

# ualatin Valley Council (TVC) 2014-05-20 Meeting Minutes

Called to order about 7:00 at the Pizza Caboose

http://www.taulatinvalleycouncil.org

#### Attendees: Delegates:

Eager Beavers: Dick Pesek Hayshakers: Kathy Worthington, Sylvia Davis Hoedowners: Bev Aldrich Mix N Mingles: Patty Bonney, Janelle Janicke R Square D: (emailed report) Sunset Promenaders: Lalani Radford Toe Draggers: Kathy Roberts, Janelle Janicke, Pat & Jim Olson (New Delegates) Tri Squares: Dale Brabham Valley Squares: Andis Garuts, Rhoda Reinking Wave Steppers: Bob Allen, Carolyn Hindman

#### Officers, Elected & Appointed:

President: Kay Rogers & new president Gary Clark Vice-President: Gary Clark & new Vice-President Dale Brabham Treasurer: Lane Clem Secretary: Tom Sminia State Delegate: Kathy Roberts Sunshine: Dorothy Sullivan State Delegate (in September) Kathy Worthington Caller Advisor: Daryl Clendenin Cuer Advisor: Yvonne Clendenin PAC Delegate: Keith Miles, PAC President Past President: Kay Rogers OFN Area Editor: Ferrous Steinka

#### Visitors:

Naomi Coorengel, Jim Rogers, Pat Pesek (Eager Beavers); Dale Worthington (Hayshakers); Janice Sminia, Ray Sullivan, Joyce Clark (Sunset Promenaders); Leslye Evans-Lane (Silver Stars, WA)

### **Officer Reports:**

**President's report:** (Kay Rogers) Kay started the meeting by saying she is going to wait until later to give her report and asked for the Vice-Presidents report.

#### Vice Presidents report: (Gary Clark)

This will be a short report to say that all the dances for this year are booked and all callers, cuers and dance halls have contracts. It was great working with the TVC Treasurer, Lane Clem to make this happen. Between us we got it done.

The TVC Officers met May 2<sup>nd</sup> and went over the 2015 schedule of dances. We have yet to hear from the PAC as to what date the Tri-Council dance will be. All other 5<sup>th</sup> Saturdays were noted and one extra Sunday was added for a TVC Dance. VP Dale will do a good job booking these dances. We also relied on Lane to come up with our annual TVC Budget based off past history.

Don't forget our upcoming, May 31<sup>st</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday TVC Dance, Here Comes Summer, at the Kinton Grange with Roger Putzler Calling and Dave Cooper Cueing. Please bring a lot of finger food for this dance.

As a side note this is the first time in a long time that the TVC Officers have been all male, excluding the Past President. I say this to make a point, we all agree that we can't do what we do without the support of our wives. They are a big part of how we get things done at our meetings and dances. We owe a lot to our spouses. Don't you agree?

We discussed the various appointed officers such as the TVC website Webmaster which we now have Tim Roberts and Ferrous going to share the job of keeping it up. I look forward to the next year as President of the TVC and ask for your support in making this a good year.

#### Treasurer report: (Lane Clem)

Treasurer's report is pretty simple this month because of no dance, so not much activity. There is a \$400 inventory of fabric that will be paid back as Kathy sells it to dancers. This is part of the 2016 Summer Festival preparations to make shirts, skirts, etc. Lane wants to call our attention to 8822B IRS form. As of January 14<sup>th</sup> this form is a requirement for all organizations with an EIN. The form is to report any change of responsible persons that controls the flow of moneys of the organization and since this is a new form all organizations need to fill it out for the first time. You can use the form I distributed or you can go on line to the URL for the IRS form 8822B which is the following: <a href="http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/8822b.pdf">http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/8822b.pdf</a>

Also, depending on the club's fiscal year don't forget the 990 form you send in each year. This is done online and each club has an account that you can access and fill out. If you have any problems get help from your club or let Lane or Tom help you.

#### Secretary report: (Tom Sminia)

Oregon Federation website "Club Info Form" needs to be updated for some of the clubs; the reason for this update is that this information is used to write and print the Oregon Federation Directory and the TVC Directory. This information needs to be accurate such as addresses, phone numbers, etc.

#### State Delegates report: (Kathy Roberts)

Marilyn Schmidt advised that she still needs the Where & When and state directory information from the Sunset Promenaders and Toe Draggers.

