

SQUARE HEAD ASSIGNMENTS and DUTIES

Jul. 06.......Willey / Hosoda, M. Jul. 13.....Allen T. / McManus Jul. 20.....Allen, L. / Bruns, A. Jul. 27.....Nassau / Smith, D.

Aug. 03......De Lapp Aug. 10.....Schwartz / Stevens Aug. 17.....Paterson / Aug. 24.....Steele Aug. 31.....Pitts / Wilser

Sep. 07......Abel / Langer Sep. 14.....Clark / Sep. 21.....Village / Tillman Sep. 28.Bruns

Before the dance:

- Notify the Super Square Head, Stephanie Stevens,
- (408-871-9525) of any needed changes to assigned dates.
 On scheduled night, the designated Square Heads should arrive by 6:15 PM.and stay until clean up is finished around 9:45 PM. A Katydids member with a key will open the doors and will secure the hall at end of evening.
- Check the restrooms for supplies & tidiness.
- Make coffee (located on Katydids' shelf in the storage room) and ice water using provided plastic cubes stored in plastic ziplock bags in the freezer.
- Sweep the floor as necessary & set up the sign-in table.
- Bring out additional chairs from storage room as needed.
- Set up drinks and supplies on counter.
- <u>After the first tip</u>, place snacks, located on the Katydids' shelf in the kitchen, on the back table at back of the hall along with paper goods, sanitizer and flyers

During Club dance:

- Welcome everyone as they enter.
- Collect a **\$5.00** 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 with 50% to the Club, 50% to the winner. (Note: odd dollar goes to the winner!)
- Check that coffee, water & cups do not run out during the evening.
- After announcements and raffle, feel free to dance except for the last tip (unless you are needed to fill a square) when you will need to be putting things away and cleaning up

After the dance:

- If Treasurer is not present, pass monies collected to any Executive Board Member.
- Pack up the sign-in items, leftover snacks and flyers.
- Empty coffee pot and dry the cooler and pack up other supplies and return them to the shelf in storage room.
- Wipe counter and tables where needed.
- Empty garbage can if more than half full. The dumpster is located in the side parking lot.
- Sweep up crumbs from the floor as needed.
- Return extra chairs to the storage room
- Notify the Quartermaster, Lloyd (408-482-9320) of any replacement supplies needed for the next week.

DANCE EVENTS

PLUS LEVEL unless otherwise noted

- Jul. 07: Slab Dance; Lucky Steppers (MS, Plus level) The Slab, 9525 Mill St., Ben Lomond 7:00 – 7:30PM, PreRounds: Sue Harris, Janet Passarino 7:30 – 10:00PM: Callers: Mike Luna, Terry Passarino
- Jul. 14: Firecracker Hoedown; Farmers & Farmerettes Newark Pavilion (Hall #4, back hall) 6430 Thornton Ave, Newark 7:30 – 8:00 PM; PreRounds: Bob Ensten 8:00 – 10:15 PM; Caller: Rod Shuping
- Jul. 14: Slab Dance; Lucky Steppers The Slab, 9525 Mill St., Ben Lomond 7:00 – 7:30PM, PreRounds: Sue Harris
 - 7:30 10:00PM: Callers: Jim Osborne

Jul. 21: Starlight Ball; CPSD

Camden Community Center; 3369 Union Av., SJ 7:00 – 7:30 PM; PreRounds: Anne Gracia 7:30 – 10:00 PM; caller: Darren Gallina

Jul. 21: Anniversary Hoedown; Roadrunners

Beresford Recreation Center 2720 Alameda de las Pulgas, San Mateo 7:30 – 8:00 PM; PreRounds: Erin Byars 8:00 – 10:30 PM; Caller: Scot Byars

Jul. 28: Slab Dance; Lucky Steppers

The Slab, 9525 Mill St., Ben Lomond 7:00 – 7:30PM, PreRounds: Sue Harris 7:30 – 10:00PM: Caller: Eric Henerlau

Aug. 03: Dancing at the Fair Santa Clara County Fairgrounds

Callers: Tork Clark, Keith Ferguson, Jim Osborne, Roger Smith Cuer: Barbara-Lynn Smith

Aug. 04: Star Across Summer, El Camino Reelers St. Andrews Church, 4111 Alma St., Palo Alto Mainstream - Plus - A2 Caller: Darren Gallina

