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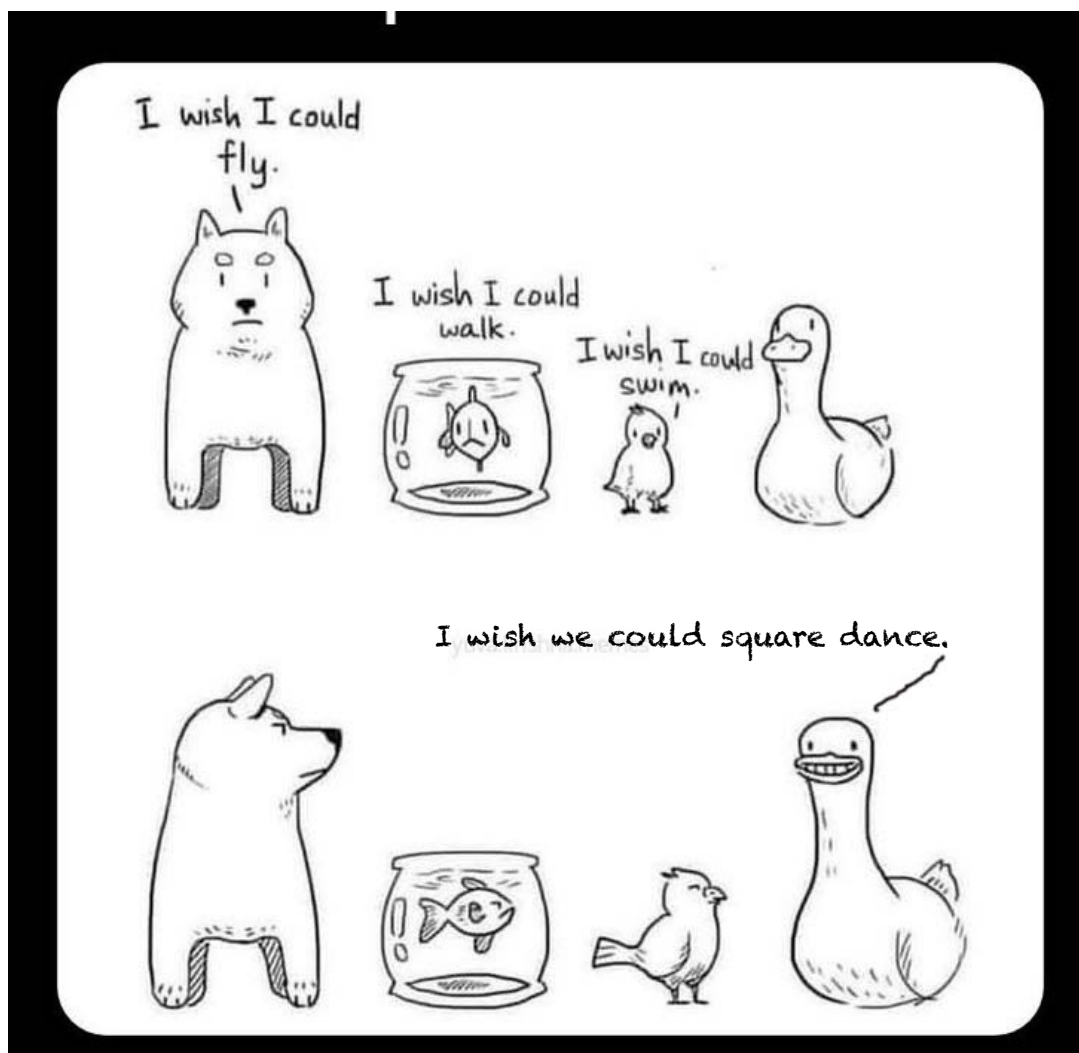


June 2023

Katydids Square Dance Club Newsletter

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



CLUB CALENDAR



www.katydids.org

Fri., Jun 09: **Salvation Army, Fellowship Hall**
6:30 -9:00pm
FREE Thank you for the Memories Dance
Collecting sample toiletries for Salvation
Army's Food Pantry
Collecting can tabs for the Shriner's
Bring snacks

Fri., Jun 16: **Salvation Army, Fellowship Hall**
6:30pm Potluck dinner
7:00 - 9:00pm Dancing
THEME / PARTY NIGHT: Farewell Potluck
dinner & dance for Katydids
and invited guests
Bring potluck dish to share and your
table service.

