



Tualatin Valley Council (TVC) 2017-11-27

Meeting was held at Old Spaghetti Factory,

18925 NW Tanasbourne Drive, Hillsboro, OR 97124

The meeting started about 7:00 and adjourned about 8:35.

<http://www.tualatinvalleycouncil.org>

Attendees:

Delegates:

Columbia River Dancers: Dale & Nancy Smith (both absent)
Eager Beavers: Kay Rogers, Ken Marifke
Hayshakers: Judy Martin, Kathy Worthington (Kathy absent)
Hoedowners: Mike Duyck, Rhoda Reinking (Rhoda absent)
Mix N Mingles: Rick and Robin Faltersack
R Square D: Mary McDaniel, Marv Pope
Sunset Promenaders: Tom Sminia, Mike St. Clair
Toe Draggers: Linda Curtis
Tri Squares: Alice Hendricks, Frank Collett (Frank absent)
Tualatin Timber Squares: Marleigh Alexander (Interim)
Valley Squares: Bea Cook, Joy Choy (Joy absent)
Wave Steppers: Bob Allen

Officers, Elected & Appointed:

President: Dale Brabham
Treasurer: Joanne Switzer
State Delegate: Jim Rogers
Past-President of the TVC: Gary Clark
Insurance Chair: Kay Rogers
President of OFSRDC: Kathy Roberts
Oregon Federation Youth Advisor: Kathy Roberts
Caller Advisor: K.C. Curtis
Cuer Advisor: Kenneth Pratt (absent)
Alternate State Delegate and PAC Representative: Mary Schneider
TVC Webmaster: Tim Roberts (absent)

Acting Vice-President: Kathy Roberts
Secretary: Andis Garuts
Sunshine Chair: Janice Sminia
OFN Area Editor: Ferrous Steinka (absent)

Visitors Attending:

Carolene Siebert (Valley Squares)

TVC Officer Reports:

Previous Council meeting minutes approved as written.

President's report: (Dale Brabham)

Let's welcome our newest TVC Delegate, Marleigh Alexander (Tualatin Timber Squares).

We are in the season of Jamborees, and the TVC is doing a good job of having Jamborees and B-51 dances. We want to be conscious of those and support all of the TVC Jamborees and B-51 dances.

A reminder that the TVC will not hold a Meeting in December. When we contact you to help out at our TVC New Year's Eve Dance, please respond as to whether you can or not.

Our next TVC Meeting will be our annual Presidents Potluck and Meeting on January 22, 2018, at the Hillsboro IOOF Hall in Hillsboro. The TVC Recognition Award will be presented. Delegates, since this is the Presidents Meeting, please bring your clubs' past, current and future Presidents to this meeting. This is how we could recruit people for leadership in the clubs and councils.

Acting Vice President's report: (Kathy Roberts)

December 31st, 2017 (Sunday) New Year's Eve Dance, Hillsboro IOOF Hall. Dan Nordbye calling, Julie Stiers cueing. Our break will be a Dessert and Fruit Bar. During the last meeting, the TVC decided to pre-sell tickets. Tickets are \$7 each before the dance and will be \$8 at the door. Turn in whatever ticket money you have tonight to Joanne. Please either mail me your ticket money before December 28th or take it to the dance. We need all ticket money to be turned in no later than December 31. The Sunset Promenaders will be co-hosting the dance and we need to account for all funds prior to the 31st.

January 26-28, 2018 Winter Festival in Albany. Feature Callers Dan Preedy & Buddy Weaver. Featured Cuers TJ & Bruce Chadd

March 31st, 2018 (5th Saturday), Spring Fling, Kinton Grange, Janienne Alexander calling, Mark McDonald cueing, 7:30 pre-rounds, 8:00 Mainstream & Rounds, every 3rd tip Plus. Co-hosted by the Tualatin Timber Squares.