Aug. 04: Slab Dance; Lucky Steppers

The Slab, 9525 Mill St., Ben Lomond 7:00 – 7:30PM, PreRounds: Sue Harris 7:30 – 10:00PM: Callers: Mike Luna, Mike Wright

- Aug. 25: Slab Dance; Lucky Steppers The Slab, 9525 Mill St., Ben Lomond 7:00 – 7:30PM, PreRounds: Sue Harris 7:30 – 10:00PM: Caller: Jet Roberts
- Aug. 31 Sep 1: Plumas Americana Festival Plumas Co. Fairgrounds, Quincy Callers: Scot Byars, Lawrence Johnstone Cuer: Erin Byars

Cuers: Sharon & Casey Parker

Aug 31 - Sep 2: Pear Steppers Mid-Cal Classic (Plus with A2 sessions) Merced Co. Fairgrounds, F & 4th St., Los Banos Callers: Bob Baier, Jet Roberts

Sep. 08: Slab Dance; Lucky Steppers (Mainstream, Plus) The Slab, 9525 Mill St., Ben Lomond 7:00 – 7:30PM, PreRounds: Sue Harris 7:30 – 10:00PM: Callers: Mike Luna, Rich Reel



PRESIDENT'S CORNER

Hi Everyone

We had a great Reunion Picnic on Sunday June 10 at Central Park. I want to thank **Doris, Bill, Naomi, Steven** and



Stephanie for all their help with the set up and **Bill**, **Jeff** and **Gary** for helping me with the cooking. Also, thank everyone who helped with the clean up. We had 52 people who came including alumni and guests.

Now that summer is in full swing and the temperature is climbing especially at our dance on Fridays, we need to dress to stay cool while we are dancing.

We will be having a "build your own" pizza-party on Saturday, August 26, at the home of Jacky and Eric Wilhelmsen at 12:00 noon. Check out the flyer. Sign up with them and find out what you can bring.

On Friday August 31, we will be having our Hot August Night Class/Plus Level Dance and the annual clothes sale. See **Doris Smith** for information on the clothes sales at the dance and check out the flyer for more information. This will also be our party night so wear green and your Katydids skirt if you have one. We will be inviting other dancers so please bring snacks to share.

Lloyd

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Anne Langer	Jul. 11
Allen Nassau Jul15	
Jeff Robinson	Jul. 15
Sandy Franger	Jul. 22
Marjorie Wilser	Jul. 24
Lisa Steele	Jul. 29

Hearts & Flowers - -

- to Lloyd and his team for the delightful picnic
- to Morris for bringing the sound equipment
- to Jim for his splendid calling
- to all who attended and brought food good company to share

THANK YOU!!

WANTED:

Chirper editor is looking for articles about your recent travel adventures.







Chirper Chatter...

Bob & Lisa Steele were absent from our Katydids Annual Picnic because there was a conflict. **Bob** as president of the Northern California Square



Dance Callers Association had to preside over their meeting scheduled on the same day as our picnic. But we had **Walt & Gerry Fant, Carmen Hea,** Jack **Colistra** & his pal, Gabby, and **Sandy Hastings** at our picnic and the usual other "friends"...

Good news time! Kathy Shaney is working at a Savers Store, hours of 9 - 1, Tues & Thur through the Hope Program...

I was asked to bring you up to date on my senior softball activity. I am almost a regular at the Vintage Fun Division, playing Monday and Wednesday mornings at Hamann Park, San Jose, from 9-12 AM. The arrangement is to have batting practice and two teams are picked by chance but making sure that each team has a catcher and a pitcher. Tournament play is conditional, the venue must not be further than 1-1/2 hour drive for I need to come home every day. It seems the first tournament play will be July 7-8 at Redwood City, playing for the RWC Chiefs 80's...

Bea Clark is having her back problems returning. She has osteoarthritis along her spine with some stenosis. Her shot she received in April has worn out and the doctor is pleased for the length and feels the next shot will last longer...

Glad to have **Anne Langer** back with us, getting off LOA in June, but alas, we have **Jeff Robinson** going on LOA starting in July because of his back problem. But let's welcome new members: **Vic Oros, Janna Standridge and Marjorie Wilser...**

A little something about OUR THEMES: National Fried Chicken Day (July 6) -

On this day, fried chicken lovers across the country celebrate this American favorite at a nearby restaurant, home or an outdoor picnic. Scottish immigrants brought their tradition of deep-frying chicken in fat to the southern United States. After its introduction to the American South, fried chicken soon became a staple. Over time, seasonings and spices were added to enrich the flavor of the chicken...

