

# **Tualatin Valley Council (TVC) 2016-04-24**

Meeting was held at Old Spaghetti Factory, 18925 NW Tanasbourne Drive, Hillsboro, OR 97124 The meeting started about 7:00 and adjourned about 8:25 http://www.tualatinvalleycouncil.org

# Attendees: Delegates:

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

Eager Beavers: Kay Rogers, Ken Marifke

Hayshakers: Judy Martin

Hoedowners: Mike Duyck, Rhoda Reinking

Mix N Mingles: Patricia Billings (absent), Janelle Janicke R Square D: Mary McDaniel, Marv Pope (Marv absent)

Sunset Promenaders: Janice Sminia, Janice Blomquist

Toe Draggers: Tom Gray, Diana Gray

Tri Squares: Gordon Keeney, Frank Collett (Frank absent)

Tualatin Timber Squares William Alexander (absent)

Valley Squares: Bea Cook Wave Steppers: Robert Allen

#### Officers, Elected & Appointed:

President: Dale Brabham Vice-President: Kathy Roberts

Treasurer: Carolene Siebert Secretary: Andis Garuts

State Delegate: Jim Rogers Sunshine Chair: Janice Sminia

Past-President of the TVC: Gary Clark

Insurance Chair: Kay Rogers

President of OFSRDC: Marilyn Schmit

Caller & Cuer Advisor: Daryl & Yvonne Clendenin Oregon Federation Youth Advisor: Kathy Roberts

Alternate State Delegate and PAC Representative: Mary Schneider

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

#### **Visitors Attending:**

Linda Brabham (Tri Squares)

Joyce Clark (Sunset Promenaders)

Lane Clem (Eager Beavers)

Mark Janicke (Toe Draggers)

Bill Miller (Star Promenaders, Charlie Brown Squares)

Karen Knowlton (Star Promenaders, Charlie Brown Squares)

Nan Overall (Eager Beavers)

Gilbert Shoemaker (Happy Hoppers)

Tom Sminia (Sunset Promenaders)

Joanne Switzer (Eager Beavers, Hoedowners)

# **TVC Officer Reports:**

Previous Council meeting minutes approved as written.

#### President's report: (Dale Brabham)

We welcome guests Joanne Switzer from the Eager Beavers and Gilbert Shoemaker, who is also the incoming PAC President. We also welcome guests who have lived in our Council Area for just nine days: Bill Miller and Karen Nolton. Also Mark Janicke from the Toe Draggers.

We have here someone who has been earning our TVC Ambassador Badges over and over again, and we present another one tonight to Robert Allen.

We will be reinstalling our current Officers for the next term. We will be also voting on the Background Check Proposal as was presented at the Federation Meeting in January. Also, Ken Marifke will be doing a presentation on how we can cooperate in organizing our square dance lessons coming up in the fall.

### **Vice President's report**: (Kathy Roberts)

Dances currently scheduled

April 26 – Anniversary Dance: Tualatin Timber Squares (Winona Grange, Tualatin) They are a small club, please come out in force to help support this new club. If you so desire, they would probably appreciate help with food for their break.

April 29th, 2017 (5th Saturday) Spring Fling Dance. Caller: Mike Stout. Cuer: Julie Stout. Aloha Grange Mainstream with Pre-Rounds and plus tips. The dance starts at 7:30 pm at the Aloha Grange. Doors will be opened by 6:30 pm if you would like to come and help decorate. Delegates and Officers please bring finger foods for the break. Carolene Siebert will be on the door, Bea Cook will sell Split-The Pot tickets. There will be a visitation by the Summer Festival Committee.

May – (4<sup>th</sup> Saturday?): Columbia River Dancers (Hazel Dell, WA) If this date works for the TVC to visit the CRD, I'll email everyone details.

July 14-16<sup>th</sup>, 2017 Summer Festival in Salem, OR. Johnny Preston is the featured caller. Rey & Sherry Garza are the featured cuers

July 29, 2017 Round Dance Party. Cuer MC: Ken Pratt. IOOF Hall

**August 27 (Sunday) – Hahn Farm Potluck and Dance**. Potluck at 5:30 pm, Dance 6:30-9:30 pm. Caller: Janienne Alexander. Cuer: Mark McDonald (Central OR)

**September 16-17, 2017 Dance & OFSRDC State Meeting** -- Caller: KC Curtis. Cuer: Bev Flint. Kinton Grange.

**September 30, 2017 Tri-Council Dance** – Caller: The Wild Cards. Cuer: Lonnie Sycks. Oak Grove Community Center. 7-7:30 pm Plus; 7:30-7:50 pm Advance Rounds; 7:50-8:00 Rounds; 8:00-10:00 Mainstream.

