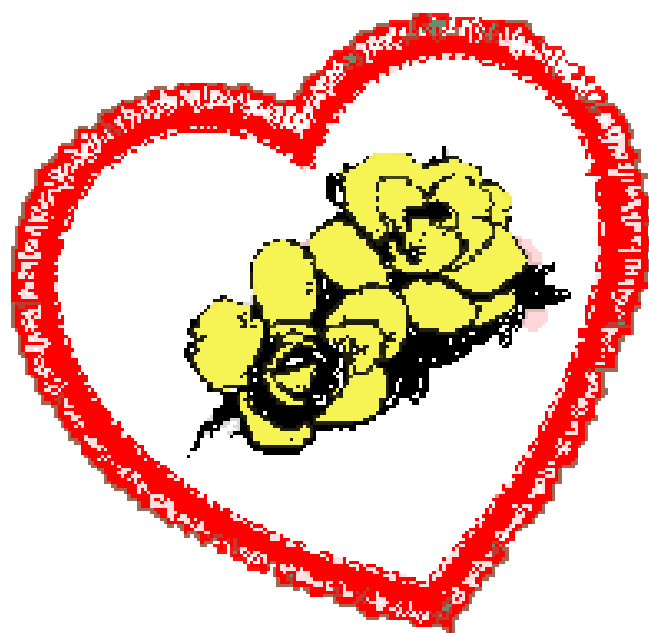
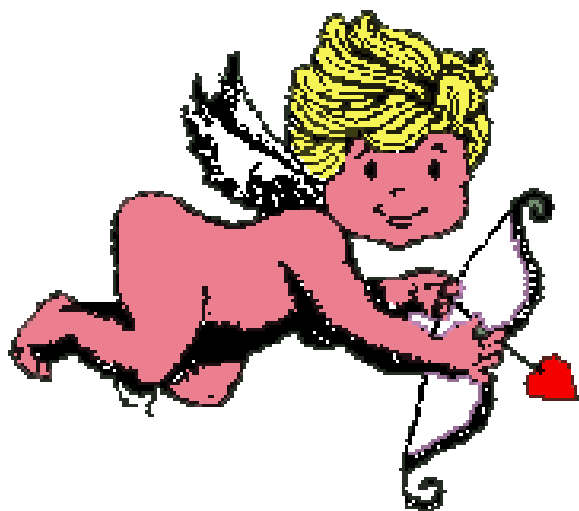


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Colorado West Area Square & Round Dance Council News Bulletin

FEBRUARY 2024



Valentines Day

2023-2024

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CWAS&RDC COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

JAN 14 2024	BLACK CANYON TWIRLERS – MONTROSE, CO
MAR 10, 2024	FOUR CORNERS DANCERS – CORTEZ CO.
MAY 5, 2024	CHATFIELD COUNTRY KICKERS - VFW HALL, 503 ½ FLORENCE RD. GRAND JCT.
AUG 25, 2024	CWAS&RDC - VFW HALL, 503 ½ FLORENCE RD, GRAND JCT.
NOV 10, 2024	TBD

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CWASRDC MEETING

01-14-2024

By zoom

CALL TO ORDER: Meeting called to order by President Vicki Graffenberg at 2:32 p.m. Vicki led the Pledge of Allegiance.

ROLL CALL: Pat McBride called the roll call of clubs. Clubs represented today include:

Black Canyon Twirlers	xx	Dancing Shadows	xx	Greenridge Mountaineers	xx	Four Corners Dancers	xx
Chatfield Country Kickers	xx	Delta Hubwheelers	xx	San Juan Dancers			

Those in Attendance: by zoom: Vicki Graffenberg, Jim Rush, Pat McBride, Wanda McBride, Lynda Law, Chuck Watkins, Carol Watkins, Mike and Stacey Lee, Paul Ash, Patty Randol and Duane Randol, Abby Palmer, Walt Winnie, Ervin and Nancy Wyatt and Elaine O'Neill.

Minutes: Chuck Watkins moved that the minutes of the Nov. meeting as amended be approved. Amendment was: In old business, policies are going to be reviewed. Duane Randol seconded the motion, motion approved.

Secretary note: All voting was done by show of hands.

Treasurer: Report sent out in meeting notice. Pat McBride moved to approve the report as submitted. Chuck Watkins seconded the motion. Motion carried.

Correspondence: None. Cards sent.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Hall Of Fame: No Report at this time.

Float: No Report. Request made for July 4th and the last week of July for the fair for Delta/ Montrose.

CWCCA: No Report. Next 5th Saturday is March 30, 2024. No Decision at this time but fairly sure there will be a dance. Look for flyers.

CRDA: No Report.

News Editor: See Attached. Chuck noted that the picture on the report was upside down.

Peach Promenade: Report given by Jim Rush. See Attached. Jim commented that Mike has done a great job on the Peach Website. peachpromenade.org

Senior Rep: No Report as there has not been a CSSDA meeting since our last council meeting.

Jr. Rep.: No Report

Web site report: No report.

Golden/Platinum Age: No report. Sent out separately.

Vice President: Paul was contacted by Andrith Davis with the State Festival. She was inquiring about special dances. Hub Wheelers Anniversary, CCK Anniversary, Spring Fling in Cortez were noted.

5th Friday. Next 5th Friday is May 31, 2024. Chuck Watkins moved and Duane Randol seconded to vacate this dance since several clubs have dances the next day.

Old Business:

Proclamation Dance (Just keeping this in the old business so that we don't forget to work on it.)

Policy and by laws are updated. Notification of the proposed changes was emailed out. At this time, Pat McBride moves to accept all the proposed changes as presented in the email. Is there a second? Chuck Watkins seconded. One minor change noted, under Golden Age/Platinum policy, the word dancer is repeated so one of them needs to be deleted.

Having been moved and seconded, discussion was opened from the floor. Motion passed. Pat will send out a clean version of the policies for another final review of the policies. After that review, policy sheets will be sent out to the entire council.

501c3 : Pat is still working on figuring out what is going on with the 501c3.

New Business:

Election of Officers: Volunteers were requested. Chuck Watkins noted that Paul Ash is doing a great job on sending out the weekly information. Pat McBride moved that the current board be reinstated. Chuck Watkins seconded. Motion passed.

Bill for Beacon guide- \$249 for 2024 Abby Palmer moved not to do it. Chuck Watkins seconded. Paul Ash noted that a fee was high. Lynda Law noted that we paid that last year. Motion carried. Paul Ash will investigate what the \$249 gets us.

Lynda asked if the notice for dues was received. Several clubs indicated that they had gotten the notice and are in the process of paying the dues.

● **Announcements:**

The next two Delta dances will be evening dances. Jan 20 and Feb. 3

Chuck announced that CCK will host the May meeting on May 5.

Next meeting March 17, 2024. Cortez, CO

Patty Randol moved to adjourn, Lynda Law seconded.
Meeting adjourned at 3:28 p.m.
Respectfully submitted,
Pat McBride, Secretary.

COLORADO WEST AREA SQUARE and ROUND DANCE COUNCIL
Editor's Report
14 January 2024

The number of Bulletins we send out are still at 110. If you know of a dancer/s that would like to receive the Bulletin please send us their contact information, name, street address, city, state, zip, phone number and email address. We will be happy to add them to our distribution list..

