

Bucks and Does
WESTERN SQUARE DANCING CLUB *Singles*



Orbiting



Squares

January 2022

MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENTS VELMA DOYLE & FRED MOORE

As we are writing this article it is not yet Christmas day, but we know there is a chance that you may receive this newsletter prior to New Year's Day. We hope that you will have had an enjoyable Christmas and New Year's eve.

Our Christmas Holiday club dance on December 3rd with Dan Austen calling and Diane Austen cueing was well attended and fun, as was our Holiday mainstream dance on December 9th with Mark Johnson calling. By the time you are reading this, our New Year's Eve Rio de Janeiro Carnival Style Dance Party with Tom Strickland and Chuck Berry will probably be history. If you are reading this early, make sure you do not miss this dance. We are bringing in the New Year at 10:00 PM (Ohio Time), which will be midnight in Rio de Janeiro. Cost: \$8.00 per person (\$4.00 per person for New Dancers).

We have some great dances coming up, starting with our plus level club dance on January 7th with Dan Stuthard calling and Mark Johnson on the rounds. Our board has decided to go forward with holding mainstream dances from 7 to 9 PM on second and fourth Thursday evenings at the Gahanna Community Congregational Church, with Mark Johnson as our caller, and this month these dances will be held on January 13th and 27th. Our second plus level club dance will be on January 28th with Gary Kincaid on the squares and Dave Blaskis on the rounds.

We want to pay tribute to Sue Williams, who has formally resigned from the BADS/OS Board, effective January 1, 2022, but will continue to publish our monthly newsletter and will transition the contracting callers and cueers to Ned Segelken over the next few months. Sue has had a long history with our club, starting when she learned to square dance with Bucks & Does Singles, graduating in the Class of 2005. She started round dancing in the fall of 2006. She has been the production person for the Bucks & Does Newsletter since early in 2007, and we are grateful that she is willing to continue to serve our merged club in this way. Sue was Class Coordinator for the Bucks & Does Class of 2009. She was President-Elect in 2008-09, President in 2009-10, and Past President in 2010-11, and served as Vice President from 2015 to the present, including serving on the transitional BADS/OS Board. The main responsibility of our VP is to book callers and cueers, and she has worked hard and done a good job with this. She has proven to be a hard-working and capable leader, and we will miss having her on our board.

We look forward to seeing you, and hopefully dancing with you, soon. Please keep safe. We hope that the coming year will bring all of you good health and happiness!

CURRENT CELEBRATIONS

Wish these dancers a Happy Birthday when you see them in a square:

Jan. 14	Bob Pipes	Jan. 29	Cheryl Van Dyk
Jan. 27	Jim Herring		

CLUB SCHEDULE

Friday, Jan. 7	BADS/OS Plus Dance, 8:00 – 10:30 p.m. (Early Rounds at 7:30 p.m.) Gahanna Community Congregational Church, 470 Havens Corners Road, Gahanna. Caller: Dave Stuthard, Curer: Mark Johnson
Monday, Jan. 10	BADS/OS Board Meeting by Zoom at 7:00 p.m. Club members are welcome to participate interested, contact Velma Doyle at 614-837-6974 for instructions on how to join our meeting via Zoom or telephone.
Thursday, Jan. 13	BADS/OS Mainstream dance, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Gahanna Community Congregational Church, 470 Havens Corners Road, Gahanna, Mark Johnson calling. Cost is \$4.00 per person; new dancers are welcome.
Thursday, Jan. 27	BADS/OS Mainstream dance, 7:00-9:00 p.m., Gahanna Community Congregational Church, 470 Havens Corners Road, Gahanna, Mark Johnson calling. Cost is \$4.00 per person; new dancers are welcome.
Friday, Jan. 28	BADS/OS Plus Dance, 8:00 – 10:30 p.m. (Early Rounds at 7:30 p.m.) Gahanna Community Congregational Church, 470 Havens Corners Road, Gahanna. Caller: Gary Kincade, Curer: Dave Blaskis

BUCKS & DOES/ORBITING SQUARES MEMBERSHIP FEES ARE NOW DUE

Membership fees for January 1, 2022 to April 30, 2022 are payable ON OR BEFORE the first dance in January. Please be sure to complete a Membership Application/Renewal Form for each dancer at the time of payment. The dues are \$20 for an adult and \$10 for a child under age 17. You have three options for paying your dues: pay at the treasurer's table at a dance; mail an application and check to Bucks & Does/Orbiting Squares, 312 Worman Drive, Gahanna, OH 43230; or go on our website, www.orbitingsquares.com and pay your dues online through Weave the Ring, using a credit card. For your convenience, a copy of the Membership Application/Renewal Form is below.

