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# PIEDMONT SEUARE DANCE ASSOCIATION

#### **National Square Dance Convention is June 22-26**

See link for information about National Square Dance Convention. <u>71st National Square Dance Convention</u> (<u>71nsdc.org</u>)

SC Square and Round Dance Federation will hold a Meeting/Dance on July 30 at Spartan Spinners. See flyer at pages 9 and 10 of electronic copy of Round-Up only.

We will continue printing the paper copy of the Round-Up as long as we can afford to do so. So far we are OK financially.

If your club does not pay for a paper subscription the Round-Up for you, any member of PSDA clubs wanting a paper copy of The Round-Up mailed to them must send a check to Jerry Shaw, 162 Chestnut Lake Dr., Inman, SC, See back of Round-Up for subscription rates and expiration date of your subscription.

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, 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.



Tom Pustinger - caller for Spartan Spinners for 26 years

**Special Message from Tony Simmons** 

I've been thinking about trying to get PSDA going as a combined dancers and callers group where everyone can meet and figure how to promote square dancing in the upstate of SC.

This way dancers and callers can communicate directly with each other about what we all can do to keep square dancing alive and growing in upstate SC. Would this be possible?

Thanks,

**Tony Simmons** 

Please think about Tony's proposal and we will discuss at next meeting of PSDA on June 26 at Landmark Hall at 5 PM, after the 4-Plus dance.

**Jerry Shaw** 



## **UP COMING SPECIAL DANCES**



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June 4 — Spartan Spinners- Memorial Day Dance
June 5—4 Plus -- Patty Greene
June 6- Pacesetters-Red shirt night
June 10 - PAWS & TAWS—Spring Picnic/Graduation Dance, Ken Perkins and Phil Buckhiester calling and
Tom Bunn cueing, at High Falls County Park
June 10- Peach Blossoms—Welcome Summer Dance
June 11—Thunderbirds - Club Shirt Squares/Rounds
June 13- Pacesetters-Regular dance with early rounds
June 18- Spartan Spinners-Western Hoedown Dance
June 19 - 4-Plus- No dance - Father's Day
June 20- Pacesetters-No dance
June 22-26 - 71st National Square Dance Convention—Evansville, Indiana—
http://nsdcnec.com/flipdocs/NatSqOnline/Natsq1221/index.html
June 24—Peach Blossoms—Beach Party Dance
June 24—PAWS & TAWS Beach Party Dance, Richard Smith calling and Tom Bunn cueing
June 25—Thunderbirds - Bobs Birthday Bash Squares/Lines 7:00
June 26 - 4-Plus-Tony Simmons and Joe Arnold (note: this is the 4th Sunday)
July 26—PSDA meeting 5pm at Landmark Hall
June 27- Pacesetters-Regular dance with early rounds
July 2- Spartan Spinners—Ice Cream Social Dance
July 3 - 4-Plus- No dance - Independence Day weekend
July 4—Pacesetters - No dance
July 8—PAWS & TAWS Swiss Alps Dance, Sam Rowan calling and Tom Bunn cueing
July 8—Peach Blossoms—Patriotic Dance
Jul 9—Thunderbirds - Vacation T-shirt Squares/Rounds
July 11—Pacesetters - Celebrating Freedom dance with early rounds
July 16 - Spartan Spinners—Hawaiian Dance
July 17 - 4-Plus- Dan Nordbye
July 18—Pacesetters - No dance
July 22—PAWS & TAWS Ice Cream Social / Benefit Dance, Ken Perkins calling and Tom Bunn cueing.
Proceeds to benefit Senior Solutions.
July 22—Peach Blossoms - Regular Dance
Jul 23- Thunderbirds - Hawaiian Friendship Dance Squares/Lines
July 25—Pacesetters - Regular dance with early rounds
July 29 - 4-Plus- 5th Friday dance with the Thunderbirds 7-9 with Travis Cook
July 30– SC Federation Meeting/Dance 12:30 –10:30 pm, Holy Communion Lutheran Church, 1430 John B.
White Blvd, Spartanburg, SC
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"Up Coming Special Dances" are reserved for Special Dances with guest callers and/or Benefit Dances. Theme dances will appear on the calendars in the center of this publication.

