

## **Tualatin Valley Council (TVC) 2022-10-24**

Meeting was held via Zoom
The meeting started about 7:00 and adjourned about 7:45
<a href="http://www.tualatinvalleycouncil.org">http://www.tualatinvalleycouncil.org</a>

# Attendees: Delegates:

Columbia River Dancers: Dale Smith, Nick Johnson (both absent)

Eager Beavers: Alice Hendricks, Judy Groom

Hayshakers: Kathy Worthington

Hoedowners: Mike Duyck, Kathy Christy (Kathy absent)

Mix'n'Mingle: Rick (absent) and Robin Faltersack
Oak Hills Squares Judy Martin, Ken Marifke (both absent)
R Square D: Chris and John Poole (John absent)

Sunset Promenaders: Tom and Janice Sminia

Tri Squares: Charles McAuley, Michael Smith (Michael absent)

Valley River Dancers: Josie Rosenbury (absent)

Valley Squares: Julie Cooper, Ron Swanson (Ron Swanson)
Wave Steppers: Bob Allen, Karen Bowyer (both absent)

#### Officers, Elected & Appointed:

President: Ursula Kuhn Vice-President: Linda and K.C. Curtis

Treasurer: Tammy LeBlanc Secretary: Andis Garuts

State Delegate: Dale Brabham

Past-President of the TVC: Mike St. Clair PAC Representative: Erin Kalmbach

Oregon Federation Youth Advisor: Kathy Roberts (absent)

Caller Advisor: K.C. Curtis

Cuer Advisor: Randy Lewis (absent) and Tami Helms

TVC Webmaster: Tim Roberts (absent) OFN Area Editor: Ferrous Steinka (absent)

#### **Visitors Attending:**

Gary Clark (Sunset Promenaders)

Peter Cooper (Valley Squares)

Sally Duyck (Eager Beavers, Hoedowners)

Linda Kitchin (Oak Hills Squares) Carolene Siebert (Valley Squares) Dale Smith (Columbia River Dancers)

## **TVC Officer Reports:**

#### Previous Council meeting minutes approved as written

#### President's report: (Ursula Kuhn)

I attended both the Seaside Sashay and the Ocotberfest. Both were very well attended.

Our TVC Meeting in December is scheduled for the day after Christmas (December 26). Linda will officiate the Meeting.

The President's Potluck and Meeting will be in person on January 23, 2023, at the Hillsboro IOOF Hall in Hillsboro.

The TVC will host the Tri Council Dance on Saturday, October 29, at the Aloha Grange.

The TVC New Year's Eve Dance will be on December 31 at the Hillsboro IOOF Hall, Hillsboro.

Ribbons are available for Mid-Winter Festival, January 27-29, 2023. Linn County Fairgrounds.

#### Vice President's report: (Linda and K.C. Curtis)

The Tri-Council Dance will be held on Saturday, October 29, 2022 at the Aloha Grange, 7:30 to 8 p.m. rounds, 8 p.m. to10 p.m. Mainstream with every third tip Plus. \$7.00 donation at the door. Jim Hattrick will be calling and cueing.

Our New Year's Eve Dance will be with called by Darrell Kalmbach and K.C. Curtis. Tami Helms will be the cuer. Pre-rounds at 7:30. Mainstream 7:30-10:00 p.m., every third tip Plus. Cost \$8 per person and guests are asked to bring a finger food or Dessert. There will be door prizes.

#### **Treasurer's report**: (Tammy LeBlanc)

Check to the Oregon Federation for 52 directories was mailed today.

I have received checks from the following club for the reimbursement of the Oregon Federation Directories: Oak Hills, Sunset Promenaders Inc, Valley Squares Dance Club, Columbia River Dancers and Hayshakers Square & Round Dance Club.

As of October 3rd, the Zoom monthly payment has been set up on auto payment with the TVC debit card.

