

# CHIRPER



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Katydids Square Dance Club Newsletter

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START YOUR WEEKEND RIGHT ...DANCE WITH THE KATYDIDS ON FRIDAY NIGHT!

*Happy St. Patrick's Day!*



## CLUB CALENDAR

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**Fri., Mar. 02::**Campbell United Church of Christ  
400 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; DBD PLUS WORKSHOP

**Fri., Mar, 09::**Campbell United Church of Christ  
400 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; DBD PLUS WORKSHOP

**Fri., Mar 16:** Campbell United Church of Christ  
400 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; DBD PLUS WORKSHOP  
\*\*PARTY NIGHT\*\* **WEAR GREEN** & bring  
food to share to help celebrate  
St. Patrick's Day

**Fri., Mar. 23::**Campbell United Church of Christ  
400 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; DBD PLUS WORKSHOP

**Fri., Mar. 30::**Campbell United Church of Christ  
400 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; DBD PLUS WORKSHOP

**Fri., Apr. 06: \*\*DARK\*\***

**Fri., Apr. 13:** Campbell United Church of Christ  
400 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; DBD PLUS WORKSHOP  
*Chirper* distributed.

**Fri., Apr. 20:** Campbell United Church of Christ  
400 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; DBD PLUS WORKSHOP  
\*\*PARTY NIGHT\*\* **WEAR GREEN**. Bring  
Food to share

**Sat., Apr 21:** Trip with Gary Holloway  
Details yet to be determined.

**Fri., Apr. 27:** Campbell United Church of Christ  
400 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; DBD PLUS WORKSHOP

**Fri., May 04:**Campbell United Church of Christ  
400 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; DBD PLUS WORKSHOP  
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**Sat., May 05:** Annual Club Picnic & Alumni Reunion  
and New Officer Installation Ceremony  
At Tork & Dory's home

**Fri., May 11:** Campbell United Church of Christ  
400 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; DBD PLUS WORKSHOP

**Sat., Jul 14:** Trip with Gary Holloway / SAVE THE DATE

## SQUARE HEAD ASSIGNMENTS and DUTIES

*Co-Super Square Heads*  
Stephanie Stevens (408-871-9525) &  
Gary & Sue De Lapp (408-446-1910)

Mar. 02 .....Stevens  
Mar. 09 .....Merlo / Tillman  
Mar. 16 .....Graff / Gray  
Mar. 23 .....Bruns  
Mar. 30 .....Hebson

Apr. 06 .....DARK  
Apr. 13 .....Malstrom / Scharfen / Hastings  
Apr. 20 .....Benevento  
Apr. 27 .....Matolyak / Howlett

May 04 .....Darknell  
May 11 .....Caywood  
May 18 .....Franger / Moore  
May 25 .....Cosentino / Oros

### Before the dance:

- Notify the Co-Super Square Head, Steph Stevens, 408-871-9525 of any needed change to assigned dates.
- Purchase and bring 6 to 8 lbs ice for the water cooler.
- On scheduled night, the designated Square Heads should arrive by 6:30 PM. A Katydid with a key will open the doors.
- Sweep floor as necessary and set up tables and chairs.
- Make ice water.
- Start hot water for tea and coffee.

### During Club dance:

- Welcome everyone at the sign-in table.
- Collect a \$4.00 donation from each guest and have them sign in. "Regular" guests sign the prepared sheet, new guests sign the guest book.
- In the green box, there is an envelope with petty cash for making change.
- Offer raffle tickets: 5 tickets for \$1.00.
- In the green box, there are envelopes for keeping track of money collected during the evening.
- Divide the raffle proceeds – 50% to the Club, 50% to the winner.
- Check that water and cups do not run out.

### After the dance:

- If Treasurer is not present, pass monies collected to any Executive Board Member.
- ALL MEMBERS: *Clean up!* Help pack up supplies and jugs and put into the Club cupboard.
- *Remove non-recyclable trash accidentally tossed into the designated recycle bins.* Take the trash bags out to the dumpster located in the side parking lot.
- Sweep or wet mop the floor as necessary.
- Note: Tables must go into the closet FIRST (remember the Caller's table, too), then the chair rack.
- Notify Co-Super Square Head, Gary or Sue De Lapp 408-446-1910 of any supplies needed.