SQUARE HEAD ASSIGNMENTS and DUTIES

June02.....**DARK**
 Jun 09.....Pitts / Village
 Jun 16.....Wilhelmsen

BEFORE THE DANCE:

- Notify the Super Square Head, Stephanie Stevens, (408-499-9182) of any needed changes to assigned dates.
- The designated Square Heads should arrive by **6:15pm**. A Board member with key access will open the gates and will secure the hall at the end of the evening.
- Check the restrooms for supplies and tidiness.
- Set up two rectangular tables, one for sign-in and one for snacks and water. Use a table covering.
- Another table goes in front of the piano. Use the orange strap to keep it in place
- Flyers go onto the freezer
- Fill the pitcher with water. Ice machine is in the kitchen.
- Place hand sanitizer on the sign-in table, snack table, pass-through to the kitchen and on each round table.
- If there are birthdays or anniversaries, set up the board.

DURING CLUB DANCE:

- Welcome everyone as they enter
- Collect an \$8.00 donation from each dancing guest and have them sign in. Non-dancing guests don't pay but do sign in. Those members who are of Leave of Absence pay \$8.00.
- Offer 50/50 raffle tickets. 5 tickets for \$1.00. Divide the raffle proceeds with 50% to the Club and 50% to the winner. (Note: odd dollar goes to the winner!)
- Note that there is another donation box. Collected money to be split 50% to Club and 50% to Jim.
- In the green box, there are square head envelopes for keeping track of money collected 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.
- If Treasurer is not present, pass monies collected to any Executive Board Member.

AFTER THE DANCE:

- Pack up the sign-in and snack table items into the bins. Remember the flyers.
- Reset the hall to the way we found it.
- Notify Stephanie and Naomi if we need more Club event flyers or *Chirpers* printed for the following week

DANCE EVENTS

PLUS LEVEL unless otherwise noted

Sat, Jun. 10: Strawberry Festival; General Dance; SCVSDA
 St. Andrews Church, 4111 Alma St., Palo Alto

Sat., Jun. 17: Butterfly Ball; CPSD; SSD New Dancer Level
 Campbell Community Center
 1 W. Campbell Ave., Campbell; Rm #M50
 7:30-9:45pm
 Caller: Rich Reel

Jun. 21-24: National Square Dance Convention
 Mobile, AL

July 7-8: America's Celebration Festival; Lucky Steppers
 Prunedale Grange Hall, 17890 Moro Rd, Salinas
 Caller: Mike Sikorsky
 Cuer: Sue Harris

Sat., July 29: Caller's Appreciation Whing Ding; SCVSDA/SCVCA
 St. Andrews Church, 4111 Alma St., Palo Alto
 7:30pm PreRounds
 8:00 - 10:00pm Callers: Tork Clark, Bob Elling,
 Keith Ferguson, Kurt Gollhardt, Harlan
 Kerr, Jim Osborne, Mike Pogue, Bob
 Steele

Fri., Aug 4: Dancing at the Fair
 Pavilion Hall, Santa Clara County Fairgrounds SJ
 6:00 - 9:00pm
 Cuer: Sandi Kremer
 Callers: Tork Clark, Keith Ferguson, Jim Osborne, Kurt
 Gollhardt

LEARN SOCIAL SQUARE DANCING!

at **ROCKIN' JOKERS** Square & Round Dance Club

Wednesdays, 7:15 – 9:00 PM, Jun 14 to Sept 27, 2023

14th & 21st ARE FREE, THEN JUST \$7/WEEK

Cambrian Park United Methodist Church
 1919 Gunston Way, Parking & Entrance on Wyrick
 San Jose, CA 95124

COUPLES, SINGLES, ADULTS, TEENS

Square Dancing is a great way to combine interesting
 and healthy exercise with meeting new friends!

AND IT'S JUST PLAIN FUN!!

Modern Music / No Special Clothing Required
COME AS YOU ARE!