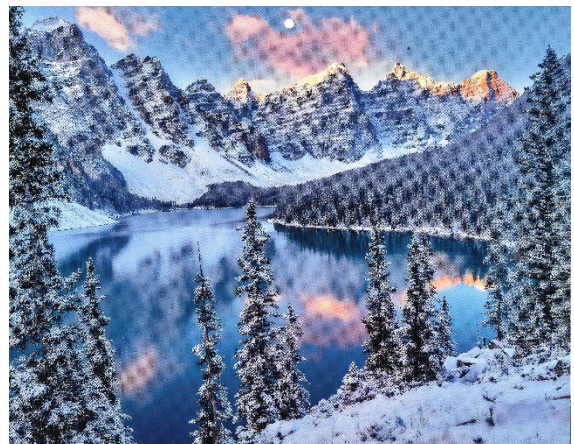
Thank you to those that places the Holiday Greetings in the Bulletin. Readers enjoy seeing them.

There several changes/deletions/additions to the Council Policy Sheets. These modifications will be addressed at the CWAS&RDC Council Meeting on 14 January. We hope that many dancers will attend the meeting either in person or by Zoom on line. Pat will put out a zoom meeting invitation to use if you can't attend the meeting.

If you have questions about submitting a club report, pictures or advertising please contact Carol or Chuck for help.

The deadline for the February 2024 Issue is
WEDNESDAY, 17 January 2023.

Respectively Submitted
Chuck and Carol Watkins
Editors



CWAS&RDC Meeting Jan. 14, 2024
Peach Promenade Committee Report

Following the Nov. 12 Council meeting, Peach transferred \$1,929.12 to the Council account, leaving \$500.00 available in the bank. Two full-package pre-registrations for 2024 Peach added another \$70.00 to the account.

Just to re-cap an amazing year for Peach, Lynda Law, Sue Schore, Naaman Moorehouse, Pat McBride, Chuck & Carol Watkins and Vicki Graffenberg and I formed a subcommittee to explore alternate venues for Peach 2023. We selected the Grand Mesa Middle School as the best option for a new home for the Promenade. Enthusiastic reviews by local and out-of-town dancers have told us that we made an outstanding choice.

Peach hosted 119 dancers this past year, a total we haven't seen in quite a while. With the help of the silent auction, dangle sales and donations, the Promenade generated \$2,004.12 revenue, another high-water mark.

Another first, Peach was able to offer discounts at local hotels for our out-of-town dancers and in-store discount coupons at two area restaurants. We will be looking to build on these first efforts in the coming year. Talbott Orchards not only donated peaches for our dancers to eat, they provided discount coupons for purchases at their store. We are looking forward to a long-term relationship with Talbotts.

At the November 12 meeting, Council approved the purchase of website hosting through Accuweb. In pursuing this initiative, Mike Lee, who has an extensive background in creating websites, has stepped forward. As a result of his research, we were able to purchase a slightly less expensive option (Nov. 12 Council proposal #1) through Accuweb that will provide all of the features we'll need. As expected, we also received a \$36 one-time sign-up discount for a \$51 total savings.

With Mike providing the technical expertise and Wanda McBride assisting with design, we have moved forward in creating a Peach website at www.peachpromenade.org. Please visit the site often to check on our progress – more visitors gives us a higher ranking in search engines.

Buddy Weaver will be calling Peach 2025 with Randy and Lorraine Pratt cuing. Please submit your suggestions for Peach 2026.

Respectfully submitted,
Jim Rush, chair
Peach Promenade Committee

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01/08/24

Accrual Basis

CWAS&RDC Peach Promenade Committee
2023 Promenade Income & Expense Report
 through October 31, 2023

	Nov 13, 23
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income	
Registrations	
At-Door Registrations	670.00
Pre-registrations	2,825.00
Total Registrations	3,495.00
Badges and Dangles	145.00
Auction	768.00
Donations	113.00
Total Income	4,521.00
Total Income	4,521.00
Cost of Goods Sold	
Cost of Goods Sold	153.65
Total COGS	153.65
Gross Profit	4,367.35
Expense	
Expenses	
Banking expenses	46.35
Banking fees	5.00
Callers & Cuers	
Caller fee	1,000.00
Cuor fee	200.00
Total Callers & Cuers	1,200.00
Venue	500.00
Publicity	
Flyer printing - current year	307.28
Flyer printing - next year	53.41
Mailing flyers	9.65
Other publicity	179.84
Total Publicity	550.18
Supplies	
Desk & display supplies	34.06
Decorations & tableware	17.62
Total Supplies	51.68
Postage, Mailing Service	10.02
Total Expenses	2,363.23
Total Expense	2,363.23
Net Ordinary Income	2,004.12
Other Income/Expense	
Other Expense	
Donations	
charitable donations	80.00
donations to Council	1,929.12
Total Donations	2,009.12
Total Other Expense	2,009.12
Net Other Income	-2,009.12
Net Income	-5.00

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Jan 8, 2024

Accrual Basis

CWAS&RDC Peach Promenade Committee

Bank Balance Report

As of December 31, 2023

	Dec 31, 23
ASSETS	
Current Assets	
Checking/Savings	
Cash	
Belco checking acct. 5838	570.00
Total Cash	570.00
Total Checking/Savings	570.00
Total Current Assets	570.00
TOTAL ASSETS	570.00
LIABILITIES & EQUITY	
Liabilities	
Current Liabilities	
Other Current Liabilities	
Next Year's Pre-registrations	70.00
Total Other Current Liabilities	70.00
Total Current Liabilities	70.00
Total Liabilities	70.00
Equity	
Unrestricted Net Assets	-51.66
Opening Balance Equity	551.66
Total Equity	500.00
TOTAL LIABILITIES & EQUITY	570.00

Golden and Platinum Age Report 1/14/2024

Golden Age certificate

There have been no Golden Age certificate nominations nor presentations made since July 27, 2023.

Platinum Dancer certificate

Three Platinum Dancer certificates have been presented since Council's November meeting. A total of 4 certificates have been presented since the program started.

1. Len Sinclair, of the Chatfield Country Kickers, on 12/2/2023 at Chatfield's dance. Len had recently turned 93, he was 90 on 11/2/2020.
2. Monica Colclasure, of the Delta HubWheelers, at the Delta/Montrose holiday dinner on 12/13/2023. She turned 90 on 7/29/2023.
3. Dot Doherty, of the Black Canyon Twirlers, at the NYE Eve Dance on 12/30/2023. She turned 90 two days earlier, on 12/28/2023.

Platinum Dancer dangles

Many thanks to Abby Palmer for ordering 10 'Platinum Dancer' dangles (see below) at \$2.68 each. They arrived in late December, so I was able to present them to Monica and Dot at the NYE Eve Dance. I hope to give one to both Liz Petersen and Len Sinclair the next time they dance.

