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25	26	27	28	29	30	



55th National Square Dance Convention
 "Circle Eight in the Lone Star State"
Registration Form
 San Antonio, Texas
 June 21, 22, 23, 24, 2006
 Directions for completing Registration Form on back



For Convention Use Only
 Registration # _____
 Date Received _____
 Website: www.55thnsdc.org

Last Name: _____
 Address: _____
 City: _____ State: _____
 Zip Code: _____ Nation: _____
 Phone: _____ Fax: _____
 E-mail: _____

Registrations are non-transferable.
 Registration fee per Registrant (under 5 years of age free) \$50.00
 Registration fee per Registrant after May 31, 2006 (No confirmation mailed)..... \$60.00
 A \$5.00 fee per Registrant will be imposed for changes or cancellations.

First Name -- for badges -- Last Name Solo Subtotals

Adult:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Adult:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Youth:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Youth:	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Conventions Attended _____

Convention Program w/daily schedules (\$10.00 after 5/31/2006)..... @ \$ 6 _____
 Syllabus: Rounds _____ Clonging _____ Contra _____ Total # _____
 On CD: Rounds _____ Clonging _____ Contra _____ Total CDs # _____
 Sew & Save Book -- "Step Up, Step Out, Texas Style"..... Total # _____
 On CD: _____ Total CDs # _____
 Cook Book -- "Fill your Plate from the Lone Star State"..... Total # _____
 National Squares Magazine -- (Non-Refundable, 1 year sub)..... @ \$ 7 _____
 Wednesday Special Event -- "It's About to Get Western"..... @ \$12 _____
 Bus Pass -- 4 day to RV Parks & indicated Hotels (\$50 after 5/31/06). @ \$40 _____
 RV Camping -- Full Hookups (4 nights minimum)..... Total nights @ \$30 _____
 To camp together, arrive together. June nights needed: [17] [18] [19] [20] [21] [22] [23] [24] [25] _____
 Tours -- Please attach Tour Registration Form..... @ _____

Registration fee per Registrant (under 5 years of age free) \$50.00
 Registration fee per Registrant after May 31, 2006 (No confirmation mailed)..... \$60.00
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Requests for Shared Rooms or Same Hotel will be honored **ONLY** if registrations arrive together in the **SAME** envelope!

Housing Required? YES NO Smoking Non-Smoking

Please Check Room Nights Needed:

June	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Sat	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun

Hotel Preference (hotel codes on back), 1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ 4th _____
 Please check the appropriate box: One Bed (1-2 people) 2 Beds (2-4 people)

Preference: King Queen Double/Double

Wheelchair Accessible Room
 Group Housing -- 20 rooms or less
 Block Housing -- over 20 rooms

For Assignment in Group or Block Housing -- Requests are due by **Jan 2, 2006**.
 Block/Group Leader Name _____ Phone: (____) _____
 Same Hotel as _____
 Share Room with _____

Please Note: Room cancellations after May 1, 2006, will be assessed a \$25 charge.
 If a suite is required, please contact the 55th NSDC Housing Bureau.

Hotel reservation guarantee (one night room and tax).
 Credit Card # _____ Visa MasterCard
 Expiration Date _____
 Signature _____

Return Form, with payment, to:
 55th National Square Dance Convention
 PO Box 160639 San Antonio, TX 78280-2801
 Form may also be sent by fax, with credit card information to: (210) 545-5036

Adults will dance! (Check all that apply)
 Squares: [M] [P] [A] [A2] [C] Rounds: [2] [3/4] [5/6] Other: [Clog] [Contra] [CWM] [Lines]

Program info for Callers/Cuers/Education (Check your expertise)
 Caller & level: [M] [P] [A] [C] Clog Instructor Lines Instructor
 Caller for Youth Contra Prompler Educator
 Cuer C/W Instructor Exhibition Group

Registration fee per Registrant (under 5 years of age free) \$50.00
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No Refunds/Cancellations after May 31, 2006 Total (U.S. Funds)..... @ _____
 Credit Card # _____ Check (enclosed)
 Expiration Date _____ Visa
 Signature _____ MasterCard
 Form may be sent by fax with credit card information to: (210) 545-5036
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November 23, 2004

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- AP - Apprentice
- M - Member
- ML - Member at Large

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- C - Contra
- L - Lines
- O - One Night Stands
- R - Rounds
- S - Squares
- T - Traditional

Newsletter Information

Publication Information

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Club News Guidelines

Include club name and a way to contact the club reporter.

Include news that will be relevant at the time of publication. Remember that a dance that is still in the future when you submit the news may be past by the time the Newsletter is published.

Include news that is of interest to dancers outside of your club.

Omit prices for dance events.

Include area codes for all phone numbers.

Include the date of the submission so that multiple submissions can be put in the appropriate order.

No more than two contacts per club will be published.

Changes and Corrections

Country Cousins have a new club caller.

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The June-July issue will be distributed to the Club Representatives at the Miami Valley Dance Council in May and mailed on or about the same date. News, ads, and payments for this issue are due to the Editor by April 15 to ensure inclusion.