#### **PACESETTERS**

E-Mail: jimbishop1949@att.net

Reporter: Jim Bishop Caller: Mike Cox

Cuer: Mike McDonald 2nd, 4th, 5th Mondays Lines: Debbie McClain 2nd & 4th Mondays Plus Dancing: 1st, 2nd, 4th & 5th Mondays,

7:30-9:30

New Address: Central Presbyterian Church, 1404 N Blvd,

Anderson, SC

Another month of strong attendance for our dances. We're regularly dancing 3 squares with several regular visitors. We added two new members in April, Linda Michel and Jerry Hester. We're glad to have them join us. Our lessons started strong, but due to some scheduling issues, most of our students drifted away. We have a few that need refreshing in mainstream, so we're teaching them on an accelerated schedule. We will follow those with plus lessons. Watch this space for more details.

We have two members that have had triple bypass surgery -Dave Sappenfield and Jim Bishop. They are both doing well, and we wish them a speedy recovery.

Our calendar for June and July is here:

#### June

6-Red shirt night

13-Regular dance with early rounds

20-No dance

27-Regular dance with early rounds

#### July

4-No dance

11-Celebrating Freedom dance with early rounds

18-No dance

25-Regular dance with early rounds

Lining Up for Anniversary Cake —4 Plus Anniversary Dance

#### THUNDERBIRD SQUARES

E-mail: tbirdsquares@gmail.com Reporter: Dale & Marie Fowler Callers: Glenn Walters &

Tony Simmons
Lines: Sandy Simmons

Cindy Bunn

Cuers: Dean Kinion- 2nd Sat.

Tom Bunn-4th Sat.

Dances: 2nd & 4th Saturdays



Summer is here and dancing at Landmark Hall is the cool place to be!

The Thunderbirds have some fun dances planned starting with our Club shirt dance on June 11. Wear your club shirt - lets see how many clubs are represented! Early Rounds with Dean at 6:30. Squares and Rounds starting at 7 pm with Glenn and Tony.

Then on June 25 we will have Bob's Birthday Bash! What about Bob? He's having a birthday so we're having a big birthday party! Wear your brightest colors and get ready to party. Squares and Lines starting at 7 PM.

July 9 we invite you to wear a fun vacation T-shirt. Early rounds with Dean at 6:30 and squares with Glenn and Tony starting at 7 PM.

And on July 23 we will get on our Hawaiian shirts for a Friendship dance with old friends and new. Squares with Glenn and Tony and Lines with Sandy starting at 7 pm.



Tony Oxendine calling for 4-Plus Anniversary Dance

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	JUNE		CI CI		<u>ω</u>	4 Spartan Spinners Memorial Day Dance
5 <b>4PLUS</b> Patty Greene	6 Pacesetters Red Shirt Dance Ers Classes: Peach Blossoms/MS		<b>∞</b>		10 Paws & Taws Graduation Dance Dinner 6:00 Dance 7-9 Peach Blossoms Welcome Summer Dance	11 Thunderbirds Club Shirt Dance
12	13  Pacesetters  Regular Dance with Ers  Classes: Peach Blossoms/MS	14	15 16	<b>V</b> 0	17	18 Spartan Spinners Western- Hoedown Dance
4 <b>PLUS</b> Dance Cancelled	20 Pacesetters No dance Classes: Peach Blossoms/MS	<b>[</b> 6	G G G	53	24 Paws & Taws Beach Party Dance Peach Blossoms Beach Party	25 <b>Thunderbirds Bob's Birthday Dance</b> Lines 7:00
26 4PLUS Tony Sim mons, Joe Arnold	27 <b>Pacesetters</b> Regular Dance with Ers	28	39	30		