Vicki Graffenberg

Golden & Platinum Age Program

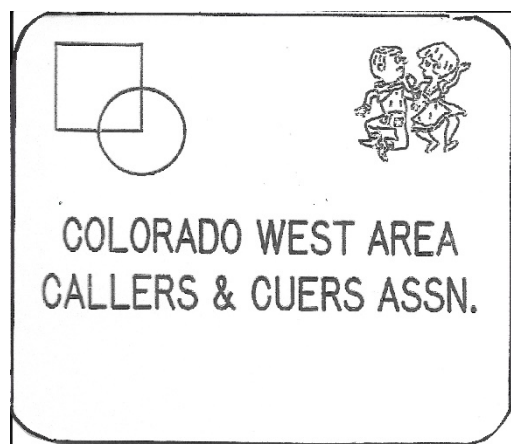
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CWAS&RDC PAST PRESIDENTS

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>NAME</u>	<u>CITY</u>
1951	Paul Davis*	NA
1952	Forrest Adair*	Grand Junction
1953	Howard* & Jean* Martsolf	Grand Junction
1954-1955	Lamar & Joan Podbevsek	Glenwood Springs
1956-1957	Dale* & Marion* McClaran	Montrose
1957-1958	Lee & Dee* Cogswell	Mack
1980-1981	Dale* & Marion* McClaran	Montrose
1981-1982	Lee & Dee* Cogswell	Mack
1982-1983	Pat McBride	Grand Junction
1983-1984	Glenn & Twila Locke	Grand Junction
1984-1985	Dave & Terry* Schiessl	Eagle
1985-1986	Don & Phyllis Burrows	Cedaredge
1986-1987	Don & Kathy Dodson	Grand Junction
1987-1988	Charlie* & Janis Brown	Craig
1988-1999	Larry & Kathee* Schulz	Grand Junction
1989-1991	Carl* & Rosie Kerns	Grand Junction
1991-1992	Dale* & Marion* McClaran	Montrose
1992-1994	Leon & Betty* Chapman	Montrose
1994-1996	Chuck & Carol Watkins	Grand Junction
1996-1998	Gary* & Jan Gardner	Cortez
1998-2000	Carl* & Rosie Kerns	Grand Junction
2001-2002	Bob* & Andi* Slade	Rifle
2002-2004	Jim & Maggie Stafford	Grand Junction
2004-2005	Ervin & Nancy Wyatt	Montrose
2005-2006	Lee & Dee* Cogswell	Mack
2006-2007	Don & Judy* Morris	Cortez
2007-2008	Andy* & Frankie Logan	Cortez
2009-2010	Darryl & Dixie Dye	Clifton
2011-2015	Ronnie*& Vonnice Robinson	Cortez
2015-2016	Paul* & JoAnn Eakins	Grand Junction
2016-2018	Ronnie*& Vonnice Robinson	Cortez
2018-2020	Jim & Maggie Stafford	Grand Junction

*Deceased





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S = Squares, O = Cue & Instruct, C = Cuer, P = Party Nights,
CL = CALLERLAB, RL = ROUNDALAB H=Honorary





COLORADO WEST AREA SQUARE & ROUND DANCE HALL OF FAME
2003 (FIRST INDUCTEES)

*BURL & *BOBBIE STARR	Grand Junction, CO
*BOB & *MILDRED ELAM	Grand Junction, CO
*BOB & *PEARLINE ARPKE	Loma, CO
*GEORGE & *WILMA SAWYER	Delta, CO
*TOM & DOT DOHERTY	Montrose, CO
<u>2004</u>	
CHUCK & CAROL WATKINS	Grand Junction, CO
PAT & WANDA MCBRIDE	Grand Junction, CO
<u>2005</u>	
*DALE & *MARIAN McCLARAN	Montrose, CO
*ANDY & FRANKIE LOGAN	Cortez, CO
<u>2006</u>	
*ADELA (DEL) COVEY	Clifton, CO
LAMAR & JOAN PODBEVSEK	Clifton, CO
<u>2007</u>	
*CARL & ROSIE KERNS	Grand Junction, CO
LEE & *DEE COGSWELL	Loma, CO
<u>2008</u>	
*HOWARD & *JEAN MARTSOLF	Grand Junction, CO
DON & *JUDY MORRIS	Cortez, CO
<u>2009</u>	
JIM & MAGGIE STAFFORD	Grand Junction, CO
LELAND & LOLA HOWARD	Montrose, CO
2010 NO INDUCTEES	
<u>2011</u>	
RICHARD & RUTH BERRY	Cortez, CO
*WILBUR & LOIS RICHARDSON	Meeker, CO
<u>2012</u>	
LARRY & * KATHEE SCHULTZ	Grand Junction, CO
<u>2013</u>	
MAXINE & *DALE SPRINGER	Grand Junction, CO
<u>2014-2017 NO INDUCTEES</u>	
<u>2018</u>	
*RONNIE & VONNIE ROBINSON	Cortez, CO
<u>2019</u>	
ERVIN & NANCY WYATT	Montrose, CO
<u>2020-2021</u>	
<u>NO INDUCTE</u>	
<u>2022</u>	
NAAMAN MOOREHOUSE	Grand Junction, CO
<u>2023</u>	
TOM & JOYCE HARTMAN	Montrose, CO

*Deceased



President's Corner

I had the pleasure of presenting the 4th Platinum Dancer certificate to Dot Doherty at the New Year's Eve Dance on Dec. 30, 2023. Dot turned 90 years old 2 days earlier, so she was presented with both a birthday bouquet and a Platinum Certificate. Her photo is with the Montrose club listing. Dot started dancing in 1951 - 72 years ago! She is a founding member of the Black Canyon Twirlers. She's still active - she's an angel at the classes currently being held in Montrose. And she saw 2023 out in good form - she danced the last tip at the NYE Eve dance. The next time you see Dot, please congratulate her!

Dot's was the 4th Platinum Certificate to be presented in the 3 months that the program has been active. If you know a dancer, maybe yourself, who qualifies, please let me know.

If you ever moan and whine "oh, I'm too tired to go to a dance tonight", just think of our Platinum Dancers, and get yourself out on the floor!

Last month I gave a shout-out about all the classes and demo dances going on in the Montrose area. This month I'd like to give some long-overdue praise to Pat and Wanda McBride. They keep the Chatfield Country Kickers club in Grand Junction going, and also call the Monday night dances in Clifton. They call every Thursday for the Greenridge Mountaineers in Craig. Three times a month that's done via Zoom (which adds several levels of difficulty) and once a month they drive 2 1/2 hours to Craig and call in person. Occasionally they call in Salida and Ft. Collins. It's a lot of responsibility keeping a club going, and they make it look easy and effortless.

But wait. There's more! In addition, Pat is the CWAS&RDC Secretary, Wanda is the Colorado State Square Dance Association Treasurer, and together they are the CWAS&RDC Junior Representatives to the CSSDA. Oh, and they are the Chairs of 2025 Colorado State Square Dancing Festival that will be held in Grand Junction.

We dancers in this area owe them several rounds of appreciation for the positions they hold, the dances they call, their dedication to promoting square dancing, and making square dancing fun! Thank you, Pat and Wanda!!

Speaking of promoting square dancing and stepping up to serve in the local Council and/or the State Association, have you thought about volunteering? The same people keep volunteering and cycling in and out of various positions. Do your part! Bring new ideas and energy to Council! Volunteer to help with the 2025 State Festival - there are all levels of participation to fit your comfort level. Or nominate yourself for a position on Council or help with Peach. We need hearts and hands. Contact any Council officer or Committee Chair - info is on page 2 of this bulletin.

As always, dance at your home club and in your neighboring towns as much as possible. You'll get to know the friendly dancers in other clubs and greatly increase your opportunities to dance and have fun.

