

Tualatin Valley Council (TVC) 2019-08-26

Meeting was held at Old Spaghetti Factory, 18925 NW Tanasbourne Drive, Hillsboro, OR 97124 The meeting started about 7:05 and adjourned about 7:50 http://www.tualatinvalleycouncil.org Draft – not for posting

Attendees: **Delegates:**

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	Columbia River Dancers:	Nick Johnson (absent)	
	Eager Beavers:	Leslie Tallman, John Semm	
	Hayshakers:	Judy Martin, Ken Marifke	
	Hoedowners:	Mike Duyck, Doug Morgan	
	Mix N Mingles:	Rick and Robin Faltersack	
	Oak Hills Squares	Jane Friberg (absent), Marie Clem	
	R Square D:	Mary McDaniel, Marv Pope (both absent)	
	Sunset Promenaders:	Steve LeBlanc, Dan Browning	
	Toe Draggers:	Linda Curtis	
	Tri Squares:	Judy Groom, Deb Mandeville (Deb absent)	
	Tualatin Timber Squares:	Marleigh Alexander (absent)	
	Valley River Dancers:	Josie Rosenbury	
	Valley Squares:	Julie Cooper, Dorothy Reed	
	Wave Steppers:	Bob Allen	

Officers, Elected & Appointed:

President: Mike St. Clair Vice-President: Judy Schnase Treasurer: Joanne Switzer Secretary: Andis Garuts State Delegate: Josie Rosenbury Past-President of the TVC: Dale Brabham Oregon Federation Youth Advisor: Kathy Roberts (absent) Caller Advisor: K.C. Curtis Cuer Advisor: Randy Lewis PAC Representative: Keith Miles (absent) TVC Webmaster: Tim Roberts (absent)

Visitors Attending:

Pete Cooper (Valley Squares) Garrett Hoerer (Valley Squares) Erin Kalmbach (PAC) Candy St. Clair (Sunset Promenaders) Carolene Siebert (Valley Squares) Tom Sminia (Sunset Promenaders) Janice Sminia (Sunset Promenaders) Leonard Snodgrass (Caller)

TVC Officer Reports:

Previous Council meeting minutes approved as written.

President's report: (Mike St. Clair)

Welcome and introduction of guests.

Sunshine Chair: Tammy LeBlanc

OFN Area Editor: Ferrous Steinka (absent)

Vice President's report: (Judy Schnase) August 31, 2019 Caller: Daryl Clendenin Cuer: Connie Clark Co-host: Valley Squares Hall: Aloha Grange Time: 7:30 rounds 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream with every third tip Plus. November 30, 2019 Caller: Mike Stout Cuer: Julie Stout Co-host: Oak Hills Squares Hall: Aloha Grange Time: 7:30 rounds 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream with every 3rd tip Plus. December 31, 2019 NEW YEARS Caller: Darrell Kalmbach Cuer: Sherri Clark Co-host: Eager Beavers and Sunset Promenaders. Hall: Odd Fellows Hall, Hillsboro Time: rounds at 9:00, 9:30 to 12:15 Mainstream with third tip Plus. Door donation: \$8.00 TVC members please bring finger foods, salads and desserts. February 29, 2020 Caller: Adam Christman Cuer: Jovce Hooper Co-host: None yet Hall: Aloha Grange Time: 7:30 rounds 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream with every third tip Plus. May 30, 2020 Caller: K.C. Curtis Cuer: Bev Flint Co- host: Toe Draggers Hall: Kinton Grange Time: 7:30 rounds 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream with every third tip Plus. August 29, 2020 SPECIAL DANCE Caller: Jim Hattrick **Cuer: Julie Stiers** Co-host: None yet Hall: Hahn Barn Time: Picnic at 6:00 rounds 7:00 Mainstream 7:30 to 9:30 with every third tip Plus. October 31, 2020 Halloween Caller: Craig Abercrombie **Cuer: Julie Stiers** Co-host: None vet Hall: Aloha Grange Time: 7:30 rounds 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream with every third tip Plus. Costumes wanted. December 31, 2020 Caller: Mike Stout Cuer: TBD Co-host: Sunset Promenaders Hall: Odd Fellows Hall, Hillsboro Time: 9:00 p.m. rounds, 9:30 p.m. to 12:15 a.m. Mainstream with every third tip Plus. Treasurer's report: (Joanne Switzer) Savings Account: Interest earned: \$.07 Ending Balance: \$9,586.05 (July) (Account transfer to Checking of \$1,000 in August) Checking Account: Deposits: \$145.00 (EB Reimb. Of Deposit Error on 7/8 of \$430.00) Expenses/Fees: \$982.00 (incl. Outstanding checks) Outstanding Checks: (\$30.00) Ending Balance: (\$151.22) (July) Reconciled Balance: (\$181.22) Cash Box Dance: \$50.00

Secretary report: (Andis Garuts) No report.

