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Diamond Anniversary
60th year of the Square Dance Society of NSW

A Touch of Class Dinner Dance

Featuring
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Saturday 30th April
Nepean High School
115–119 Gt. Western Hwy Emu Plains

1pm–2.45pm A1 & Plus 2.45–4.30 Plus & Mainstream
4.30pm A.G.M.
6pm–7.20 Dinner 7.20 Rounds 7.50 Squares

Association Members $25 Two-Course Dinner plus 2 Dances, $35 for Non Members
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What’s Happening

Welcome to this month’s edition of the Australian Square Dance Review.

Do you dance at one club or many clubs? Are you loyal to a particular club or do you sample many different clubs? I wonder what attributes encourage dancers to be loyal to a club or an organisation. Loyalty is generally a result of satisfaction with a product, person or organisation. So, what is the secret to fostering dancers loyalty to a club. Is it a leader who genuinely cares about their dancers, listens to their suggestions and supports their developing skills. Or is there something else? What do you think?

It is encouraging to hear about lots of clubs at this time of year that are promoting for new dancers. Don’t forget to let Pauline on the 1800 number know that way she can direct enquiries to your club. How does your club promote?

Thank you to all those readers who send in articles and pictures. Sit back, relax and enjoy reading the March issue of the Australian Square Dance Review, your national magazine.

Till next time
Ros

Proposed Amendments to the Regulations and By-Laws for the Operation of Australian National Square Dance Conventions

Notice is hereby given to the proposed amendments of the Regulations and By-Laws for the Operation of Australian National Square Dance Conventions. They are presented for comment as per Clause 15 of the Regulations and Clause 136 of the By-laws. Any comments should be made to The Board one month prior to the Annual General Meeting of the Board at the 57th Australian National Square Dance Convention.

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Gordon Hearne.
Document Manager,
The Australian National Square Dance Conventions Board Incorporated.
This year’s National in Buderim is fast approaching and I can envisage the scurry that’s going on in clubs all over Australia to organise dress sets and gather Australiana outfits to suit the ‘True Blue’ theme.

I can also see callers going through their ‘record boxes’ (MP3/4 collections these days) to pick out all their relevant Australiana music. All this can be stressful and although the event is still months away, we are quickly running out of time.

We as dancers and callers are not the only ones who have a heap to do before June. Spare a thought for our volunteers who make all this happen for our dancing enjoyment.

I have asked the Programmer for the upcoming ANSDC to give you all an insight into the process of programming.

Program Manager for the 2016 National Square Dance Convention.

Di asked me to do an article about programming a National. Here goes! Once putting my hand up for the position and being accepted by our committee I started to wonder when I would start PANICKING. I told myself on numerous occasions to CALM down because I have programmed numerous state conventions, attended a multitude of Nationals and been a member of the ACF Program Advisory Panel for three years and I can do this!

The programmers job doesn’t start until the caller registration cut off date. Then a compilation of lists start accumulating on your computer in the form of spreadsheets with numerous columns. The first spreadsheet sent to me was in registration date order from our Treasurer/Registrar. This had the callers name, levels they call, convention availability, preferred media and duet preferences. My first step with these forms were to check information like spelling of name, compile email address list, add ACF accreditation and eligibility and then grade the callers from highest to lowest. Apart from the information available on the ACF website I have used my knowledge of callers abilities which I have been noting over many years for this very job. Apart from our Aussie callers we have three American callers, one British caller and two Kiwi callers. My list has sixty-one names on it including ineligible callers and all the information I need to start creating my program.
Now you need a shell program booklet that you can use, this way it is less work for the booklet publisher. Next thing, once you start make sure you have PLENTY of time and save your work regularly!! Start programming a day at a time remembering that each session has to start well, ebb and flow during and finish with a bang. Basically we have four night sessions and four day sessions of Mainstream. This is the only level used in caller allocations. Let’s say that each MS session has eight x three number brackets = twenty-four calls x eight sessions = one hundred and ninety-two available calling spots. Divide that by the sixty-one callers = 3.147 calls each, easy peezy! Unfortunately using a system as simple as this you would not get a balanced and dancer friendly program let alone be following the guidelines. Let’s face it we all would rather dance to category one and two callers than category three and four. But the other problem is that in the guidelines you have to give opportunity to the newer callers { 3’s and 4’s } Did I mention another area a programmer has major concerns is dealing with callers ego’s? Remembering all of the above I hope I have put together a program that is dancer and caller friendly and showcases our wonderful activity.

Gary Petersen Programmer 57th ANSDC.

Are a Caller? Have you registered for the Caller’s Conference yet?
Go to the website now and get a registration form and send it in with your payment.

Di Ashton & Kevin Kelly
Proposed Amendments to the Regulations for the Operation of Australian National Square Dance Conventions

The following amendments to the Regulations for the Operation of National Square Dance Conventions are submitted for approval as per Clause 15.0 Amendments to the Regulations. These amendments are based on Issue 31 of the Regulations.