June 22-24 Summer Festival in Grants Pass, Featured caller Dan Nordbye, Featured Cuers Steve & Judy Storm

June 30th, 2018 (5th Saturday), Mainstream to Advanced, Aloha Grange, Scott Zinser calling, Jeanine Norden cueing. 1 hour Mainstream & Level 2-3 Rounds w/Plus intro; 1 hour Plus & Level 3-5 Rounds w/Advance intro. Co-hosted by the Valley Squares.

August 12th, 2018 (Sunday) Hahn Farm Picnic and Barn Dance, Jim Hattrick calling, Connie Clark cueing, picnic starts at 5:30 pm, Pre-rounds at 6:30 pm, Mainstream and Rounds at 6:45 with one plus tip.

September 29, 2018 (Saturday) Tri-council PAC Hosting.

December 31, 2018 (Monday) New Year's Eve Dance, Hillsboro IOOF Hall, Darrel Kalmbach calling, Randy Lewis Cueing. 9:00 pm – 12:15 am. Our break will be a Dessert and Fruit Bar. Co-hosted by the Eager Beavers and the Sunset Promenaders.

Valley Squares has offered to co-host the June 30 From Mainstream to Advanced square dance at the Aloha Grange. Thank you Valley Squares

Please encourage your students to go to as many jamborees as possible. Here are the upcoming TVC jamborees through the end of the year:

Sunday, December 3, 1-3:00 pm, Toe Draggers

Friday, December 8, R Square D

Sunday, December 10, Hoedowners

I received a request from Mid-Winter Festival for all clubs to donate a basket to the Mid-Winter Festival basket raffle. Baskets will be accepted January 26, 2018 at noon at the Basket Raffle table. Someone will be at the raffle tables to accept completed beautiful basket donations and list of the items.

Treasurer's report: (Joanne Switzer)

Checking: \$1,437.00. (Checkbook balance: \$1,273.37)

Savings: \$10,584.51.

Cashbox: \$50.00.

Secretary report: (Andis Garuts) No report.

State Delegates report: (Jim Rogers) No report.

PAC report: (Mary Schneider)

We are discussing at the PAC about how the clubs co-host the TVC dances. This was received really well, and it led to a 20-minute discussion about this possibility.

OFSRDC Publicity and Education Report: (Kathy Roberts)

The Oregon Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs Facebook page is up to 333 members. Our Facebook page continues to be an excellent means of advertising dances and special events. Please use it to help promote your clubs' events.

If you haven't had a chance to register for Mid-Winter (www.midwinterfestival.com) in Albany, January 26-28, please consider taking a few moments to do so. They always put on a great program with outstanding callers and cuers. The Education Seminar during Mid-Winter this year will be "Looking for Fun in All the Right Places". The Round Table Discussion led by Master Funster Dave Cooper himself and some of his friends. The Round Table Discussion will be Saturday, January 27, in the Oregon State Room from 2-3:00 pm. Bring your ideas and share them. The ideas generated will be included in the March OFN.

Summer Festival this year will be in the beautiful Rogue Valley in Grants Pass, June 22-24, 2018. They are busy planning an entire weekend full of dancing and other activities that are popular throughout their area. They currently only have 20 people registered, so I invite you to hurry up and pre-register so that they can continue planning their fun activities. In addition to a great dance program, they will have tours, dances in special locations, youth activities, and a lot more. Plan your summer vacation around this weekend and stay awhile. (webpage: summerfestival2018.co Facebook: www.facebook.com/SummerFestival2018)

OFSRDC Youth Report: (Kathy Roberts)

Please mark your calendar for the first weekend in May. Oregon will be hosting the Pacific Northwest Teen Festival in the Salem area. Karyn Buchheit will be the chairman. Karyn will need a lot of volunteers to help with the event. More information will follow.

Remember to contact Karyn Buchheit (buchheifarmkm@gmail.com), OFSRDC Youth Activities Coordinator, if you know of a youth (up to age 19) who would like to attend a festival but needs financial assistance. Karyn has a lot of activities planned for the youth at Winter Festival. The weekend will be a lot of fun for all ages.