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Ohio Conventions

46th Buckeye Dance Convention
May 5-6, 2006 - Dayton, OH
<http://www.dayton2006.com/>
47th Buckeye Dance Convention
May 2007 - Akron, OH
48th Buckeye Dance Convention
May 2008 - Columbus, OH
49th Buckeye Dance Convention
May 2009 - Cleveland, OH
50th Buckeye Dance Convention
May 2010 - Cincinnati, OH

National Conventions

55th National
June 21-24, 2006 - San Antonio, TX
<http://www.55thnsdc.org/>
56th National
June 27-30, 2007 - Charlotte, NC
<http://www.56thnsdc.com/>
57th National
June 25-28, 2008 - Wichita, KS
<http://www.57nsdc.com/>
58th National
June 2009 - Long Beach, CA

Michigan Conventions

44th Michigan Square & Round Dance Convention
August 19-20, 2005 - Kalamazoo, MI
<http://www.squaredancing.com/MichiganCouncil>

Miami Valley Dance Council

Hotline

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Available 24 hours a day and updated daily.

The more current up-to-the-minute information the better. Information will be accepted until 10 PM the night before a dance unless it is an "emergency" such as weather related. Providing the information as early as possible will make it easier to accommodate each and every club and dancer.

Lost and Found

Please check the lost and found next time you are at the Pavilion. It has accumulated so many items that the hanging items have been moved to the coat rack near the stage. The remaining items are still in the box under the table in the kitchen.

Letters to the Editor

Dancing In Las Vegas

Most people go to Las Vegas to gamble. We went there to walk and dance (and gamble a little). On Thursday evening, we took a taxi to the Star Dusters dance. They dance at a new community center in East Las Vegas. There were two squares on the floor. The club caller was Ron Sowash. The dancers were a fun group of people. If someone made a mistake, they just laughed. We did notice a few differences in the calls. They do not make the train whistle sound for Track Two or the "Aflac" for Acey Duesey. They also Promenade differently. We were told it is because square dancing is growing so much in nearby California that most dances are very crowded and there is a need to keep the squares tight.

The people were all very friendly. We danced with Tim Rice, a former Michigan resident who we had met at the Singles Convention in Columbus last year. One of the dancers gave us a ride back to our hotel after the dance and arranged a ride for us to the next dance.

On Friday evening we danced with Good Times. They dance at a new school in Las Vegas. Their club caller is Andy Finch. Some callers yodel, Andy barks like a dog. There were five or six squares on the floor and Andy really kept them moving. At times it almost seemed like Hot Hash! We were told that some of the older dancers cannot keep up with Andy's calling.

Clubs in Las Vegas only dance during the week. It is very difficult to find a place to dance on the weekends. On Thursday, there were four clubs dancing.

We enjoyed the dances very much and the people were all friendly and made us feel welcome.

Submitted by Randy and Becky Adams

Local Dance Information

Student Dance Opportunities

The following are opportunities for students to get out and dance. Please encourage the students in your classes to get out and dance. Make it even more fun by going out and dancing with them!

<u>Date</u>	<u>Club</u>
03/17/06	Double H - H/L
03/24/06	Grand Sqs - H/L-II
03/25/06	Swinging 8s - H/L-II
03/31/06	Double H - H/L
04/07/06	Double H - H/L-II
04/07/06	Cloverleaf - H/L-II
04/09/06	Yellow Rkrs - H/L/II
04/21/06	Double H - H/L
04/21/06	Cardinal Sqs - H/L-II
04/22/06	Swinging 8s - H/LP-II
04/28/06	Grand Sqs - H/L-II
04/29/06	Shooting Stars - H/L-II
05/05/06	Double H - H/L-II
05/14/06	Yellow Rkrs - H/L
05/19/06	Double H - H/L-II
06/02/06	Double H - H/L-II

Club News & Schedules

Miami Valley Dance Council

General Dance Format:

Meetings - 2nd Tuesday of odd months 7 PM
Michael Solomon Pavilion
2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH
937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)
<http://www.miamivalleydancecouncil.org/>

Upcoming Events:

03/14/06 - -Council Meeting
05/09/06 - -Council Meeting

BNR Squares

Not currently dancing

General Dance Format:

Upcoming Events:

Cardinal Squares Dance Club

General Dance Format:

2nd Friday 8-10:30
Central Christian Church
1504 Villa Rd, Springfield, OH
Plus

Upcoming Events:

04/14/06 TBA - P
04/21/06 Beavers, Burdette - H/L-II
05/12/06 Raleigh, Wintrow - P-II
06/09/06 Rash, Toney - P-II

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You're welcome to join us for New England contra dances and the occasional barn dance. There is always live music and calling. No prior training is required; there will be basic lessons before each dance. Call Holly at (937) 223-3655 ext. 3004 or visit www.cityfolk.org if you'd like more information.