Proposal:–

That Clause 9.0 Election Of Convention Committee, be amended as follows:–

Item 1

Original Sub Clause 9.01

9.01 If the bid is successful The Board will approve of the applicants as the Provisional Convention Committee.

Reason for change: To allow the Board to provide information as to what requirements that are needed to progress.

Proposed Amendment:

Add “Such committee shall liaise with the Board’s Executive as to all aspects of planning.”

Resultant Sub Clause 9.01

9.01 If the bid is successful The Board will approve of the applicants as the Provisional Convention Committee. Such committee shall liaise with the Board’s Executive as to all aspects of planning.

Item 2

Original Sub Clause 9.02

9.02 Within a period of 6 months from the acceptance of the bid, the Provisional Convention Committee Chairman shall cause to be advertised and hold a public meeting of all interested Dancers within the bidding area for the purpose of electing a Convention Committee.

Reason for change: To ensure that that once the meeting has been held the Board will be aware of the structure of the committee and their aims and planning.

Proposed Amendment:

Add “Once this meeting has been held, the minutes, and a Chairman’s report, must be forwarded to the Secretary of the Board for the Executive Committee 1(one) month after the meeting is held.”

Resultant Sub Clause 9.02

9.02 Within a period of 6 months from the acceptance of the bid, the Provisional Convention Committee Chairman shall cause to be advertised and hold a public
meeting of all interested Dancers within the bidding area for the purpose of electing a Convention Committee. Once this meeting has been held, the minutes, and a Chairman’s report, must be forwarded to the Secretary of the Board for the Executive Committee 1(one) month after the meeting is held.

**Item 3**

**New Sub Clause: 9.07.**

**Reason for change:** This additional sub clause will give a clear tie between the Convention Committee and the Board as well as give the Board vision to oversight the committee from a distance without interference unless an unforeseen incident occurs.

**Resultant Sub Clause 9.07**

9.07 The Convention Committee shall become a subcommittee of the Board. This subcommittee shall operate independently of the Executive Committee of the Board provided all facets of the Convention Rules and Bylaws are met. Refer By-Laws 101.9

**Resultant Clause 9.0**

**9.0 ELECTION OF CONVENTION COMMITTEE**

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9.02 Within a period of 6 months from the acceptance of the bid, the Provisional Convention Committee Chairman shall cause to be advertised and hold a public meeting of all interested Dancers within the bidding area for the purpose of electing a Convention Committee. Once this meeting has been held, the minutes, and a Chairman’s report, must be forwarded to the Secretary of the Board for the Executive Committee 1(one) month after the meeting is held.

9.03 This Convention Committee should preferably consist of callers and/or dancers.

9.04 It shall be made up of as many members and sub-committees as desired, but shall include as a minimum the following 5 persons:-

a) Convention Convenor  
b) Convention Secretary.  
c) Convention Treasurer/Registrar.  
d) Publicity Manager.  
e) Programme Manager

9.05 It is considered appropriate and advisable that the majority of members elected to a Convention Committee should consist of those who initiated the original application to ensure consistency with the approved bid.

9.06 For legal requirements members of the Convention Committee must be sixteen (16) years of age or over.
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Note: As per Clause 15, Sub Clause 15.0112 of the Regulations for the Operations of Australian National Square Dance Conventions, it is required that any comment, on the above changes should be made in writing to The Board one month prior to the next Convention, (May 2016).

The following amendments to the By-Laws for the Operation of National Square dance Conventions are submitted for approval as per Clause 19 of the Regulations for the Operation of Australian National Square Dance Conventions. These amendments are based on Issue 23 of the By-Laws.

Proposal:-
That Clause 128.7 (c) and (d) be amended as follows:

Reason for change: This clause has reference to the Square Dance Society of NSW Inc. which has handed over the function of Convention year Clips and the administration of the Australian Square Dance Review to the National Square Dance Society of Australia. This amendment will reflect this change.

Original Clause
128.7c) The clips shall be purchased, for the time being, from The Secretary, Square Dance Society of New South Wales Inc., address as published herein.

d) The cost of the clips to the Convention Committee shall be set by the Square Dance Society of NSW in association with the Australian National Square Dance Convention Board Inc.

Resultant Clause:
128.7c) The clips shall be purchased, from The Merchandising Officer, National Square Dance Society of Australia Inc., address as published herein.(Appendix No3)

d) The cost of the clips to the Convention Committee shall be set by the National Square Dance Society of Australia Inc. in association with the Australian National Square Dance Convention Board.

Note: As per Clause 136, of the By-Laws for the Operations of Australian National Square Dance Conventions, it is required that any comment, on the above changes should be made in writing to The Board one month prior to the next Convention, (May 2016).
Calling You

Circle Right was a magazine published in the 1950’s. This month’s article is taken from August 1953 entitled “Meet Gary Cohen.

