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Square Dance!

**National Square Dance Convention is June 22-26, 2023**

See link for information about 2023 72nd National Square Dance Convention in Mobile, AL. [www.72nsdc.com](http://www.72nsdc.com). Over 1500 reservations have been made, and two hotels are full. If you plan to go, now might be a good time to make reservations. Might be a nice Christmas present.

Flyer is attached at pages 8 and 9 for SC State Convention in 2023 on April 28-29, 2023.

Glenn Walters is retiring from calling square dancing after 59 years. We will miss him and wish him and Debbie a happy retirement. See flyer on page 10 for details of his retirement party.

I am sorry to inform you that our past SC Federation chairman, Jim Vaughn of Fort Mill, passed away on Thursday, November 24, 2022, . Please keep his wife Myra in your prayers.

I am also sorry to report the lost of Ben Kline on Oct 22, 2022. He was the husband of Sharon Kline. Please keep Sharon in your prayers.

We will continue issuing the electronic copy of the Round-Up to the club reporters who should then distribute it to their members, callers, and cuers. We can post more pictures in the electronic edition.

Please keep your members, callers, and cuers, who do not have email, informed of what is happening.

Anyone interested in becoming editor of the Round-Up newsletter, please email [shaw.jerry@outlook.com](mailto:shaw.jerry@outlook.com), It normally takes about 20 hours to prepare each bi-monthly edition. We will load Microsoft Publisher, Word, and Excel software on your computer free of charge. Knowledge of Microsoft Word and Excel would be helpful.

**Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!!!!**





# UP COMING SPECIAL DANCES



December \_\_\_\_\_

Dec 12 **Pacesetters** CHRISTMAS DANCE Joe Arnold, Calling

Dec 12 **Thunderbirds** Graduation Dance

Dec 18 **4Plus** Mike Cox, calling

Dec 23 **Peach Blossoms & Paws & Taws** NO Dance

Dec 24 **Thunderbirds** NO Dance

January \_\_\_\_\_

Jan 1, 2023 **4Plus** NO Dance

Jan 15 **4 Plus** Tony Simmons, calling

Jan 27 **Paws & Taws** Snow Ball Dance—Mike Cox, calling

“Up Coming Special Dances” are reserved for Special Dances with guest callers and/or Benefit Dances. These dances will appear on the calendars in the center of this publication.

**PACSESETTERS**

E-Mail: jimbishop1949@att.net

Reporter: Annabel Milton

Caller: Mike Cox

Cuer: Mike McDonald 2nd, 4th, 5th Mondays

Lines: Debbie McClain 2nd &amp; 4th Mondays

Plus Dancing: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, & 5th Mondays,  
7:30-9:30New Address: Central Presbyterian Church, 1404 N Blvd,  
Anderson, SC

With Thanksgiving over, we are now in the midst of the busiest time of the year, the stressful holiday rush. Dancing is a wonderful way to relieve that stress. Pacesetters Square Dance Club has a full slate of upcoming dances designed to do just that! As Jim Bishop always says, "We guarantee you will have a good time!"

Speaking of a full slate, I am thrilled to announce that (for the first time in a very long time) Pacesetters has a full slate of volunteers for every office, beginning in January!

To our outgoing Presidents, Jim and Judy Bishop, words can't express our gratitude for the years you have served this club. Thank you from the bottom of our hearts for all you have done for Pacesetters.

Looking back, Pacesetters had some great dances in October and November, and just recently did some nursing home demonstrations, with more planned in the future.

Looking forward, if you are looking for a place to dance that turkey off, and finding many clubs having a reduced schedule for the holidays, Pacesetters is the place for you! We are going full steam ahead with 3 dances scheduled for December and 4 dances scheduled for January!

On December 12<sup>th</sup>, we are hosting our annual Christmas Dance with local favorite, the one and only Joe Arnold as our guest caller! The dance will be from 7:30pm to 9:30pm with Mike and Debbie cueing rounds and lines between tips. While we are somewhat breaking with tradition by not having our seated 7 course dinner this year, don't be fooled, you won't go home hungry. We will have a wonderful assortment of HEAVY hors d'oeuvres for your eating pleasure, and a few door prizes, too! A big thanks goes to our newly weds, Dave and Diana Campbell, for hosting this event!