Summer Festival -

- Rimrock Rendezvous, June 19-22 in Prineville, OR
- Caller, Bob Jones is from Surprise, AZ and unknown to most Oregon dancers. Randy Dibble, from Newberg, OR.Cuer, Mary Ann Callahan from Modesto, CA and Jonathan Wood from Meridian, ID.
- Thursday night entertainment will have Lindy Gravelle in concert at the High School.
- Dry camping at the Middle School for 80 rigs. Hotels and RV campgrounds are also available.

- Information and a registration form is now available on the Federation website: http://www.centraloregoncouncil.org/summer-festival-2014/
- Digital picture with write up for Randal Awards to be submitted by July 1
- Annual charity dance on June 28, Oak Grove Community Center
  - George & Patty Hermann will be the caller/cuer
  - HORSES Charity is not well known, it is niche charity
  - Vivian, past president decided on a new charity Oregon Food Bank
  - Coordinate a Canned food drive in June for additional items for the Food Bank

Randal Award nomination needs to be turned in to the State by July 1<sup>st</sup>. This award is for dancers that have done extra things for square dance and deserve to be awarded for their long and hard work. This nomination requires filling out a form with a list of what this person has done for Square Dancing.

There is an annual charity Dance June 28<sup>th</sup> at Oak Grove Community Center and the charity this year is the Food Bank with George and Patty Herman calling and cueing. Kay spoke up and stated that for the past two years the TVC has nominated Paul and Dottie Swenson for the Randal Award. Tom made a motion that we re-nominate them, Carolyn seconded, the motion passed.

#### Federation Youth Advisor: (Kathy Roberts)

We received one scholarship this year from a Mid-Willamette student.

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

Since we are starting the 2014/2015 year with new officers and delegates, I would like to briefly go over what the TVC OFN Editor does. Each club in the TVC has a "Club Reporter" who writes a short monthly report for publication in the Oregon Federation News, OFN. These reports are submitted to the TVC OFN editor who then edits and/or corrects them and then send them to Joyce Sherman, OFN editor. The due date for these reports is the 1<sup>st</sup> of each month *preceding* the publication month. For example, the reports which will appear in the upcoming June issue were submitted to me around May 1<sup>st</sup>. The club reporters are now busy crafting their reports for the July issue. Several of my reporters do dual duty as TVC Delegates and Club Reporter. It is not easy to write two reports are set in the future. I realize that it is difficult for the dual reporters to shift gears and sometimes the OFN report submitted to me is a copy of the TVC report. For this reason I would ask the clubs to have two different people doing the reporting. I know that it is difficult to recruit volunteers for club activities, but it would sure help those who try to do dual duty.

Following is the list of current TVC Club reporters:

Eager Beavers - "Rachel Nettleton" <rachelnettleton@hotmail.com>

Hay Shakers - "Sylvia Davis" <s.m.davis@charter.net>

Hoedowners - "Krystal Laas" <donL66@comcast.net>

Mix 'N Mingle - "Patty Bonney" <pattybonney@hotmail.com>

R Square D - "Arlene Evanson" <am\_evanson@yahoo.com>

"Chris Seward" <cseward@ellisontechnologies.com> Sunset Promenaders - "Peter Schettek" <pschettek@yahoo.com> Toe Draggers - "Peggy Hults" <peggyhults43@q.com> Tri-Squares - "Anita Woodside" <anitawoodside@aol.com> Valley Squares - "Patt Hawthorne" <patthawthorne@hotmail.com> Wave Steppers - "Joe Wrabek" <joe.wrabek@gmail.com> OFN Area Editor - "Ferrous Steinka" <ferrouss@frontier.com> Respectively submitted, Ferrous Steinka

**Caller Advisor & Cuer Advisor report:** (Daryl & Yvonne Clendenin) Daryl is concerned about the future of square dancing; the activity has been in decline for decades and he hopes we can turn this around and Leslye Lane has a plan that she would like us to listen to and see if this new idea will help our activity, because if we don't turn it around it is not going to survive.

Daryl introduced Leslye Lane, Caller Richard Lane's wife, and they are also the President of US West Square Dance Convention. Presentation by Leslye Lane: Much of the inspiration for this came from the keynote speaker at Callerlab. However, our goal is promote square dancing because we believe that if the activity grows, everyone wins!