Please send your receipts to me either by email or regular mail. Please send to <a href="mailto:tammyskiddos@gmail.com">tammyskiddos@gmail.com</a> Subject line: TVC Reimbursement Outstanding checks:

Ck # 1137 Cascade Pacific Council (Boyscouts) - \$200.00

Ck # 1142 R Square D - \$86.48

Ck # 1145 Oregon Federation – \$203.50

Checking balance as of 10/24/22 \$1,007.15 minus outstanding checks \$489.98 = \$517.17

\*See worksheet with most current transactions

Saving balance as of 10/24/22 \$6,588.41

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Secretary report: (Andis Garuts) No report.

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#### **State Delegates report:** (Dale Brabham)

There are two things that need to be completed by mid November.

Deposits:

Cleared checks: Checkbook Balance:

1) each Oregon-based club must send in completed State Insurance forms and check for (\$5.25 per member) made out to "OFRSDC". Thank you to those who have already done so. All the rest please send both to me as soon as possible at:

\$0.00

\$386.44

\$137.17

Dale Brabham

22258 SW Friars Lane

Interest Paid:

Ending Balance:

Sherwood, OR 97140

2) each club must have paid for State directories ordered (and all delivered). If you have not done so, please send \$3.75 per directory to:

**TVC** 

c/o Tammy LeBlanc

1448 SE Duke Dr.

Hillsboro, OR 97006-2623

I will send reminders to any and all who have not completed both.

Dale Brabham

TVC Delegate to OFSRDC

#### PAC report: (Erin Kalmbach)

Chaps and Petticoats is having a New Dancers Jamboree on Sunday, Nov. 20 at 4:00. It will include a turkey dinner at the break. Dance goes until 7:30 and Scott Zinser is calling, Dave Cooper is cueing. Cost is \$7.00/person and that includes the dinner.

It was brought up that we as clubs need to be aware of special dances each club is having. We should look at the Tri-Council area, especially TVC and PAC. Some clubs have the same theme dance every year and other clubs should respect that and not duplicate.

Cuer Advisor: (Randy Lewis and Tami Helms) (Randy absent)

Round of the Month for November is

Stripes - phase 2 +1 (Strolling Vine) Two step - by Rochelle and Leo Catt

Cue Sheet

https://www.roundalab.org/CuesheetsDL2/Stripes%2C%20Catt%2C%20Rochelle\_Two%20Step\_2%2B1.pdf

preview music on You Tube

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eff8f0PaRZI

Buy on Amazon

https://music.amazon.com/albums/B07WDFNWPZ

Cue sheet says it may also by purchased on iTunes

Randy Lewis

**OFSRDC Publicity and Education Report:** (Kathy Roberts) (absent) No report.

**OFSRDC Youth Report:** (Kathy Roberts) (absent) No report.

Past TVC President report: (Mike St. Clair) No report.

#### **OFN Area Editor Report:** (Ferrous Steinka) (absent)

Please join me in welcoming our newest reporter from the Sunset Promenaders, Terri Browning, who replaced Mike St.Clair. You can read her first two excellent reports in the last two OFNs. Thank you Mike for filling in as reporter for your club over the past year. This while also serving as TVC President and Sunset Promenader interim President.

The TVC achieved 100% club reporting, the only Council in the state to do so. This is not really newsworthy as we have been doing it, for the most part. for many years. We are also the only one to have had a Council report consistently for over ten years.

Here are your current club reporters: Alice Hendricks (Eager Beavers), Craig Holt (Hayshakers), Lindie Noonan (Mix'n'Mingle), Chris Poole (R Square D), Terri Browning (Sunset Promenaders), Gloria Davis (Tri Squares), Josie Rosenbury (Valley River Dancers), Carolene Siebert (Valley Squares), and Robert Allen (Wavesteppers).

Respectfully submitted

Ferrous Steinka

Webmaster report: (Tim Roberts) (absent) No report.