In January, we have 4 dances on the calendar, including a 5<sup>th</sup> Monday dance on the 30<sup>th</sup>. Put on your tie dye and paisley for our Feeling Groovy Hippy Dance on the 9<sup>th</sup>.

We are having lessons, with mainstream classes beginning on the 26<sup>th</sup> of January. Tell your neighbors, friends, co-workers, and family and invite them to come see what this wonderful activity is all about and what fun we have. If you already dance and think ...  
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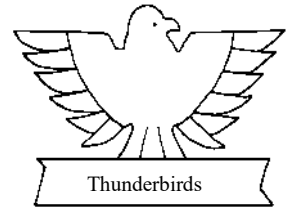
**THUNDERBIRD SQUARES**

E-mail: tbirdsquares@gmail.com

Reporter: Dale &amp; Marie Fowler

Callers: Glenn Walters &  
Tony SimmonsLines: Sandy Simmons  
Cindy BunnCuers: Dean Kinion- 2nd Sat.  
Tom Bunn-4th Sat.

Dances: 2nd &amp; 4th Saturdays



The Thunderbirds have much to be thankful for this year! We had 8 squares in attendance at our annual Thanksgiving dinner dance and are happy to have 20 students in our current mainstream class. They will be graduating on Dec 12 so come join us at no cost to welcome them to square dancing!

At our Thanksgiving dance we made a special announcement that Glenn Walters is retiring and we are throwing an epic party on February 25. Dinner at 6 PM followed by a dance with Gary Shoemake as emcee and 12 callers to recognize Glenn. Be sure to check page 10 or facebook for the flyer and more information. If you would like to join our email list please send an email to [Tbird-squares@gmail.com](mailto:Tbird-squares@gmail.com). Also check out our website at [www.Thunderbirdsquares.com](http://www.Thunderbirdsquares.com) for all our upcoming dances.

December 10 is the Thunderbird Christmas Dance with early rounds at 6:30 PM and squares with Tony and Glenn starting at 7 PM. Landmark Hall will be decorated for Christmas and we will have all Christmas music to get you feeling Merry. Don't miss Dean and Margie's Christmas Round Dance at Landmark Hall on Thursday Dec 1 at 7 PM too!

Jan 14 will be our Happy New Year dance with Early rounds at 6:30 PM and squares with Glenn and Tony starting at 7 PM. Then on January 28 we will have a Snowflake Dance with Squares and Lines.

... you would like a refresher course, you are welcome to join us as students or angels. Mike Cox is an excellent teacher, and when lessons are over, I guarantee you will know how to dance!

Our dance calendar for December and January:

**December 2022**

5<sup>th</sup> Red Shirt night  
12<sup>th</sup> Christmas Dance  
19<sup>th</sup> Regular dance  
26<sup>th</sup> NO dance

**January 2023**

2<sup>nd</sup> Red shirt night  
9<sup>th</sup> Feeling Groovy Hippy Dance  
16<sup>th</sup> Regular dance  
23<sup>rd</sup> NO dance  
30<sup>th</sup> Fifth Monday dance