Gary was born in Melbourne in 1928 and spent most of his early life travelling around Australia. During his school days he became an avid collector of song books and he knew the words of every song in every book he had. He developed a flare for learning a song from only one or two hearings. This flare was to be a big help in later days as a square dance caller.

September 1950 Gary and his fiancee Pat went off to their first square dance amidst protests from Gary that he did not want to go. They soon discovered that square dancing was the recreation that they both wanted.

The next night at the Palais Royal, the club there, decided to form two squares and enter these two teams in the NSW Amateur championships to be held at the Town Hall. Gary & Pat were picked for the number one team and six weeks later this team became the Amateur champions. The team decided to stay together and later called themselves the Denver Dudes.

Gary soon realised that Pat was one of the best dancers at the dances and so he worked hard to be the best partner for her. However, while trying so hard Gary did not notice that the rest of the team were putting their best foot forward and that instead of dancing as individuals, they were dancing as a team.

Pat & Gary rejoined the team after they were married in February 1951 and embarked on a whirling series of demonstrations with their caller, Smiling Billy Blinkhorn.

Came the news of a six thousand pound competition and naturally the team entered for this mammoth prize money. They practised seven nights a week, Saturday afternoon and Sunday afternoon. They lived and breathed square dancing. Caller Billy Blinkhorn secured an engagement in New Zealand and so the Denver Dudes asked Eddie Carol to train them in hoedown dancing.

So for the next two months training was intensified.

On the 6th August 1951 fifty teams competed for the NSW championship. This was won by the Denver Dudes who went on to win the Australian National championship.

Joe Lewis commented that the Denver Dudes were the most graceful and perfectly trained team. They were also one of he finest impromptu dance teams in the world and could win any competition of this nature even in America.

Gary then put a replacement in the team and became their caller. He had many engagements and soon developed a singing patter style of calling. This is a ‘pleasant on the ear’ style of calling and one which is adopted by most callers of today (1950’s).

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Tassie News

TASMANIAN SQUARE DANCE SOCIETY
Clubs have resumed for 2016. Let’s hope it is a good year for all. A.G.M. due in April. Did you put your application in for a position on the committee?

Frank Steers,
President

CASINO SQUARE DANCE CLUB - Hobart (John Weatherburn)
With our Christmas and New Year celebrations over, we began our normal dance nights on the first of February, some of us are still on holiday and Robert had a late start because of a bad knee but thankfully has now recovered. We are expecting visitors, some from Canberra and the following week from New South Wales. We are having such a great summer this year I think everyone is making the most of it. I hope to dance and go to a music festival while away. It’s early days so there is not much news to write about at present, we are still dancing weekly and will continue to do so until further notice.

Iris Weatherburn

LAUNCESTON (Glenn MacLaren & Di Ashton)
Numbers have been great starting the new year. Pete & Barb managed to produce those lovely potatoes in their jackets again at Myrtle Park and the toppings that the other dancers brought to share was just amazing. It was a great setting with those game enough going for a dip in the river. Another Spud night coming up soon at the Shearing Shed. Trivia night tested our brains so congratulations to those clever people, who unlike me, can answer so many questions on a variety of subjects. Thanks to those who contributed questions and to Heather for collating the proceedings and to Julie for providing some prizes.

Shirley Casboult

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Mike on the mike. A.C.T

A.C.T. Members
A.C.T. Delegate’s Report

I hope that everyone had a great break over Xmas and New Year with family and friends to recharge their batteries for another year of dancing. Last year ended well with Kerr-Ly-Qs Oklahoma themed Christmas dance followed a couple of days later with the Society’s Xmas Dance at the Yarralumla Sea Scout’s hall where over forty people attended the function. With a sit down lunch and then dancing the afternoon out, it was a great way to end the Square Dance year. Thanks to the helpers, callers and dancers who attended the dance for making it a great day.

Our AGM with a Pot Luck dinner plus dance was on the 27th February. The Kerr-Ly-Q club is starting another beginner class, we hope that our numbers will continue to grow in 2016. We would like to thank all of the helpers and volunteers throughout the last year. Your help is very much appreciated. On a final note, unfortunately, Mike will not be continuing as President this year. We thank him for all of his contributions to the society as president since 2013.

ACT Square Dance Review Editor:
Raymond Bates.
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B = Basic, MS = Mainstream, P = Plus, A = Advanced 1 & 2, C1 = Challenge 1, R = Rounds

For more information - www.vsda.org.au or www.rounddanceassociationvictoria.org.au
**Victorian President’s Report**

Hello from down south here in Victoria with the weather hot, then cold, then heavy rain, hasn't stopped our clubs opening the doors so we can continue dancing and having lots of fun and enjoyment. With most clubs now back dancing there is not a lot to report at this stage.

The Victorian Square Dance Association is currently in the first stage of our advertising campaign which will end in March as this is Square Dance month. All clubs now have the flyer that has been produced and are in the process of distribution.

We are now ready for our State Convention also in March and this will include the AGM where the committee will be elected for the next year.