## **Old Business:**

**Seaside Sashay:** There was dancing on Saturday outside from 10 to 12, the weather was dry. There was also dancing at the mall outside. 235 registered dancers attended. Friday Split the Pot was \$116.00. Saturday: \$130.00. 44 dancers preregistered for the 2023 Seaside Sashay. Judy Schnase won a free preregistration for the 2023 event. Randy Dibble, Steve Noseck and Debbie Taylor did a very great job. Profits will be split between the Hayshakers and the Sunset Promenaders.

## **New Business:**

**Next TVC Meeting:** It was decided that the TVC will not hold a Meeting in November. The next Meeting will be on Monday, December 26, at 7 p.m. on Zoom.

## **Club Delegate Reports:**

**Columbia River Dancers:** (Dale Smith and Nick Johnson, Delegates) (both absent) (Dale Smith presented the report)

Club dances 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays year round at the Manor Grange, 17901 NE 72<sup>nd</sup> Ave., Battle Ground, WA 98604. The times 7 to 8 Plus dance, 8-10 Mainstream dance with Jim Hattrick as club caller and cuer. <a href="http://www.ColumbiaRiverDancers.org">http://www.ColumbiaRiverDancers.org</a>

The CRD had a great time at Seaside Sashay.

Our Harvest Festival Dance will be on November 18. Plus at 7, Mainstream at 8:00 p.m. until around 9:30 or 10 p.m. Dan Nordbye calling. Food will be served this time.

We are working to get a new location for the Columbia River Dancers Web site.

Lessons are held on Sundays. Rounds: 5:00 p.m., floor level Waltz, then 2-step starting at a later date. No lessons are held on holidays or holiday weekends.

The Front Porch Trio (Jim Hattrick, Craig Abercrombie and Adam Christman) will call at the New Year's Eve Party (hosted by the CRD) on December 31. More details coming.

Eager Beavers: (Alice Hendricks and Judy Groom, Delegates)

The Club dances every Monday afternoon, 1:00 to 3:00 p.m., at the Aloha Grange, 185th and TV Highway. Our great caller/cuer teams are: Jim Hattrick calling and cueing on the 1st ,3rd and 5th Mondays, and Darrell Kalmbach with Jeanine Norden, caller/cuer on 2nd and 4th Mondays. For additional information call 503-645-2414. Admission is just \$6.00 per person. Please bring your own beverage. http://www.eagerbeavers.info

Some of our members went to the funeral service for Yvonne Clendenin, one of our club cuers in the past for a number of years. She is missed and our condolences go to Daryl and his family.

Jim Hattrick will be calling and cueing the 5th Saturday TVC dance on Saturday, October 29 at Aloha Grange, 7:00 to 10:00 p.m., every 3rd tip Plus. We will have a Halloween themed dance, next Monday, the 31st. Costumes are not required, but are encouraged!

We will celebrate Veteran's Day on November 14. Darrell Kalmbach and Jeanine Norden will be our caller/cuer team.

Hayshakers: (Kathy Worthington, Delegate)

Hayshakers are now dancing the 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays at 5:00 p.m. Mark Wheeler 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 had 2 squares last Sunday.

**Hoedowners:** (Mike Duyck and Kathy Christy, Delegates) (Kathy absent)
Dance the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays at the Aloha Grange on the corner of 185<sup>th</sup> and TV Hwy. Guest callers. The Cuer is Randy Lewis. Mainstream and maybe Plus from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Rounds vary. http://www.hoedowners.info

Soup night is on November 12 with Scott Zinser calling and Randy Lewis cueing.

K. C. Curtis will call and Randy Lewis will cue for our "Night at the Movies" on November 26. Come dance the turkey off!

We have seven students attending our mainstream classes on Tuesdays. Craig Abercrombie is our instructor.

We are encouraging our students to attend other clubs classes for more floor time and two of our students are frequenting the Tri-Squares class on Sundays.

