



Heart of America Singles Square Dance Association April 2015



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

Hi fellow dancers.

This will be the last newsletter prior to our 2015 festival. Many, many thanks to all for promoting our festival. There will be HASSDA registration tables at the Heart of America Square dance convention (March 27-28) in Kansas City, MO and Iowa State Square Dance Convention (April 10-11). Thanks to all those that set up displays, and promote our organization.

Always remember we are in a PEOPLE activity, and nothing beats a personal invitation. Talk it up! And smile a lot! It works!

How about some input from you and your home club? Our Facebook page is available for everyone to use to promote our activity and let others know about specials and events in your area. Pictures a plus!

We have changed the Facebook page to Heart of America Singles Square Dance Association. Like us, mark Get Notifications, and Follow us!

See you in May!

Maye Wegner, HASSDA President



Vice-President's Message:

Well, we made it through the winter and I for one am really looking forward to SPRING!!!! I have already been out working in the yard getting it back in shape after this past winter. Have plenty to do, as I kind of failed this past fall at getting all the leaves picked up from the yard.

I have been busy these past few months getting some of the things finalized for the Spring Festival coming in May. We are really hoping for a good turn out this year. There will be some great callers and plenty of fun and catching up with friends (and making new ones) for all. Be sure to check out the Festival hi-lights in the newsletter, as there are some very important dates listed, as well as some entertainment updates.

If you are attending this year's festival don't forget to attend the General Membership Meeting that will be held on Saturday afternoon. We are always pleased to hear from the membership on what they like or would like to change in regards to the way the association is run. Also, all positions on the board are open each year, so if you or you know of someone that would like to serve on the board for the following year, be sure to attend the meeting to make the nominations for any position.

On the agenda for the General Membership Meeting we will be going over some of the details for the 2016 Spring Festival that are already in the works. We will also be taking any bids from any clubs or Square Dance related associations that would like to host and/or sponsor the 2017 festival.

Well, I guess that is all for now from me. Hope you are all doing well and really looking forward to this new dance season. Yellow Rocks to all.

Kelly, HASSDA Vice President



SECRETARY:

Please keep spreading the word about the festival and how much fun it is. We have a great weekend of dancing and socialization planned for you. See you there!!!

Vicky Zeller, HASSDA Secretary.



TREASURER: Hello Square Dance Friends;

I hope to dance in your square at the Festival in May. **Dee Proctor--HASSDA Treasurer**



NEWSLETTER EDITOR:

Dear Friends of Heart of America Singles Square Dance Association,

This is the final issue of my term as your Newsletter Editor. I have learned a lot and I have a lot more to learn! It has been a real pleasure for me but there is no way that I could have gotten this letter out without the help of Carol Hershey, our Historian/Festival Coordinator/Face-Book Rep., Maye Wegner, President and Kelly Bockover, Vice President. Kelly stays on top the "Out and About" section with all the latest dances and activities for future dances that we Singles might be interested in. He has taken care of getting the Newsletter printed for US Mail. He and Carol, and occasionally other officers, have helped get each issue folded, stapled, stamped and to the Post Office. Many of you are probably not aware that we send out over 200 by US Mail each time and over 400 by e-mail. It would be great if everyone that has e-mail would share your e-address with us to cut down on paper and postage. We do not share your e-mail address, we do not send you anything except the HASSDA Newsletter. You will never get a forwarded e-mail, or any junk e-mail from the HASSDA staff. We use it strictly for getting the HASSDA Newsletter to you 4 times a year.

I would like to thank the State Coordinators that have sent items of interest from their states for the Newsletter. It would be great to hear from each of our State Coordinators at least a couple times a year. I am sure there are things going on in each of the States represented by HASSDA that would be of interest to our readers. The HASSDA Staff would like your input and ideas for the Newsletter, remember, this is "your" organization, the Officers are here to serve you. I look forward to seeing a whole bunch of you at the Festival here in Kansas City in May! Until then, keep dancing and smiling!