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	JULY				1	2 <b>Spartan Spinners</b> Ice Cream Dance Er's 7:00
3 <b>4PLUS</b> No Dance	4 Pacesetters No dance	ro.	•	<b>L</b>	8 Paws & Taws Swiss Alps Dance Peach Blossoms Patriotic Dance	9 Thunderbirds Vacation T- Shirt Dance
10	Pacesetters Celebrating Freedom Dance Ers Classes: Peach Blossoms/MS	12	13	14	15	16 Spartan Spinners Hawaiian Dance
4 <b>PLUS</b> Dan Nordbye	Pacesetters NO Dance Classes: Peach Blossoms/MS	19	20	21	Paws & Taws Ice Cream Social/ Benefit Dance Peach Blossoms	23 Thunderbirds Hawaiian/ Friendship Dance
24	Pacesetters Regular Dance Ers Classes: Peach Blossoms/MS	26	22	28	29 4 PLUS/ Thunder- birds Fifth Friday Dance Travis Cook	30 SC Federation Meeting/Dance 12:30-10:30

#### **SPARTAN SPINNERS**

Caller: Tom Pustinger Lines: Nancy Pustinger E-Mail: nancy1tom@att.net

Website: www.spartanspinners.com

Reporter: Dom Galloway

E-Mail: spartanspinners@gmail.com

We had a fantastic turnout for our 51st Anniversary Dance. Honoring Tom Pustinger for 26 years of calling.

Many thanks to all who attended. Especially all the callers and cuers

You DO NOT have to wait until our next Anniversary Dance to visit again.

On June 4th Dress out in your Red-White & Blue and join us for our Memorial Day Dance. Early rounds at 7 Pm.

On June 18th We'll be having our Western Hoedown. Put on them Cowboy hats and boots and come boot stomp some squares with Tom at 7:30 pm and Lines with Nancy,

July 2nd will be our Ice Cream Social Nuts, sprinkles, crushed cookies, shredded coconut, fresh berries, crushed candy bars, hot fudge and caramel sauce and who knows what other topping someone may bring. I will even bring some pound cake just in case you want something under your ice cream. Early rounds at 7 PM,

Then on July 16th wear your grass skirt and coconut bra for A Hawaiian Dance or if you prefer just wear a Hawaiian shirt Whatever!!!! As long as you join us at 7:30pm to have some fun dancing.



E-Mail: shaw.jerry@outlook.com Reporter: Lorena Cushman Caller: Tom Pustinger 2nd & 4th Fridays 7:30 - 9:30 PM

Mainstream w/Announced Plus



We will continue to dance at The Church at Lake Cooley at 2591 Ballenger Rd, Welford,, SC 7:30-9:30 pm

June 10 Welcome Summer dance

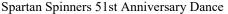
June 24 Beach Party July 8 Patriotic Dance July 22 Regular Dance

We have had 5 new members join our club - Buddy Byrd, Mary Thomas, Danny Crowe, Caroline Dennis, and Glenda Cannon, Come out and meet them. Thank you to



PEACH BLOSSOMS GRADUATION DANCE







#### **PAWS & TAWS**

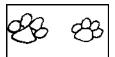
E-Mail:

PawsAndTawsBoard@googlegroups.com Reporter: Alan & Brenda Thomson

Caller: Ken Perkins

Cuers: Tom Bunn and Kristine Nelson

2nd & 4th Fridays



Our class of 15 new dancers has completed their Mainstream lessons, but scheduling issues have delayed their Graduation to our first dance in June. As usual, graduation will be combined with our Spring Picnic at High Falls Park in the pavilion on the shore of Lake Keowee. The potluck dinner begins at 6:00pm; bring a dish to share and admission is free (there is a parking fee collected by the ranger at the gate). The dance is from 7:00 to 9:00pm with Ken Perkins and instructor Phil Buckhiester calling. We hope you can join us, welcoming them to the world of square dancing.

Because of the delayed graduation, Phil will be offering workshops the first two Thursday in June to keep their dancing skills sharp.

Richard Smith will be calling our Beach Party Dance on the 4<sup>th</sup> Friday in June, the 24<sup>th</sup>, Tom Bunn will be cueing rounds, and Cindy Bunn will be leading lines. We look forward to seeing a floor full of colorful Hawaiian shirts!

Sam Rowan will be coming up from the low country to call the Swiss Alps Dance on July 8, with Tom Bunn cueing rounds. Expect to hear some yodeling calls, and to see a clogging demonstration.

The second dance in July will be an Ice Cream Social and a benefit for our host, Senior Solutions. There always is a great variety of ice cream and toppings to help cool off a hot summer night, and we know those attending will be generous toward a good cause.

