

February

February Dances, Classes and Social Events

Date	Greeters	Kitchen	Caller/Cuer	Special Information
2/2	Richard & Carol Douget	Jack & Barbara Hoffman	Whit Brown Dick Nordine	Club Dance – Merritt Island Presbyterian Church – Friendship Dinner – Come join us for Comfort Food! The club will provide ham and macaroni and cheese. We'll serve at 5:45 pm. Bring your appetite and a donation. Round dance lessons start at 6:30 with the dance starting at 7:30.
2/6				Cadet Dance – 7:45 p.m. at McLarty Rec Center in Rockledge
2/9	Judy Frye	Terri Little	Gene McCullough Dick Nordine	Club Dance – Merritt Island Presbyterian Church – Round dance lessons start at 6:30 pm with the dance at 7:30. Sweetheart Party – Wear your Valentine outfits and bring red and white snacks to share.
2/11				2013 Florida State Convention Benefit Dance – Bartow Civic Center
2/13				Cadet Dance – 7:45 p.m. at McLarty Rec Center in Rockledge.
2/16	Clyde & Karen Smith	Joan Fryman	Whit Brown Dick Nordine	Club Dance – Merritt Island Presbyterian Church – Round dance lessons start at 6:30 pm with the dance at 7:30. We will have a General Membership Meeting at 8:30 pm for the purpose of Nomination of 2012 Board and voting on the new club format
2/18				Board Meeting – 10 a.m. at Dennis & Nancy Taylor's home
2/18				Banner Raid – We will visit Allemanders to retrieve our banner. Look for sign-up sheet and details on Treasurer's table
2/20				Cadet Dance – 7:45 p.m. at McLarty Rec Center in Rockledge.
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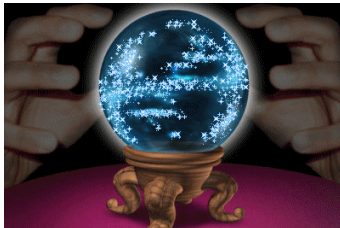


February Anniversaries	
2/14	Dennis & Elisa Sheppard



February Birthdays			
2/1	Pat Deitz		
2/3	Dee Brown	Sunshine Coming Your Way!	
2/3	Dot Schmidt	Doug Harris	Evelyn Reimer
2/6	Tom Rothwell	Marg Harris	Liz Steinbaugh
2/9	Charlie Redd	Bill Price	Carol Weber
2/13	Jack Mueller	Nubar Najarian	
2/27	Mary Billings		

February BannARRRRRGH Raid/Retrieval Schedule		
When	Where	Details
2/18	Allemanders	Space Trackers will retrieve



Future Stuff		
When	What	Details
3/7	Banner Raid	Sailfish Squares
3/15	Elections	Vote for 2012 Space Tracker Board
3/16-17	Shamrock Swing	The Villages
4/12	Mac McCall	Guest caller – spread the word!
4/13	Black Cat Open Mike Night	Lone Cabbage Fish Camp – Caller Wannabes Welcome!
4/20-22	Party Weekend	Deer Haven
5/25-27	58 th FSDC	Lakeland
6/27-30	61 st NSDC	Spokane, Washington

It's almost time for election of members of the 2012 Board!!!

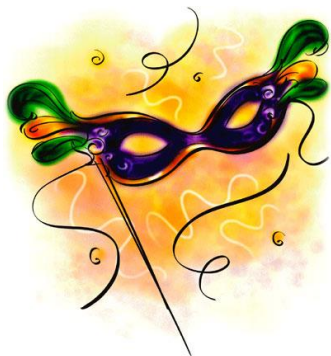
If you're interested in serving on the Board of Directors (4/1/2012 through 3/31/2013), please let one of the current board know. We're always looking for new board members and can always use the fresh ideas and energy to help keep everything running smoothly.

We can always use your help and talents!

IT'S SQUARE DANCE SEASON AGAIN!!!

(Square Dance Season runs from October through June...give or take a month or so!)

Here's what's happening. If you're interested in any of these dances, check with the folks at the Treasurer's Table...they usually have ribbons and information...or at least know who DOES have ribbons and information! You can also get registration forms and additional information at www.floridasquaredance.com.