**December 31, 2017 (Sunday) New Year's Eve Dance -** Caller: Dan Nordbye. Cuer: Julie Stiers. IOOF Hall. 9:00 pm – 12:15 am.

March 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018 (5<sup>th</sup> Saturday) - TVC

**June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2018 (5<sup>th</sup> Saturday)** \*I have contacted the Hahns about scheduling a Sunday afternoon dance in July or August. I will try to have the date confirmed by the next meeting.

\*\*September 29, 2018 (Saturday) Tri-council date. This year should be the Evergreen Council's turn to host. I've contacted both their president and the PAC VP verifying that Evergreen will be hosting the dance.

December 31, 2018 (Sunday) New Year's Eve Dance, Hillsboro IOOF Hall.

I have been asked to add the next year's Club Anniversary Dance dates to this schedule. Please send me your Club's Anniversary Dances for the 2017-18 year ASAP. I will update the "refrigerator" version as soon as I receive these dates.

I will schedule the next year's TVC dances (hall, callers and cuers) and create flyers for each dance this next month. I've also started working on updating next year's TVC Directory. I hope to have the TVC directory finished by our next meeting.

Treasurer's report: (Carolene Siebert)
March 31: US Bank Checking: \$1,804.58
US Bank Savings: \$10,583.95

Cashbox: \$30.00

Sunshine Cashbox: \$30.00

Total Current Assets: \$12,448.53 Interest Income in March: \$.08

Special Sunday Dance, March 5 Income: \$601.00. Expenses: \$466.16. Profit: \$134.84

Hahn Barn Expense: \$4.98

Class Ad Reimbursement: \$118.36

Total March gain: \$11.58

Secretary report: (Andis Garuts) No report.

#### State Delegates report: (Jim Rogers)

We are not going to attend the meeting in Roseburg in May. Mary Schneider will attend in our place. A vote will be taken at the State meeting in May as to whether we should vote for the Background Check.

Don't forget to go to our web page <u>www.squaredance.gen.or.us</u> to fill out your directory information on the membership forms. You club will owe \$20 state dues, and \$7 council dues. Make your checks payable to the TVC so our Treasurer can deposit and rewrite check to state. Make sure that you phone numbers and addresses are current, they will appear in the Directory.

### PAC report: (Mary Schneider)

The PAC has the State trailers now. A list has been made of the parades in the area, and how much it costs to participate in each of the parades. I would like to know whether I should share the list with the TVC. The lists have been put together by the Rosetown Rambers. Only a few copies have been brought to the Meeting. The lists can also be e-mailed to the TVC Clubs. The PAC is charging \$50 for trailer rental per use. Also, if you wish to use the trailer and you need someone to pull it, I know somebody who has pulled trailers. See me for more information.

### **OFSRDC Publicity and Education Report**: (Kathy Roberts)

For this year's Summer Festival's Educational Seminar, I have asked for a representative from the State Attorney General's office to come and talk to us about ways to protect ourselves against consumer fraud. I will have more details next meeting.

Be sure to purchase your Summer Festival ribbons soon. It will be a fun weekend with excellent callers and programs.

### **OFSRDC Youth Report**: (Kathy Roberts)

The OFSRDC Youth Educational Scholarship dance was well attended by area dancers. KC Curtis and Tami Helm called and cued a fun and upbeat program. During the dance, about \$480 was raised for the educational scholarship program.

The program for providing financial assistance to families who need help purchasing youth ribbons for state sponsored events such as Mid-Winter will be continuing. Please remember to let your clubs know that they will be contacting Karyn for consideration. Karyn Buchheit: buchheitfarmkm@gmail.com

### Past TVC President report: (Gary Clark)

This report is short and sweet.

Thanks to all of you officers that took your same office for another year.

We still have two offices to backfill but they are temporarily filled. I do have word that there is an interested party for the Treasurer's position. But that is to be confirmed.

Kathy Roberts is doing a fantastic job planning for the TVC future dances so that job will be way less work for a volunteer appointed by the President. Please consider getting involved.

OFSRDC President's report: (Marilyn Schmit) Absent, and no report.

**Sunshine report**: (Janice Sminia)

Only one card was sent out this month:

Sympathy card sent to Charlotte Houghtlen (R Square D Club) lost her brother recently.

Judy gave me 30 cards to use for Sunshine.