Questions? Call Mike @ 408-227-4006 / rockinjokers.com

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Morris Hosoda.....Jun 21
Jim Osborne.....Jun 25

PRESIDENT'S CORNER



To Katydids and Friends,

It has been a long 3-week break and I think we are all looking forward to getting back on the dance floor. **Friday, June 9th** the Katydids will be hosting a FREE Thank you for the Memories Dance and will begin with the SSD level at 6:30pm. At 7:30 we will begin Plus Level dancing until 9:00pm. The Square Heads and Board could use some help in setting up at 6:00 if you happen to be available. We will be setting up Fellowship Hall similar to what we did for the Sweetheart Special Hoedown. We also will need to bring snacks to share with our guests.

Yesterday, I had representatives from the Bows & Beaus and Rockin' Joker Clubs over to choose what they could use for their clubs. Between the two of them and the Salvation Army, most of our supplies and decorations have been spoken for and are going to good homes.

Next **Friday, June 16th** we will be having our Farewell Potluck Dinner and Dancing for Katydids, Katydonees, and invited guests. Please RSVP to me that you plan to attend and what potluck dish you are planning to bring. This will be a FREE evening for our guests; however, donations are gratefully accepted.

There will be a July issue of the Chirper (have to have the photos from the June dances!) after that if there is a need to communicate with you I will do so via email, or a phone call if you don't have email access.

After our June 16th farewell dinner and dance, technically we will still be a Club. Our insurance runs until 31 December 2023 and that will be our last day as an official active Club. It has been a good run of good fun, exercise and good friendships. Hoping to see you on another dance floor soon!

Stephanie

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BEGINNER'S CLASS-SSD LEVEL

When: Wednesdays

Time: 7:15 – 9:00pm

Begins: June 14 with 1st two classes FREE

Location: Cambrian Park United Methodist Church

1019 Gunston Way, San José

LOCAL PLUS LEVEL

CLUBS, WORKSHOPS & CLASSES

CLUBS

WEDNESDAYSROCKIN' JOKERS

Time: 7:30 – 9:00PM

Location: Cambrian Park Methodist Church
1919 Gunston Way, San José

Caller: Mike Pogue

Donation: \$7.00

BOWS & BEAUS

Time: 7:30 – 9:45PM

Location: Loyola Elementary School,
770 Berry St, Los Altos

Caller: Tork Clark

Cuer: Sandi Kremer

FARMERS & FARMERETTES

Time: 7:30 – 9:30PM

Location: Newark Pavilion, 6430 Thornton Ave.

Caller: Jim Osborne

COVID Rules: Proof of full vaccination required
Masks required indoors

More Info: Jim 510-709-9205

THURSDAYSLUCKY STEPPERS

Time: 7:00 – 9:00PM

Location: Calvary United Methodist Church,
729 Morse St., San José; Corner of Morse & Naglee

Caller: Kurt Golhardt

Cuer: Sue Harris

Donation: \$10.00

FRIDAYSFREEDOM DANCERS

Time:

Location: Golden Wheel Mobile Home Park
900 Golden Wheel Park Dr., (aka 1450 Oakland Road) San José

Caller: Robert Algea

Every other Friday

Time: 7:30 - 9:00pm

Call first: Diana Hilliard 408-315-1874

COVID vaccination not required

Donation

WORKSHOPS

ONGOING REFRESHER WORKSHOP

When: Tuesdays

Time: 7:00 – 9:00PM

Location: Resurrection Lutheran Church
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara

Callers: Tork Clark, James Thompson

Donation: \$8 per person

COVID Rules: Proof of full vaccination required

More info: Pat 408-338-8786

Katydids Square Dance Club

Thanks for the Memories Dance Friday, June 9, 2023

Club Caller

Kenny Steen

1962-1978

Flip Flop

Club Caller

Harold Fleeman

1995 - 2005

Hazel Eyes

Club Caller

Ed Sanders

1961 - 1962

Mr. Sandman

Club Caller

Bill Davis

1978 - 1995

Pretty Woman

Club Caller

Jim Osborne

2005-Present

Running Bear

Goodbye
from the
KATYDIDS

We are collecting
PULL TABS for
SHRINERS,
so bring them.