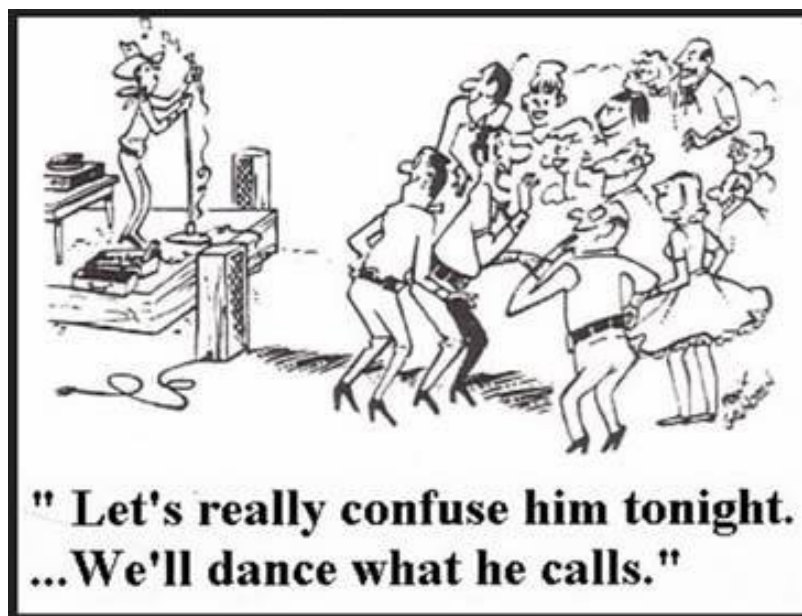
Vicki
Jan. 17, 2024

Hall of Fame Nominations

A committee just finished working on updating the Policy Sheets, resulting in this late notice about Hall of Fame nominations.

Hall of Fame nominations are usually due by Feb. 1st. Since this is such short notice, if you let the Hall of Fame Chair, Frank Ferris, know by Feb. 1st that you intend to nominate someone, then you have an additional 2 weeks to get the completed nomination form to him. Nomination forms are available from Frank, (970) 201-7353.

This exception is for 2024 only.



VICE PRESIDENT'S CORNER

You may hold my Hand for a while, but you hold my Heart forever!

We're celebrating the month of Love, and whether you love Night or Day Square Dancing, the Delta Hubwheelers have a schedule you will adore! We start fast on Saturday, February 3rd, with a Night Square Dance from 6 to 9 p.m., at the Delta First Baptist Church (DFBC) gym, 1250 Pioneer Rd., in Delta. Join Elaine O'Neill and Ervin Wyatt for the Dance Workshop from 6-7, followed by the Day-After-Groundhog-Day Dance from 7 to 9 p.m.

The bright light of daytime will greet dancers on Saturday, February 17th, for the second dance of the month. Join Ervin Wyatt and Mike Lee for the Dance Workshop at 1 p.m., with the post-Valentine's dance from 2-4 p.m., again at the DFBC gym.

We had 2 great dances in January to kick off 2024! Our Jan. 6 dance brought out 17 dancers, callers and guests. We couldn't do better than one square for the two hours, but had a good time still, dancing to the calls of Mike and Elaine. Just a few days after the holidays, we had lots and lots of delicious treats, most with sugar! We got giddy like a child in a candy store! We had another great time on the evening of Jan. 20th, and danced the night away (kind of) to the demands of the distinguished gentlemen, Mr. Wyatt and Mr. Lee!

I know what your New Year's Resolution is!! You want to be an official Hubwheeler! Easy to make happen -- just \$6 at our next dance, and you will be a badge-wearing Delta Dancer for the next 11 months and that's something to be proud of!! Whoopity! Whoopity!

Yellow Rock your Partner!
-Paul



FROM THE EDITORS

It is hard to believe that the Christmas Holidays are just over and there is "Valentines Day" stuff in the stores already.

We received the following newspaper article from one of your dancers and we thought an excerpt should be included in our News Bulletin.

This was taken from the Grand Junction Daily Sentinel "Your Town" by Tammy Gemaehlich.

"A local reader wrote in recently, commenting on my Dec. 23 column that detailed the dancing disaster. She and her husband had taken square dance lessons a few years ago "and have become some of its biggest fans," she wrote inviting anyone who might be interested to attend the weekly dances. "It's a really fun, social activity. If you can walk and take directions, you can square dance."

"Square dancing is every Monday night, (with few exceptions such as holidays, caller out of town, etc.) from 7-9PM, in the Great Room of the Clifton Christian Church, 3241 F ¼ Road, Clifton. Enter from the back parking lot, next to the RV Ranch."

"I call it a dance, but we frequently get non-dancers who want to learn, and the caller, Pat McBride, calls to the new dancers. This ensures that they have a positive experience, enjoy themselves and, hopefully, return."

"If you've never danced, don't worry. This is a stress-free way to learn. It's very informal. Street clothes are perfect;" she wrote.

Cost is \$4 per person. Bring your own water/drink.

Call McBride at 970-434-3543 or email pandapw3138@gmail.com for information.

Please note that there are other dances held through-out the Colorado West Area in addition to the Monday night event. Please refer to the listing of clubs on the next page.

Remember, there is an extra day this month so you can have another day to get your chores done that you seem to never have time to do.

Chuck and Carol



The deadline for the MARCH 2024 Bulletin is
WEDNESDAY, 21 FEBRUARY 2024

COLORADO WEST AREA
SQUARE & ROUND DANCE COUNCIL

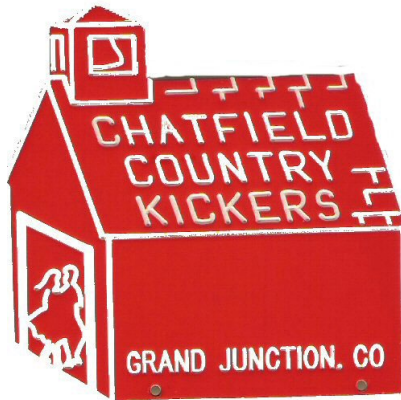
MEMBER CLUBS AND CONTACT LISTING

DAY WEEK	CLUB	CONTACT	CALLER/CUER LEVEL
SUN 1 & 3	DANCING SHADOWS MASONIC HALL 2400 CONSISTORY CT GRAND JCT., CO pandapw3138@gmail.com	PAT/ WANDA MCBRIDE 3138 F ¾ RD GRAND JUNCTION, CO 81504 (970)434-3543	PAT MCBRIDE PH II-IV
THU	GREENRIDGE MNTNEERS SENIOR SOCIAL CENTER 775 YAMPA AVE CRAIG, CO arloa@zirkel.us	ERV/ARLOA GERBER 81010 W HWY 40 W CRAIG, CO 81625 (970) 824-3396	PAT MC BRIDE OR ZOOM MS/PLUS
FRI B	SAN JUAN DANCERS DURANGO/LAPLATA SR CTR 2424 N. MAIN AVE DURANGO, CO jlnorton@fone.net	LOUIS/JUDY NORTON 1420 CR 526 BAYFIELD, CO 81122 (970) 884-1338	RICHARD BERRY MS/PLUS
SAT 1st & 3rd B	CHATFLD CNTRY KICKERS VFW HALL 503 ½ FLORENCE RD GRAND JUNCTION, CO cwatkins@acsol.net	CHUCK/CAROL WATKINS 3010 VIN ROSE WAY GRAND JUNCTION, CO (970) 434-0868	PAT MC BRIDE MS/PLUS Rounds II-IV
SAT 1st & 3rd B	DELTA HUBWHEELERS 1st BAPTIST CHURCH GYM 1250 PIONEER RD. DELTA, CO deltawriter47@gmail.com	PAUL ASH 857 PALMER ST DELTA, CO 81416-1745 (970) 773-4495	VARIOUS CALLERS SSD/MS

SAT 1st & 3rd	FOUR CORNERS DANCERS MONTEZUMA CTY SENIOR CTR 117 N. CHESTNUT ST CORTEZ, CO	DUANE/PATTY RANDOL 902 MAY LANE CORTEZ, CO 81321 (970) 560-4709	RICHARD BERRY MS/PLUS
SAT 2nd & 4th B	BLACK CANYON TWIRLERS LIONS CLUBHOUSE 7th & N. NEVADA AVE MONTROSE, CO 81401 sjlee@mklee.com	MIKE/STACEY LEE 226 CASTLE AVE. MONTROSE, CO 81401 (970) 312-9335	VARIUS CALLERS SSD/MS

B indicates clubs participating in Banner Stealing





CHATFIELD COUNTRY KICKERS.....MS/PLUS
 1ST & 3RD SATURDAYS.....7:00 PLUS..... 8:00 MS
 VFW POST 3981 503 ½ FLORENCE RD.GRAND JCT.
 CALLER./CUER.....PAT MCBRIDE
 CONTACT...CHUCK/CAROL WATKINS. 970-434-0868

Our New Year Kick-off dance was not a great start for the new year. We ended up calling it off because there were only three couples that showed up. I guess we can blame the cold weather and football games.