| Sun                           | Mon  | Tue  | Wed                 | Thu  | Fri  | Sat  |
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| 1<br><b>4PLUS</b><br>No Dance | 2<br><b>Pacesetters</b><br>Red Shirt Dance             | 3<br><b>Classes:</b><br>Peach Blossoms/MS  | 4<br><b>JANUARY</b> | 5<br><b>Classes:</b><br>PAWS & TAWS/MS                   | 6  | 7<br><b>Spartan Spinners</b><br>Happy New Year Dance<br>ER's |
| 8                             | 9<br><b>Pacesetters</b><br>Feeling Groovy Hippie Dance | 10<br><b>Classes:</b><br>Peach Blossoms/MS | 11                  | 12<br><b>Classes:</b><br>PAWS & TAWS/MS                  | 13<br><b>Paws &amp; Taws Soup Dance</b><br><br><b>Peach Blossoms Lucky New Year Dance</b>                          | 14<br><b>Thunderbirds</b><br>Happy New Year Dance,<br>Er's   |
| 15                            | 16<br><b>Pacesetters</b><br><b>Regular Dance</b>       | 17<br><b>Classes:</b><br>Peach Blossoms/MS | 18                  | 19<br><b>Classes:</b><br>PAWS & TAWS/MS                  | 20   | 21<br><b>Spartan Spinners</b><br><b>Fun Dance</b>            |
| 22                            | 23<br><b>Pacesetters</b><br>NO dance                   | 24<br><b>Classes:</b><br>Peach Blossoms/MS | 25                  | 26<br><b>Classes:</b><br>PAWS & TAWS/MS<br>PACSETTERS/MS | 27<br><b>Paws &amp; Taws Snow ball Dance-Mike Cox calling</b><br><br><b>Peach Blossoms Sadie Hawkins Eve Dance</b> | 28<br><b>Thunderbirds</b><br>Snowflake dance                 |
| 29                            | 30<br><b>Pacesetters</b><br>Fifth Monday Dance         | 31<br><b>Classes:</b><br>Peach Blossoms/MS |                     |  |  |  |

| Sun   | Mon   | Tue   | Wed | Thu   | Fri   | Sat  |
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|   | <b>DECEMBER</b>   |   |     | 1   | 2   | 3<br><i>Spartan Spinners</i>   |
| 4<br><b>4PLUS</b>                             | 5<br><b>Pacesetters</b><br><i>Red Shirt Dance</i>   | 6<br><b>Classes:</b><br><i>Peach Blossoms/PLUS</i>  | 7   | 8<br><b>Classes:</b><br><i>Spartan Spinners/MS</i>  | 9<br><b>Paws &amp; Taus</b><br><i>Christmas Dance</i><br><br><i>Peach Blossoms</i><br><i>Very Merry Christmas Dance</i> | 10<br><b>Thunderbirds</b><br><i>Christmas Dance w/Er's</i>                                     |
| 11  | 12<br><b>Pacesetters</b><br><i>Christmas Dance, Joe Arnold, calling</i><br><b>Thunderbirds</b><br><i>Graduation Dance</i> | 13<br><b>Classes:</b><br><i>Peach Blossoms/PLUS</i> | 14  | 15<br><b>Classes:</b><br><i>Spartan Spinners/MS</i> | 16  | 17<br><b>Spartan Spinners</b><br><b>Combined</b><br><b>Dance with</b><br><b>Peach Blossoms</b> |
| 18<br><b>4PLUS</b><br><i>Mike Cox calling</i> | 19<br><b>Pacesetters</b><br><i>Regular Dance</i>  | 20<br><b>Classes:</b><br><i>Peach Blossoms/PLUS</i> | 21  | 22<br><b>Classes:</b><br><i>Spartan Spinners/MS</i> | 23<br><b>Paws &amp; Taus</b><br><b>NO Dance</b><br><br><b>Peach Blossoms</b><br><b>No Dance</b>                         | 24<br><b>Thunderbirds</b><br><b>NO Dance</b>   |
| 25  | 26<br><b>Pacesetters</b><br><b>NO Dance</b>   | 27  | 28  | 29<br><b>Classes:</b><br><i>Spartan Spinners/MS</i> | 30  | 31   |



## Spartan Spinners Square Dance Club

Caller: Tom Pustinger  
 7:30 —9:30 PM Mainstream & Announced  
 Plus 1st & 3rd Saturdays  
 Lines: Nancy Pustinger  
 Rounds: First Saturday 7:00 pm  
 E-Mail: nancy1tom@att.net  
 Website: www.spartanspinners.com  
 Reporter: Don Galloway  
 E-Mail: spartanspinners@gmail.com  
 Facebook: [www.facebook.com/SpartanSpinners2/](https://www.facebook.com/SpartanSpinners2/)



Things are looking up for the Spinners.  
 We have 3 or 4 squares each week. We've graduated 8 students and have 6 new students in class right now.

We will be holding our annual Christmas party with Optional Chinese Auction Style gift exchange at The Police Club in Spartanburg. (765 Police Club Rd) Spartanburg, SC

Date: Dec 8

Time: 6PM

The cost is \$15 per person. Checks payable to WC Bain 228 Mohawk Spartanburg, SC 29301

by Dec 3. This is for the 16oz steak dinner which includes baked potato, salad, bread, and drink. Desserts will be brought by club members. THIS IS NOT A DANCE and everyone is welcome.