Our club's fiscal year is May 1 through April 30, and dues for the entire 2022-2023 fiscal year will need to be paid prior to May 1, 2022. The amount of these dues has not yet been determined.

ORBITING SQUARES LIFE MEMBERS ARE PAID UP AND DO NOT REMIT MEMBERSHIP FEES.

62ND OHIO DANCE CONVENTION

Catch the Fun in 2022!

AKRON MAY 6 & 7, 2022

The Bertram Inn 600 North Aurora Road Aurora, OH 44202

For Hotel Registrations Call 330-995-0200 and say you are with the 62nd Ohio Dance Convention. Room rates are \$89/night + taxes. Camping information is on the website.

It is time to **get registered** for the 62nd Ohio Dance Convention on-line or print a paper registration for and use the mail. The events begin with a **Trail-End Dance** on Thursday evening May 5th 7:30PM-10:00PM only \$10.00 for both plus and rounds halls. Friday Morning, May 6th the **Round Dance Clinic** is 10:00AM-11:30AM for a Foxtrot Phase III-IV while the afternoon session 2:00PM-4:00PM is Bolero Phase III-IV. Both sessions are \$35.00 per person or \$20.00 per person for one session. Clinics will be taught by Richard Reinhard and his wife Ella. **Tours** on Friday May 6th include a trip to Stan Hywet Hall and Gardens built by the cofounder of the Goodyear Company 107 years ago. Cost is \$12.00 per person so gather up your friends and carpool for the 25 mile trip that takes about 35 minutes. Maps will be provided. The other tour is a wine tasting tour of the rustic winery and nationally awarded gardens at Thorn Creek Winery in Aurora at \$37.00 per person. Total driving distance is 1.5 miles and takes 4 minutes. Note, both tours are happening at the same time, so choose one or the other. **Saturday Dinner Show** features the many voices of Randy Velez—The Rich Little of Music starting at 4:00PM-6:30PM. Menu choices will be chosen later. All tickets for all events can be purchased on the convention website at ohiodanceconvention.com. That makes it easy, so see you in Aurora in 2022! Oh yes, lots of dancing in the mainstream, plus, and advance halls at the convention.

71st NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE CONVENTION

“Down by the River in Evansville, IN”

June 22-June 25, 2022

www.71nsdc.org

The 71st National Square Dance will be held in Evansville IN on the banks of the Ohio River in the Central Time Zone (1 hour behind Columbus time). It will only take about 5 hours of travel time depending on the route you choose to travel. Traveling down I-71S-I-64W takes 5 hours or by way of 70W-I-69 takes 5 ½ hours. This is not far to travel to a national dance convention. It is close to home, we hope to see you all in Evansville!

Registration- Complete on-line or print and send the registration form by mail.

Housing- Plenty of hotel rooms available. You can book this on-line too!

Caller School- June 19-22; open at no charge to anyone registered for the convention.

Special Event-Wednesday night dinner with Felix & Fingers Dueling Pianos entertainment.

Tours- The website lists tours to some very fun places, including Indianapolis Speedway, Red Skelton Museum, Wilstem Animal Park, Toyota Factory Tour, Amish Tour, Cavern Tour and more!

Education-The schedule has several dance clinics that sound fun!

Vendors in the Vendor Hall.

Style Show-Moonlight Stroll by the River Saturday at 1:00PM.

Dancing in mainstream, plus, & advance halls.

WATCH THIS SPACE NEXT MONTH!

Soon there will be news of a new club to hit the scene on May 1, 2022. You won't want to miss what's coming!!

**BUCKS & DOES/ORBITING SQUARES MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION/RENEWAL
FORM
312 Worman Drive, Gahanna, OH 43230**

Please print all information as requested. Please do not leave any blanks. Give form & dues to the Treasurer or mail it to the above address. Please date and sign your name in the space provided following the declaration statement.

NAME: _____ D.O.B: _____
(Last) (First) (M. I.) (Mo/Day)

ADDRESS: _____
(Street) (Apt) (City) (State) (Zip Code)

PHONE: (_____) _____ / (_____) _____
(Home) (Cell)

(Phone will be listed in the roster as shown. Only note the numbers you want in the roster.)

E-MAIL: _____

Please place an "X" here ____ if you do NOT want your e-mail address listed in the Club Roster

IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CONTACT:

(Name) (Phone Number) (Relationship)

BACK UP CONTACT:

(Name) (Phone Number) (Relationship)

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SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