Well, our 20 January dance was small (one square) but it was fun and loud. The first couple of tips we had a Ghost friend join us doing the man's part. Actually, it went pretty well considering. And I want to congratulate Vicki on getting pretty proficient at doing the man's part. She almost looked like she knew what she was doing. Jim better watch out, he might have to learn the ladies part.

We will have two dances in February, the 3rd, Mardi Gras theme. The 17th dance will be our belated Valentine dance. All ladies will be honored with no entry fee.

If you know of anyone that would like to learn to Square Dance please contact either Carol or me or Pat and Wanda. We really need to get more dancers involved in our favorite activity.



Chuck and Carol





DELTA HUB WHEELERS.....SSD/MS
1st & 3rd Saturday WORKSHOP 1 PM DANCE.2 PM
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.....DELTA
ContactPAUL ASH.....970-773-4495
CALLER.....VARIOUS CALLERS

You may hold my Hand for a while, but
 you hold my Heart forever!

We're celebrating the month of Love,
 and whether you love Night or Day Square
 Dancing, the Delta Hubwheelers have a
 schedule you will adore! We start fast on
 Saturday, February 3rd, with a Night Square
 Dance from 6 to 9 p.m., at the Delta First
 Baptist Church (DFBC) gym, 1250 Pioneer
 Rd., in Delta. Join Elaine O'Neill and
 Ervin Wyatt for the Dance Workshop from
 6-7, followed by the Day-After-Groundhog-Day Dance from 7 to 9 p.m.



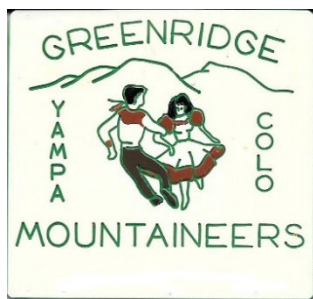
The bright light of daytime will greet dancers on Saturday,
 February 17th, for the second dance of the month. Join Ervin Wyatt
 and Mike Lee for the Dance Workshop at 1 p.m., with the post-
 Valentine's dance from 2-4 p.m., again at the DFBC gym.

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 including dancers, callers, guests, and injured reserve. Just 1
 Square but we still had fun!

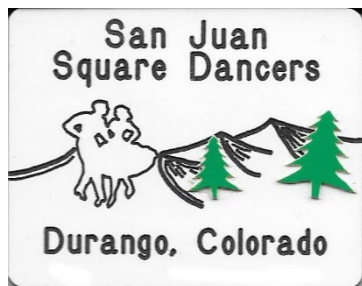
I know what your New Year's Resolution is!! You want to be an official Hubwheeler! Easy to make happen -- just \$6 at our next dance, and you will be a badge-wearing Delta Dancer for the next 11 months and that's something to be proud of!! Whoopity! Whoopity!

Yellow Rock your Partner!
Paul!



GREENRIDGE MOUNTAINEERS.....MS/PLUS
EVERY THURSDAY.....7:00 PM
SENIOR SOCIAL CENTER 775 Yampa Ave.....CRAIG, CO
CALLER.....PAT MCBRIDE OR ZOOM
CONTACT.....ERV & ARLOA GERBER.....(970) 824-3396

We are doing 1/2 hour lessons every Thursday, with 1 1/2 hour dance afterwards. Pat will be here once a month and doing Zoom the other weeks. The location is the Senior Social Center, 775 Yampa Ave., Craig. There are to be ten lessons. After the ten lessons, dances will be held as usual--every Thursday, once a month with Pat, three weeks by Zoom with Pat. Thanks.
Arloa



SAN JUAN SQUARE DANCERS.....MS/PLUS
FRIDAYS..... Plus WS 6:00.....Dance.....7:00 PM
DURANGO/LA PLATA SR.CTR..... DURANGO
CONTACT LOUIS/JUDY NORTON.....(970) 884-1338
CALLER.....RICHARD BERRY

*** NO ARTICLE RECEIVED***



DANCING SHADOWS.....PH II & III
PH II & III.....5:00-8:00pm
Masonic Center 2400 Consistory Ct. Grand Junction
CUER.....PAT & WANDA MCBRIDE
CONTACT.....PAT/WANDA MCBRIDE..... 970-434-3543

*** NO ARTICLE RECEIVED***



**BLACK CANYON TWIRLERS.....SSD/MS
2nd & 4th SAT WORKSHOP 1PM DANCE 2PM**

LIONS CLUBHOUSE 7th & N.Nevada, MONTROSE
CALLERS.....ERVIN WYATT

MIKE LEE

ELAINE BARTHOLOMEW

CONTACT...MIKE/STACEY LEE.....970 312-9335

Roses are Red, Violets are Blue, I want to be in a Dance Square with You! XOXOXO

The Black Canyon Twirlers (BCT) of Montrose will have two February Dances! We're looking forward to our Valentine's Dance on Saturday, February 10th, from 2 to 4 p.m., at the Lions Community Building (LCB), our Home Floor at 602 N. Nevada Ave., in Montrose. Fall in Love to the squared stylings of Special Guest Caller Pat McBride from Grand Junction!! No Dance Workshop this day. We will also dance on Saturday, February 24th, from 1-4 p.m., also at the LCB. We will have a Dance Workshop at 1, with the Main Dance from 2-4 p.m. Mike Lee and Elaine O'Neill will be on the microphone with your directions!

On Jan. 9, the BCT hosted a Demo Dance at the Montrose Pavilion Senior Center, to raise interest for a new square dancing class which started Jan. 22 at the same location, and organized by the Montrose Recreation District. We had 14 audience members and Angels taking turns dancing in a square to the calls of Mike Lee. Mike even started the event by calling while dancing in the square too, until a couple other dancers arrived! That's why we call him "Magic Mike!"

On Jan. 4th, the Thursday night new student class at Grace Church held a "Halfway Hoedown" to celebrate the midway mark of the classes. We had a good time with a combo of students and Angels, and generated a lot of enthusiasm for the remainder of the class schedule. This class should be graduating later in February. Watch for exact date and time later.

The BCT "hosted" the Jan. 14 meeting of the Colorado West Area Square and Round Dancing Council. It was to be held at the LCB but was changed to Zoom-only the night before, due to potential bad weather and road conditions. Still, thanks to the 15 dancers from several clubs who went on-line to participate and be decision-makers! Look for Meeting Minutes in Today's Bulletin!

The BCT hosted the year-ending 5th Saturday Dance on Dec. 30, 2023, at the LCB, sponsored by the Colorado West Area Callers & Cuers Association. It was fun! Read more about it on the "VP Corner" page in Today's Bulletin!