- **Google Trends** have shown that over the last 10 years, the search for square dance or square dancing has declined 60%. What this means is that people are not looking for square dancing and if they are not looking, then there is no need to find us. Therefore, according to the keynote speaker, 'nobody's talking about square dancing because nobody is talking about square dancing."
- **Social media** is growing every day. One billion people use Facebook, worldwide, and research has shown primarily people 40 years old and older use it. Over 140 million people use Twitter. Free calendar postings: CRAIG'S LIST Calendar and www.portlanddancing.com.
- According to many, our target audience should be the empty nesters because 20 something's are not interested, 30-40 something's are raising a family and don't have time for the commitment, which leaves the 50 something's and up.
- People use the internet to search for, research, and evaluate everything. Additionally, people need to see something at least seven times before they will buy it. What this means for square dancing is that we need to have a social media and internet presence because more content online means more conversations about ... and we need to target our audience (which can be done through Facebook).
- Outreach efforts have not always been successful for many reasons: timing, presence, and image. It is hard to get excited about something that people cannot do for months (as happens when dancers pass out flyers when

participating in summertime parades), where we can only muster a few folks to participate, or we are in 'uniform' that may or may not interest people.

- Our solution is in the beginning stages, however the more we talk about what we are doing, the more people talk to us about other avenues we may not have thought about using. Our goal is provide an online presence for offline activities.
- MEET-UP (\$72.00 for 6 months): this is an online platform for offline activities and So You Want to Dance is the name of the Meet-up group we have set up and paid for 6 months.
- Joining is free and all one has to do is answer a few questions to join.
- Send out notices for our monthly One Night (Afternoon) Stands which will follow the ABC program.
- Open to everyone and encourages dancers to join the activity or the Meetup group.
- Cards created so people could direct interested people to the group without being pushy and we will have an event monthly, so no waiting! We will let them know they can learn more (Toastmaster approach)
- June 14, July 26<sup>th</sup> (National Day of Dance), one in August that we would like to invite all clubs to participate and have a table with day and location of their lessons, if people want to continue learning, and every month after that.
  - FULL CALENDAR (\$19.95 per event): event posted in 169 local places, based on appropriate placement and usually events are posted to 20-50 places some of the places are:

Oregonian	pdxMindShare	Portland Business Journal
Willamette Week	Tribune	The Mercury
Portland Family	KBOO	Lake Oswego Review
Columbian	NWWomensBizNetwork	Metro Parent

- VIDEOS and PODCASTS: post on website/Facebook/blogs/Pinterest Richard has done three and will post them on his website. Easy and free!
- Morrison Grand Square has been so successful, they have put up a HOW TO page on their website

(http://www.squaredancemorrison.com/Marketing.page.html)

Leslye also handed out some business cards that you can use, not with your friends but when you are in the public, maybe you mentioned dancing and then you can give them the card which has information on it about "Meetup". They can then go on line and find out more about where to find a dance. Meetup is an online organization you can use to find out about off line activities and there are 1,500 different Meetup groups just in Portland. If you want more information on this please contact Leslye at 503-289-1715, or <a href="http://www.meetup.com/so-you-want-to-dance-Meetup">http://www.meetup.com/so-you-want-to-dance-Meetup</a>

And please go on online and join this Meetup group; it is easy to join and may help the cause. Also you are all invited to the June 14<sup>th</sup> Meetup.

Yvonne had no cuer advisor report.

#### Sunshine Person report: (Dorothy Sullivan)

I sent get well cards to:

Amanda Roberts (Toe draggers) Physical therapy and more physical problems with her leg.

Harold Kleve was in the hospital but is home now.

Alyce Drescher (Toe Draggers) Alyce was in the hospital for an intestinal issue.

Submitted by: Dorothy Sullivan

**Webmaster report**: Tim Roberts is the new webmaster, and Ferrous is assisting Tim by getting him information and checking to see if the website is up to date. Gary has appointed them to handle the website.

**PAC delegate to the TVC report**: (Keith Miles, PAC President) The PAC is going dark for July and August so there will be no meetings during that time, and the clubs are dark too. The PAC is in the process of repairing the PAC float trailer; because the hitch fell off; luckily it fell off just after it was being used.

# Old Business:

Kay thanked the board and delegates for the cooperation she has had for the past two years as president . Everyone has been friendly and supportive with a smile; thank you. I really appreciate all of you. Especially Tom, Gary , Lane, and Dorothy. When time comes to volunteer for an office in the TVC; think about it and try it, I have really enjoyed my time here.