2013 Florida State Convention Benefit Saturday, February 11, 2012

Bob Poyner, Art Springer and Howard Cole, Callers
Terri Wilaby, Cuer
Bartow Civic Center



12th Annual Shamrock Swing

March 16 – 17, 2012

Tim Mariner and Ron Libby, Callers
Jimmy & Carol Griffin, Cuer
La Hacienda Center, The Villages



6th Annual Party Weekend

April 20 – 22, 2012

Charlie Pergrossi & Bob Poyner, Callers
Terri & Tim Wilaby, Cuer
Dancing Friday and Saturday Night



58th Florida State Convention

May 25 – 27, 2012

The Lakeland Center
All of our WONDERFUL Florida
Callers & Cuers

61st National Square Dance Convention

June 27 – 30, 2012

Spokane, Washington



SPECIAL GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING OF THE SPACE TRACKER SQUARE DANCE CLUB

On November 3 at a Special General Meeting, we had a discussion on the financial future of our club. At that meeting, it was announced that there would be a committee established to consider possible changes that will allow the club to continue operation. The committee reported to the Board of Directors on January 21, 2012. As a result of that report, the Board will bring the following motion at a Special General Meeting held during the regular dance on February 16, 2012.

“Move the Monday night Cadet dance (aka class) to Thursday before the club dance, eliminate round dancing, and eliminate the use of McLarty Recreation Center.”

These changes are estimated to save the club \$3,600 per year, which is approximately the amount our spending exceeded our income in 2011.

It is important that you attend this meeting and help decide on how to assure the continued operation of our club.



Also at this meeting, we will have a report of the Nominating Committee with a slate of nominees for the Board of Directors for the next year. If you are interested in serving on the board next year, let Terri Little, Chair of the Nominating Committee, know of your desire. At this meeting, nominations for the

Board will be accepted from the membership. If you are going to nominate someone, be sure you have their agreement to serve if elected.

Dennis and Nancy Taylor
President



Space Trackers 2009 Board (4/1/2011 through 3/31/2012)	Committee Chairmen (4/1/2011 through 3/31/2012)	
Dennis & Nancy Taylor, President	Winter Banner – Woody & Mary Lou Coyle	Summer Banner – Judy Frye
Woody & Mary Lou Coyle, Vice President	Caller/Cuer – Jim McConnaha	Sunshine – Joan Fryman
Bill Magill & Sue Schafer, Secretary	Capsule E-Notes – Terri Little	Telephone – Cynthia Lozier
Jack & Barbara Hoffman, Treasurer	Facility – Richard & Carol Douget	Federation – Jack & Barbara Hoffman
Judy Frye, Executive Committee	Class – Dennis & Elisa Sheppard	Social & Friendship Dinner – Terri Little
Sam & Michelle Oliveto, Executive Committee	Closet – Terri Little	Publicity – Ailene Picheco



Richard & Carol Douget	Demos – Dennis & Nancy Taylor	<p>If the president or a committee chairman asks you to volunteer your assistance...please do so with a smile! Your talents are invaluable to the club and we all will benefit from your help!</p>
Paul Taylor & Peggy Karpinski	Special Dances – Peggy Karpinski	
Jim & Jan McConnaha	Historian – Sam & Michelle Oliveto	
Terri Little	Host/Hostess – Clyde & Karen Smith	
Ailene Picheco	Kitchen – Ruth Raines	

Convention Corner

May 25, 26, 27, 2012

Garland & Carole McKenzie, General Chairman

<http://www.floridasquaredance.com/convention>

We're in the home stretch! The countdown clock shows **3 months, 24 days, 4 hours, 53 minutes and 20 seconds** until this year's Convention starts...it'll be here before you know it.

If you haven't gotten your ribbons or hotel reservations, now's the time! Look for flyers with information on both ribbons and hotel reservations and get yours now...

Don't miss the best dance of the year...

Laissez les bons temps rouler! (**Let the good times roll!**)

Terri Little Editor, Capsule E-Notes