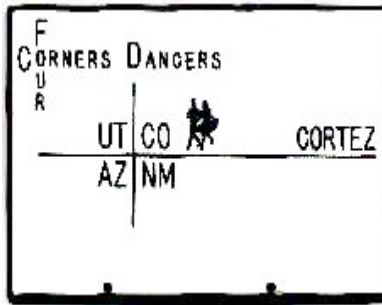
We began 2024 with a terrific turnout on Jan. 13! There were 19 dancers, students and callers at the LCB. Definitely 2 Squares of New Year's excitement, aided by the guidance of Elaine O'Neill and Ervin Wyatt! We ended

the month with a fun and well-attended dance on January 27, with Mike and Elaine calling.

Wouldn't you like to be called a Twirler! It can happen! Just give us \$6 at the next dance for a 2024 membership and the honor that goes with it. Insurance coverage while dancing, too!

Yellow Rock your Love!

-Paul



FOUR CORNERS DANCERS.....MS/PLUS
1st & 3rd SATURDAY.....6:30 PLUS7:30 MS
MONTEZUMA COUNTY SENIOR CENTER....CORTEZ
CALLER.....RICHARD BERRY
CUERS.....RANDY & LORRAINE
CONTACT..DUANE/PATTY RANDOL....(970)560-4709

Hello from all of us at the Four Corners Dancers. We are dancing on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays as usual. We are having lessons on Monday night provided we have students. Randy and Lorraine generally come up and do rounds in the afternoon. We have a pot-luck supper between the rounds and the square dance. We always have way too much food so you don't have to bring a Pot-luck dish to come eat with us. Please check with us before coming to make sure there isn't a schedule change.

We are all getting excited to see everyone at Spring Fling March 15- 17, 2024. Get your entry forms in by March 1 for a \$5.00 per person discount. on a full package

Hope to see you in a square soon.

Patty



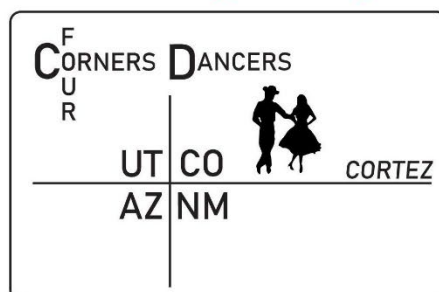
Spring Fling 2024

March 15th - 17th



Caller

Scott Amspoker
Albuquerque, NM



Montezuma County
Annex Building
107 N. Chestnut St.
Cortez, CO 81321

Call: Duane Randol (970) 560-2137



Cuers

Randy & Lorraine Pratt
Rio Rancho, NM



@FourCornersDancers



The schedule and lodging info can be found on the back on the back of this flyer.

Pre-registration Form

Due by: March 1st, 2024

(Per Person)	Pre-register	Qty.	At Door	Check Payee:	Four Corners Dancers
All Events	\$25		\$30	Mail To:	Ida & Jerry Shull
Friday Only	\$12		\$15		418 Henry St.
Saturday Only	\$15		\$20		Cortez, CO 81321 (970) 570-7698
First Name	Last Name		First Name	Last Name	
Club	Phone		Email		
Address					
City			State	Zip	

Lodging Information

Hotel/Motel			
Baymont Inn	2279 Hawkins Dr	(970) 565-3400	\$84.99 +tax [Single/Double]
Best Western Turquoise	535 E Main	(970) 565-3778	\$83.00 +tax [Single] \$90.00 +tax [2 Queen Bed Suite]
Econolodge	2020 E Main	(970) 565-3474	\$70.00 +tax [Double] +\$10 per extra person
Retro Inn	2040 E Main	(970) 565-3738	\$89.99 +tax [AAA Rate]

RV Parks			
LaMesa RV Park	2380 E Main	(505) 215-0712	\$45.00 +tax [Back in] \$50.00 +tax [Pull through]
Sundance RV Park	815 E Main	(970) 565-0997	\$46.80 +tax [Back in] \$51.18 +tax [Pull through]
West View RV Park	12092 US Hwy 145	(970) 565-3388	\$70.00 +tax
Cortez RV Resort	27432 US Hwy 160	(970) 837-7057	
R-Journey Park (Formerly KOA Campground)			

Limited dry camping at facility. First come first served.

Car Rental		
Rent'z LLC		(970) 516-1950
Enterprise	201 N Pinion Dr	(970) 565-6824

Additional updates and information may be available on our Facebook page.
<https://www.facebook.com/FourCornersDancers>



Schedule

Friday, March 15 th					
Round Dance			6:30	7:30	
Mainstream Dance w/announced Plus & Rounds (AREA CALLERS)			7:30	10:00	
Saturday, March 16 th					
Four Corners/Reservation Dangle Dance	Travel from annex to Four Corners Monument			9:00 am	
Return to the annex around 11:00 am	(Dancers are responsible for entrance fee.)				
Round Dance	9:00	11:00	Into to Round Dance	11:00	12:00
Mainstream Dance	1:00	3:00	Plus Dance	3:00	5:00
Pre-Rounds	7:00	7:30	Mainstream, Plus & Rounds	8:00	10:00
Grand March	7:45				
Sunday, March 17 th					
Trail Out Dance (Free)			9:00	11:00	
Colorado West Area Square Dance Council Meeting			11:00		
Potluck Lunch				After Meeting	

Learn to Square Dance



Friendship Set to Music

Move your body. Sharpen your brain power.
Learn a uniquely American dance hobby that can change your life.
You'll be Square Dancing before you can say 'dosido.'

- * No experience necessary.
- * No partner required.
- * No special outfit needed.
- * \$50 for 15 Lessons

Monday

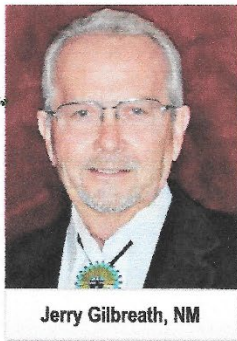
Jan 22 to Apr 15 (no class Feb 19)
10:45AM to 12:45PM

MONTROSE PAVILION
Senior Center
1800 Pavilion Drive, Montrose, CO 81401

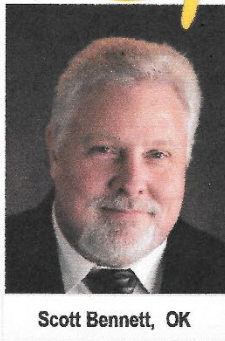
For more information or to register please call 970-249-7705
Or visit www.montroserec.com

43rd Duke City Square Dance Club

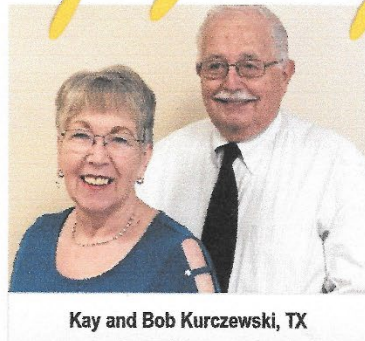
Spring Fling



Jerry Gilbreath, NM



Scott Bennett, OK



Kay and Bob Kurczewski, TX

Mainstream with Announced Plus & Rounds

April 19-21, 2024

Trail In Dance
Thursday, April 18, 2024
 ASDC - 7:00 - 9:00 p.m.
 Caller - Jerry Gilbreath
 \$7 PER PERSON
NOT A PART OF WEEKEND