## UPCOMING SQUARE DANCE EVENTS

— PLUS LEVEL —

- Mar. 2-4: Wing Ding; Central California**  
Sonora Fairgrounds, Sonora  
Callers: Charlie Robertson, John Reitmajer,  
Bronc Wise  
Cuer: Sharon & Casey Parker
- Mar. 3: Spring Fling Hoedown; Sunnyvale Squares**  
John Muir Middle School  
7:30 PM; PreRounds: Erin Byars  
8:00 PM; Caller: Scot Byars
- Mar. 10: Sunnyvale Squares & The Ghost Riders Band**  
John Muir Middle School, San José  
7:00 – 8:00 PM; PreRounds: George Gardner  
8:00 – 10:30 PM; Caller: Eric Henerlau
- Mar. 11: New Caller Hoedown, SCVCA**  
Murphy Park, Sunnyvale  
2:30 – 4:30 PM; various new callers
- Mar. 16-18: Fiesta; USDA**  
Kern County Fairgrounds, Bakersfield  
Callers: Bob Baier, Hunter Keller, Jet Roberts,  
Mike Seastrom, Rob French, CJ Smith  
Cuers: TJ & Bruce Chadd, George & Pamela  
Hurd, Neil & Lee Booth
- Mar. 31: Presidents' Ball Whing Ding; SCVSDA/SCVCA**  
Callers: **Jim Osborne**, Robert Algea, Al Knoppe,  
Vicki Woods  
Cuers: Barbara-Lynn Smith
- April 14: Circus Circus; Rockin' Jokers**  
Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church  
728 W. Fremont Ave.  
Caller: Jet Roberts  
Cuer: John Flora
- Apr. 20-22: California State Square Dance Convention**  
**Follow the Blossom Trail**  
Visalia Convention Center, Visalia  
Callers: Dan Nordbye, Nasser Shukayr, Eric  
Henerlau, Jay Henderson  
Cuers: Doug & Leslie Dodge, MaryAnn Callahan  
& Brian Wyatt
- April 21: Walk and Dodge into Spring; El Camino Reelers**  
St. Andrews Methodist Church, Palo Alto
- May 5: Black and White Ball, Crazy Dazys**  
Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church  
728 W. Fremont Ave  
7:30 – 8:00 PM; PreRounds: Sue Harris  
8:00 – 10:30 PM : Caller: **Jim Osborne**
- May 11-13: Silver State Square & Round Dance Festival**  
Grand Sierra Resort, Reno, NV  
Callers: Bob Baier, Gary Shoemake, Joe Saltel  
Cuers: Susie & Gert-Jan Rotscheid



**Heard from Val --**

2/29/2012

"I have been busy singing and spending time with family members and helping my mother complete her spring cleaning early. Weather has been surprisingly pleasant everyone is enjoying the mild winter. They fear the month of March as normal as it either goes in or out like a lion or lamb. If it snows 1/2 inch, with sun following and temperatures 34 & 38 degrees the snow disappears and slush appears. I can't believe how fast time is going. I will be leaving for Florida in less then a week. I will continue to keep everyone informed of my location and exciting things that are happenings. Tell everyone I miss them and to keep on dancing!

*Valerie*"

valeriep95008@yahoo.com

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**ANGELS WANTED:**

**TORK'S CLASS:**

Tuesdays  
6:30 – 8:45 PM  
Camden Community Center  
3369 Union Ave., San Jose  
Angels get in free

**JOHN'S CLASS:**

Sundays  
7:00 – 9:00 PM  
Mountain View Garden Recreation Hall  
Lotus Lane  
(meet between units #423-427, near the pool)  
Angels get in free



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**HAPPY BIRTHDAY !!**

- Denis Moore .....Mar. 11
- Jim Gray .....Mar. 14
- Jenny Andersen .....Mar. 17
- Louise Hosoda .....Mar. 29
- Char Pitts .....Mar. 30
- Linda Caywood .....Mar. 31

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**NEWER DANCER HOEDOWNS**

*Be an angel – Support our newest dancers!!*

*--January Class Level--*

**Sat., Mar. 24: Newer Dancer Hoedown; Bows & Beaus**  
John Muir Middle School, San Jose  
7:35 – 9:35 PM

Callers: Keith Ferguson & **Jim Osborne**

**Sat., May 19: Butterfly Ball; CPSD**  
Camden Community Center  
7:30 – 9:45 PM

Caller: Harlan Kerr

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**HAPPY ANNIVERSARY !**

Lloyd & Maxine Darknell .....Mar. 21

## From the Editor's Desk:

From what I saw, we put on a wonderful hoedown . From the comments heard on the floor, everyone had a great time. **Parker**, you and your committee chairs did a splendid job of pulling it all together. **Char**, your raffle table was a beautiful sight to behold, not to mention, it was absolutely groaning with prizes. **Maxine**, you and your crew kept the snack area well stocked with delicious food. Our collective stomachs heartily agree!! And, a special thanks to **Lloyd & Maxine** for hosting **Randy** in their home over the weekend. We all deserve a big pat on the back for the good job everyone did. THANK YOU, ALL!!