We have the fabric for the 2016 Summer Festival outfits. Kathy stated the fabric came in a month early and we have our lot. This is the fabric for the 2016 festival, for our outfits and the fabric is \$10 per yard, if you go to the store the price is \$14 per yard. The outfit is to be a Hawaiian short sleeved shirt for the men (takes 2 ½ yards). If you want a skirt it takes 4-yards. If you pay by check the check goes to the TVC.

### New Business:

Kay sweared in the new TVC board for the next fiscal year. New President Gary, and new Vice-President Dale Brabham, and Lane and Tom are continuing as Treasurer and Secretary. Gary will appoint the appointed officers as he gets going. All officers swore to up hold the TVC constitution and always keep the interest of the dancers in mind when doing your jobs.

Kay handed over the meeting to the new president Gary Clark and he did not have much to say except that at our next meeting in June we should consider canceling the July meeting because Gary will not be in the state; although he is sure Dale can handle to meeting if necessary.

# Club Delegate Reports:

### Eager Beavers: (Dick Pesek and Nan Overall, Delegates)

Club dances easy plus every Monday afternoon, 1:15 to 3:15 PM, at the Sunset Presbyterian Church (14986 NW Cornell Rd., Portland, 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). George Clark is the Caller/Cuer; Jim Hattrick is the Caller/Cuer every third Monday. Dance starts with 15 minutes of easy pre-rounds. <u>http://www.eagerbeavers.info</u> If you wish to dance Plus with the Eager Beaver this coming Monday, Memorial Day; they will be dancing at the Aloha Grange from 1:15 to 3:15.

We are looking for people to join them for a beach trip in September at Rockaway. Submitted by: Dick Pesek

Hayshakers: (Sylvia Davis and Kathy Worthington, Delegates)

All dances are at Pacific Grange 90475 Hwy 101/ Cullaby Lake, Warrenton, OR. We dance Plus the first and third Friday starting at 6:00 to 8:00 pm. The mainstream dances with the Wave Steppers will be on second and fourth Fridays of the month starting on April 11<sup>th</sup>. Our clubs Mainstream dances will be the 1st Saturday of the month. Dress in whatever you are comfortable. Caller and Cuer is Harvey Hunsucker. Hayshakers also put on the annual Seaside Sashay, a 2-day Mainstream dance on the 4<sup>th</sup> Friday and Saturday in October. Always call first the make sure we have a square. http://www.hayshakers.org

Always call first the make sure we are having a dance. Hayshakers are dark for July. **Hoedowners:** (Bev Aldrich and Debbie Olson, 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 8-10. Our format is informal and friendly. <u>http://www.hoedowners.info</u>

Our annual beach trip in May was a fun weekend with 21 attendees. We rented two houses in Manzanita.

A group of Hoedowners joined other clubs visiting the Sunset Promenaders' dance with Richard Lane calling.

Our June dances are Strawberries and Cream Dance on June 14th, and a Wild Wild West Dance on June 28th.

Our July dances are a Hawaiian Luau Dance on July 12th, and a Root Beer Float Dance on July 26th. Please check our website for other upcoming dances. Submitted by Bev Aldrich

Mix N Mingle: (Patty Bonney, & Janelle Janicke Delegates)

Club dances Plus at the Winona Grange (8340 Seneca Street, Tualatin, OR) on 1st and 3rd Saturdays. Pre- pre-rounds begin at 7:00 to 7:30 PM (Levels 4 & 5+), 7:30 to 8:00 8:00 PM Pre-rounds (Levels 2 & 3) and Plus Square Dance with phase 2-4 Rounds from 8:00-10:30 PM. Randy Dibble is our club Caller and Jeanine Norden our club Cuer. Donation is \$4 per person at the dance for members, \$5 for non-members. <u>www.mixandminglesquares.org</u>

M'nMs will be dark in June, and also August 16. (Patty Bonney) Next dance will be 1st Saturday in July. Would love to have some of you plus dancers come join us. We are a small club of only 13 members. (Patty Bonney)

R Square D: (Lonnie & Linda Sycks, Delegates)

We dance 2nd Friday and the 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday from September thru May at the Kelso Senior Center (106 NW 8<sup>th</sup> Ave, Kelso, WA). We dance plus from 7:30 to 8:00 Plus and mainstream from 8:00 to 10:00 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.