General Dance Format:

1st Friday Jan-May & Sep-Nov
Michael Solomon Pavilion
2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH
937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)
Instruction 7:30-8
Dance 8-11

<http://www.cityfolk.org/dance.html>

Upcoming Events:

04/07/06 Brittany Bay, Wilson - F

Clinton County Country Squares

We had a terrific dance Thursday, July 21, 2005 in the air conditioned Laurel Oaks cafeteria. There were seven squares on the floor at times. Three clubs raided. So much enthusiasm! What a great crowd and caller, Topple McGuffey! Jerry Doughman led line dancing.

General Dance Format:

1st, 3rd, & 5th Thursday 7:30-10
Laurel Oaks

Rt 73 East of Wilmington, OH

1st Randy West

5th all singing calls

Upcoming Events:

03/16/06 Beavers - P
03/30/06 West - P
04/06/06 West - P
04/08/06 Magnet, Pladdys - P - Swing Into Spring
04/20/06 Wilbur - P
05/04/06 West - P
05/18/06 Record - P
06/01/06 West - P

Cloverleaf Squares

Officers were selected and have taken new positions:

Annajean Owen - Presdent
Joyce McGuire - V President
Deeann Beavers - Secretary
Mary Eaton - Treasurer
Mariana Brown - Sunshine Chair
Leila Zerkle & Judy Oharra - Raid Chairs

Our January dance ws a lot of fun so we hope to see you in Februar and March.

We look forward to seeing you around the squares!

General Dance Format:

1st Friday or Saturday 8-10:30
Concord Community Center
3263 N Rt 560 N of Westville, OH

Trade & Promenade Western Shop

5725 SPRINGFIELD-XENIA ROAD, SPRINGFIELD, OHIO 45502
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Upcoming Events:

03/19/06 Dyer, McGuffey - P-II
04/07/06 McGuffey, Wintrow - H/L-II
05/26/06 Pladdys - P

Country Cousins

The Country Cousins now dance on the second and fourth Monday of every month. Tom Reinhardt has been our caller in recent months. April 24 will be our After Taxes Dance with Toppie McGuffey calling. After you pay your taxes, come out and enjoy a great evening of dancing with Toppie and the Cousins. Our June 12 dance will feature an Ice Cream Social. Raids and Retrievals are always welcome. The Country Cousins hope to see you in a square soon.

General Dance Format:

2nd & 4th Monday 7:30-9:30
Senior Citizens Center
140 N Verity Parkway, Middletown, OH
Plus
2nd, 4th - Tom Reinhardt

Upcoming Events:

03/27/06 Reinhardt - P
04/10/06 Reinhardt - P
04/24/06 Reinhardt - P
05/08/06 Reinhardt - P
05/22/06 Reinhardt - P

Curli-Qs

Spring is just around the corner in Brookville, Ohio at Golden Gate Park and the Curli Q's would like to invite you to dance with us in April and May 2006. We have an exciting line up of talent and know that we can offer you a

good time. April 8th, 2006 our Caller will be Nick Hartley with Debbi Fish cueing rounds. This promises to be a great dance so please don't miss it. We will again this year be having our special dance April 30, 2006 at the Michael Solomon Pavilion from 2:PM to 5:PM with the exceptional talent of Toppie McGuffey calling and Elaine Wintrow cueing rounds. Plan to attend this annual Sunday afternoon gala. It promises to be a great time. This is one you won't want to miss.

Tony Kincaid will head up the talents for our May 13, 2006 dance with Elaine Wintrow as our cuer. This dance is guaranteed to double your fun so come out and join us.

As you know, Curli Q's love to entertain, so come on out and join us. Raids and Retrievals are always welcome. Remember, Golden Gate Park is air-conditioned so don't let the heat keep you away. Our bannerchairs, Don and Jackie Koehler will be happy to hear from you.

So until next time, have a safe and fun summer.

General Dance Format:

2nd Saturday 7:30-10:30
Golden Gate Park
Brookville, OH
Rounds Workshop 7:30-8
Plus & Rounds 8-10:30

Upcoming Events:

04/08/06 Hartley, Fish - P-II
04/30/06 McGuffey, Wintrow - P-II
05/13/06 Kincade, Wintrow - P-II
06/10/06 Sparks, Fish - P-II

Dayton Contra Dance Club

General Dance Format:

3rd Sunday 7-9:30

Michael Solomon Pavilion

2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH

937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)

Mona Cannell

Upcoming Events:

03/19/06 Cannell -

04/16/06 Cannell -

05/21/06 Cannell -

Double H Squares

We look forward to seeing you at an of our dances. Call Rose Winkler – 233-6257 or Marge Risner – 864-7233 to schedule a raid or retrieval.