New item: Carolene Siebert from Valley Squares had an idea on how to get new students to attend square dance classes. Have signs that can be placed along the side of a street or highway. There would be three signs placed one after the other, in a row. The first would say "Live lively, have fun" and it would have a logo. The second would say "Learn to square dance". The third would have the Web site: www.squaredancefun.com. Flyers can be posted on this Web site, and one would search by ZIP code and it would display the area of the ZIP code from the flyer. These signs come in ten sets of three signs each, at \$282.00. Carolene suggested that the TVC purchase 20 sets of these signs. Discussion followed later.

A motion was made by Bea Cook for the TVC to purchase 20 sets of these signs; no one seconded. Motion failed.

Caller Advisor Report (K.C. Curtis)

This summer there was an incident of a Caller who was caught calling a dance without having a BMI/ASCAP license. Due to this incident I have researched the problem to find what the Club's responsibility is concerning the coverage of a dance. While it is recommended that each caller and cuer maintains his or her own license, some will neglect purchasing them for various reasons. Ultimately the responsibility rests on the organization sponsoring the dance.

The different ways to handle this are

1. Buy and maintain your own BMI/ASCAP license, or:
2. Include in the contracts that the caller or cuer have proof of their license on them.

If a caller or cuer is working at the dance who is covered, then that is supposed to cover both parties and the club. Once again the party that will be fined if there is no license will be the club.

SO, It is my suggestion that if not already, the clubs should make sure that they are covered by one of the two ways mentioned above.

Thank You

KC Curtis, TVC Caller Advisor

Cuer Advisor report: (Ken Pratt) No report.

Past TVC President report: (Gary Clark)

I was given 50 Mid-Winter Festival program books for the TVC. Please take these back to your clubs and make them available to your members. Show them to dancers that haven't made up their minds about going to Mid-Winter and show them the full program for the weekend.

I want you all to be aware of an email scam where the Treasurer and sometimes the Secretary of the club gets an email from the President of the club asking to pay and invoice with details for follow later. I have heard that many clubs are getting this including and involving our Council President and Treasurer. Be aware and be careful.

Again I ask that each one of you delegates be thinking ahead for the next election cycle for a nominee for Council President and Vice President. We have the Presidents Pot Luck coming up on January 22, 2018 at the IOOF Hall in Hillsboro. Bring all of your Past Presidents to this so that these leaders might consider getting involved at the Council level. We are lucky that we do have a Vice President, Kathy Roberts, who has stayed on to full fill those duties when she has the current office of State Federation President. She has done an excellent job of scheduling all the TVC Dances out through 2018. We owe a debt of gratitude to her and she is willing to continue through this term to handle her duties, except being at some of the TVC Dances. Advertising, etc. will still happen. Let's give her a round of applause!!!!

Gary Clark, Past President

Sunshine report: (Janice Sminia)

Sent a get well card to Jeanine Norden because she had surgery to repair injured rotator cuff.

Sent a sympathy card to Past President of Oregon Federation of Square Dancers Marilyn Schmit on the passing of her mother.

OFN Area Editor Report: (Ferrous Steinka) Absent, and no report.

Webmaster report: (Tim Roberts) Absent, and no report.

Old Business:

Kathy Roberts will continue to be our Acting Vice President.