Next year will be our 50<sup>th</sup> Sweetheart Special and the Executive Board welcomes your ideas on making it a bit more special.

It is that time of year, where each of us needs to consider how we might individually contribute to the smooth running of our Club. It is time to select a new slate of Club officers and appointees. Think about it now so when they approach you, you can specify the best match for your skills and interests. A Nominating Committee will be formed soon. Please give their request thoughtful consideration.

On page 7 you will find a page of photos of our 'loaded' storage shed. Thank you **Tork**, for your hard work in putting up the shed and in moving all the Club stuff into it! By the way, has anyone seen **Tork** lately? Haven't seen him since he loaded the shed. . .

We were saddened to send **Val Paterson** off to visit her parents and whatever else lies ahead for her in this time of transition. She has promised to keep in touch. And, who knows, she may be back dancing with us before too long.

**Pat's** trip on April 21st is still on. We just don't know the details, yet. As soon as there is more information, we'll be sure to inform all the Club members.

And, let's give a big welcome to our newest Club member, **Bea Clark**. So glad to have you with us, **Bea!**

Next month, I hope to print up a new roster of Club members. Be sure to let me (or **Tillie**) know of any changes that need to be made.

Hope to see you in a square soon,

*Stephanie*

## From the Kitchen of Pat Angotti - -

### APPLE COFFEE CAKE

Serves 8

#### Streusel Topping:

2/3 c. Original Bisquick mix  
2/3 c. packed brown sugar  
1 t. ground cinnamon  
1/2 t. ground nutmeg  
1/4 c. cold butter

#### Coffee Cake:

2 c. Original Bisquick mix  
2/3 c. milk or water  
3 T. granulated sugar  
1 egg  
2 medium cooking apples, peeled and thinly sliced (2c.)  
2 T. chopped nuts

#### Glaze:

1/2 c. powdered sugar  
2 to 3 t. milk

1. Heat oven to 400°F. Spray 9" square pan with cooking spray. In small bowl, mix 2/3 c. Bisquick mix, brown sugar, cinnamon and nutmeg. Cut in butter, using pastry blender until crumbly; set aside.
2. Stir together 2 cups Bisquick mix, 2/3 cup milk, the granulated sugar and egg; beat vigorously 30 seconds. Spread half of the batter in pan. Arrange apple slices on batter; sprinkle with half of the streusel topping. Spread the remaining batter, sprinkle with remaining topping. Sprinkle with nuts.
3. Bake about 25 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean; cool 20 minutes. Stir glaze ingredients until smooth enough to drizzle. Drizzle glaze over warm coffee cake.

Note #1: This recipe may be doubled and put into a 9x13" pan.

Note #2: Some common cooking apples are Cortland, Northern Spy, Rome Beauty, Winesap, Golden Delicious, and Granny Smith.

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Sue Harris, Cuer

**Saturday, February 11, 2012**  
**John Muir Middle School**  
**Caller: Randy Dibble**  
**Cuer: Sue Harris**  
**M.C.: Roger Smith**  
**Chairperson: Parker Willey**



Roger Smith, M.C. and Pat Angotti



Randy Dibble, caller



Sue De Lapp, Maxine Darknell



Sandy Hastings, Gary De Lapp



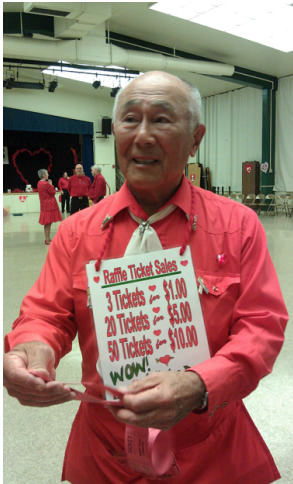
Tillie Tillman, Skip Stevens, Naomi Grubb



Dory Clark



Val Paterson, Stephanie Stevens



Morris Hosoda



Jim Gray



Sandy Bruns, Sandy Franger, Naomi Grubb, Char Pitts, Joyce Wies, Linda Caywood



Morris & Louise Hosoda



Bob & Opal Hebson



Sue Willey, Sandy Bruns, Sue De Lapp



John Caywood, Roger Smith, Lloyd Darknell



Morris Hosoda

Naomi Grubb



Gary & Sue De Lapp

Photographs courtesy of Gary De Lapp, Pat Angotti, & Lloyd Darknell

# NEW STORAGE SHED HAS BEEN LOADED!!



Photos courtesy of Tork Clark

# FIRST CLASS MAIL

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