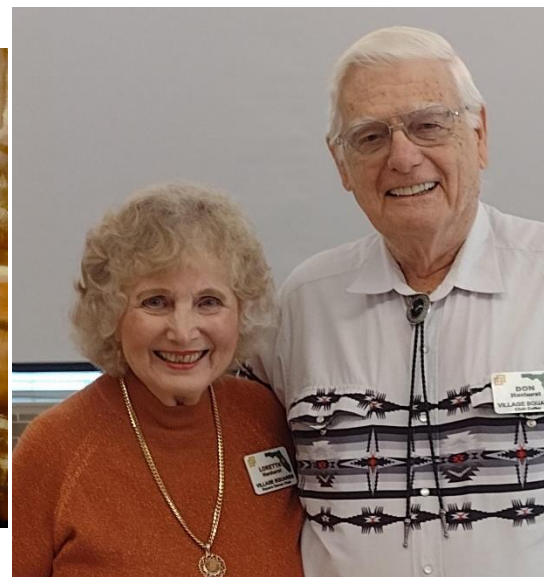
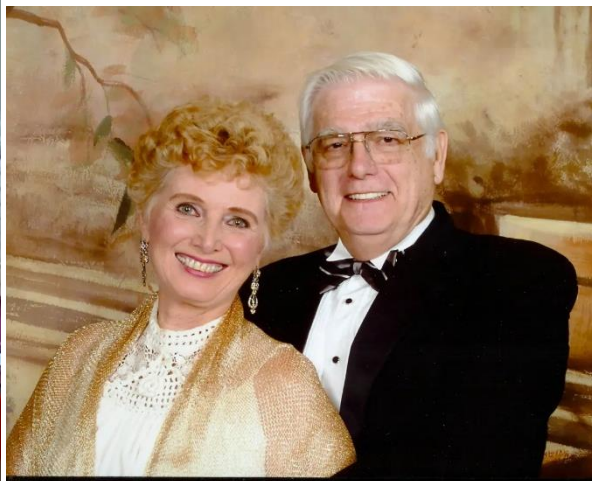
Donald, who's affectionately known as Don, began square dancing in 1949 and credits the good health and clear memory that he still enjoys to a lifetime of dance.

"Nothing compares to the benefits of square dancing," he told the Epoch Times. "During this time, we work our bodies physically, our minds intellectually, and our spirits socially. What could be better?"

"The thousands of wonderful people who we met, danced with, and taught along the way—many of whose names we can't recall, but still remember them—are the memories we both share," he said.

Don says decades of calling and square dancing have kept him and his wife of 68 years healthy and happy and their married life full of bliss and harmony. Don says that though he and his wife are not as active as they used to be, they continue to dance "as often as possible."

"If you give up, it's all over!" he said. "Love of the recreation [and] the people that we have met along the way are a big part of the motivation to keep us going." Don certainly hasn't given up. Today, he calls for the Village Squares club near his home in Altoona, FL.





Cherokee Promenaders

Mardi Gras Dance

Thursday, March 20th

Class 6-7

Dance 7-9

Caller – Charlie Petrea

Lines – Brenda Getman

Harris Arts Center

212 S Wall Street

Use Piedmont Street Entrance

\$7 admission fee for non-club members



I love square dances
because
Everybody knows your name

Well, they are
wearing name tags

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



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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/L	Th E
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	Various
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 2345
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+	2345	2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th

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!