New Business:

Co-hosting TVC Dances

The motion for co-hosting Club Dances that Kathy Roberts made during the October meeting with its proposed amendment that Kathy emailed to all of the clubs last month were combined and discussed as a single motion:

MOTION made by Kathy Roberts: I make a motion that the "TVC Clubs shall be given the opportunity to co-host TVC Dances. If the dance venue, caller, and cuer have not been established prior to the co-hosting agreement, the TVC Vice President will work with the co-hosting club to select any position or venue that has not yet been filled. All contracts established prior to the co-hosting agreement shall stand with no changes. The TVC will pay for the venue out of their share of the distribution of funds. The caller and cuer fees shall be paid before splitting the door income. The profit after caller and cuer fees are paid shall be split in half between the TVC and the co-hosting club. The TVC shall provide the items needed for the break (plates, napkins, cups, etc) and order the insurance for the dance. Unless the club requests to make a flyer, the TVC shall create the flyer, post it in the OFN, and provide copies to the clubs. Food items for the break will be provided by both the TVC and co-hosting club. Dance duties shall be divided as follows: The TVC Vice-President or President will be responsible for having the hall unlocked. The TVC Treasurer will be in charge of the door with help selling Split-The-Pot tickets from the Club. The Club shall be in charge of the kitchen and clean up. The Club will be responsible for providing decorations. The TVC Treasurer will be responsible for paying for the hall, caller, and cuer. The TVC Treasurer will disburse half of the dance profits to the Co-Hosting Club with a financial summary for their records. If the dance does not earn a profit, the TVC shall cover the loss."

Motion was seconded by Mary McDaniel and approved. The Board also decided that Board approval was not necessary for clubs requesting to co-host a TVC dance. The Vice-President will assign co-hosting in the order they are received and notify the Board which dances will be co-hosted.

Club Delegate Reports:

Columbia River Dancers: *(Dale & Nancy Smith, Delegates) (both absent)*

Club dances 2nd and 4th Saturdays year round at Hazel Dell Grange, 7509 NE Hazel Dell Ave., Vancouver, WA 98665. The times 7 to 8 Plus dance, 8-10 Mainstream dance with Jim Hattrick as club caller and cuer. <http://www.ColumbiaRiverDancers.org>

No report.

Eager Beavers: *(Kay Rogers and Ken Marifke, Delegates)*

Club dances plus every Monday afternoon, 1:00 to 3:00 PM, at the Sunset Presbyterian Church (14986 NW Cornell Rd., Beaverton, OR), which features an air conditioner and excellent wood floor. On holidays we dance at the Aloha Grange (the corner of 185th and TV Hwy). Daryl and Yvonne Clendenin are the caller and cuer on the 1st and 5th Mondays; Darrell Kalmbach calling and Joyce Hooper cueing on 2nd and 4th Mondays; Jim Hattrick is the Caller and Cuer 3rd Mondays each month. Dance starts with 15 minutes of intermediate pre-rounds. For information call 503-645-2414; <http://www.eagerbeavers.info>

Eager Beavers Plus Dance at Aloha Grange December 18th 1:00 to 3:00 PM. With [Jim Hattrick Calling](#).

We are dark on December 25th and January 1st.

Back at the church January 8th.

Plus Lessons start February 5th

Monday Dec. 4 [Daryl & Yvonne Clendenin](#)

Monday Dec. 11 [Darrell Kalmbach](#) [Joyce Hooper](#)

Monday Dec 18 [Jim Hattrick](#) At the Aloha Grange

Monday Dec 25 [DARK](#)

WE DANCE EVERY MONDAY

1:00 PM – 1:15 PM PHASE III Rounds

1:15 PM – 3:00 PM Plus Dances & Rounds

Donation: \$4.00 per person

Sunset Presbyterian Church

Hayshakers: (*Judy Martin and Kathy Worthington, Delegates*) (*Kathy absent*)

Hayshakers are now dancing the 1st Friday's from 6:30 pm. Harvey Hunsucker caller & cuer. Dance is at the Pacific Grange, 90475 Hwy 101, Cullaby Lake, at Warrenton, OR. Be sure to call first to make sure we have enough people for a dance. 503.325.8109, 503.861.2726, 503.325.2100.

<http://www.hayshakers.org>

The Hayshakers are dancing first and third Fridays each month from 6-8 pm. First Fridays in Astoria at the Senior Center on Exchange St. and third Fridays at the Pacific Grange 90475 Hwy 101 in Warrenton. Cost is \$5 per person.