We are collecting
sample toiletries
like soap, shampoo,
toothpaste, for the
Salvation Army
Food Pantry.



NO SMOKING
ON PREMISES

6:30 - 7:30 pm -- SSD Level
7:30 - 9:00 pm PLUS Level
FREE but Donations Happily Accepted
Caller: **Jim Osborne**

The Salvation Army - 3090 Homestead Rd. - Santa Clara, CA



CPSD



SSD NEW DANCER HOEDOWN



BUTTERFLY BALL

SATURDAY, JUNE 17, 2023

7:30-9:45 PM



RICH REEL



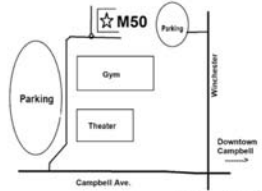
CAMPBELL COMMUNITY CENTER
1 WEST CAMPBELL AVE.
CAMPBELL, CA



Room M50



PLEASE BRING FINGER FOOD TO SHARE



DONATION:
ADULTS \$12.00
YOUTH \$ 6.00

CPSD IS THE COMMITTEE TO PROMOTE SQUARE DANCING. Our focus is the support of new and returning dancers and future callers by sponsoring classes, dances, workshops, and other practice opportunities. CPSD is a 501(c)(3) non-profit.

www.c-b-s-d.org Jackie 408-205-0681

LOOKING FOR A NEW KICK?

LEARN TO
with **SQUARE DANCE**
EL CAMINO REELERS

Modern Western Square Dancing
for the LGBTQ Community & Friends

JOIN US for a **FREE OPEN HOUSE**

HIGH ENERGY DANCING TUESDAY JUNE 27
from 7:00 to 8:30 pm

EVERYONE WELCOME

NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY

We dance Tuesdays at St. Andrews United Methodist Church
4111 Alma Street
Palo Alto



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Palo Alto

www.reelers.org
info@reelers.org



Real dancing. Real people. Real fun.

El Camino Reelers



SQUARE DANCING AT THE FAIR
(with selected single rounds)

Friday, August 4, 2023

Arrive early; we'll dance 6:00 — 9:00 pm.

Callers: Tork Clark, Keith Ferguson, Jim Osborne, Kurt Gollhardt

Cuer: Sandi Kremer



Easy calls for beginners & seasoned dancers. Fun for all!!!

Free admission if you arrive in
square dance attire and club badge.

Sign up at club or just
come over.
Questions?
See Doris (408-728-5096)
or Jane (408-356-7796)

Come dance at the Santa Clara County Fair!

~~ Fair is open noon to 9 pm ~~

Enter through the Main Gate Arch.

We'll be in the air-conditioned Pavilion Hall!!!

(344 Tully Road, San Jose)

Between 7th and 10th on Tully Rd.

Paid parking lot at 7th & Tully or find a free place to park.



Saturday June 10th
7:30-10:30pm
alternating SSD and Plus tips

CALLERS
Keith Ferguson
and
Kurt Gollhardt

St. Andrews Church
4111 Alma Street
Palo Alto



Welcome
with solo rotation
available

\$12/person
(\$6/youth)

Free admission for anyone who
has never attended a previous
General Dance.



Refreshments Included

Santa Clara Valley Square Dancers Association / General Dance Program

THEME/PARTY NIGHT:
CINCO DE MAYO
Friday, May 5, 2023
CALLER: JIM OSBORNE



Naomi Grubb, Steven Lahnhoff, Steph Stevens



THEME/PARTY NIGHT:
SPRING HAS SPRUNG -
BUNNIES, BONNETS & BOUQUETS
Friday, April 14, 2023
CALLER: JIM OSBORNE



Ann Mavers and Mark Mason



Steven Lehnhoff, Naomi Grubb, Laurie Andrade, Llovd & Doris Darknell



Brenda Iverson, Kathy Shaney, Sandy Franger, Marlene Thomas, Laurie Andrade



Mark Mason & Naomi Grubb

First Name Last Name
Home Street
Home City, Home State Home ZIP

FIRST CLASS MAIL

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June 2023

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