State Delegates report: (Josie Rosenbury)

State Dues are \$27.00. If you have not paid those to the TVC, please do so. Also, if you want the State Directories, they are \$3.75 per Directory.

If you are interested in dancing at the State Fair, please contact Marilyn Schmit. Tomorrow is round dancing from 1:45 to 2:30. Saturday is Youth dancing from 11 to 11:45 a.m. On Monday there will be the Mainstream dance, 11 to 11:45 a.m. Square dance attire.

The next State Meeting will be on Sunday, September 8, at the Maplewood Grange in Aurora. Chaps and Petticoats are sponsoring this. Scott Zinser calling and Dave Cooper cueing on the Saturday night dance. Also, they will entertain us at the Trails End Dance on Friday night.

The roof at the Beachcombers hall is in bad shape, so they are asking us to put out donation jars at our dances for them.

PAC report: (Keith Miles) (absent) No report.

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

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

Past TVC President report: (Dale Brabham) No report.

Sunshine report: (Tammy LeBlanc)

No cards were sent this past month.

I still have my new e-mail address set up specifically for Sunshine, but I have not received any information at this address, so I will give it out to you again: <u>tvcsunshine@gmail.com</u>. Also, Delegates, please send me your updated club rosters, so that I can send cards to the correct addresses.

OFN Area Editor Report: (Ferrous Steinka) (absent) No report

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

Old Business:

No old business.

New Business:

Treasurer: Joanne has announced that she is stepping down as TVC Treasurer. Tom Sminia has volunteered to be her replacement until our next election. Dale Brabham nominated Tom Sminia as our Treasurer until our next election; Ken Marifke seconded. Nomination passed by vote.

State and Alternate State Delegates: Josie and Deb are not officially our State and Alternate State Delegates, so they need to be nominated. Linda Curtis nominated Josie Rosenbury as our State Delegate; Judy Martin seconded. Nomination passed by vote. And, Judy Martin nominated Deb Mandeville as our Alternate State Delegate; Steve LeBlanc seconded. Nomination passed by vote. Positions officially start in September.

Club Delegate Reports:

Columbia River Dancers: (Nick Johnson, Delegate) (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. <u>http://www.ColumbiaRiverDancers.org</u> No report.

Eager Beavers: (John Semm and Leslie Tallman, 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 Clendenin is 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

On the first Monday in September, Labor Day, September 2nd, we will be dancing at our alternate hall. the Aloha Grange, located at 185th and TV Hwy. Daryl Clendenin, caller/cuer We are still trying something new: one tip (usually the last tip of the dance) will be at a very energetic pace. So far, this addition has been well received by our members and guests.

Our "green team" is still working hard in the planning stages of the 2020 Summer Festival in Seaside. They were very visible and well received in their bright green vests at this year's Summer Festival in Salem.

Club picnic was held on August 14th at Noble Woods Park. We always have a good crowd. The weather was perfect and we enjoyed our friends, the good food and lots of games. We especially enjoyed our annual game of "bean bag baseball."

We have several members registered to square and round dance at the Oregon State Fair.

Our club is already busy making plans with the Sunset Promenaders for the New Year's Eve Dance at the IOOF Hall in Hillsboro. It is always a wonderful way to welcome the new year.

We are planning to attend many of the upcoming club anniversary dances. We enjoy supporting our TVC clubs and celebrating another year of dancing.

Hayshakers: (Judy Martin and Ken Marifke, Delegates)

Hayshakers are now dancing the 3rd and 5th Fridays from 7:00 to 9:30 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

Our dance on Friday August 16th had a large group from other clubs and from out of state also. We had two squares on the floor with some extra that were resting. We want to thank all that came to that dance.