IF you are planning on attending any of these dances, please call ahead so we may know how many to expect. For Dance information call Kathy at 503-861-2726 or Sylvia at 503-325-8109. <http://www.hayshakers.org>.

Hoedowners: (*Rhoda Reinking and Mike Duyck, Delegates*)(*Rhoda absent*)

Dance the 2nd and 4th Saturdays at the Aloha Grange on the corner of 185th and TV Hwy. Our Caller is Daryl Clendenin. The Cuer is Yvonne Clendenin. Pre-Plus and Intermediate Rounds will be called from 7:00-8:00 and Mainstream from 8:00-10:00. Our format is informal and friendly.

<http://www.hoedowners.info>

What's Up? On December 9th we'll hold our Spirit of Giving Dance. Holiday music and all the donated toys left under the tree will be delivered to needy kids.

Sunday, December 10th, is our New Dancer Jamboree 1:30-3:30 pm. We invite you to spread your holiday spirit and introduce new dancers to what a real square dance is like.

December 23rd is our Christmas Dance. We invite you to put your holiday preparation on pause and join us for an evening of holiday music, holiday lights, the smell of fresh greenery and a cookie or two.

Our first dance of the new year will be the Black and White Sparkle dance on January 13th.

We will be dark January 27th for Mid-Winter. We hope to see all our friends there.

On February 24th will be Hoedowners 68th Anniversary Dance.

The Hoedowners want to wish everyone the best of the holiday season and a remarkable 2018.

Rhoda Reinking, Mike Duyck and Krystal Laas

Mix N Mingle: (Rick and Robin Faltersack, Delegates)

Club dances Plus at the Winona Grange (8340 Seneca Street, Tualatin, OR) on 1st and 3rd Saturdays. Pre-Rounds begin at 7:00 PM (Levels 4 & 5), 7:30 PM (Levels 2 & 3) and Plus from 8:00 – 10:30 PM with level 2-4 Rounds. The door donation is \$5 for members and \$6 for non-members. Randy Dibble is our club Caller and Jeanine Norden our club

Cuer. www.mixandminglesquares.org

We are a high energy plus club in Tualatin located right off of I-5. We love to have visitors, so com on by some 1st or 3rd Saturday! We are a small club with only 12 members, but we always have BIG fun!

M&Ms dance at Winona Grange #271. Each year the Grange partners with the Tualatin Schoolhouse Food Pantry to address the issue of hunger in Tualatin. During both of our December dances, we will be accepting donations of non-perishable food items for the Food Pantry. Please come join us for a dance and help provide food to families in the area during this holiday season.

Please remember to check out our website if the weather gets cold or snowy. We want our members and visitors to stay safe, so if the weather seems risky we will cancel our dance. We will update the website prior to the dance.

R Square D: (Mary McDaniel and Marv Pope, Delegates)

Dance 2nd Friday and the 4th Saturday from September thru May; June thru August dance 2nd and 4th Wednesday at the Kelso Senior Center (106 NW 8th Ave, Kelso, WA). We dance 7 to 8:00 Plus and 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream and refreshments after the dance. Craig Abercrombie is the caller and Lonnie Sycks is our Cuer. Our website is www.r-square-d.info Call 360-431-7553 or 360-636-3358 for more information.

We will decorate the Senior Center on the 29th of November for our December dance.

Our next dance will be on December 8. This will be our B-51 Jamboree/Toy Dance. Toys that are brought will be donated to the Salvation Army in Longview.

Lessons begin on January 3. Plus from 6:30 to 7:30, Basic level from 7:30 to 8:30, and MS from 8:30 to 9.

Our next Rest Stop will be on March 1 and 2, at I-5 Rest Stop 58.

We will donate a basket for Mid-Winter.

Our Christmas Party will be on December 18, and we are having a potluck and gift exchange.