Louise Colman, Newsletter Editor (HASSDA-Newsletter@wesquaredance.com)



HISTORIAN

Heart of America Singles Square Dance Association (HASSDA) has a Facebook page. For those of you who have not clicked on "Like" and "Get Notifications" might enjoy some of the square dancing activities other clubs are doing or sharing your square dance activity.

When individuals post something that might be interesting about their clubs, I have tried to share it with the HASSDA community. Some activities I have found, but I am sure there are many that would be interesting to others in HASSDA that I may have missed. By liking this page you can receive and share your square dancing activities.

You may post something on the Heart of America Singles Square Dance Association (HASSDA) yourself or you may send it to me via email and I will post it. Also if you will let me know if your club(s) has a Facebook page, I would like to "LIKE" your club, that way I will get your activities and will post them.

Several followers of the HASSDA page have indicated that they would like to go to other clubs in and outside their present area of dancing. This might be a way to spread your activities to folks who might not be aware of your activity. Wishing you a glorious Spring and please keep those dancing pictures rollin' in: **Carol Hershey**, 6620 NW Bougher Lane, Kansas City, MO 64151-2312, Email: HASSDA-Historian@WeSquareDance.com

2015 SPRING FESTIVAL UPDATES

- 1. April 6th, 2015** is last day of room block at the Holiday Inn KCI host hotel. If you are coming in from out-of-town or even if you are local and just want to make a weekend away from home you will want to stay at the host hotel. Not only for the convenience, but also for the very best in lodging. It also helps to keep your cost down for future HASSDA Festivals.

2. **April 15th, 2015** not only tax day, but also the final day for pre-registration. Please be sure to get registered before then (mail in registration must be post-marked no later than this date). Not only does this help us in planning and up-front expenses, it is also a great way for you to save \$10.00 on registration. And tell me, who could not use a little extra at tax time!!

3. **May 7th, 2015** don't forget the Thursday night **Trail-In dance** hosted by the SWINGIN' SINGLES SQUARE DANCE CLUB with **Jay Krebs**, caller and **Pam Young**, cuer. The dance will start with pre-rounds from 7:00 pm to 7:30 pm with dance to follow until 10:00 pm. This will be one great dance and a really fun way to get the weekend started.

4. **AFTER PARTIES!!!** We have two great after parties planned for this weekend. Both will be in the Missouri Ballroom of the Holliday Inn KCI host hotel shortly following the evening dance.

- Friday night there will be dance music and karaoke with a great DJ group. There will be some 2-step, waltz, swing, & line dances as well as some great singing. So get those pipes in shape and let's see what type of talent we have in our crowd!!!
- Saturday night will be skit night. We figured by the end of the weekend it would be nice just to sit & relax and watch some good fun skits. There will be popcorn available, so just grab a drink, get some popcorn, and sit and enjoy!!! If anyone interested in putting on or helping with a skit, just let one of the board members know.



JERRY STORY, CALLER (Check website for Bio: <http://jerrystory.com/AboutJerry.aspx>)
Jerry Story, one of our 3 National Callers, began calling in 1969 in Fairfield, IA.



Jeff Holley, Caller (Also, check out his Web Site: [WEB SITE \(http://jeffholley.com\)](http://jeffholley.com)
One of our 3 National Callers. He currently calls for six clubs in the Oklahoma City area: Spirit of 76, Single Squares, Teacup Chains, Territorial Squares, Okie Diamonds(plus), and Motivators(A-1 & A-2)
I have called at the HASSDA festivals in 2004 and 2005 in Muskogee, Oklahoma and 2012 in Midwest City, OK and Niccy and I are looking forward to calling at the 2015 HASSDA Festival in Kansas City.



KEN BURKE, CALLER (Check website for more information: <https://sites.google.com/site/callerken/>)
Our 3rd of 3 National Callers, Ken called at the 2014 HASSDA Festival in Manhattan, KS.



Mike Hines, HASSDA 2015 Cuer has been cueing for approximately 25 yrs. Mike received the Heart of America Federation Caller/Cuer Hall of Fame Award in 2009.



