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HONOR COUPLE NOMINATION

NOMINATING CLUB SQUARES-A-GO-GO

NAME OF COUPLE DAVE AND MARY ALBRECHT

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NUMBER OF YEARS DANCING 1965 - 1976 1985 - 1991 Total of 17 years

CLUB POSITIONS HELD BANNER RAID CHAIRMAN - SQUARES-A-GO-GO (FOUR YEARS)

COUNCIL POSITIONS HELD--ELECTED AND APPOINTED NONE

STATE CORP. POSITIONS HELD NONE

STATE CONVENTIONS ATTENDED CINCINNATI, DAYTON, COLUMBUS

NATIONAL CONVENTIONS ATTENDED INDIANAPOLIS

NUMBER OF CLUBS (MEMBER) TWO

BACKGROUND I have attached a short account of their square dancing years as written by Mary and Dave. It is so hard to tell by reading it just what an asset they both are to square dancing and to the Go-Gos. They have instilled an interest in raiding and created a togetherness in the club that was not there before. It was a great honor to me to have a council officer come up to me and compliment me on our clubs attendance at raids and on the enthusiasm of its members at clubs we visited. To read this nomination it will be noticeable that they have not been officers of council, either local or state, but this in no way diminishes their importance to square dancing as a whole. Their enthusiasm, their friendliness, their caring so much for their club and for fellow square dancers, along with their way of making sure, if at all possible, that whoever cares enough to want to visit our club will never sit out many tips through the evening. This couple, to me, is what square dancing is all about.

Jean Huff, Pres. Squares-A-Go-Go

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AND WRITE-UP--ATTACH SHEETS AS NEEDED.

We first started square dancing in the early 60's at the 50/50 dances, with half ballroom and half hoedown, at Brookside, north of Union. We took our first lessons in 1965 at the Just-A-Mere Squares, taught by Les Durig. We danced off and on for the next ten years. We joined the Delco Squares in the early 70's and danced with them until the club disbanded in 1975. Due to a back injury by Dave, we dropped out of dancing for awhile. Then in 1985 we started again, taking lessons, first at the Curli-Q's with Dale Riffle and then at the Council sponsored lessons at the Pavilion with Chuck Myers. After lessons were over, we joined the Two by Fours and the Squares-A-Go-Go.

We have attended the National Convention in Indianapolis and the State Conventions in Cincinnati, Dayton and Columbus. We have danced at clubs as far away as Knoxville, Tennessee and San Francisco, California. We have gone on many weekend square dancing specials in Tennessee, Kentucky, and Indiana. We have visited many clubs in the Miami Valley Dance Council. We received the Friendship Badge in 1987, the Council Honor Raider Badge for 100 raids in 1989, and the Squares-A-Go-Go Club 100 Raid Badge (which Dave helped design) in 1990.

We have supported the demonstrations in the summer and fall, and we also support different benefit dances.

We have served as Banner Raid Chairmen with the Squares-A-Go-Go club for four years, from 1987 through 1990. During that time we took the club on approximately two raids a month and also two mystery trips a year, one in the spring and one in the Fall.

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