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Nomination for honored couple at State Convention.

By: Wright-Patters Square Dance Club.

Grady and Margrit Hoyle, 9575 Artz Road, New Carlisle, Ohio 45344.

This outstanding square dancing couple first saw Western Square Dancing in Germany. In 1967, on being transferred to Iceland, they joined a lesson class and their dancing career was launched. Gaining enthusiasm as they gained experience, they immediately looked for a place to dance upon being transferred to Wright Patterson Air Force Base. There was a small group with a beginning caller doing their best to get started and the Hoyles joined this group.

Enthusiasm is infectious and this group learned and expanded until it was decided to form a club. Thus the Wright Patters Square Dance Club came into existence, with the Hoyles as charter members and indeed with Grady as the new club's first president, and Margrit as first lady. The caller? Chuck Myers.

Since that time the Hoyles have demonstrated their love of square dancing time and again by being ever present when help is needed or a job is to be performed.

Grady has been head of committees countless times, and has been among other things in charge of:

- Membership committee,
- Dues committee,
- Entertainment,
- Special events - Excursions, Luau, Sporting events, etc.
- Special Dances,
- Visiting Callers.

Margrit has been equally willing and giving of her time, being in charge of:

- Refreshment Committee,
- Decoration committee for special events and various holidays.
- Has made club banners and traveling banners as well as IOU banners.

Together they have been in charge of:

- Lesson classes,
- Banner raids and retrieving visits,
- Work Shops.

And have lead a full scale down to work campaign to help the club when trouble loomed.

It would be impossible to count the new couples they have introduced to square dancing, shepherding them through lesson classes and helping them after lessons ended.

Truly this couple is outstanding in their contribution to the welfare of Square Dancing and are especially deserving of recognition by the Council.