Summer is almost upon us and our lessons are winding down. There are only two left with the next set starting in October. We will be dark Saturday May 24 because of the Memorial Day Weekend. Our next dance is the beginning of our summer schedule which is the 2nd and 4th Wednesday in June, July and August. Also we will start at 7:00 and dance till 9:30 with the break after. So our next dance will be June 11. It's not to early to put a bug in your ear about Octoberfest the first weekend in October, of course, more to come. At the next TVC meeting we will have a new delegate to introduce. Keep dancing and have a safe summer. Submitted by: Lonnie & Linda Sycks

#### Sunset Promenaders: (Lalani Radford and Pete Schettek, Delegates)

Dance 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturdays. Our dance evening is scheduled to start at 7:30 with phase III round dances. Starting at 8:00 until 10:00 is our Mainstream dance with a potluck break afterwards. Our Caller is Mike (Julie) Stout and the Cuer is Ken (Dianne) Pratt. We dance in Hillsboro at the Odd Fellows Hall Upstairs on the corner of 3<sup>rd</sup> & Main Streets above LaHaies and Of Earth and Air shops. Sunset Promenaders also help put on the annual Seaside Sashay, a 2-day Mainstream dance on the 4<sup>th</sup> Friday and Saturday in October. www.sunsetpromenaders.com

Sunset Promenaders had Dan Preedy call our May 3<sup>rd</sup> dance and he did a great job; everyone seemed to have a great time. This was the third year we have had Dan call and the dance could become an annual dance for us.

May 17<sup>th</sup> we had a guest caller; Richard Lane who calls for the Silver Stars in Vancouver, Washington. One cute thing he did was his "Air Raid" tip. He starts the tip by mixing everyone up in different squares and different partners and then he stops the music and you have 10-seconds to get back to the original square and your original position in the square; everyone had a fun time doing this, of course no square won the race to get back it was too close. Rich is a good guest caller.

We had 7-square dance student's graduate the past weekend and we are very proud of them. Mike Stout did a great job teaching them and Saturday night they came to our dance; they did a great job, and the main thing they all had fun. We wish we had more but these are all keepers. Hopefully we will have more the next time. The students have been invited to the Valley Squares Jamboree next Sunday and we are hoping to get them all there.

We will be dark June 21<sup>st</sup> because of the summer Festival.

**Toe Draggers:** (Kathy Roberts & Janelle Janicke Delegates)

Dance at the Kinton Grange on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Fridays. Their Caller is K.C. Curtis; Cuer is Bev Flint. First Friday dances will have pre-rounds at 7:30. Third Friday dances start at 7:30 with a Plus learning experience. Last Tip Plus. <u>www.toedraggers.org</u>

Please welcome our new Toe Draggers TVC Delegates Pat and Jim Olson.

The Club graduated 12 students from Square Dancing lessons, most join the club.

June 6<sup>th</sup> will be a Sock Hop and 50/60's dance with an ice cream social.

The Club will be dark June 20 because of the Summer Festival.

July 4<sup>th</sup> will be an Old Fashioned 4<sup>th</sup> of July Picnic and dance. The picnic will be at 7:00, followed by the dance.

Remember to write on your calendar – Are you Man Enough to Wear Pink, fundraiser for the Susan B. Komen Foundation – Sunday, Sept 14.

We are excited about our new dance themes which will start in September. Watch for more information about this exciting new program.

The Toe Draggers voted to donate \$50 to HORSES and \$50 to Food Bank, which will be sent to the OFSRDC to be included in their benefit dance donations.

Kathy would also like to make a motion that the TVC Donate \$100 to the Oregon Food Bank and be sent to the OFSRDC to be included in their donation dance proceeds. Kay seconded, motion passed.

Tri Squares: (Dale Brabham and Frank Collett, Delegates)

We dance on the first Saturday and third Friday of each month at the historic Tigard Grange in Tigard. Terry Halley is our club Caller with Jackie Gale Cueing. We dance year around, except when the temperature exceeds 90 degrees. We will dance July 6. 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

We have upgraded our website to re-brand and re-image ourselves to attract more attention. Please visit our website at <u>www.trisquares.com</u>.

You can like us on Facebook or get tweets as you desire.