We recently sent a sympathy card to Julie Stout (Sunset Promenaders), her father passed away. She sent a card back thanking the TVC for remembering her.

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

Caller & Cuer Advisors report: (Daryl & Yvonne Clendenin) Both absent, and no report.

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

# **Old Business:**

**Reinstallation of TVC Officers for next term:** Dale Brabham, President; Andis Garuts, Secretary; Treasurer of Record, Carolene Siebert; Mary Schneider, Alternate State Delegate and PAC Representative; and Jim Rogers, State Delegate.

Candidates for VP and Treasurer for this year: Gilbert Shoemaker nominated Joanne Switzer for TVC Treasurer. The nomination has been accepted. The TVC voted to accept Joanne as our Treasurer, and she was installed for this coming term. Carolene Siebert as of that time is no longer our Treasurer. Thank you Joanne!

We still need a Vice President for this new term.

**Background Check proposal by OFSRDC:** Motion made by Kathy Roberts for the TVC to direct our Alternate Delegate to vote in favor of the Background Check Recommendations proposal as presented at the Federation Meeting in January; Mary Schneider seconded. Short discussion on the voting procedure. 11 voted for, 8 against. Motion passed.

# **New Business:**

Plan to get the Fall Square Dance and Round dance Lessons moving now: Presented by Ken Marifke.

Each Club needs to start thinking about lessons Now, not at the end of August. Start now to get the ball rolling. To do this we need to have clubs get their lesson plans done by the June TVC Meeting and into TVC along with PAC Clubs.

Working together, PAC, TVC and other Councils, we can get more people to start lessons and get more information out to the public.

Having both Square and Round Dance lessons information in one place will simplify telling people where lessons are on each night of the week, for example, someone stops and talks to you about lessons, you tell them what your club has, but they are busy that night, so how about telling them about another club that is having lessons on a night that they are free.

By having a joint list of Lessons we can tell people where and when there are lessons anywhere in the Portland and Vancouver areas.

Then see if all the local newspapers will print the list and get the local TV and Radio station to get the word out. Hand out information at local festivals, and county and state fairs, etc.

We as clubs, TVC, and PAC can also put signs up on building, on our cars, and roadside signs.

How about going into any store in your dance clothes and have available a card you can give them. The people do come up and ask about your clothes and where you dance. Ask the manager if they would allow you to put up a poster in the store.

We need to work together in getting more people into Square and Round dance in order to keep it going. This is not to get people into our own club. That will happen if you, as a club, show your best side and showing how you work with other clubs.

Question: I understand that there is a publication, and I would like to know which person is doing this publication. Response: Right now we are just getting the information in from the clubs.

Comments: All of the lesson information is in the OFN, and on the OSFRDC Web page also. Check each Club's Web site for lesson information. Also check the Where's the Dance Web page.

# **Club Delegate Reports:**

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

Club dances 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 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. <a href="http://www.ColumbiaRiverDancers.org">http://www.ColumbiaRiverDancers.org</a>

Mystery trips are always fun. Only a few know where the club is going. Sometimes a fly gets into the ointment though. The Dancers had scheduled its annual meeting for the 22nd of April but received a call that the Toe Draggers wanted to dance with us as part of their mystery trip. No problem. This reporter sent out a memo to our members that we had changed the date to the 27th of May. Only I sent it out to members and friends of the Dancers as well. This included some of the Toe Draggers. So, if I messed up anyone plans, I do apologize.

The Toe Draggers did come, have a nice dinner downstairs and had a good time dancing to the calling of Darrell Kalmbach and Julie Stiers cueing. K.C. Curtis visited with us also and Darrell invited him on stage. The two callers played off of each other well. Thanks to all of the Toe Draggers for making the dance so enjoyable.

Well, things stay busy in the month of May with local caller Craig Abercrombie calling and cueing for both of our dances. Dancing without the sound of rain pouring down would be nice. Hopefully that will be the case in May.

As mentioned above and as a reminder to our club members, the Columbia River Dancers annual meeting will be held on May 27th.

Lastly, remember that the Dancers do NOT go dark in the summer unless the temperature gets over 90 on dance night. Also, the club starts new lessons the first Tuesday of every month with beginners at 7 PM and mainstream plus after that.

I look forward to seeing you in a square soon as my wife is walking better and better with her new hip.