Sunset Promenaders: (Tom Sminia and Mike St. Clair, Delegates)

Mainstream Dance 1st & 3rd Saturdays. Dances starts at 7:00 with Intermediate Rounds, and then 7:30-9:30 is the Mainstream dance with a Plus Tip at the end. Caller is Mike (Julie) Stout; Cuer is Ken (Diane) Pratt. The Club also has a Plus dance on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Thursday of the month. These dances starts at 7:00 with Intermediate Rounds and at 7:30-9:30 is a Plus dance with Darrell Kalmbach calling and Ken Pratt cueing. We dance in Hillsboro at the Odd Fellows Hall Upstairs on the corner of 3rd & Main Streets above LaHaies. More information call 503-848-3841 or www.sunsetpromenaders.com

Thanks to those dancers that attended our Plus Dance Anniversary Dance. It was a fun evening with Darrell and Ken calling and cueing, it has been a really enjoyable three years since we started after Norm Yoder retired and stopped "The Plus Knights" and we started the Promenaders Plus dance.

The Seaside Sashay was a success again this year and we want to thank all the dancers that attended. The weather was fantastic, and we really enjoyed the square and round dancing in the turn-around this year. The shopping was good, and there are some really good restaurants we ate at too. Dan Preedy and Darrell Kalmbach teamed up and did a great job calling, plus Debbie Taylor did her normal excellent job of cueing including phase 2 through Intermediate Rounds. There was also

the "Treasure Hunt" and the Mud wrestling, the drawing for prizes, and "Split the Pot". All and all it was a busy fun activity all weekend.

We are having a food donation drive for the Food Bank until December 16th. Please bring non-Perishable food to help feed our neighbors that are struggling right now. This is an easy way to help others at this special time of the year.

Our schedule of dance for January is:

Jan. 4th - Promenaders Plus Dance

Jan. 6th – Sunset Promenaders Wild West Mainstream Dance

Jan. 18th – Promenaders Plus Dance

Jan. 22nd – Sunset Promenaders Pajama Mainstream Dance

Hope you all had a great Thanksgiving; we wish all a Merry Christmas.

Toe Draggers: *(Linda Curtis, Delegate)*

Dance at the Kinton Grange on the 1st Friday 7:30-8:00 Pre-Rounds, 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream (3rd tip Plus) and on the 3rd Friday 7:30-8:00 Plus, 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream with the last tip Plus. Caller is K.C. Curtis; and Cuer is Bev Flint. Kinton Grange is at 19015 SW Scholls Ferry Rd., Beaverton, 97007. www.toedraggers.org

The Toe Draggers continue with their lessons on Wednesday nights and have invited them to our November dances. KC is doing the first two tips at class level. The class is at level 51 and we are moving on to Mainstream. Our class is also attending New Dancer Jamborees in the area. The Toe Draggers will be having a New Dancer Jamboree on Sunday, December 3rd 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. In November we had our Thankful dance. We collected canned food for the Scouts at the Kinton Grange who put boxes together for the needy in the area.

In December we will have our theme We ReWreath you a Merry Christmas. The Grange is already decorated, and the club went out for Pizza afterwards. Happy Holidays,
Submitted by Linda Curtis

Tri Squares: *(Alice Hendricks and Frank Collett, Delegates) (Frank absent)*

We dance on the second Saturday and fourth Friday of each month at the historic Tigard Grange in Tigard. Terry Halley is our club Caller with Sandra Pinon Cueing. We dance from September to June. We are dark in July and August. Hearing enhancement devices are available. We round dance from 7:30 – 7:45, dance Plus from 7:45 to 8:00 and Mainstream from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m.; the 4th tip will be PLUS. Refreshments are served at 10:00. Our club is dark in July and August.

www.trisquares.com

Our new dancers had two Jamborees in November, one at Tri Squares with six squares in attendance, and the other at Chaps & Petticoats where there were eleven squares dancing - as well as a delicious turkey dinner.