New Address: Heaven

Jack Barlow, Shawnee Mission, KS passed in Oct. 2015
Charley Worthington, Shawnee, KS passed Dec. 2015

I have just received word (Mar. 16th) of the death of Jeffrey Holley, the 22 year old son of Caller Jeff Holley. Please keep the Holley family in your prayers.

If you know of Dancers that might be on the HASSDA Roster of members that have passed, please let me know. We would like to honor their memory in this publication. HASSDA-Newsletter@WeSquareDance.com

LISTING SPECIAL DANCES

If you would like to list a special dance or festival that welcomes single dancers and will be happening within the six state region covered by HASSDA, please send information to HASSDA-Newsletter@WeSquareDance.com. Please supply a brief write up with the information, and we will try to get it listed in the OUT AND ABOUT section of our next newsletter.

The Omaha Area Square Dance Council has had to make a change to our caller / cuer lineup for our Memorial Weekend Square Dance for this year.

Mike Hogan will not be able to call this year as his daughter, Rachael, will be getting married that weekend. Instead we have a great caller in Jerry Junck from Wayne, NE / Mesa, AZ taking Mike's place. Jerry used to be the host caller for the Single Wheelers Square Dance Club when they held a Memorial weekend dance for 30 years in Norfolk, NE. It is a great privilege to have such a great caller as Jerry Junck to fill in for Mike Hogan.

Name: Memorial Weekend Square Dance, Hosted by the Omaha Area Square Dance Council
Where: Omaha Firefighters Hall (60th & Grover Sts), Omaha, NE
When: May 23 -24, 2015
Time: 10:00 am – 10:30 pm both Saturday & Sunday
Calling: Tom Miller from Chest Springs, PA and Jerry Junck, Wayne, NE/Mesa, AZ
Cuing: Pat & Mike Schrant, Bellevue, NE
Host Hotel: Comfort Inn & Suites

Name: Trail End Dance, Hosted by Belles N Beaus SDC, Omaha, NE
Where: Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 4117 Terrace Dr., Omaha, NE
When: May 22, 2015
Time: 8:00 – 10:30pm
Calling: Dean Dederman
Cuing: John Chunka

Visit web site: <http://www.memorialweekendfestival.org>

Sincerely,
Jim & Cathy Bellinger
Chairpersons
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HASSDA State Rep. for Nebraska