Dale Smith

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 185<sup>th</sup> and TV Hwy). Daryl and Yvonne Clendenin are the caller and cuer on the 1<sup>st</sup> and 5<sup>th</sup> Mondays; Darrell Kalmbach calling and Joyce Hooper cueing on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Mondays; Jim Hattrick is the Caller and Cuer 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays each month. Dance starts with 15 minutes of intermediate pre-rounds. For information call 503-645-2414; http://www.eagerbeavers.info

The Beavers 42<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary dance went great yesterday. There were 80 people signed in and a great chicken dinner was enjoyed by everyone.

Beavers vote no for the Background Check motion. They do not have kids and do not want any so they do not need the check.

#### Hayshakers: (Judy Martin, Delegate)

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

Dance this weekend April 28 for our new Class dancers.

Hope the weather get better so more people can come to the coast and join us for our Monthly dances 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Dance this Friday 5 May

We need 8 to dance – call Kathy 503-861-2726 if you plan to attend the dance runs from 6:00 until 8:00 p.m. for info call Sylvia: 503-325-8109 - \$5

Square Dance Lessons with Russ Bean are progress. By Judy C. Martin

### Hoedowners: (Rhoda Reinking and Mike Duyck, Delegates)

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. 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 next? On May 13th we're holding our Hippie Dance. You remember don't you? If you don't, ask a teenager. They have hippie themed dances of their own and have definite ideas what to wear.

May 27th is our annual Red, White and Blue Dance in honor of Memorial Day and our military. Please join us.

Ón June 10<sup>th</sup> we will be into "Strawberries".

Mike Duyck & Rhoda Reinking, Representatives

### Mix N Mingle: (Janelle Janicke and Patricia Billings, Delegates)(Patricia absent)

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. <a href="www.mixandminglesquares.org">www.mixandminglesquares.org</a>

We had our election in April and all positions successfully filled. We have new TVC Delegates: Rick And Robin Faltersack. They will be at the May TVC meeting taking over their new duties.

Mix and Mingle will be having their Anniversary Dance Oct 21, 2017. Every year we have a conflict with Royal Romp Plus Dance on Nov 4 so we opted to celebrate on different day. Come dance Plus with us!

Respectfully submitted, Janelle Janicke

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

Dance 2nd Friday and the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday from September thru May; June thru August dance 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday at the Kelso Senior Center (106 NW 8<sup>th</sup> 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 <a href="www.r-square-d.info">www.r-square-d.info</a> Call 360-431-7553 or 360-636-3358 for more information.

Our Oktoberfest is the biggest thing that we are doing this year. It will be held during the second weekend in October. Caller and Cuer will be Craig Abercrombie and Susan Healea. Ribbons for the event are now available for purchase.

We just had our Elections, and our R Square D Officers have been installed.

We are having only one dance this month: May 12, our Cinco de Mayo Dance, with a taco feed.

Our next Rest Area dance will be in March of 2018.

We will be visiting the Cougar Squares on May 6.

Our Club Campout will be in September 15 through 17 at Vista Park, this year. Reservations should be made by July 1.

First session of Lessons will start on October 18 through December 13 this year. Second session from April 25 through the end of May in 2018. Plus: 6:30-7:30; Basic: 7:30-8:30, and MS: 8:30 to 9 p.m. Craig Abercrombie instructing.

### Sunset Promenaders: (Janice Sminia and Janice Blomquist, 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

The Club enjoyed the Valley Squares Anniversary Dance an we had 16 members there.

Our April 15<sup>th</sup> Dance was well attended and we had several of our students attend.

Our Mainstream Dances are on May 6 and May 20 with a theme of "Salute the Armed Forces". Come dance to Mike Stout and Ken Pratt calling and cueing at the Hillsboro IOOF Hall, Pre-Rounds at 7:00, Mainstream from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m.

On Thursdays, May 4 and 18, are our Promenaders Plus Dances with Darrell Kalmbach calling and Ken Pratt cueing. Our Plus dances starting with Intermediate pre-rounds at 7:00, Plus dancing goes from 7:30 to 9>30 p.m.

Our Mainstream Lessons are going along well. We plan on finishing by the end of May. All of our students went to go to the Valley Squares New Dancer Jamboree on April 4, and they said that they had a good time, thank you Valley Squares.

Our New Dancers Jamboree is Sunday, April 30 from 2 to 4:30 p.m. All dancers are invited. It will be at the Hillsboro IOOF Hall, 267 E. Main Street in Hillsboro.

A reminder that we have changed our Club's dance time format to Intermediate Rounds from 7 to 7:30, and then at 7:30 until 9:30 p.m. will be Mainstream dancing.

Janice Sminia, Sunset Promenaders Delegate to the TVC.