Except for the Picnic and Graduation Dance, our dances are from 7:30 to 9:30pm, with both early rounds and a Mainstream workshop (in separate halls) at 7:00pm.

With Tom and Cindy Bunn in town for the summer, round dancing has returned to Senior Solutions. On Tuesdays they offer a beginner rumba class from 5:15 to 6:45pm and a multi-rhythm Phase IV+ workshop from 7:00 to 9:00pm. On Sunday, June 12, they will hold an All Rounds Dance from 2:00 to 4:30pm.

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



4-Plus Fifth Anniversary Dance

#### 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

4 Plus had a phenomenal 5th Anniversary Dance in attendance, calling and fun! We had 7 squares dancing, Tony Oxendine calling and a fantastic time had by all! But we are not stopping there - we have a great upcoming lineup of callers.

In June we will have Patty Greene on the 5th and Tony Simmons and Joe Arnold on the 26th. If you've ever danced to any of them you know it's a great time.

In July we have a real treat with national caller Dan Nordbye on July 17, and a special 5th Friday dance July 29, co-sponsored with the Thunderbirds with another national caller, Travis Cook.

August brings a new caller for 4 Plus, energetic and fun, Theresa Rutz. Theresa is from North Carolina and you may have danced to her at the South Carolina convention this year. Please see Upcoming Dances on page 2 for all the dates and times. Our first and third Sunday afternoon dances are from 3:00-5:00 at Landmark Hall. We'd love to see you in a square!

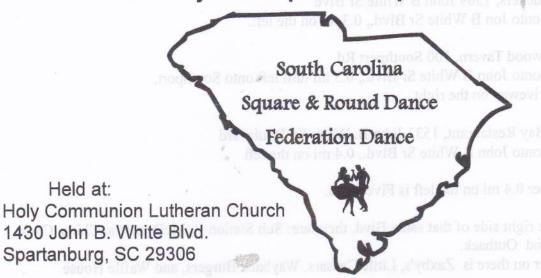


Elaine ready to serve fifth Anniversary Cake

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## Saturday – July 30<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Hosted by The Spartan Spinners



# Caller, Cuers, & Line Dance Leaders of the South Carolina Callers Association

### Host Caller: Tom Pustinger

Callers & Federation Officers Meeting Afternoon Dance-Mainstream, Plus, Rounds, &Lines Federation Committee Chairman's Meeting Callers Executive Meeting Educational Meeting
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Suggested Appropriate Square Dance Attire for Evening Dance
See back of flyer for Restaurants, Hotels, and Directions

### Restaurants

First three are Walking distance from the church

Fuddruckers, 1509 John B White Sr Blvd Right onto Jon B White Sr Blvd., 0.3 mi on the left.

Torchwood Tavern, 100 Southport Rd. Right onto John B White Sr Blvd., 0.3 mi turn left onto Southport, 2nd driveway on the right

Blue Bay Restaurant, 1533 John B. White Sr. Boulevard Right onto John B White Sr Blvd., 0.4 mi on the left

Another 0.4 mi on the left is Five Guys.

On the right side of that same Blvd, there are: Sub Station !!, McDonald's, China, Cook Out, and Outback.

Further on there is Zaxby's, Little Caesars, Wayback Burgers, and Waffle House

### Hotels near the Venue:

Hilton Garden Inn (2.9 mi) 805 Spartan Blvd.	(864) 913-1200
Holiday Inn Express & Suites (2.9 mi) 895 Spartan Blvd	(864) 699-7777
Tru by Hilton Spartanburg (3.0 mi.) 103 Franklin Ave.	(864) 606-6111

#### **Directions:**

-From Charleston or Columbia, SC -Take I-26 West to exit 22. Turn right on to John B White Sr Blvd. Church is 1.3 mi on the left.

-From Charlotte, NC Take I-85 South to I-26 East to exit 22. Turn left on to John B White Sr Blvd.
Church is 1.3 mi on the left.

-From Greenville, SC Take I-85 North to I-26 East to exit 22. Turn left on to John B White Sr Blvd.
Church is 1.3 mi on the left.

#### \*\*\*\*NOTE \*\*\*\*

There is a larger parking area at the driveway across from Advanced Auto Parts