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SINGLE SQUARE DANCE CLUBS IN THE HASSDA AREA

- IA - 1st, 3rd, 5th Fridays – Mainstream/Plus Dance. Sponsored by Merry Mixers at IOOF Hall, 29th and Kingman, Des Moines, IA. 7:30 – 10:00 pm. Website: www.IowaSquareDance.org/Clubs/Central/CE_MerryMixers.html. Caller: Guest; Cuer: Jo Saffel.
- IA - Every Thursday – Mainstream/Plus Dance. Sponsored by Solo Steppers at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Davenport, IA 7:30 – 10:00 pm. Website: www.IowaSquareDance.org/Clubs/Ouad_Cities/OC_Solo_Steppers.html. Callers: Don and Doug Sprosty and Guest Callers. Cuer: Charlie Swanson.
- IA – 2nd 4th Saturdays – Mainstream/Plus Dance. Sponsored by Plaids N Dads at IOOF Hall, 29th and Kingman, Des Moines, IA. 7:30 - 10:00 pm. Website: www.IowaSquareDance.org/Clubs/Central/CE_PlaidsNDads.html. Caller: Guest Caller; Cuer: Guest Cuer
- IA – 2nd 4th Fridays – Mainstream/Plus Dance. Sponsored by Triple G Square Dance Club at Gilbert Elementary School, Gilbert, IA Website: www.IowaSquareDance.org/Clubs/Central/CE_TripleG.html. Caller: Guest Caller; Cuer: Guest Cuer
- IA – 1st 3rd Saturdays - Mainstream/Plus Dance. Sponsored by Squires and Dames at 1st Presbyterian Church, 703 Greene, Boone, IA. 7:30 – 10:00 pm. Caller: Guest Caller; Cuer: Guest Cuer
- KS – 1st/3rd Tuesdays – Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Lone Wranglers at Riley County Senior Center, 412 Leavenworth, Manhattan, KS. Rounds 7:30 pm Square Dancing 8:00 pm. [Facebook](#), Caller Guest Callers. Cuer Joyce Juhler.
- KS – 1st/3rd/5th Tuesdays – Mainstream and Plus Dance. Sponsored by Swingin' Singles at Town Hall, 11600 Johnson Dr, Shawnee KS. Casual attire. Pre-Rounds 7:00 – 7:30 Lines/Rounds between tips. 7:30 – 9:45 pm. Caller Jay Krebs. Cuer Pam Young. Website: www.Singles.WeSquareDance.com
- KS – One Friday a month – Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Shawnee Swingers at Croco Hall, 6115 SE Hwy 40, Tecumseh KS (just east of Topeka). Caller Guest Callers. Cuer Lalla Steenbock. 7:30 – 10:00 pm. Website: www.Shawnee.WeSquareDance.com or call Sharon Kay Jones-Ray at (785) 286-0554
- KS – 2nd/4th Sundays – Mainstream Dance Sponsored by Circle 8 Square Dance Club, Chisholm Middle School, Newton, KS, Caller: Guest Caller; Cuer: Guest Cuer. Pre-rounds 7:00 pm; Squares 7:30 – 9:30 pm. Website www.Circle8SquareDance.com or call Bob or Sandy McVey at (620) 983-2929 email – SandyMcVey@hotmail.com
- KS – 2nd/4th Fridays - Mainstream Dance Sponsored by Good Time Squares Dawson United Methodist Church Wichita, Ks Caller: Guest Callers; Cuer: Joe Dawley. Contact Marcie Myers 316.990.4549
- KS – 1st, 3rd & 5th Friday Mainstream Dance with plus tips Sponsored by Wichita Solo's Square Dance Club, Wichita, KS, dances at 7:00 p.m. Southwest Presbyterian Church, 1511 West 27th St. South, Wichita. Guest callers, rounds by Frank Morrell
- KS – Every Tuesday – Mainstream Workshop Sponsored by Good Time Squares at Dawson United Methodist Church Wichita, Ks Caller -- David Myers, Barbara Whitehead Cuer – Joe Dawley .Contact Marcie Myers 316.990.4549
- MO – 2nd Tuesdays – IAGSDC Dance (Plus and A-2). Sponsored by Gateway Squares, IAGSDC club, at St Louis Acitivity Center, 5602 Arsenal St, St Louis MO. Casual attire. No rounds. 7:15 – 9:00 pm. Singles, same-sex couples and opposite-sex couples all welcome. Callers: Aaron Wells & Guest Callers. Website: www.Gateway.SquareDanceMissouri.com
- MO – 1st/3rd Fridays – Mainstream/Plus Continuous Dancing. Sponsored by St. Joe Squares at St. Peter Lutheran Church, 3524 St. Joseph Avenue, St. Joseph, MO. Casual attire. Chris Wildhagen Caller. 7:30 – 10:00 pm Contact: Bill and Marilyn Robinson (816) 233-9096. Website www.St.Joe.WeSquareDance.com
- MO – 4th Fridays – Mainstream/Plus Dance. Sponsored by Single Promenaders at Ivanhoe United Church of Christ, 6512 Woodson Rd, KC (Raytown) MO. Rounds 7:00 – 7:30, Lines/Rounds between tips. 7:30 – 10:00pm. Caller: Al Block. Cuer: Stash Tosio. Check Website: www.Promenaders.WeSquareDance.com or call Novella Mehrer 816.246.1225.
- MO – Alternating Saturdays – Plus-Level Dance. Sponsored by Singles and Doubles at Webster Groves Christian Church, 1320 Lockwood Ave, Webster Groves MO. 7:30 – 10:00 pm. Caller: Guest Callers; Cuers: Gene and Del McGinty. Check Website: www.Singles.SquareDanceMissouri.com or call Dan Kramme 636.225.5378
- NE – 1st/3rd/5th Tuesdays – Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Single Wheelers Squares at Pufahl's Barn in Norfolk, NE during summer months (Norfolk Jr High School on Aug 30. 8:00 – 10:30 pm. Website: www.SquareDanceNE.org/clubs/swheelers or call Gerry and Janet Mansfield 402.565.4247
- NE – Alternating Tuesdays – Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Heartland Singles Square Dance Club at Rockbrook Methodist Church, 9855 West Center Rd, Omaha NE. 7:30 - 10:00pm. Website: www.SquareDanceNE.org/clubs/heartland or call Diane Krebs at 402.734.4761.