General Dance Format:

1st, 3rd, 5th Friday 7:30-10

Sulpher Grove Church

7505 Taylorsville Rd, Huber Heights, OH

1st Friday - Hi-Lo & Rounds

3rd Friday - Hi-Lo

5th Friday - Hi-Lo

Rounds: Pat Toney

Upcoming Events:

03/17/06 Fitch - H/L

03/31/06 Rhythm Ramblers - H/L

04/07/06 Reinhardt, Toney - H/L-II

04/21/06 Wiseman - H/L

05/05/06 TBA, Toney - H/L-II

05/19/06 TBA, Toney - H/L-II

06/02/06 TBA, Toney - H/L-II

Flying Ghillies

Several Scottish Country Dancing (SCD) dances, classes and workshops are scheduled from November through February. In addition, weekly SCD classes are taught at Rosewood in Kettering each Tuesday, 7-9:00 pm, and Monday at Shroyer Baptist Church, 7:30-9:30 pm, with Ms Lisa Garrett-O'Leary teaching both classes. Ms Patty Lindsay teaches the Social/Intermediate Class on Monday nights.

General Dance Format:

Monday 7:30-9:30

Shroyer Road Baptist Church

508 Shroyer Rd, Dayton, OH

Social/Intermediate Level

Scottish Country Dancing

Upcoming Events:

03/20/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

03/27/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

04/03/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

04/10/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

04/17/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

04/24/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

05/01/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

05/08/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

05/15/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

05/22/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

05/29/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

06/05/06 Garrett-O'Lear -

Gem City Squares

Hello from Gem City Squares! Hope your winter blues have not been too long!! April 2, 2006 Gem City will be hosting a Hi-Lo Convention 2006 Fund Raiser at the Pavilion from 2 — 5pm in place of our regular dance. Callers for this event will be Ken Roberts, Jack Pladdys, Nathaniel Arnett and on Rounds, Stuart Lewis. Come one, come all with all your students to help Dayton's Convention to be another great one! Our April 23, 2006 dance will be our Baby Dance — a good Hi-Lo for all the students to attend and help out moms and babies in the community. We will be dancing to our very own Club caller Ken Roberts and Cuer Stuart Lewis. There will be no dance on Sunday May 7, 2006 — Convention Weekend!!! Gem City's Graduation is on Monday, May 22, 2006. Our next club dance on May 28, 2006 is cancelled due to Holiday weekend. Have a safe Memorial Day weekend. See you in June — Our Mexican Fiesta dance on June 4, 2006.

General Dance Format:

1st & 4th Sunday 7-10

Michael Solomon Pavilion

2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH

937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)

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Plus & Rounds

Rounds 7-7:30

Plus and Rounds 7:30-10

Club Caller: Ken Roberts

Club Cuer: Stuart Lewis

<http://www.gemcitysquares.org>

Upcoming Events:

03/26/06 Roberts, Lewis - P-II-III

04/02/06 Roberts, Lewis - P-II-III

04/02/06 Roberts, Lewis - P-II-III

04/23/06 Roberts, Lewis - P-II-III

05/07/06 Roberts, Lewis - P-II-III

05/28/06 Roberts, Lewis - P-II-III

06/04/06 Roberts, Lewis - P-II-III

Grand Squares

There will be a new club rep for 2004!

General Dance Format:

2nd & 4th Friday 8-10:30

Polk Grove United Church of Christ

9190 Frederick Pk, Dayton, OH

Plus & Rounds

Club Cuer: Gay Chevalier

Upcoming Events:

03/24/06 Pladdys, Chevalier - H/L-II

04/14/06 Raleigh, Chevalier - P-II

04/28/06 Steele, Chevalier - H/L-II

05/12/06 Stuthard, Chevalier - P-II

05/26/06 Roberts, Chevalier - P-II

06/09/06 Chevalier, Chevalier - P-II

Hi-Point See Saws

We will be starting lessons on Thursday 16

Sep. They will be every Thurs. for 21 weeks. The first two are free. To be held at our regular dance place from 7 to 9 pm.

General Dance Format:

2nd Saturday 8:00 - 10:30pm

Bellefontaine Masonic Lodge

600 N. Main St., Bellefontaine, Ohio

Upcoming Events:

04/08/06 TBA, Wintrow - P-II

05/13/06 TBA, Wintrow - P-II

06/10/06 TBA, Wintrow - P-II

Hoosier Corners

The Hoosier Corners club was proud to take 29 total dancers, including eight students to the January 27 Hi-Lo dance hosted by Shooting Stars. This was the first dance for most of our students, and they all seemed to have a good time. At our April 29 dance we will have a used square dance attire sale. Bring your old, unwanted square dance clothes and accessories labeled with your name and a price, and we'll put them on the sale rack for you. There should be lots of good deals, so if you have been looking for an item to complete your wardrobe, you may just find it here! June 3 will be another theme dance—Mardi Gras in June. For this festive occasion beads and masks will be for rent at the door for \$1. We are excited to be the host club for the Ohio State Convention demo on May 5 and are looking forward to Convention activities. Please note we will not have a dance in May due the Ohio Convention being the same weekend.

Raids and Retrievals are welcome at all of our dances. Call Ed and Sue and Reagan (765) 966-2320 or e-mail HYPERLINK "mailto:reaganargosy@aol.com"reaganargosy@aol.com for more information. Visit our website: [HYPERLINK "http://www.sharpsites.net/hoosiercorners"](http://www.sharpsites.net/hoosiercorners)www.sharpsites.net/hoosiercorners.