We hope to see as many of you at the National convention in Queensland later this year and if driving take care and enjoy the journey.

Once again keep your eyes on the web site for all important news.

Cheers  
Mark Kelly  
President

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Happy Easter  
Janice Alexander  
Jaden Frigo
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N.S.W. President’s Report

On Saturday 30th January the Association had its first dance of the year. It was a caller/cuer seminar with a dance on the Saturday night. Thanks to Barry Wonson for organising a very successful event with thirty-three people attending the seminar. Also thanks to the presenters: Chris Froggatt, Barry Wonson, Gary Carpenter, David Todd, Mel Wilkerson, Ed Coleman and Jaden Frigo who donated their time. Although a very hot night the dance floor was overflowing and there were still six squares dancing the last bracket.

Did you know this year is the 60th Anniversary of the Square Dance Society of NSW? Come and celebrate at our fantastic Dinner Dance.

Our AGM is fast approaching (see ad page 19) and we are looking for a Vice President to represent the dancers. It’s your Association so come along and have your say!

Do you have anyone in your club who has been dancing for fifty years or more who has not previously been recognised for this achievement. Let us know so they receive recognition for their dedication to square dancing.

It is pleasing to hear so many clubs starting new dancer classes in March/April. See if you can encourage someone to join our amazing activity.

Don’t forget to support the club and caller where you learnt to dance.

See you on the dance floor!

David Todd
President
N.S.W. Club News

JUST BLISS DANCE CLUB
Caller: James Brooks
We resumed dancing in January. It was lovely to have a visit from Lynn and Wal Kelly on the very first night. Despite the holidays, the heat and humidity, dancer enthusiasm remains. We have had some extra nights for our original group who are now starting to dance at full mainstream. Get Well wishes to all those on the sick or injured list.

HENRY KENDALL SQUARES
Caller Les Heaton
Back dancing in 2016, happy birthday to all those who had a birthday over the Christmas break, how lucky that our hall is back to normal and with the air conditioning working overtime. A hectic year ahead with State and National Conventions plus week-ends and festivals ahead. Remember support your club and enjoy your dancing.

GREENWICH SWINGERS
Caller: Brian Hotchkies
Good to be dancing again. Thank you Ron and Les for calling for us at short notice. Best wishes to those with health issues for a rapid recovery and return to dancing. Congratulations to Joan and Keith on their 65th wedding anniversary. Looking forward to the State and National Conventions. Our first party in 2016 is our “Post” St. Patrick’s Day dance.

SUSSEX-SHOALHAVEN SQUARES Tuesday
Caller: Jan Johnson
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SAPPHIRE SQUARES
George & Pam Pitt
With most members around for the beginning of the year, club is nicely back into the swing of things with the year well underway. However, there will be no dance the first Wednesday of this month as Pam & George will be away. A big month for them as they celebrate 60 years of marriage. Happy birthday Alan & Peter.

TAMWORTH CLOVERLEAF DANCERS
Welcome to new dancers Matt, Liz and Diane. Hope you enjoy dancing with us as you learn. Also, thanks to Margaret Betts for her assistance this year. Hall has had extensive renovations over the break and the floor has been sanded and re-polished. Looks and dances great. Planning underway for our 8th birthday.

HILLBILLIES SQUARES Beecroft
Callers Vickie and Steve. We had a great crowd on our first night back with lots of dancing and lots of catching up on the gossip. Graham Luks has retired, Kay is off for a tour of Tasmania and Linda, Margaret and Elaine are heading off on a three day cruise. Lots of birthdays in March, happy birthday to all of you.
OUR BIG 2ND BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

SUNDAY - 3RD APRIL, 2016.

It’s an Afternoon Matinee of Square Dancing 2.00pm to 5.00pm ... Then concluding with:

A SPECIAL BBQ DINNER.

YOU ARE INVITED TO COME ALONG AND HELP “J UST BLISS” CELEBRATE ANOTHER COMPLETED SUCCESSFUL YEAR.

WHERE: Randwick Public School - (enter using the gates in “The Avenue” near Frances Street)

ENTRY: $20 Each (Dance and BBQ inclusive)


ENQUIRIES: To James - 9398 2965 or 0408 110 995.

TO HELP US WITH CATERING, PLEASE RETURN THE FORM BELOW TO JAMES PERSONALLY OR AT - P.O. BOX 7, RANDWICK 2031. OTHERWISE TO REGISTER..... PHONE HIM, IF AT ALL POSSIBLE BY THURSDAY 24TH MARCH.

Amount enclosed for ____ Dancers @ $20 each = Total $______

Names: __________________  __________________  __________________

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Welcome to 2016 and I hope everyone enjoyed the break. The registration form for The 37th NSW State Convention 2016 at Woongarrah is available, just go to the squaredance.org.au website and click on NSW then conventions and download your registration form or email ken.fagan@gmail.com and Ken will be happy to forward you a copy. The Convention is from Fri 3 – Mon 4 September.