NE – Alternating Fridays (Sept thru May) – Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Belles N Beaus at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 4117 Terrace Dr., Omaha, NE. 8:00 - 10:30pm. Website: www.SquareDanceNE.org/clubs/belles. Call Jim & Cathy Bellinger 402.393.4194 or 402.639.9228.

NE – Alternating Saturdays – Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Amazing 8's at Rockbrook Methodist Church, 9855 West Center Rd, Omaha NE. 8:00 - 10:30pm. call Bob Welshinger at 402-339-5405.

NE – 2nd Saturdays – Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Pressey Promenaders at Veterans Memorial Building, 416 S. 1st Ave., Broken Bow NE. Callers: Guest callers. 7:30 - 10:00 pm. Website: www.SquareDanceNE.org/clubs/pressey or call Jo Stottlemire [E-Mail](mailto:jo@stottlemire.com).

OK – 1st/3rd Fridays – Mainstream/Plus Dance. Sponsored by Single Squares at Westside Lions Hall, 4135 NW 10th St, Oklahoma City, OK. Rounds 7pm, Workshop 7:30pm and Grand March 8pm. Callers Jeff and Niecy Holley. Cuers Jim & Georgianne Couey. Website www.cdsda.com

OK – 2nd/4th Fridays – Mainstream/Plus Dance. Sponsored by Metro Singles of OKC at Westside Lions Hall, 4135 NW 10th St, Oklahoma City OK. Pre-Rounds 7:00 pm and square dancing starts 7:30 pm. 3rd and 6th tips are Plus and Advanced will be called after regular dancing ends. Caller: Danny Payne. Cuer: JC Johnson. Website www.SquareDancing.com/metrokc

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OUT AND ABOUT

53rd Iowa State Square & Round Dance Convention

“The Scene in 2015”

April 10,11,2015

Prairie Meadows Convention Center

Altoona, IA

For more information please view website www.iowasquaredance.org

Fit and Fun Square Dance Association

“Trail Thru Dance” w/caller Dean Dederman & cuer Julie Callahan

June 20, 2015

Kansas City, MO

For more information view website www.fitandfunsda.org

64th National Square Dance Convention

“Experience New England”

June 24,25,26,27, 2015

MassMutual Center and the Sheraton and Marriott Hotels

Springfield, MA

We have online Registration available. Please view the website www.64nsd.org

56th Wisconsin Square and Round Dance Convention

“UNDER THE BIG TOP – The Greatest Dance on Earth”

August 7-9, 2015

Horace Mann High School

325 McKinley Street

North Fond du Lac, WI 54937

Web: wisquaredanceconvention.org

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56th Wisconsin Square & Round
Dance Convention

Fit and Fun Square Dance Association

“Fall Frolic Dance” w/caller Dee Dee Dougherty & cuer Stash Tasio

Oct 30, 2015

Kansas City, MO

For more information view website www.fitandfundsda.org

65th National Square Dance Convention

“Do the Iowa Scene in 2016”

June 22,23,24,25, 2016

Iowa Events Center

Des Moines, IA

We have online Registration available. Please view the website www.65nsdc.org

I know the Ceremonies Committee has some wonderful things planned and our Social and Special Events Committee has a wonderful Special Event planned along with many wonderful Tours and I can promise you our Hospitality will be at your service and the Fashion Show Committee is almost complete and you won't want to miss it, along with all the great Callers, Cuers, Instructors, Types of Dancing, Levels of Dancing and Education. Jo Saffell - President of Central Iowa Federation & Social and Special Events Chairman of 65th National Square Dance Convention

**SPECIAL EVENT At the
65th National Square Dance Convention®
Des Moines, Iowa
Wednesday, June 22, 2016**

Presenting

Described as **“Glee Meets Stomp,”** this green-minded ensemble delights audiences globally and asks you to recycle your imagination as **Vocal Trash** redefines the meaning of high impact entertainment. These singing drummers, musicians and award-winning break dancers captivate audiences in a relentless pursuit to bring people together utilizing the universal language of song and dance, **“Urban Broadway.”**

Reserve tickets now—only \$25—by using the registration form, online, or at the door!