General Dance Format:

1st & 5th Saturdays 7:30-10 PM (Indiana time)
Richmond Community Senior Center
1600 South 2nd St, Richmond, IN
Plus and Rounds

Club Caller: Frank Roberts, Rounds: Pat Toney
<http://www.sharpsites.net/hoosiercorners/index.htm>

Upcoming Events:

04/01/06 Pabst, Toney - P-II
04/29/06 Stamper, Toney - P-II
06/03/06 Raleigh, Toney - P-II - Mardi Gras in June

KittyHawk Squares

Dance for the Health of it!

Starting the first Tuesday in September 6th, the Kittyhawks will once again offer Square Dance lessons every Tuesday from 7:30-9:30 p.m. at Saint George's Episcopal Church 5520 Far Hills Avenue, Kettering, OH 45429. Our class instructor is Jason Raleigh. This year we're pleased to announce that we will be adding Line Lessons on Tuesday from 6:30 to 7:30, preceding our Square Dance Lessons with Jeff and Diane Hissong teaching. You can contact us at shirleyrfluharty@juno.com or heartlandgirl564@aol.com or our new web site <http://mykittyhawksquares.tripod.com>.

PLEASE NOTE: The Tony Oxendine dance August 28th, 2005 from 7-10:00 pm will be held at the Charles Lathrem Center 2900 Glengarry, Kettering, OH 45429. RIBBONS IN ADVANCE call Ken & Myrna Allen 937-426-416.

General Dance Format:

1st, 3rd, 5th Friday 8-10:30
St George's Episcopal Church

5520 Far Hills Ave, Kettering, OH

Plus

Club Caller: Jason Raleigh

<http://mykittyhawksquares.tripod.com/>

Upcoming Events:

03/17/06 Raleigh - P
03/31/06 Jarvis, Hissong - P
04/07/06 Rippetto, Hissong - P
04/21/06 Raleigh - P
05/19/06 Johnson, Hissong - P
06/02/06 Raleigh - P

Miami Valley Folk Dancers

Join us for our 43rd Tri-City Folk Dance Festival at the 46th Buckeye Dance Convention. We will have live music with Vatra Ziva on Saturday Evening.

We will be dancing at the informal stage for the A World A'Fair at the Dayton Convention Center on May 19 and 20. Please come and join us for the fun.

General Dance Format:

Thursday: Beginners 7-8, Club members 8-11
2nd Sunday: Dance 2:30-5, Potluck dinner 5-6
Michael Solomon Pavilion
2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH
937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)
<http://www.daytonfolkdance.com/mvfd/index.html>

Upcoming Events:

03/16/06 TBA - All
03/23/06 TBA - All
03/30/06 TBA - All
04/06/06 TBA - All
04/09/06 TBA - All
04/13/06 TBA - All
04/20/06 TBA - All
04/27/06 TBA - All
05/04/06 TBA - All
05/11/06 TBA - All
05/14/06 TBA - All
05/18/06 TBA - All
05/25/06 TBA - All
06/01/06 TBA - All
06/08/06 TBA - All
06/11/06 TBA - All



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Tour #2

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June 18-20 -- 3 Days / 2 Nights
\$338 Double / \$446 Single

Tour #3

Port Aransas, Texas
June 18-20 -- 3 Days / 2 Nights
\$438 Double / \$724 Single

Convention 1-Day Tours

Tour #4

San Antonio's Highlights Tour
Wednesday - Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
\$45 / person

Tour #5

San Antonio's Best Ranch Tour
Wednesday - Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
\$45 / person

Tour #6

Fredericksburg, Nimitz Museum & Texas Wildflower Farm
Tuesday - Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
\$35 / person

Tour #7

Fredericksburg, LBJ Ranch & Luchenbach, TX
Tuesday - Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
\$33 / person

Tour #8

Bandera - Cowboy Capitol of the World
Tuesday - Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
\$46 / person

Convention 1/2 Day Tours

Tour #9

San Antonio's Olde West Ranch & Chuckwagon
Wednesday - Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Saturday, 12:00 noon - 4:00 p.m.
\$41 / person

Tour #10

Texas Hill Country Towns Tour
Wednesday - Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Wednesday - Saturday, 12:00 noon - 4:00 p.m.
\$31 / person

Tour #11

Alamo, IMAX, Mercado & More
Tuesday - Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Tuesday - Saturday, 12:00 noon - 4:00 p.m.
\$28 / person

Tour #12

San Antonio Best History / Mystery Tour
Tuesday - Saturday, 9:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Tuesday - Saturday, 12:00 noon - 4:00 p.m.
\$36 / person

Riverboat Specialty Cruises

Tour #13

Breakfast Cruise on Riverboats
Tuesday - Saturday, 8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
\$41 / person

Tour #14

Lunch Cruise on Riverboats
Tuesday - Saturday, 11:30 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
\$43 / person

Post Convention Cruise

Caribbean Gala Square Dance

*For tour information and registration go to
www.55thnsdc.org, click on Convention Tours.*

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Miami Valley Round Dance Club

Learn to Dance!