I have to mention that I was very lucky to attend the Square & Round Dance Assoc 5th Saturday dance on Sat 30/1/16 at Corrimal. The dancing was very enjoyable and congratulations to the committee. The NSW Callers/Cuers Weekend Conference was also incorporated. And I have to say I am very glad I attended and to congratulate Barry Wonson, Chris Froggatt, David Todd, Gary Carpenter, Jaden Frigo, Mel Wilkerson and Ed Coleman on their topics for callers and cuers. The next caller/cuer conference will be announced soon and would highly recommend that new and not so new callers/cuers should attend.

The NSW Callers & Cuers Newsletter is out now and with some very comprehensive information from Barry Wonson, the NSW ACF Co-Ordinator.

The next SRDANSW 5th Saturday Dance is April 30 and there is an advertisement on the front inside cover. Nev McLachlan is the feature caller for our dinner dance. Tickets for the dinner need to be pre-booked for catering purposes. Amazing value for $25 afternoon, dinner and an evening dance.

We now have 119 likes on our Facebook page. Get onto Facebook and like our page.

Frances McAlister
Publicity Officer

### 2016 NSW Calendar of Events

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Manning Promenaders 29th Birthday

Brian Hotchkies and
Gary Carpenter

Rounds with Dorothy Ranger
assisted by Laurie Farleigh

Taree High School, Taree
22nd – 24th July 2016

Fri Night    Rounds, Mainstream
Sat Midday   Rounds (Ph 2 - 4)
Sat Afternoon Mainstream, Plus
Sat Night    Chinese Buffet Dinner (Optional)
Sun Morning  Mainstream, Rounds

Manning Promenaders 29th Birthday Weekend

REGISTRATION

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Weekend (After 1/5/16) ..........  @ $35 .........................
Chinese Buffet (by 12/7/16) ..........  @ $19.50 …………………
A cancellation fee of $2 applies. Total ..........................

Make cheques payable to Manning Promenaders Social Club Inc.
Post to:-  859 Ocean Drive
Bonny Hills    2445
(Or register online at: www.manningpromenaders.com/birthday-info)
WESLEY SENIORS
We are a square dance group run as part of the School for Seniors by the Wesley Mission and are open to anyone 60 years and over. Wednesday mornings, Barbara takes the Mainstream, and after lunch Margaret takes Beginners. On Friday mornings Barbara takes the Plus class.

PANTHER SQUARES
Caller: Maree Huffadine
Looking forward to our 25 years of dancing celebrations in March. We will not be dancing on the middle two Wednesdays in March due to hall refurbishment. Great to see Betty back dancing with us again. Beginner classes starting in April. All welcome

SUMMERLAND LARRIKINS
Caller: Wilma Flannery
First night back and a few of us are still away. Anne & Neville are back in their campervan travelling west. Shirley is away celebrating her birthday. Gerry is also away. And Elaine and Peter away due to Elaine’s injury, although it was good to see them at our Christmas breakup. Happy Birthday Jean

WILLI-WHIRLERS
Caller: Wilma Flannery
January was a busy month with the Callers get together for Wilma, Karen and Frances in Glen Innes and Callers Seminar in Corrimal for Karen and Frances. We are now wondering what they are going to throw at us in the months to come. February Happy Birthday to Des.

CARPENTER & CO
Caller: Gary Carpenter
The year started off well with three squares of keen (& hot) dancers, though sometimes they were keener on catching up than dancing. Looking forward to the club birthday, conventions, weekend festivals etc. We have a big year ahead. We had a small presence at the Society Dance in Corrimal where everything was HOT and the Caller/Cuer seminar very worthwhile.

KNEE DEEP SQUARES
Caller: Chris Froggatt

MOUNTAIN DEVILS
Caller: David Todd
Thank you to all the visitors who joined us for our 20th birthday recently. Special thanks to Molly for the scrumptious birthday cake. It was great to have Dawn visit-one of the founding members of the club. David recently called for 150 people at the National Friendship Club gathering at Blackheath recently.

NSW Lucky Membership
LUCKY DRAW FOR MARCH

Metro 3184 Top Cats
Country 13041 Sussex/Shoalhaven

Winners from February
Terence Ryan of Wandering Stars
Winners please contact Barbara Doust on (02) 9602 6377 or write to:
12 St Pauls Crescent, Liverpool NSW 2170

Knee-Deep Squares presents
Saturday night
“Mainstream and Plus Dancing”
air conditioned comfort at
Club Kirrawee, Oak Road, Kirrawee
Caller: Chris Froggatt
7pm -10 pm Saturday 19th March, 2016
Enquiries to Linda on 0421 133 518
GREENWICH SWINGERS S D CLUB

“Post” ST. PATRICK’S DAY PARTY

Dress for the occasion
And win a prize

8-00pm Friday 18th March 2016
Public School Barton Rd. Artarmon

ALL WELCOME
Enquiries 9953 0769

SQUARE & ROUND DANCE ASSOCIATION OF NSW INC.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

4.30pm Saturday 30th April

Nepean Creative and Performing Arts High School

115-119 Great Western Hwy, Emu Plains NSW 2750

A vacancy exists for a Vice President to represent dancers

A candidate and their nominators (2) must be financial members of the Square &
Round Dance Association of NSW Inc.
Nominations need to be returned to the Secretary by the 30th March 2016 to
P.O. Box 229 Blaxland 2774
If there are no nominations received nominations will be taken from the floor.