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

Club dances Plus at the Winona Grange (8340 Seneca Street, Tualatin, OR) on 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays. Pre-Rounds begin at 7:30 PM and Plus & Rounds from 8:00 – 10:30 PM. 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 dark on our first Saturday dance for the Royal Romp.

Our Birthday Dance will be on November 19. Floor level.

Please check our Web site for schedule changes.

**Oak Hills Squares:** (Judy Martin and Ken Marifke, Delegates) (both absent) (Linda Kitchin presented the report)

Oak Hills Squares meet on Monday evenings at the Oak Hills Recreation Center on 153<sup>rd</sup> and Oak Hills Drive (2400 NW 153<sup>rd</sup> Avenue, Beaverton). 6:30 to 7:30 Class (start dates - February) 7:30 to 8:30 Mainstream (6:30 to 8:30 when no classes running). 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month from 7:30 to 9 Mainstream Singing calls and Rounds. Mark Wheeler is our Caller. <a href="http://myplace.frontier.com/~ferrouss/OakHillsSDC.htm">http://myplace.frontier.com/~ferrouss/OakHillsSDC.htm</a>

We have 7 regularly attending students at our current set of lessons. We have 3 squares when all of our current members are present.

We are putting on a demo dance and lesson at the Lake Oswego Stake Center on November 12.

Our current goal is to get our last graduated students to attend dances.

#### R Square D: (Chris and John Poole, Delegates) (John absent)

We dance the 2nd Friday and 4th Saturday from September through May and the 2nd and 4th Wednesday from June through August. Plus with intermediate rounds from 7 to 8; 8 to 9:30 Mainstream and rounds. The venue is Kelso Senior Center (106 NW 8th Ave, Kelso, WA) and Craig Abercrombie is our Caller. Call 360-425-6260 or visit our website at <a href="www.r-square-d.info">www.r-square-d.info</a> for more information.

R Square D had a successful Octoberfest weekend. Craig Abercrombie, Adam Christman and Susan Healea were top-notch, as always, and the dancers thoroughly enjoyed their time at Catlin

Grange. The German dinner was delicious and we were entertained by River City Riders just before the Saturday evening dance. Many thanks to all who helped make this a fun festival, including those who traveled quite a distance to support us. Ursula was even spotted helping with cleanup in the kitchen Saturday night!

Lessons are continuing with ten students in the beginning/mainstream class. This class is expected to finish in mid-December and we plan to start new lessons in January.

On November 11 we are having our annual Veteran's Day Dance and veterans will get in free. It's also a class-level dance and we hope all of our students will attend. Craig Abercrombie and Susan Healea will call and cue this dance.

Just after Thanksgiving is our Gospel Dance on November 26 with Craig and Susan again calling and cueing.

Chris Poole

#### **Sunset Promenaders:** (Tom and Janice Sminia, 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 during the dance. Guest callers; guest cuers. 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 Tami Helms 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

October first was the Club's 37th Anniversary Dance, and the Club had a Lasagna dinner at 6:00 p.m. before the dance, and desserts after the dance at 9:30 p.m.. Darrell Kalmbach and Tami Helms were the caller and cuer. We had six squares + which was great, nice to see people we have not seen for a long time.

Since the club lost our caller and cuer we are having guests. The calendar for guest callers and cuers for our Mainstream dances on 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays of the next month are:

November 5<sup>th</sup> caller and cuer will be Craig Abercrombie and Leonard Snodgrass.

November 19<sup>th</sup> caller and cuer are Darrell Kalmbach and Julie Stiers.

Club Promenaders Plus Dances are as usual with Darrell Kalmbach and Tami Helms calling and cueing on the 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Thursday of the month.

The club is starting a visitation program and plan on attending club's anniversary dances. It is special to see and visit with friends we have not seen for years. It would be nice to see more clubs doing visitations. We are sure all the clubs are hurting attendance wise since the pandemic and need more dancers, we know we need more dancers at our dances to pay the expenses of the dance.