FROM TEXAS TO BEIJING TO IOWA!

The 65th National Square Dance Convention® invites you to enjoy an hour of singing, dancing, comedy and music to appeal to all ages! This group will have you laughing, dancing in the aisle and will amaze you with their relentless energy.

\$25 is a terrific price!

For your flexibility, dinner is on your own, and for your convenience, concessions will be open in the Convention Center early in the day and before the show. This amazing production will be in the Grand Ballroom B of the Iowa Events Center with doors opening at 6:15 PM, and the show from 6:45 – 7:45 PM.

Dance halls open at 8:00 PM—this show will have you excited and ready to dance!

MEET STEVE LINDER! OWNER, CREATOR AND PRODUCER

MEET KELSEY RAE! CO-OWNER & CHOREOGRAPHY DIRECTOR

65th National Square Dance Convention®

By: Jo Saffell Social and Special Events Chairman

We are planning a wonderful convention and hope that everyone will join us. Our Tour Brochure is complete, please be advised that the two day tour before and the two day tour after are priced for double occupancy, so if you are only wanting a single room you will need to pay \$50 more.

We think we have chosen an excellent group to entertain you Wednesday, the first night of the convention and they will be done in plenty of time for you to get to the dance hall of your choice for the first tip there. Our entertainers are Vocal Trash with Steve Linder and Kelsey Rae Shaw owners and the theme is “When Glee Meets Stomp”. You will be dancing in your seats and laughing with their jokes and reminiscing with the songs of old and enticed by the songs of today and be amazed at their dancing.

Our Ceremony Committee has also planned a wonderful Opening and Closing Ceremony you will not want to miss. They

start out with the Isiserettes drum and drill team and you will want to see all the famous people at the Closing Ceremony.

We have the live band for your dancing in a large mainstream hall.

The facility has an unbelievably beautiful ballroom, electronic signs for you to follow and find your way and we are working to have ice cream on every floor. There are elevators and escalators to get you to each floor easily with much less walking than other convention centers.

You can register online at www.65nsdc.com and that includes for tours and the special event.

Our Pre-Convention Kick Off dance is March 28, 2015 and is free to anyone that is registered for the convention. This will be held at the Iowa Events Center in HyVee Hall B and there will be two dance halls that night. One caller will be Jerry Story and there will be many other callers, cuers and prompters. You can also register at that dance.

Please see our Tour Brochure and our Special Event Flyer and visit the website for more information.

Fit and Fun
Square Dance Association
Presents
Spring Fling

Caller: **Aaron Wells**
From The St. Louis Area



Rounds Cuer: **Pam Young**




Saturday, April 11, 2015
Holmeswood Baptist Church
9700 Holmes Road, Kansas City, MO 64131
Pre-rounds: 7 PM Dance: 7:30-10 PM


Adults: \$7 - Under 12: \$3
Square Dance Attire Admired, Not Required

Saturday, June 20, 2015
Trail Thru Dance
On The Way to Springfield -- 64th NSDC

Featuring:
Dean Dederman





Rounds Cues:
Julie Colahan




Pre-rounds: 7-7:30 PM
Dance: 7:30-10 PM

Holmeswood Baptist Church
9700 Holmes Road, Kansas City, Missouri
Donation: \$7 per person (\$3 - 12 & under)

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36th HASSDA FESTIVAL TRAIL-IN DANCE

Jay Krebs, Caller and Pam Young, Cuer

Thursday Evening – May 7, 2015

7:30 to 10:00 pm (Pre-rounds at 7:00)