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Queensland President’s Report

Most of our clubs are now underway for 2016 with good dancing numbers from what I hear, despite the exceptional heat that we have endured this summer.

February is always a busy month for birthdays and anniversaries. Congratulations to David and Faith Pearce and the dancers of Rambling Eights on reaching the wonderful milestone of 30 years. They celebrated in style on the 12th February with Brian Hotchkies as their special guest caller.

Congratulations also to the Logan City Square Dance Centre who celebrated their 12th Anniversary, Sunshine Squares who celebrated 7 years and Taigum Twirlers who celebrated 4 years.

Don’t forget - Society clubs have the opportunity to advertise their learners’ classes on the Society website as well as their normal dance sessions. This website has been set up to promote our activity and our Society but most importantly, your clubs. It is receiving a lot of hits now that it has been up and running for nearly two years. Don’t miss out on this opportunity to promote. Send us your information so that it can be included – squaredanceqld.president@gmail.com

Lynette Macpherson
President

LOGAN CITY SQUARE DANCERS INC

Saturday Dance
9th April
Feature Caller
Gary Petersen

Enquiries: Ph. 0405 316 369
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Queensland Publicity Report

Square Dancing activities are picking up again in Queensland.
The Society Christmas Weekend went well, a great dance, a meeting, Christmas dinner and for the keen ones, barefoot bowls. Great organising Lynette, Sid and the team. We bid farewell to Noel McKenzie who has now returned to New Zealand after calling in the Brisbane area for a quite a few years. Bon voyage and best wishes for the future Noel.

The Qld. Society AGM Dance will be a Beach Party. This will be hosted by Bribie Island Squares. The party starts at 1.00pm on Sunday 13 March with the meeting followed by afternoon tea and dancing. This is sure to be an exciting day and new members for the Society committee are sure to be welcomed.

The excitement for the 2016 National to be held on the Sunshine Coast is still building. Registrations are getting close to 800! More than sixty callers and twenty cuers registered so we shall have a great time and a good variety with many of the best callers from Australia and several overseas callers and cuers in attendance. Tickets for the convention are still available. The International Monday night dance is a complete sell out but there are tickets available for the afternoon session.

31st March is the next cut-off date for discounted tickets. Have you checked out our “Bush Telegraph” on the web site yet? Watch out for specials from local businesses and attractions. Our Hospitality Manager June has been doing a sterling job stirring up sponsors to offer discounts and deals for dancers. Registration Forms and details are available on the National’s web site: http://www.squaredancenational2016.com.

Interest is still growing for the ACF Caller Cuer Conference 2016 which is being held immediately prior to the National. This will be a great event that callers, cuers and leaders will not want to miss. The three days will feature international and Australian caller/coaches, See the website: http://acfcallercuerconference2016.weebly.com

David Pearce Publicity Officer
The Hervey Bay Square Dancers started up again to enjoy another year full of fun, fitness and friendship. Our first dance was to be on the Scarness stage on the Esplanade to help celebrate Australia Day. As the eager beavers that we are and in true Aussie style, dressed in reds, whites and blues, and undaunted by pending rain, we arrived, only to find the whole area virtually deserted.

As we didn't want our efforts or energy to go to waste, we took ourselves off to the RSL to check if we might do some entertaining there. After some deliberation patrons were treated to a joyful session of colours, dance and sing-a-long Australian tunes.
We want to thank the RSL management for accommodating our request and organising an impromptu demonstration in their Anzac lounge on such short notice. We certainly enjoyed ourselves, we may even have found some new learners!

Good luck & have fun
Samantha
Secretary, Hervey Bay Square Dance Club Inc.
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www.squaredancingherveybay.com

State Editor’s comment: I received the above story from Hervey Bay and thought wow! They were not notified the event had been cancelled till after arriving at the venue. So they found their own audience. Great initiative on their part to promote square dancing. Perhaps we all need a bit more of their enthusiasm when it comes to stepping outside of our club dance venues and taking it to the public. These dancers attend many club and society functions throughout the state as well as Nationals and always stand out with their enthusiastic dancing. They don’t use way out fancy moves which cause others in the set to make way for them, but there is always a smile on their faces, a skip in their step and a joy in every move they make. A few years ago I attended the funeral of one of their dancers. He was also a member of Ulysses Motor Bike Club and the bikers turned up wearing their club gear. I was impressed to see the Hervey Bay square dance club members also proudly wearing their club gear – full square dance attire for all! Proud of their club and not afraid to show it. Christine Lucas, State Editor, Queensland.
Queensland Club News

CHUG-A-LUG & DOUBLE JINGLE CLOGGERS
Congratulations to Del Mercer, presented with a Dancer Recognition Certificate by the Square Dancing Society of Queensland. Del, square dancing for 65 years, has also been a clogger for many years. Clogging clubs are back dancing, with beginners already coming to classes. Enjoyable, easy exercise to music is how we see it, plus joining in with friends old and new.