Look on back for
 weekend schedule



ADSC Hall
4915 Hawkins NE
Albuquerque, NM

Weekend Package Cost

\$50 per person through March 10, 2024

\$55 per person at the door

NOTE: 17 & younger dance free w/paying adult

For more information

Chairperson

Karen Zakovec - (505) 228-1617

kizakovec1968@gmail.com

Co-Chairperson

Marie Vaughn - (505) 410-9232

mvaughn412@comcast.net



Make checks payable to:

Duke City Square Dance Club

Mail to:

Marge Page
 8017 Ruidoso Ct. NE
 Albuquerque, NM 87109

(505) 307-9678
 MargePage@comcast.net

REGISTRATION FORM: 2024 DCSD Spring Fling

Name _____

Address _____ Phone _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ TOTAL ENCLOSED _____



Schedule

Friday, April 19

4:00 - 5:00 p.m. - Registration Desk & Resale Shop

7:00 - 8:00 p.m. - Pre-Rounds

8:00 - 10:00 p.m. - **Get Ready to Rock**
(Squares & rounds between tips)

10:30 - Midnight - After Party with ice cream

Saturday, April 20

Resale shop & registration ongoing

9:00 - 10:00 a.m. - Introduction to Rounds - Large Hall

10:00 - 12:00 p.m. - Round dance workshop - Large Hall

10:00 - 12:00 p.m. - Mainstream workshop - Small Hall

12:00 - 1:30 p.m. - DANCE HALL CLOSED FOR LUNCH

1:30 - 2:30 p.m. - Mainstream High Energy - Small Hall

1:30 - 3:30 p.m. - Plus Workshop - FOR PLUS DANCERS - Large Hall

2:30 - 4:30 p.m. - Advanced dance - Small Hall

3:30 - 4:30 p.m. - Mainstream Singing Calls - Large Hall

DINNER ON YOUR OWN

7:00 - 7:45 p.m. - Pre-rounds

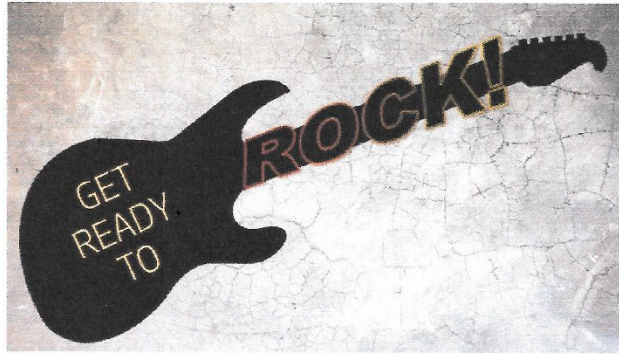
7:45 - 8:00 p.m. - Grand March

8:00 - 10:30 p.m. - Squares; rounds between tips

10:30 - Midnight - After Party with ice cream

Sunday, April 21

10 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. - Trail Out Dance



IMPORTANT EXTRAS

- **RV Parking at the Hall-** Limited Free Space for Self-Contained RV's on a First Come, First Serve Basis.
- **Recycle Shop** - Be sure and shop at our Recycle Shop for gently used square dance attire!

Tentative Schedule - Subject to change!

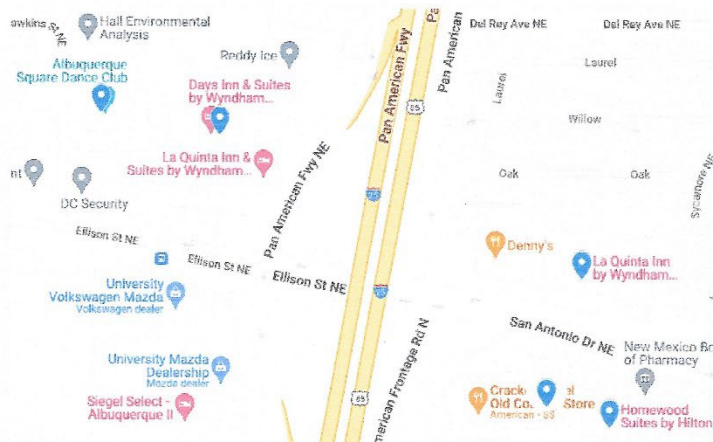
Nearby Hotels

Days Inn (505) 796-5928
5101 Ellison St NE
Albuquerque NM 87109

La Quinta Inn (505) 821-9000
5241 San Antonio Dr NE
Albuquerque NM 87109

Homewood Suites (505) 998-4663
5400 San Antonio Dr NE
Albuquerque, NM 87109

Hilton Garden (505) 314-0800
5320 San Antonio Dr NE
Albuquerque, NM 87109



HELPFUL HINT: Approximately 5 minutes north of the Big I (the junction of I-25 & I-40). Exit #231 off of I-25. Go west on Ellison. Turn right on Hawkins

'24K GOLD RUSH

THE GOLD RUSH IS OVER, BUT THE SQUARE DANCE IS ON!

68th Colorado State Square Dance Festival

Colorado State University-Pueblo, 2200 Bonforte Blvd., Pueblo, CO

June 14-15, 2024

Dancer Registration			
Dancer #1	Last Name		First Name
	Phone Number	Email	
	Mailing Address		
Dancer #2	Last Name		First Name
	Phone number	E mail	
	Mailing Address, if different than above		
I will dance: (check all that apply) ☐ SSD ☐ Mainstream ☐ Plus ☐ Advanced ☐ Challenge Round: ☐ 2 ☐ 3/4 ☐ 5/6 I am a: ☐ Youth Dancer ☐ Caller ☐ Cuer ☐ Solo Dancer			
Registration Fees			
Date Registered	Reg Fee	# of Registrants	Total Reg Fees
☐ At the 2023 Festival or by June 30, 2023	\$ 50		
☐ Early Bird – July 1, 2023 – May 30, 2024	\$ 60		
☐ June 1, 2024 or later OR On-Site	\$ 75		
☐ 1 Day Pre-Registration	\$ 35		
☐ 1 Day On-Site Registration	\$ 40		
☐ Youth Registration – 2 Day	\$ 40		
☐ Youth Registration – 1 Day	\$ 20		
Credit Card On-Line Order #	Total Amount Due \$		

Payment by credit card– Please pay your registration fees on-line at <https://my-site-107333-104618.square.site> Record the on-line order number in the space provided above. Then save and send your completed registration form by email to bev@24kgoldrush.co

Payment by check: Please make check payable to "2024 CSSDF". Mail your check, along with your completed registration form to: Bev Bentley, 1250 N. Platteville Blvd., Pueblo West, CO 81007

Email questions to bev@24kgoldrush.co

Find some real gold! Register now!





Hey all you steeley eyed square dancers. Prospector Pete here and I want to welcome you all to the 68th Colorado State Square Dance Festival website! You will find all the information you'll need to sign up for the **'24K Gold Rush**. We will dance at the Occhiatto Ballroom @ CSU-Pueblo on June 14– 15, 2024 in Pueblo CO.

All of our committee members are looking forward to seeing you in Pueblo, CO. You can reach our Chairman, Ken Tucker, at chairman@24kgoldrush.co or 719-458-9700, Vice Chairmans Gene & Denise Berens: prospectorgene@24kgoldrush.co or 719-242-5568

Our featured caller, a talented and energetic, **Hunter Keller**, is from Montana and our cuers, graceful and skillful **Doug and Leslie Dodge**, also from Montana. This should be a very fun and exciting dance for everyone. We are

striving hard to make this dance for every level of dancer.

You can register on this website or use the form on our flyer that is out at all the clubs. Remember, you'll save money the sooner you register.

Look for the menus to see all the motels, RV camping sites and maps for this event.