New classes starting in January.

From 6:00-7:30 on Mondays at the Pavilion, learn Two Step with Gem City Squares. Practice what you learn between tips of the square dance lessons that follow. Two Step starts January 2, 2006.

From 6:00-7:30 on Tuesdays at the Pavilion, learn Cha Cha with Miami Valley Round Dance Club. Stay for the early part of the club dance to practice what you have learned. Cha Cha starts January 7, 2006.

For more information, please contact Stuart Lewis at 937-432-0283 or Stuart@SALewis.com.

General Dance Format:

Every Tuesday 7:30-9:30

Michael Solomon Pavilion

2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH

937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)

Lessons 6-7:30

Phase II-IV 7:30-9:30

Stuart Lewis & Fay Samborsky

<http://www.salewis.com/mvrdc>

Upcoming Events:

03/21/06 Lewis - II-III-IV

03/28/06 Lewis - II-III-IV

04/04/06 Lewis - II-III-IV

04/18/06 Lewis - II-III-IV

04/25/06 Lewis - II-III-IV

05/02/06 Lewis - II-III-IV

05/16/06 Lewis - II-III-IV

05/23/06 Lewis - II-III-IV

05/30/06 Lewis - II-III-IV

06/06/06 Lewis - II-III-IV

National Carousel No. 114

General Dance Format:

Every Wednesday 6-9

Michael Solomon Pavilion

2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH

937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)

Phase V-VI

Marianne & Jim Senecal

Upcoming Events:

03/15/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

03/22/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

03/29/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

04/05/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

04/12/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

04/19/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

04/26/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

05/03/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

05/10/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

05/17/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

05/24/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

05/31/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

06/07/06 Senecal - IV-V-VI

Rounds By Jobe

General Dance Format:

Every Monday - Phase IV,V,VI - 3:00 - 6:00

2nd Saturday - Phase IV,V,VI - Workshop & Dance - 1:30 - 4:00

4th Sunday - Phase IV,V,VI - 1:30 - 4:00 Dance & Teach

Michael Solomon Pavilion

2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH

937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)

Chuck & Barbara Jobe

Upcoming Events:

03/20/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

03/26/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

03/27/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

04/03/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

04/08/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

04/10/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

04/17/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

04/23/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

04/24/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

05/01/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

05/08/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

05/13/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

05/15/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

05/22/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

05/28/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

05/29/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

06/05/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI

06/10/06 Jobe - IV-V-VI



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Shooting Stars Square Dance Club

We would like to invite everyone to come out and dance with us at the Greene County Career Center. We currently are having our dances held on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month, from 7:30 P.M. to 10:00 P.M. We are having line dancing on the 1st Saturday of each month and round dancing on the 3rd Saturday of each month between square dance tips.

The Shooting Stars will be having a big celebration on April 23rd from 2:00 to 5:00 PM. Come to our 45th Anniversary Dance. The callers will be Homer Magnet, Topple McGuffey, Jack Pladdys, with Gay Chevalier on rounds and Sally Brown on lines. Everybody come on over and have a wonderful afternoon with the Shooting Stars.

We always welcome raids and retrievals. Please call our raid chairpersons, Jim and Ann Davis at (937)236-2057. We have some fantastic dances coming up, most of which are Hi-Lo. Bring your students and introduce them to different callers and our friendly group of dancers.

Visit the Shooting Stars web page at <http://hometown.aol.com/donjesp50/index.html>

General Dance Format:

1st, 3rd Saturday 7:30-10
Greene County Career Center
2960 W Enon Rd 4 mi S of Fairborn, OH
Plus and Lines on 1st - Plus and Rounds 3rd
<http://hometown.aol.com/donjesp50/index.html>

Upcoming Events:

03/18/06 Fitch, Chevalier - P
04/01/06 Shannon - P
04/15/06 Clausing - P
04/23/06 Magnet, McGuffey, Pladdys,
Chevalier - P-II
04/29/06 McGuffey, Chevalier - H/L-II
05/20/06 Wiseman, Chevalier - P-II
06/03/06 Rippeto - P

Super B Squares

General Dance Format:

1st & 3rd Saturday 8-10:30
Michael Solomon Pavilion
2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH
937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)
H/L (Jan-May) or Plus (Jun-Dec) & Phase II
Rounds - 1st
Plus - 3rd
Jack Pladdys & Gay Chevalier 1st
TBA 3rd

Upcoming Events:

03/18/06 Clausing - P
04/01/06 Pladdys, Chevalier - P-II - Be
Bopping in the 50's
04/15/06 Pabst - P
05/20/06 Pladdys - P
06/03/06 Pladdys, Chevalier - P-II - Pirates of
the Caribbean