Contact Don Galloway @ (864) 580-6186 for more details or questions.

Schedule of dances for Dec and Jan

Dances start at 7:30pm

Early rounds start at 7pm

Dec 3rd- Regular Dance NoTheme (early rounds)

Dec 17th- Spinners/ Peach Blossom Combined Christmas Dance

Jan 7th - Happy New Year Dance (early rounds)

Jan 21st- No Theme --Just Fun!

Details about each dance can be found at [Facebook.com/SpartanSpinners2/events](https://www.facebook.com/SpartanSpinners2/events)

We would like to have you all join us at each and every one of them!

## PEACH BLOSSOM SQUARES

E-Mail: shaw.jerry@outlook.com

Reporter: Lorena Cushman

Caller: Tom Pustinger

2nd & 4th Fridays

7:30 - 9:30 PM

Mainstream w/Announced Plus



**Peach Blossoms has moved to Inman United Methodist Church for rest of 2022 and 2023.**

Church is located at 27 Bishop St, Inman, SC. Park in Parking lot across from front of church. Walk down sidewalk on left side of church to last door on right. Enter the door and turn left and go to end of hall. We will dance in gym.

Tom will finish Plus lessons on Tuesday December nights at 7:00 at Inman United Methodist. .

Dec 9 Very Merry Christmas Dance. Dress in Christmas attire.

Dec 17 Combined dance with Spartan Spinners at Holy Communion Lutheran Church

Dec 23 Dance Cancelled. We wish all our square dance friends a very merry Christmas and very happy New Year.

Themes for our 2023 dances are:

Jan 13 Lucky New Year's dance (Friday 13)

Jan 27 Sadie Hawkins Eve dance – Hill Billy attire (Women must ask men to dance)

Feb 10 Sweet Heart Dance

Feb 24 Red, White, and Blue Dance

The Club decided that we would stay casual dress in fall/winter months but anyone who wanted to wear square dance attire at any dances should do so. Also, we would request everyone to dress up in square dance attire for special dances only.





**PAWS & TAWS**

E-Mail:

PawsAndTawsBoard@googlegroups.com

Reporter: Alan &amp; Brenda Thomson

Caller: Ken Perkins

Cuers: Tom Bunn and Kristine Nelson  
2nd & 4th Fridays

Paws and Taws will close out 2022 with our Christmas Dance on December 9, the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday. Ken Perkins will be calling the squares and Kristine Nelson cueing rounds. Early rounds start at 7:00pm and the dance will be from 7:30 to 9:30pm.

Paws and Taws will not have a dance on our normal 4<sup>th</sup> Friday in December – we hope everyone has a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Paws and Taws will kickoff the new year with our traditional Hot Dog Supper and Introduction to Square Dancing for prospective new dancers on Thursday, January 5, with lessons starting the following week. The club has had classes of enthusiastic folks the past couple of years and we hope that 2023 will continue that run. Phil Buckhiester is the Instructor for our classes, and we are blessed with his preparation, teaching excellence, and enthusiasm.

The first dance in 2023 will be the Soup Dance on Friday, January 13, with a variety of hearty soups to ward off the winter chill, Ken Perkins calling, and Kristine Nelson cueing at the regular times of early rounds at 7:00pm and the dance will be from 7:30 to 9:30pm.

On Friday, January 27 we will welcome Mike Cox, the first of an outstanding lineup of guest callers coming to Seneca in 2023, for the Snow Ball Dance. That is also the first of the themed dances for 2023 – white attire is encouraged! Kristine Nelson will be cueing the rounds, with early rounds at 7:00pm. The dance, mainstream with announced Plus, will be from 7:30 to 9:30pm.

We look forward to seeing you on the floor with us in Seneca.