National Beans 'N' Franks Day (July 13)

Also known as "beanie weenies" both dishes are similar to pork 'n' beans, but substitute hot dogs or frankfurters for the pork. Dating back to the civil war, bake beans emerged as one of the very first canned convenience foods. It is unknown who originally added franks to beans. Van Camp's owns the *Beanie Weenies* name. Other brands are sold under alternative names such as *Franks & Beans.* Typical ingredients include: baked beans, skinless hot dogs, brown sugar, onion, mustard, BBQ sauce and spices. There are a variety of beans 'n' franks recipes found around the world...

National Lollipop Day (July 20) -

Ever delightful and sweet, lollipops have been satisfying the sweet tooth for generations and possibly for centuries. They may have been a way to preserve nuts and berries in honey during prehistoric times. Much later when sugar was plentiful, lollipops appeared 16th century Europe. In the United States, confectionaries and medicine shops as early as the 1860s sold lollipops in various forms, but it wasn't until 1908 that George Smith gave lollipops an official 20th-century story. He gets credit for inventing the modern style lollipop and in 1931 trademarked the name which he claims came from his favorite racing horse, Lolly Pops...

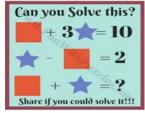
National Crème Brûlée Day (July 27) -

Get ready to enjoy a dish of this mouth-watering creamy dessert. Crème Brûlée is also known as burnt cream, crema Catalana, and Trinity creme. It is a dessert that consists of a rich custard base that is topped with a contrasting layer of hard caramel and served at room temperature. The custard base is usually vanilla flavored but has variations of lemon, orange, rosemary, lavender, chocolate, Amaretto, Grand Marnier, cinnamon, coffee, liqueurs, green tea, pistachio, hazelnut, coconut or other fruit.

National Watermelon Day (Aug. 3) -

Watermelon is a vine-like flowering plant originally from southern Africa. Its fruit, which is also called watermelon, is a special kind referred to by botanists as a pepo, a berry which has a thick rind (exocarp) and fleshy center (mesocarp and endocarp). Pepos are derived from an inferior ovary and are characteristic of the Cucurbitaceae. The watermelon fruit, loosely considered a type of melon – although not in the genus Cucumis – has a smooth exterior rind (usually green with dark green stripes or yellow spots) and a juicy, sweet interior flesh (usually deep red to pink, but sometimes orange, yellow, or white).





This is simple algebra, symbols used instead of letters.

Triangl	e =15	
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Star =3

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Square =1

Katydids Annual Picnic and Reunion

Sunday, June 10th, 2018 Santa Clara Central Park



Jeff Robinson, Lloyd Darknell





Look who rode in to our picnic! It's Acton & Greta Allen!



Art & Sandy Bruns, Lauren Allen, Char Pitts



Naomi Grubb, Pat Angotti



Bill Matolyak



Bill Matolyak, Gary De Lapp



Sandy Hastings, Doris Smith, Bea Clark, Liv Braaten, Steph Stevens



Sue De Lapp, Pat Angotti



Doris Smith, Roger Smith

July 2018



Sandy Hastings, Jim Osborne, Skip Stevens



Allen Nassau & his friend, Josie



Tillie Tillman



Sandy Hastings, Ted & Debbie Schmatz. He's mine . . . No! He's mine!!



Skip Stevens



Walt & Gerry Fant



Kathy & Ted Shaney



Armand Schwartz



Tillie Tillman and his daughter, Laurie



Sue & Parker Willey, Denis Moore



Roger Smith, Thomas & Lauren Allen with daughter, Greta,



Liv Braaten, Bea Clark, Carmen Hea

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Morris Hosoda



Art & Sandy Bruns



Tillie Tillman, Carmen Hea



Morris Hosoda, Jim Osborne



Sandy Franger & Denis Moore



Josie, Char Pitts, Sandy Franger, Alice McManus



Morris Hosoda with his homemade computer screen shade





Jack Colistra with Gabby

Steven Lehnhoff, Annette Gurich, Ed Wayne, Sue & Gary De Lapp



Morris Hosoda, Bill Matolyak







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