CANE COUNTRY SQUARES
Dancing resumed February with one set plus a few on a rainy night, and members interchanged during dances. The dancing was bright and cheery despite the weather and low numbers. No learners’ class yet so the last learners can consolidate on movements and regular members have a break from new classes. All looking forward to another year of good dancing.

GUMDALE GRANDSLIDER
We experienced a hot start to the year with our summer dance, and the Australia Day Sausage Sizzle, both held on extremely hot nights. Great to welcome back familiar faces and catch up on news. Thanks to those who braved the heat for the start of our dancing year.

HERVEY BAY SQUARE DANCERS INC
We at Hervey Bay had a strong start for our dancing year; two previous dancers returning and four beginners travelling well. Now we are starting a new learners’ class this month. We are having a Bi-monthly Birthday Celebratory Sunday Lunch. The first one was a great success.

RAMBLING EIGHTS
Wonderful night celebrating 30 years. Nine sets danced to Brian Hotchkies, visitors came from all over Qld and some from NSW. Congrats to Glynis, first drawn raffle winner and ten more, and thanks to all those who contributed to the festive night, especially Faith. Last, but not least, thank you to David Pearce for calling for our club for 30 years.

SUNCOASTERS
It is good to be back in full force after the holidays. We had a dance on Australia Day inviting new people to join us but unfortunately, it was a very stormy night which caused the numbers to be down and this has happened on other dance nights as well. We are pleased to have a few new dancers joining us now. We have welcomed Nev and Bev back from their holidays.

Calling You - Gary Cohen
Gary’s opinion of square dancing was that, ‘it is the only type of recreation that caters for young and old. The graceful swirling of skirts appeals to all and the fact that the atmosphere at a square dance is so friendly is one of the reasons I have devoted all my time and energy to the task of presenting square dancing to the general public.
Gary worked with Joe and Frank Lores to help them promote the Australian National Square Dance Association. He felt sure square dancing would become Australia’s national dance.
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN DIARY

The South Australian Square Dance Society Inc. President Heather Wheeler
(Callers Name appears prior to phone number. All nos. Prefix with 08)

Monday
FINDON: Adelaide Outlaws MS Graham Elliott 8353 1749

Tuesday
MAGILL: Kannella Squares ADV/PLUS Jeff Seidel 8263 5023
PT NOARLUNGA: Sunset Twirlers MS Les Tulloch 8388 2502

Wednesday
KILBURN: Adelaide Outlaws PLUS Graham Elliott 8353 1749
STURT Sunset Twirlers RNDS Les Tulloch 8388 2502

Thursday
PARA VISTA: Leisurely Squares MS Noes Noesbar 8258 3046
COLLINSWOOD: T & T Rounds * RNDS Tom & Thelma McCue 8261 8128

Friday
COLLINSWOOD: T & T Rounds * RNDS Tom & Thelma Convention RNDS to Ph 4 8261 8128
SALISBURY: Scoot Back Squares MS Chris & Ian 0466 996 202
PORT ELLIOT: Paddle Steamers L/MS Leon 0407854945
MAGILL: Wild Frontier MS Jeff Seidel 8263 5023
(7.00-8pm: Plus learners)
MOUNT GAMBIER: Pine City Twirlers * L/MS Records 8725 7524
NARACOORTE: Acey Squares* MS Records 8762 3629

Saturday
MOUNT GAMBIER: Allabout Squares * L/MS Andrea Braun 0417 509 144

Sunday
COLLINSWOOD: T & T Rounds RNDS Tom & Thelma (12.00 Ph. 2-5 2.30 Convention) McCue 8261 8128

NOTE: All 8.00 pm start, except * - 7.30 start, exceptions noted

Gary released several square dance records on a Manhattan Label. He attributes his success to his wife Pat, who has supported and encouraged him. Gary believed that if you want the best of enjoyment, if you want companionship with many people, if you want to make friends, if you want a harmonious home life, if you want to be looking at the world through rose-coloured glasses then go square dancing. Come and join the round-up, bring your picnic supper and be in the fun whether you are eight or eighty.

Gary was one of the first callers to appear on television square dancing. He produced what is regarded as the best long-play square dance record in Australia. He died in March 1987 on Queensland’s Gold Coast where he had lived since 1963.
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“We do not grow too old to dance. We grow old because we do not dance.”  
--Herb Greggerson, Square Dance Caller, 1953
W.A. Delegate’s Report

It was great to dance with Brian Hotchkies on his visit to Perth in January. The dancers appreciated his antics and interesting choreography...well done Brian..we love your visits.