Swinging 8s

We have a new dance location starting

September 2005: First Congregational Church,
Activity Building

corner of Wayne & Devor Greenville, Ohio

We also have a new banner chair: Edna Carrico,
2467 Rossburg Lightsville Rd., Rossburg, Ohio
45362

General Dance Format:

4th Saturday 8-10:30

First Congregational Church, Act. Bldg.

corner of Wayne & Devor

Greenville, Ohio

Plus & Rounds

Club Caller: Mark Libert

Rounds: Pat Toney

Upcoming Events:

03/25/06 McGuffey, Toney - H/L-II

04/22/06 Arnett, Toney - H/LP-II

Tuesday Afternoon Plus

General Dance Format:

Every Tuesday 1:30-3:30

Michael Solomon Pavilion

2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH

937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)

Plus

Upcoming Events:

03/14/06 Raleigh - P

03/21/06 Fitch - P

03/28/06 Reinhardt - P

04/04/06 Chevalier - P

04/11/06 Winkler - P

04/18/06 Raleigh - P

04/25/06 Reinhardt - P

05/09/06 Chevalier - P

05/16/06 Raleigh - P

05/23/06 Winkler - P

05/30/06 Reinhardt - P

06/06/06 Chevalier - P

Wheeler Dealers

Wheeler Dealers has a place to dance:

Warren County Community Service Bldg.

(called the 741 Center by most people) 570 N.

St. Rt. 741 Lebanon, Ohio Our first dance there

will be Sept. 9th. You would go in the drive and

around the building to the south side and in
those doors. It is just north of Route 63 on 741. A
flyer and a map will follow, just wanted to get the
word out.

General Dance Format:

No dances July & August

2nd & 4th Friday 7:30-10

Plus

Club Caller: Gene Record

Upcoming Events:

03/24/06 Record - P

04/14/06 Record - P

04/28/06 Record - P

05/12/06 Record - P

05/26/06 Record - P

06/09/06 Record - P

Whirlaways

General Dance Format:

2nd & 4th Friday 8-10:30

Michael Solomon Pavilion

2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH

937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)

A-1 & A-2

Upcoming Events:

03/24/06 Philipps - A1-A2

03/31/06 TBA - A1-A2

04/14/06 Sparks - A1-A2

04/28/06 Barth - A1-A2

05/12/06 Pladdys - A1-A2

05/26/06 Raleigh - A1-A2

06/09/06 Pladdys - A1-A2

Yellow Rockers

Come dance with us at the Community
(Bryan) Center, 100 Dayton St., Yellow Springs.
Plus

We dance the 2nd Sunday, 7:30-10:00, and
always accept raids or retrievals, even for our
special dances. Our raid chairperson is Jean
Britton, tele-(937)488-9911.

General Dance Format:

2nd Sunday 7:30-10

Community (Bryan) Center

100 Dayton St, Yellow Springs

Plus

Rounds - even months

Upcoming Events:

04/09/06 McGuffey, Wintrow - H/L/II

05/14/06 Clausing - H/L

06/11/06 Kincade, Wintrow - P/II

Miami Valley Callers Association

Winter Wonderland Dance

A big THANK YOU to all the dancers who attended the Miami Valley Caller Association (MVCA) Winter Wonderland Dance at the Michael Solomon Pavilion on 15 January. We had about ten squares and a majority of the dancers were still present at the end of the dance. There was even a surprise appearance by Alice and the Rabbit from the Dayton Publicity Show. The program mixed squares, rounds, lines, and even a circle contra. We had many comments afterwards that it was a fun dance.

MVCA members supporting the dance included: Nathaniel & Mary Beth Arnett, Beth Berman, John & Jackie Blaylock, John & Gay Chevalier, Ken & Debbi Fish, Jeff & Diane Hissong, John & Malinda Knight, Jason & Kathleen Raleigh, Ken Roberts, Dave & Mary Stevens, Dick & Rose Winkler, Elaine & Bud Wintrow.

The success of this dance insures the Caller Association will be able to continue the educational programs for the members of the MVCA. These programs will help the callers/cuers/leaders of tomorrow (and a few of us old guys) do a good job for the Dayton-area dancers.

John Chevalier, MVCA Secretary

General Dance Format:

3rd Sunday 2-4:30 PM

Michael Solomon Pavilion

2917 Berkley Ave, Dayton, OH

937-294-9357 (Dance Hall)

Student Squares and Rounds (January)

MVCA Callers & Cuers

http://members.tripod.com/mvca_callers/

Upcoming Events:

Council Attendance

Club Representation at Bi-Monthly Miami Valley Dance Council Meetings

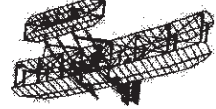
	03/08/05	05/10/05	07/12/05	09/13/05	11/15/05	01/10/06
BNR Squares						
Cardinal Squares	X	X	X	X		X
CITYFOLK	X	X	X	X	X	X
Clinton County Country Squares	X	X	X	X		X
Cloverleaf Squares	X	X	X	X	X	X
Country Cousins	X	X	X	X	X	X
Curli-Qs	X	X	X	X	X	X
Dayton Contra Dance Club	X	X	X	X		X
Double H Squares		X	X	X	X	X
Flying Ghillies Scottish Country Dancers	X	X	X	X	X	X
Gem City Squares	X	X	X	X	X	X
Grand Squares	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hi-Point See Saws	X	X	X	X	X	X
Hoosier Corners	X			X	X	X
Kittyhawk Squares	X	X	X	X	X	X
Miami Valley Folk Dancers	X	X	X	X	X	X
Miami Valley Round Dance Club	X	X	X	X	X	X
National Carousel No. 114	X	X	X	X	X	X
Rounds By Jobe		X	X	X	X	X
Shooting Stars	X	X	X	X	X	X
Super B Squares	X	X	X	X	X	X
Swinging 8s	X	X	X	X	X	X
Tuesday Afternoon Plus	X	X	X	X	X	X
Wheeler Dealers	X	X	X		X	X
Whirlaways	X	X	X	X	X	X
Yellow Rockers	X	X	X	X	X	X

Attendance is based on the sign-in sheets at the meetings. If you don't sign in, you don't get credit.

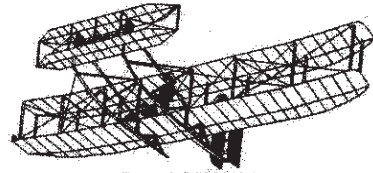


46th Buckeye Dance Convention

May 5-6, 2006



Last Name (His)	First Name (His)
Last Name (Hers)	First Name (Hers)
Address	City State Zip Code
Area Code Telephone Number	County Club Name
E-mail address (optional)	Area Code Call Phone



**Dancin' Wright
in the
Birthplace of Flight**

LEVEL OF DANCE INTEREST
(check all that apply)

<input type="checkbox"/> Squares	<input type="checkbox"/> Rounds	<input type="checkbox"/> Other
<input type="checkbox"/> Mainstream	<input type="checkbox"/> I & II	<input type="checkbox"/> Clogging
<input type="checkbox"/> Plus	<input type="checkbox"/> III & IV	<input type="checkbox"/> Contra
<input type="checkbox"/> DBD	<input type="checkbox"/> V & VI	<input type="checkbox"/> Country-Western
<input type="checkbox"/> Advanced		<input type="checkbox"/> Folk
<input type="checkbox"/> Challenge		



Ribbons Required At All Times!
Appropriate Dance Attire Requested

REGISTRATION FEES

Friday & Saturday before March 1, 2006.....	\$25.00
after March 1, 2006.....	\$30.00
Friday Only before March 1, 2006.....	\$10.00
after March 1, 2006.....	\$15.00
Saturday Only before March 1, 2006.....	\$20.00
after March 1, 2006.....	\$25.00
Non-Dancing Guest.....	\$ 3.00

*Make check or money order payable to:
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(No Cash, Please!)*

TOTAL: _____

DANCE FEDERATION/COUNCIL
(please check one)

<input type="checkbox"/> Cleveland	<input type="checkbox"/> Lima
<input type="checkbox"/> Akron	<input type="checkbox"/> Miami Valley
<input type="checkbox"/> Central	<input type="checkbox"/> Southwestern
<input type="checkbox"/> East Central	<input type="checkbox"/> Toledo
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (or state) _____	

Check here if you are scheduled as a: (or would like to be scheduled)

<input type="checkbox"/> Caller	<input type="checkbox"/> Contra Prompter
<input type="checkbox"/> Cuer	<input type="checkbox"/> Clog Leader
	<input type="checkbox"/> CW Line Leader
	<input type="checkbox"/> Folk Leader

All Registration Fees will be refunded upon completion of scheduled times.

Location - Dayton Convention Center - 22 East Fifth St. Dayton, Ohio 45402

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steve@HaydenInc.com

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937-339-1706
jestocker1233@hotmail.com

Please mail top half of this completed form with payment (check or money order payable to: 46th Buckeye Dance Convention) to:

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1767 Brandonhall Drive
Miamisburg, OH 45342
sue.hayes@ncr.com 937-859-6217

Program/Scheduling Chair: Tom Reinhardt
937-431-0224
mandtreinhardt@aol.com

Schedule of Activities

<p>Friday, May 5</p> <p>12 Noon 5:00 pm 7:00 - 10:30 pm</p>	<p>Registration Opens Shops/Vendors Open All Halls Open</p>
<p>Saturday, May 6</p> <p>9:00 am 10:00 - Noon Noon - 5:00 pm 5:15 - 6:00 pm 7:00 - 7:45 pm 8:00 - 10:30 pm</p>	<p>Registration & Shops Open Workshops All Halls Open Fashion Show (main hall) Awards & Ceremonies All Halls Open</p>

Convention Host Hotel

The Crowne Plaza	937-224-0800
33 East Fifth Street	
Dayton, OH 45402	\$92 per night

(When making your room reservations, state that you are with the 46th Buckeye Dance Convention.)

For up-to-date housing & information on the Convention, be sure to log onto our website
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