The Sunset Promenaders is planning on starting mainstream lessons on January 8 at 2:00 PM at the Hillsboro Odd Fellows Hall with Darrell Kalmbach instructor.
Submitted by Tom & Janice Sminia

**Tri Squares:** (Charles McAuley and Michael Smith, Delegates) (Michael absent)
We dance on the second and fourth Friday of each month at the Kinton Grange, 19015 SW Scholls
Ferry Road, Beaverton, 97007. Terry Halley is our club Caller with Sandra Pinion 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. www.trisquares.com

The executive committee has decided to upgrade our Dec. 4 lesson into a Jamboree. The details:

Jamboree (B-45 level)

Kinton Grange

Dec. 4, 3:30-5:30 Caller: Terry Halley Cuer: Sandra Pinion

John Prouty is working on a flyer, which will be posted as soon as it is ready.

Valley River Dancers: (Josie Rosenbury, Delegate) (absent)

We dance Plus on 2<sup>nd</sup> Fridays, and Mainstream on 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays in Newberg at the Chehalem Community Center, located on the corner of 2<sup>nd</sup> and Howard Streets. Randy Dibble is our Caller. Leonard Snodgrass is our Cuer. <u>www.valleyriverdancers.org</u>

Our Halloween Costume dance is this 4th Friday, October 28. It will be Mainstream with Pre-Plus starting at 7:30 p.m. Our 2nd Friday dance, November 11, will be PIE night. This dance is Plus with mixed Pre-Rounds (to the floor) starting at 7:30 p.m.

We are continuing Round Dance lessons with Leonard Snodgrass instructing on Monday evenings at the Newberg Community Center. Our program starts with Phase II + Waltz class (6:30-8 p.m.) designed for those who want to learn Phase III Waltz at a slower pace. The current students in the class have only recently learned Phase II so there is continual review of both Phase II and the III figures taught. The class is open to others to come join with basic knowledge of Phase II Waltz. Our Cha Cha class is from 8-9 p.m. and we are in about the middle of Phase III currently. The class will run through January and progress at floor level with goals of teaching through Phase IV. Come join us if you have some knowledge of beginning Cha. Cost for a class is \$8. If you stay and take both classes, cost is \$12 for each dancer.

**Valley Squares:** (Julie Cooper and Ron Swanson, Delegates) (Ron absent)
Dance 1<sup>st</sup> Fridays and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays at the Aloha Grange on the corner of 185th and TV Hwy, yearround. Mainstream with every third tip Plus, with rounds from 7 to 9:30 p.m. Open break with
refreshments. Callers are Craig Abercrombie, Scott Zinser and Mark Wheeler, Connie Clark
Cuer. <a href="https://www.valleysquares.com">www.valleysquares.com</a>

Our next dances will be on Friday, November 4 and Saturday, November 19. Mark Wheeler on Friday, Scott Zinser on Saturday. Connie Clark cueing both dances.

The Aloha Grange plans to install stair lifts to help people with mobility issues. To raise funds for the lifts, a fundraiser will be held by the Valley Squares and the Grange on Sunday, November 20 at 7 p.m. This will be a play, "Almost Maine" by John Cariani, performed by the Encore Senior Players. 50 percent of the proceeds from this fundraiser will go toward the stair lift fund.

**Wave Steppers:** (Bob Allen, Karen Bowyer, Delegates) (both absent)
Dance 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday March through 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.
No report.

## **Good of the Order:**

**Zoom Meeting ID and Passcode:** The Passcode and Meeting ID for each TVC Zoom Meeting are the same each time. Please check previous e-mails from the TVC e-mail list for the Meeting ID and Passcode before the next TVC Meeting.

## **Next TVC Meeting:**

Monday, December 26, at 7 p.m. via Zoom. The Meeting ID and Passcode will be on the next TVC Agenda.

Respectfully edited and published by Andis Garuts, TVC Secretary