See the pay button to use your credit card!

Trail In Dance TBD



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June 14-15, 2024

73rd National Square Dance Convention®
Baird Center - June 26, 27, 28, 29, 2024
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Register online at 73nsdc.com



For Convention Use Only

Registration # _____
Date Received _____
Payment Processed _____
Check# or Ref # _____
Reg Form 07/02/23

RETURN COMPLETED FORM TO:

Jim & Katie Green
73rd NSDC
7209 W. Wisconsin Ave.
Wauwatosa, WI 53213

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____
Phone: _____ Phone 2: _____
Email*: _____
*E-mail address will only be shared with the NEC ☐ Check if you do not want your email shared.

First Name & Last Name for CONVENTION BADGES		Subtotals	
No. of past NSDC's prior to 73rd			
1. Adult			\$
2. Adult			\$
3. Adult/Youth	** DOB / /		\$
4. Adult/Youth	** DOB / /		\$
5. Adult/Youth	** DOB / /		\$

Magnet for Badge (pins provided free)
Program Book & Daily Schedules (\$25 after 4/30/2024)
Round Dance Syllabus - ☐ USB Drive or ☐ Printed copy (Must be purchased by 4/30/2024)
☐ Print copy & USB (Must be purchased by 4/30/24)
Sew & Save Book - ☐ USB Drive or ☐ Digital Download
Cookbook
Hearing Assistance Device
Wednesday Eve. Entertainment - "Wisconsin Singers"
Convenience Fee for Credit Card Processing

PAYMENT (Complete if paying in person or by postal mail (US Funds))
☐ Check Enclosed ☐ Cash (in Person) ☐ Credit Card
Name on Card: _____
Card Type (Visa, Mastercard, AmEx, Discover): _____
Card Number: _____
Expiration Date: _____ Security Code: _____

73rd NSDC Convention badge required for entrance to all convention activities.
Dressy casual attire allowed until 6pm.
Proper dance attire is requested after 6pm for all dancers.

INFORMATION FOR COMPLETING FORM

- You can complete this form and pay online at www.73nsdc.com. Please PRINT legibly to ensure accuracy of information.
- If you have already PRE-REGISTERED using our short form, please complete this form also. Enter names in the appropriate space for each badge and enter \$0 (zero) in subtotal by each name already registered to avoid duplicate charge.
- If not pre-registered, enter registration fee for each dancer plus quantity and correctly calculated amounts in the subtotal lines, then calculate and enter the total due. (Note \$3.00 CC payment convenience fee.)
- Registration fees: Adult \$65; Youth ages 5-17 by 6/26/2024 - \$32.50 Under 5 Free.
- Prices will increase May 1, 2024 - Adult: \$80 - Youth ages 5-17: \$40. Persons 3-5 circle Adult or Youth. ****Only need birthday of Youth.**
- Registrations are non-transferable.
- No One-, Two-, or Three-Day Registrations.
- A \$10.00 fee per registrant will be imposed for cancellations or changes before April 30, 2024. No refunds after April 30, 2024.
- Registrations received after April 30, 2024, will receive e-mail confirmation.
- If sending by mail include credit card information, check, or money order payable in U.S. funds to 73rd NSDC with this form. Do not send cash.
- If registering by email, omit payment information on form. You will receive an invoice by email. (Note \$3.00 CC payment convenience fee.)

TOURS can be purchased on separate brochure or online at 73nsdc.com/tours

DANCERS - PLEASE HELP US PLAN! Check all that apply.
SSD _____ Mainstream _____ Plus _____ Advanced _____ Challenge _____ Hex _____
Contra _____ Lines _____ Rounds _____ Handicapable _____ Solo _____ Veteran _____

PROGRAMMED CALLERS & DANCE LEADERS

You must update your profile online by 12/31/23 at sdconvention.com

Name _____ Type: _____
Name _____ Type: _____
Name _____ Type: _____

HOTEL & CAMPING INFORMATION ON REVERSE

☐ Check box if you will manage your own accommodations.

Name: _____

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS			
1	Conv Hotel - Hilton Milwaukee City Center - Single/Double Triple + \$20 - Quad + \$40 Parking fee - \$5 per day (in & out) for Hilton guests.		\$169+tx
2	Leader Hotel - Hyatt Regency Milwaukee - Single/Double Triple + \$20 - Quad + \$40 No discounted parking		\$169+tx

This form must be received, and rooms must be booked by May 20, 2024, to guarantee 73rd NSDC pricing. See instructions below.

Room nights needed: (4 Night Minimum)

☐ S 6/22 ☐ S 6/23 ☐ M 6/24 ☐ T 6/25 ☐ W 6/26 ☐ T 6/27 ☐ F 6/28 ☐ S 6/29 ☐ S 6/30

Additional arrive early? _____ or stay late nights? _____ Total nights requested _____

Room request: _____ Single _____ Double _____ Queen _____ King

_____ King Suite (Hilton only + \$75) _____ Handicap Accessible

SHARED ROOMS - only one person per room should complete a hotel reservation request. Please list all room occupants here:

Housing Committee does not find or assign roommates.

BLOCK HOUSING: Group blocks on hold must be booked by individuals no later than September 15, 2023. After that date, rooms in the block that are not reserved will be released to the general attendee pool. If you are registering as part of a group or block, please complete the following:

Block Name _____

Block Leader Name _____

Email _____ Phone _____

No airport shuttle services provided. There are a variety of cab and shuttle services available at the airport. Uber and Lyft services are also available for the short ride to downtown.

Register and submit your hotel room choice early (on the form or online) to have the best chance of having your selection available, and no later than May 20, 2024. A web link and phone number to the hotel reservation system will be sent to attendees in the order of convention registration.

The hotel will provide your confirmation number as you provide your credit card number to choose & hold your room. You must be registered for the convention to receive the convention contracted rate. No self or online registration is available for the contracted rate except through the web link and phone number which will be provided by convention Housing Vice-Chairman: housing@73nsdc.com. Convention registrations will be verified.

More information available at www.73nsdc.com

Hilton & Hyatt hotels are both connected to the Baird Center via skywalk.



RV & CAMPING ACCOMMODATIONS

The 73rd NSDC will not be holding or making camping space reservations. Below is a list of area campgrounds. There will be no shuttle service to or from campgrounds.

WI State Fair RV Park 6 miles from Baird Center (Full & partial hookups)	https://wistatefair.com/wsf/rv-park/
Jellystone Park Caledonia 18 miles from Baird Center (Includes a waterpark)	https://www.jellystone-caledonia.com/
Cliffside County Campground 22 miles from Baird Center (No full hookups.)	https://www.racinecounty.com/departments/public-works-and-development-services/parks-department/camping/cliffside-campground
Country View Campground 29 miles from Baird Center (Full & partial hookups.)	https://countryviewcampground.wordpress.com/
Jefferson County Fair Park 50 miles from Baird Center (Full & partial hookups.)	https://www.jcfairpark.com
Reserve America Online campground reservations	https://www.reserveamerica.com/

Leadership Certification Program (LCP)

If you are planning on attending any of the Education Sessions at the 73rd National Square Dance Convention[®] we encourage you to participate in the Leadership Certification Program (LCP)!

Building a Wheel of Knowledge, One Slice at a Time

Become a better leader!

Enrich your knowledge about the operations of dance clubs and organizations

Gather ideas and materials to support and promote dancing in your area

Exchange ideas with others about issues and challenges

Requirements for LCP Certification

MANDATORY SESSIONS:

Bid Session

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