This next dance on August 30th from 7:00 until 9:00 p.m. with Mark Wheeler calling.

Our square dance lessons are continuing with new students Sunday Sept. 8 at 3:00 p.m. First lesson is free and then \$2.00/lesson.

We dance at the Pacific Grange, 90475 Hwy 101, Warrenton, OR, between Seaside and Astoria.

Hoedowners: (Doug Morgan and Mike Duyck, Delegates)

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 Randy Lewis. 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

September 10th will be the beginning of Hoedowners square dance class. This will be at Aloha Grange beginning at 7:00 pm on Tuesday.

September 14th will be our Farmer's Market. Wear your gardening clothes.

September 28th will be "Caller's Choice" with Daryl Clendenin as our caller.

October 12th is "Sock Hop". Anyone have blue suede shoes?

Doug, Krystal and Mike

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 7:30 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. <u>www.mixandminglesquares.org</u>

Mix and Mingle have been dark for the summer, in July and August. On September 21 we will be having our Root Beer Float Dance. Come join us!

Oak Hills Squares: (Jane Friberg (absent) and Marie Clem. Delegates)

Oak Hills Squares meet on Monday evenings at the Oak Hills Recreation Center on 153rd and Oak Hills Drive (2400 NW 153rd Avenue, Beaverton). 6:30 to 7:30 Class (start dates -Sept and February) 7:30 to 8:30 Mainstream (6:30 to 8:30 when no classes running). 1st Monday of each month from 7:30 to 8:30 Mainstream Singing calls and Rounds. Lane Clem is our Caller and Cuer.

Our mailing address in the TVC Directory is correct (2085 NW 153rd), but we dance at the community gym, which is located two blocks north of that address (2400 NW 153rd and Oak Hills Dr.). Sorry for any confusion this might have caused.

On August 19, we graduated six new dancers from our new-dancers' class. Fun, silly dancing and games were followed by snacks and celebration.

Our demo at the Cedar Mill Farmers' Market will be on September 14th from 9:30 to 10:30 in the Safeway parking lot at Murray Rd. and Cornell Rd. Come and join us!

We welcome Renee Ruud as our caller on the third and fifth Mondays beginning on September 30th.

Our new Basic/Mainstream class will begin on September 9th from 6:30 to 7:30; regular dance from 7:30 to 8:30.

Come visit TVC's newest club on any Monday. Square dance attire is optional. On the first Monday of the month square dance attire is encouraged, and the dance will be all singing calls. September will be an exception to this, because the first Monday is Labor Day, and we will be dark for the holiday.

We appreciated a couple of visitations from TVC clubs this month. Thank you for coming and supporting us!

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

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). Pre-rounds at 7; Plus from 7:30 to 8:30 and 8:30 to 9:30 Mainstream and refreshments after the dance. Craig Abercrombie is the caller and Lonnie Sycks is our Cuer. Our website is <u>www.r-square-d.info</u> Call 360-431-7553 or 360-636-3358 for more information.

No report.

Sunset Promenaders: (Steve LeBlanc and Dan Browning, 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

Our Plus lessons start Sept. 22 at 2 pm to 4 p.m. led by Darrell Kalmbach.

Our 34th Anniversary Dance is Oct 5. Ham dinner with fixings is at 6:00. Pre rounds at 6:00 or 6:30 with Ken Pratt cueing. I will verify that before the next meeting. Mainstream will be 7:30 to 9:30 Mike Stout calling.

The Seaside Sashay is coming up Oct 25 and 26.

Our next two dances are Sept 7th and 21st. Rounds 6:30 to 7:30, Ken Pratt cueing. Mainstream 7:30 to 9:30 with a plus tip at the end, Mike Stout calling

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. <u>www.toedraggers.org</u>

The Toe Draggers had a great summer. In September we have our Regular dance on Friday, September 6th, pre-rounds with Bev Flint at 7:30 and Mainstream with K.C. Curtis, and then our 44th Anniversary Dance on September 21st with Roger Putzler joining K.C and Bev Flint. This dance will be pre-Plus at 7:30 and Mainstream with rounds at 8 p.m. We will be having our fabulous berry desserts.

We are starting Mainstream lessons in September. Wednesday night, Sept. 15 at 7 p.m. will be our first class. Then to try something new we will be inviting people to start a second class on Saturday mornings at 10 a.m. It is always interesting to get to know new people during lesson time.