### Toe Draggers: (Tom and Diana Gray, Delegates)

Dance at the Kinton Grange on the 1<sup>st</sup> Friday 7:30-8:00 Pre-Rounds, 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream (3<sup>rd</sup> tip Plus) and on the 3<sup>rd</sup> 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. <a href="https://www.toedraggers.org">www.toedraggers.org</a>

Our next dance on May 5<sup>th</sup>, is our Cinco de Mayo dance. Our second dance on May 19<sup>th</sup> is a regular dance. We elected new officers this month, with a couple of folks then stepping up after to fill vacant positions, so we currently only have one position still empty for our coming year beginning in June.

President – Dan Damon Vice President – Kathy Roberts & Loretta Flint Treasurer – Bruce Plunkett Secretary – Pat Olson TVC Delegate 1 – Diana Gray TVC Delegate 2 – Tom Gray Member at Large – not filled

Just had our mystery trip. Linda & KC Curtis guided us to Fort Vancouver National Site, where we watched an interesting movie about the history of the site and then wandered around the old fort area through a nice garden and restored buildings displaying early hospital, blacksmith, carpentry, etc. Even watched handmade square nails being handmade in the blacksmith shop. Then on to the Hazel Dale Grange where we were treated to homemade taco salads. Filling the time before the Columbia River Dancers began their fun dance with some bunco games. Submitted by Diana Gray

**Tri Squares:** (Gordon Keeney 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. www.trisquares.com

Tri Squares dances at the Tigard Grange on the second Saturday and fourth Friday of every month. The theme for this Friday's dance on April 28th is "Let's Go to the Hop." Unfortunately, Sandra Pinion will not be able to cue because her mother is having surgery but luckily Judy Russel has agreed to substitute so everyone is assured of having a great time.

Tri Squares has set a goal of speeding up the pace of our dances. So if perhaps you have been disappointed in the past, we hope you will give us another try. The date for our fall Anniversary dance has been set for September 22nd. Adam Christman who is a national Caller from Spokane, will be the featured Caller. Sandra Pinion will be the Cuer.

**Tualatin Timber Squares:** (William Alexander, Delegate)(absent) (Report delivered by Mary Schneider)

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. <a href="https://www.tualatindance.com">www.tualatindance.com</a>

Our Anniversary Dance is this coming Wednesday. We are setting up for 100 dancers. 6:30 to 8:30, at the Winona Grange in Tualatin. Because of the weather, we had to put three dances together in one event: First Anniversary, New Dancer Dance and Trophy dance. New Dancer level with every third tip Mainstream. We are having a Nacho Bar at this dance. Other callers and cuers from the floor are welcome. The first 50 dancers will receive special dangles for this dance.

#### Valley Squares: (Bea Cook, Delegate)

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. <a href="www.valleysquares.com">www.valleysquares.com</a>

Thank you to all who came to our anniversary dance and new dancer Jamboree in early April. We have started a new set of Mainstream lessons on Tuesdays from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Aloha Grange. There is still room for more dancers.

On April 26th we are planning a visitation to the Tualatin Timbers Anniversary dance.

Come dance with us on May 6th for the May Flowers Dance and on May 20th for the Under The Sea Dance. Both dances start at 7 p.m.

We are looking forward to the TVC's Spring Fling Dance on April 29th. Hope to see you there.

Wave Steppers: (Robert Allen, Delegate)

Dance 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 still doing our Wednesday night classes at the Elks Club. If somebody comes in through the door, we will put them in a square. Sometimes they come back. At this time we have three students in our class.

We dance on the second Saturdays of each month from March through October. At the Garibaldi City Hall. Joe Wrabek is our caller, and Gwen Kiel is our Line Dance cuer. We need more visitors to help make our dances more fun. Submitted by Robert Allen

# **Good of the Order:**

Mary Schneider mentioned that as of May 20, the Oaky Doaks caller and cuer Mike and Helen Halley will no longer be with the club. Please come out and support Mike and Helen at their last dance with the Oaky Doaks. It is their Beatles Dance. In October, Mike and Helen will be moving to Roseville, California, for work purposes.

Dale Brabham: Don't forget to support our upcoming TVC dance on Saturday, at the Aloha Grange.

# **Next TVC Meeting:**

Monday, May 22, at 7:00 p.m. at the Old Spaghetti Factory, 18925 NW Tanasbourne Drive, Hillsboro, OR 97124. If you wish to eat a meal prior to the meeting, the room is available after 5:45 and you can order from the full menu.

Respectfully edited and published by Andis Garuts, TVC Secretary