Holiday Inn KCI Airport and KCI EXPo Center

Admission to Trail-In Dance will be payable at the door

Hosted by the Swingin' Singles Square Dance Club---Shawnee, Kansas



2nd Annual
Memorial Weekend Square Dance
 Omaha Area Square Dance Council



Tom Miller
 Chest Springs, Pennsylvania



Jerry Junck
 Wayne, Nebraska



Pat & Mike Schrant
 Bellevue, Nebraska

Saturday May 23 and Sunday May 24, 2015
 Omaha Firefighters Hall, 60th & Grover Streets, Omaha, Nebraska
 SINGLES AND COUPLES WELCOME
 FOR INFORMATION: Jim & Cathy 402-393-4194, email jrbellinger@cox.net

FRIDAY, MAY 22—TRAILS IN DANCE

Belles N Beaus Club, Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 4117 Terrace Drive, Omaha, 8 pm – Dean Dederman, caller

SATURDAY, MAY 23, 2015

9:00 am to 10:00 am – Registration
 10:00 am to 12:00 noon – Dancing
 12:00 noon – 1:30 pm – Lunch Break
 1:30 pm to 5:00 pm – Dancing
 5:00 pm to 7:15 pm – Dinner Break
 7:15 pm to 10:30 pm – Dancing
After Party at host hotel, bring your own snack & drink

SUNDAY, MAY 24, 2015

9:30 am to 10:00 am – Registration
 10:00 am to 12:00 noon – Dancing
 12:00 noon – 1:30 pm – Lunch Break
 1:30 pm to 5:00 pm – Dancing
 5:00 pm to 7:15 pm – Dinner Break
 7:15 pm to 10:30 pm – Dancing
ALL TIMES ARE APPROXIMATE

Send to:

Bob Furr & Lucy Romine, 15872 Farnam St, Omaha NE 68118

Memorial Weekend Square Dance Registration

REGISTRATION FEE	Advance	At the Door
<input type="checkbox"/> All weekend	\$35.00	\$40.00
<input type="checkbox"/> One Day Only <input type="checkbox"/> Saturday <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday	\$20.00	\$25.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Saturday Evening: \$10.00 <input type="checkbox"/> Sunday Evening: \$8.00		

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Amount enclosed \$

Deadline for advance registration and refunds: May 15, 2015
 Make check payable to: **OMAHA AREA SQUARE DANCE COUNCIL**

PLEASE SEND SELF-ADDRESSED STAMPED #10 ENVELOPE

HOTEL

Comfort Inn & Suites (host hotel)
 7007 Grover Street
 Breakfast bar available
 Pool will remain open until midnight
 402-934-4900
Special rate \$74.00 plus tax

Camping at:
Horseshoe Casino
 2701 23rd Ave, Council Bluffs IA
 712-329-6000
 Call for rates

SAVE THE DATE
3rd Annual
Memorial Weekend Square Dance
May 28-29, 2016
Mike Seastrom

36th HASSDA FESTIVAL

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MAY 8-9, 2015

Holiday Inn KCI Airport & KCI Expo Center
11728 NW AMBASSADOR DRIVE
KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI 64153



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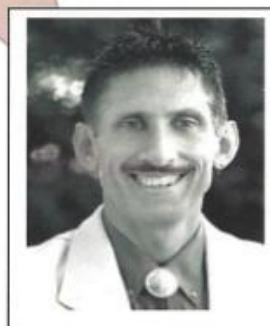
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JERRY STORY



JEFF HOLLEY



KEN BURKE



MIKE HINES, cuer

TRAIL-IN DANCE with Jay Krebs, Caller and Pam Young, Cuer

Thursday Evening - MAY 7, 2015- 7:30 TO 10:00 PM (Pre-rounds at 7:00)

HOLIDAY INN KCI AIRPORT & KCI EXPO CENTER

(Admission to Trail-In Dance will be payable at the door)

Hosted by the Swingin' Singles Square Dance Club - Shawnee, KS

Name _____ Phone _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Email _____

Individual registration - please check appropriate blanks:

_____ Friday & Saturday All Events Prior to April 15, 2015	\$35.00
_____ Friday & Saturday All Events payable at the door	\$45.00
_____ One Day/Night includes After Party	\$25.00
_____ Individual Square/Round Dance Sessions	\$15.00
_____ Total individual registration fees enclosed	\$ _____

Dance registration provides a complimentary membership to HASSDA from April 1, 2015 to March 31, 2016.