Tri Squares: (Judy Groom and Deb Mandeville, Delegates) (Deb 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 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. <u>www.trisguares.com</u>

We have been dancing on the second Saturday and fourth Friday, and will continue this through September.

In October we will be changing our dance nights to the 2nd and 4th Fridays, at the historic Tigard Grange on 99W. Terry Halley is our caller and Sandra Pinion is our cuer. Rounds from 7:30-7:45, Plus from 7:45-8:00, and Mainstream from 8:00 till 10:00, with every 4th tip Plus. Refreshments are served at 10:00. Our club is dark in July and August.

Our September dances are a Luau party on Saturday September 14th, and our Anniversary Dance, 'Celebrate the Good Times' on Friday September 27th, with National Caller Adam Christman.

Our October dances are our 'Fall Fling' on Friday, October 11th and our 'Come as you Aren't' costume party on Friday October 25th. There will be prizes for the best costumes! We also are having a New Dancer Jamboree on Sunday October 20th, class level up to B-30, from 3:30 to 5:30. We hope you can all join us.

We had 21 of our Members at the demo dance at the Tigard Library on August 17. This got 22 people interested in our lessons, which will be starting on Sunday, September 22.

Tualatin Timber Squares: (Marleigh Alexander, Delegate) (absent)

We dance on the second and fourth Wednesday nights each month, except for lessons, which are every Wednesday from Jan. through April, at the Winona Grange, 8340 Seneca Street, Tualatin, OR. These are Mainstream dances or lessons, starting at 7 p.m. and ending at 9 p.m. Refreshments are downstairs after each dance or lesson. Caller: Janienne Alexander, cuer: Sherri Clark. Other callers from the floor are welcome. <u>www.tualatindance.com</u> No report.

Valley River Dancers: (Josie Rosenbury, Delegate)

We dance Plus on 2nd Fridays, and Mainstream on 4th Fridays in Newberg at the Chehalem Community Center, located on the corner of 2nd and Howard Streets. We dance 'A' on 5th Saturdays at the Woodburn Senior Estates Community Club. Randy Dibble is our Caller. Ken Pratt cues 2nd Friday; Sherri Clark cues 4th Friday. <u>www.valleyriverdancers.org</u>

On September 27 we will be having our Black Light Dance.

We will be trying something different this year for our Mainstream lessons. We start on Tuesday, September 3. We are asking out dancers to pay \$68.00 up front for 12 weeks of lessons. We are working with the Chehalem Parks and Rec Department for our lesson advertising.

Valley Squares: (Julie Cooper and Dorothy Reed, Delegates)

Dance 3rd Saturdays at the Aloha Grange on the corner of 185th and TV Hwy, year-round. Mainstream at class level with rounds from 7 to 8:30 p.m. Plus with rounds from 8:30 to 9:30 p.m., dances will end around 9:30 p.m.. Open break with refreshments starting at 8 p.m. Guest callers, Connie Clark Cuer. <u>www.valleysquares.com</u>

Valley Squares are down to one dance a month, the third Saturday. We dance from 7-9:30. Next dance is on September 21. It is a fall themed dance--Color Me Autumn. Caller Scott Zinser and Connie Clark cueing.

We will co-host the 5th Saturday dance with TVC on August 31.

Wave Steppers: (Bob Allen, Delegate)

Dance 2nd 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.

We are finishing up our dances this year. We have one on September 14, which is our Anniversary Dance, and another dance in October. We will be taking a break until January.

Our classes will be starting up in January.

We are getting things ready and lined up for the coming year, we had a good year with our new caller.

Good of the Order:

Tom Sminia brought a box full of TVC Directories. If you would like more for your club, contact Tom.

We owe Tom and Janice a huge thank you for getting these Directories put together and printed out.

Mike Duyck mentioned that Dan Nordbye has been holding dances on Tuesday nights at the Aloha Grange. The last few dances were not very well attended. These dances can be done until September 3, if there is enough interest. Please let us know if you are interested in attending.

Josie Rosenbury mentioned that there is an opportunity to hand out flyers for special dances at the State Meeting. If you want the flyers to be handed out, get about 30 of your flyers to her and she will get them to the rest of the people at the State. The Meeting will be on Sunday, September 8.

Next TVC Meeting:

Monday, September 23, 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