We are encouraging our students and members to attend the Toe Draggers Jamboree on Sunday, December 3rd from 1-3.

Tri Squares' December dances will be the "Cowboy Country Dance" on Saturday, December 9th and "Sounds of the Season" on Friday, December 22nd. In 2018, our Mainstream lessons begin on Sunday, January 7th and conclude with graduation on March 11th.

Our "Black and White Ball" on January 13th will be at the B-51 level so that students will have another square dance night - please invite your students to join us.

And a reminder that February 10th will be our annual "Mardi Gras Masquerade Ball".

Tualatin Timber Squares: (Marleigh Alexander, Interim Delegate)

We dance on the second and fourth Wednesday nights each month, year-round, at the Winona Grange, 8340 Seneca Street, Tualatin, OR. These are Mainstream dances, starting at 7 p.m. and ending at 9 p.m. Refreshments are downstairs during each dance. Caller: Janienne Alexander. Other callers from the floor are welcome. www.tualatindance.com

December 13th is our Ugly Christmas Sweater Dance. Raffle ticket to be drawn for one ribbon to Mid-Winter Festival. Every paid dancer gets one ticket per dance they attend since July. Must be present to win.

Lessons start January 3rd.

Valley Squares: (Bea Cook and Joy Choy, Delegates) (Joy absent)

Dance 1st and 3rd Saturdays at the Aloha Grange on the corner of 185th and TV Hwy, year-round. Mainstream with every third tip Plus and rounds from 7 to 10 p.m. Open break with refreshments starting at 8 p.m. Guest callers, Connie Clark Cuer. www.valleysquares.com

Our Nov. activities included our Tailgate and Turkey dances and a visitation to the Rosetown Ramblers.

The dance on Sat. Dec. 2nd will be a dance to celebrate the National Grange's 150th Anniversary. This will be a free dance starting at 6:30 with a community dance, then continuing with our regular square and round dancing. There will be a birthday cake. It is also going to be the Trophy dance. Do come and join in on the fun. Remember it is a free dance. Craig Abercrombie will call and Connie Clark will cue.

The dance on Dec. 20th will be a regular dance starting at 7:00 with Mark Wheeler calling and Connie cueing. Wear your Christmas colors.

We will adopt a family along with the Grange and other dancers to give gifts and food for their Christmas holidays.

Our Jan. dances : Jan. 6th will have an "End of the Rainbow" theme. Scott Zinser will call.

On Jan. 20th will have a "Baby It's Cold Outside" theme with Janienne Alexander calling.

Our classes start on Tuesday, Jan. 16th from 7 to 9 at Aloha Grange. The first two lessons are free. After that it's \$ 6.00 for adults and \$ 3.00 for Teens. Craig Abercrombie will call our classes. From Bea Cook

Wave Steppers: (Bob Allen, Delegate)

Dance 2nd Saturday March thru October. The dance is Mainstream, with one PLUS tip, every second tip at the Garibaldi City Hall (107 6th Street, Garibaldi, OR 97118) from 7:00 to 9:30 PM with guest Callers.

We are dark on our Saturday night dances until March.

On the week before Thanksgiving we had our last class. We have no more classes until January 3. Since we are having no classes now, we have been traveling both ways to Daryl's classes at the Aloha Grange and having a great time.

Good of the Order:

Mary Schneider: A the PAC meeting, Betty Chipps mentioned that the Chaps and Petticoats had 105 people at their Jamboree/Turkey Dinner Dance. Feed them and they will come. 20 people that were not dancers were just there for the turkey dinner.

Next TVC Meeting:

Monday, January 22, 2018, at 7:00 pm at the Hillsboro IOOF Hall, 267 E. Main Street, Hillsboro, OR 97123. Potluck will be served at 6:00 p.m.

Respectfully edited and published by Andis Garuts, TVC Secretary