**4PLUS**

E-Mail: 4plusclub@gmail.com

Reporter: Louanne Irving

Caller: Guest Callers

3:00 - 5:00 PM

Plus dancing first and third Sunday each month. No Round Dancing

Merry Christmas to all our dancing friends! We have a full month of dances for you to enjoy this Christmas season. Our Christmas dance will be held December 4th with one of our favorite callers Patty Greene. She will dazzle us with some wonderful Christmas music with her beautiful voice.

But that's not all, we'll have a second dance in December on the 18th with Mike Cox. Feel free to keep wearing your red and green.

We'll be ringing in the New Year on January 1st so there will NOT be a dance that day.

Our first dance of 2023 will be January 15th with the talented Tony Simmons who couldn't do a slow singing call if he tried.

Our February dances will be the 5th with Joe Arnold and the 19th with Patty Greene. Maybe she'll have some Valentine or love songs for us this time.

We look forward to dancing with you as we begin 2023. My how time flies when you're dancing!

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|-------------|--------------------------------|
| December 4  | Patty Greene - Christmas dance |
| December 18 | Mike Cox                       |

|            |              |
|------------|--------------|
| January 1  | No Dance     |
| January 15 | Tony Simmons |

|             |              |
|-------------|--------------|
| February 5  | Joe Arnold   |
| February 19 | Patty Greene |





# 46th Annual South Carolina Square and Round Dance State Convention 2023



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- Parade of Clubs
- Workshop-Funshop
- Round Dance Hall
- Last Square Standing

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**Dances**

- Mainstream Plus
- Advanced Rounds
- High Energy
- Progressive
- Singing Calls
- Lines
- Hot Hash
- Hex
- Callorama



**The Shield**  
2499 Firetower Road  
Rock Hill, SC 29730  
Friday & Saturday  
April 28<sup>th</sup> & 29<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Watch for Info  
on the  
Trail End Dance

Dancing will start at 10:00 am and end at 11:00 pm Friday

10:00 am and end at 11:00 pm Saturday

No Advanced Tickets sold at the door

Free Parking

**Ticket Information:** Email to Randy Shelton

[mach111@charter.net](mailto:mach111@charter.net)





## SOUTH CAROLINA SQUARE AND ROUND DANCE CONVENTION

The Shield  
2499 Firetower Road  
Rock Hill, SC 29730

**April 28th & 29th, 2023**

### Ticket Information

| <u>DAYS</u> | <u>ADVANCE</u> | <u>AT DOOR</u> |
|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| All         | \$30           | \$35           |
| Friday      |                | \$15           |
| Saturday    |                | \$20           |

Dancers Under 16 **FREE** With PAID Adult  
No Refunds After March 30, 2023

**NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR LOST  
OR MISPLACED TICKETS**

#### TICKETS/INFORMATION

Randy Shelton  
111 Tall Pines Road  
Fountain Inn, SC 29644  
864-414-1618  
\* mach111@charter.net

### Advance Ticket Request

( Before March 30, 2023 )

\* Contact Randy Shelton for questions  
regarding advanced ticket sales after this date.

|                           | <u>Price</u> | <u>Quantity</u> | <u>Amount</u> |
|---------------------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------|
| Adults                    |              |                 |               |
| (All Days)                | \$30         | x _____         | = _____       |
| Dancers                   | \$0          |                 |               |
| (under 16) w/paid adult   |              | x _____         | = <u>0</u>    |
| <b>Total Ticket Order</b> |              | _____           | = _____       |

Make checks payable to:

**SC Square and Round Dance Convention**

(Please enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Disclaimer: The SC Square & Round Dance Convention is not responsible for unforeseen events that may occur.

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Or Any Hotel of Your Choice

# Thunderbird Squares Retirement Dinner Dance

honoring

**GLENN WALTERS the Legend  
FOR 59 YEARS OF  
SQUARE DANCE CALLING**



**GARY SHOEMAKE : Master of Ceremonies  
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**Joe Arnold \* Jerry Biggerstaff \* Donnie DeVore  
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**SATURDAY FEBRUARY 25, 2023 6 PM**

**Landmark Hall 156 Landmark Drive, Taylors SC**

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**Wear Black, White or Gold in Glenn's honor.**

**Cost \$10 PER PERSON**

**RSVP by Feb 11 to [TbirdSquares@gmail.com](mailto:TbirdSquares@gmail.com)**