We had a visit from one of Steve Turner’s ‘long lost girlfriends’ - Dame Edna Everage appeared at Greenfinches Australia Day Dance. Jim & Steve seemed to pick up where they left off very quickly and provided lots of fun and entertainment with all their on and off stage carry ons..... Dame Edna was not available for Allemanders Squares 12th birthday dance so Jim Buckingham had to provide a great spread of good calling and was assisted by Brian Sims and Greg Fawell. Many thanks to all of the callers who often go beyond the call of duty in dressing up and it’s great to see them having so much fun entertaining us.

Valentine’s Day Dances has come and gone with many a red rose being shared on and off the floor. There were red dresses, skirts and shirts galore at Gidgegannup’s Valentine’s Day Dance with Jo Pendlebury looking good in her outfit and coming back to better health...great work Jo. The four callers Alan Eades, Tony Gray, Greg Fawell and Phil Hartley provided a good variety of calling for all to enjoy. Meanwhile at White Gum Valley Don Gauci was shaking the speakers with his calling for all the Valentines there. ...Wonder what we will all get up to this time next year?

We look forward to our Australian National in Buderim and hope all the dancers and callers are gearing up well for this big event.

Beginners classes are popping up in many directions so we wish them all well and ask for lots of dancers to ensure they do their little bit as many hands make light work That means look out for every opportunity to help sell square dancing and encourage people to give it a go. When they do give it a go it is then up to all to ensure it is a pleasant and memorable experience from beginning till graduation and beyond.

Regards,

Steve Longwood – Promotions Officer SDSWA
SQUARE DANCE SOCIETY OF WESTERN AUSTRALIA INC.

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Solo Dancers

It has been 16 years since the media and governments were worried that all computers would crash with the change over to the year 2000. Nothing drastic happened and the world got on with “business as usual”. Any change to a system will cause concern. Square Dancing has had its highs and lows and over the years many changes have taken place and must continue to occur if Square Dancing is to maintain its status in society.

A new year has begun and hopefully many clubs will be welcoming new dancers. Keeping the new dancers is where the challenge arises. There are so many dimensions within a club for new dancers to take on board. There is usually a Caller (or Club Convenor and recorded music), maybe a Social Committee (with President, Secretary and Treasurer), sign-in register, money collector and the various grades of existing dancers. Each club has their own way of welcoming new dancers and visitors.

The beginning of a new year is often the best time for clubs to check their routines and revise the procedure, if need-be. Also it’s often the time when existing dancers decide to stop dancing. A friendly call and encouragement will often bring them back. However, there are those dancers who, through failing health or the loss of a partner, feel they cannot dance anymore. There should always be a place, at any club, for members who are unable to dance but would still like to have the social contact. They can - sit and talk to the new dancers or the ones sitting out; prepare supper and make the tea and coffee; collect the door money and be the welcome person; help with cueing the music and putting CD’s or records on. Newcomers might be more inclined to stay if they saw a club full of people, rather than a small group of eight to ten. Dancers, who are on their own, may feel more comfortable enmeshed in a crowd. It may also be wise to ensure that non-dancers do not outnumber active dancers. Hopefully 2016 will be a rewarding year for all clubs and the sport of Square Dancing will continue to grow and prosper with many new dancers on board.

Whilst several Solo Dancers have their names down for the Solo Dress Set for the 57th Australian National Square Dance Convention in Buderim, there is still room for more. Any Solo Dancer who is not involved with another Dress Set and would like to join the Solo Dress Set, please Email ejboyd@bigpond.com or phone 0409457342

Keep smiling.

Eileen Boyd (Tamworth Cloverleaf Dancers)
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EMERGENCY CALL FOR MEDICAL AID

1. When a dancer goes down, a second dancer attends him/her.

2. Remaining couples join hands and take a step backward. This will allow the injured person and attendant air and room.

3. Raise joined hands as high as possible in the form of an arched circle.

4. On seeing this signal, the caller or hall monitor will immediately place an Emergency Call for Medical Aid.

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Friday Evening (1 session)
7.00pm: Rounds
7.30pm: Plus & Rounds
(with 2 x A-1 Intros)

Saturday Afternoon (1 session)
1.00pm: Advanced 2
3.30pm: Intro to C-1
4.15pm: C-1 Session
5pm: B.Y.O. Tea Break

Saturday Evening (1 session)
7pm: Plus in Hexagons
8pm: Plus & Rounds

Sunday Morning (1 session)
10.30am: Advanced 1
12.30pm: Catered Lunch

Sunday Afternoon (1 session)
1.45pm: Rounds
2.00pm: Plus
4.30pm: Finish

Monday 25th – Afternoon C1 session (alternate venue) email us for further information about this session.

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Venue

Central Ringwood, Community Centre
Bedford Park, Bedford Road
Ringwood, VIC, 3134

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4 Sessions | $34.00 | $40.00
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