We installed new officers on May 19 and are planning a full year of dances and events.

President: Linda Ray-Keeney

Secretary: Ina May Henning

VP: Frank Collett

Treasurer: Janis Timlick

TVC reps: Adoph Eppich and Dale Brabham

OFN reporter: Anita Woodside

June 7: All Singing Calls. Terry Halley calling and Sandra Pinion Cueing June 20: Dark for Summer Festival.

July 5: Dark for July 4 week-end

July 18: Hawaiian Holiday, Terry Halley Calling and Jackie Gale Cueing

Aug. 2: Sundaes on Saturday, Terry Halley Calling and Jackie Gale Cueing Submitted by: Dale Brabham

Valley Squares: (Andis Garuts, and Rhoda Reinking, Delegates)

Dance 1st and 3rd Saturdays at the Aloha Grange on the corner of 185th and TV Hwy. Caller calls dance at Plus level with Intermediate and Phase Two rounds from 7-8 p.m. with Mainstream and Phase Two rounds from 8-10 p.m. and refreshments at 10 p.m. with Chuck Garner Caller, Connie Clark Cuer. <u>www.valleysguares.com</u>.

We are going to have a B-51 dance on Sunday May 25<sup>th</sup> from 1:30 to 3:30 at the Aloha Grange.

June 7<sup>th</sup> is our Clubs Annual Strawberry Dance. The Club is going to have strawberries, short cake with whip cream at the break after the dance.

The Club will be dark on June 21<sup>st</sup> for Summer Festival.

New president is Mark Krause, Vice-President Cheryl Taylor, Secretary Mike Stevens, TVC Delegate Andis, and Bill Calder, Treasurer Carolene Ginocchio taking office in July.

Wave Steppers: (Carolyn Hindman, & Bob Allen Delegates)

We will not have a dance until April. We will dance Mainstream, with one PLUS tip, every second tip on every second Saturday of the month as our normal schedule at the Garibaldi City Hall (107 6th Street, Garibaldi, OR 97118) from 7:00 to 9:30 PM. We will have guest Callers. Club dances from April until October.

S.O.S. Our Club is greatly in need of Visitations from you TVC Clubs if we are to be able to keep our Club up & running.

In fact, we would be appreciative of visits from any Square Dancers, wherever they are from! We dance the 2nd Saturday of each month at Garibaldi City hall from 7 to 9:30

p.m. Our Club is small but some of our members continue to make the effort to drive over to the Valley to visit your Clubs. June 14 we are having an "Elvis" Dance with

Mark Wheeler. July 12<sup>th</sup> we have George Clark calling the dance. Please come over to the Coast and join us for an evening of fun & dance! The weather has been good and it stays light late into the evening. Club Officers were installed in May and are the same

as last year. Our Snow Birds are all back. We are having a Yard Sale Memorial Day weekend, May 23, 24 & 25. Wednesday Nights at the Tillamook Elks is our continuing Square Dance workshop from 6:00 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Submitted by: Carolyn Hindman

# Good of the Order:

Good of the order: Leslye Lane will be leading a session on how to use Social Media during 2014 USA West in Pendleton the third weekend in August, 14<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, and 16<sup>th</sup>. There will be the "Ghost Riders", The Crew, 30-callers, 20-cuers, so come on over. There will be dancers and callers from New Mexico, Hawaii, Wyoming, Idaho, Montana, etc. And we will have an introduction to Contra by the Hawaiian. Kathy is doing a seminar on sewing, Leslye is doing a seminar on social media, and eight other classes are planned. The Pendleton Convention Center is a great place to be, and it is airconditioned too.

Sylvia announced the new State officers for next year will be First Vice-President will be Kay Rogers, Second Vice President will be Sarge Glidewell, Membership Chair will be Coleeta Quigley, Secretary will be LaDauna Hartzell.

Gary mentioned that the Seaside Sashay will be in October, and we have ribbons now and you can fill out the registration form and we will mail out the ribbon and the program book.

Daryl mentioned a website called <u>http://www.nextdoor.com</u>. This is a good website for what is going on in your own neighborhood; check it out.

## Next TVC Meeting:

TVC's next meeting will be June 23<sup>rd</sup> at the Pizza Caboose starting at 7:00; some of us come early and have a meal and visit before the meeting.

Respectfully edited and submitted by Tom Sminia, TVC Secretary