(Please include a self-addressed, stamped #10 envelope.)

Make Checks Payable to: HASSDA Festival 2015

2810 N Walrond Ave
Kansas City, MO 64117-2525

Festival Contact: Kelly Bockover ~816-678-2139 or kjbockover1@yahoo.com

Square Dance Attire after 6 PM

Cancellation Policy:

- Full Refund will be given if cancellation notice is received prior to April 15, 2015.
- One-half Refund will be given for cancellation between April 15 and April 30, 2015.
- No Refund will be given for cancellation after May 1, 2015.

All requests for cancellation must be in writing or e-mail to HASSDA Festival Contact.

New Member Renewal Single Married

www.HASSDAFestival.WeSquareDance.com

HASSDA is a Singles' organization, only single members may vote in the meetings of the organization or hold office; however, we allow and encourage membership from married persons to support our goal of promoting and stimulating interest in Square Dancing.

Heart of America Singles Square Dance Association
685 Newman Road
Havensville, KS 66432



HOST HOTEL
for the
HASSDA
SQUARE DANCE FESTIVAL
Thursday, May 7 to Saturday, May 9, 2015

ROOM BLOCK NAME: **HASSDA 2015**

KINGS: \$99
DOUBLE QUEENS: \$99

Reservations must be made before April 6, 2015

Reservations: 816-801-8400 or 816-841-1930

Internet: www.HolidayInn.com/kciairport - Block Code: SDF



We are very excited to have been chosen as the host venue for the HEART OF AMERICA SINGLES SQUARE DANCE ASSOCIATION FESTIVAL for both 2015 and 2016. We look forward to getting to know each and every one of you!

HOTEL AMENITIES

- 2 Miles to the KC Airport with complimentary Hotel Shuttle Service
- Complimentary Hotel Shuttle service in a 5 mile radius of the Hotel – includes 150+ restaurants, shopping & entertainment (Zona Rosa included – www.zonarosa.com)
- Kem's Restaurant on property serving Breakfast and Dinner
- Lounge open nightly
- Room Service available during restaurant hours
- We are pet friendly! Please stop by the front desk to make sure your pup gets a daily treat on us!
- Complimentary Wireless & Hardwired Internet in all guest rooms
- Indoor Pool / Fitness Center / Business Center
- The Holiday Inn is connected to the KCI Expo Center by a covered walkway.
- If you are not an IHG Rewards Member, sign up online so you can start receiving points for your stay with HASSDA!
- Your group rate will be available 3 days prior to the Festival and 3 days after the Festival.

SPECIFICALLY FOR YOUR EVENT:

The KCI Expo Center has on-site Cafe which will be open during all of your dance events. The Café accepts CASH ONLY. There are two ATM's located by the Expo Center Office for your convenience.

Food/Drink Items include: Muffins, Bagels/Cream Cheese, Hamburgers, Cheese Burgers, Chicken Nuggets, Fries/Cheese Fries, Deli Sandwiches, Hot Dogs, Nachos, Chips, Hot Bakes Pretzels w/cheese, Whole Fresh Fruit, Coffee, Iced Tea, Bottled Water, Bottled Juice, Coke, Diet Coke, Cherry Coke, Sprite, Lemonade, Mr. Pibb, Candy Bars, Cookies and Blue Bunny Ice Cream Treats. Every day there will be an Expo Combo which includes one main item, fries and a large beverage. The Tenderloin combo is amazing!

Reservations: Occasionally if the block runs out of specific room types, Central Reservations will relay to the customer that the block is full. If you receive this response, please call Jennifer Jarrett at 816-841-1930 to make your reservation. Jennifer is located in our Sales Office and will be able to help you with securing your requested room type if available.

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816-801-8400

KCI EXPO CENTER
11730 NW Ambassador Drive
Kansas City, MO 64153
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816-841-1930

HASSDA OFFICERS
2014 – 2015

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