

Do Paso Gazette

Gnat Boxers Square Dance Club



February 2018

Presidents Message:

Why do we square dance? Google has many reasons; it's fun, good exercise, making new friends. Google also said Square Dancers are always smiling. Think of Erma; have never seen her without a smile. Calls are easy because Angels volunteer to help you. Walking is great exercise both cardio and strength. You can do 5 miles in 2 hours. Music and movement relieve stress. Most importantly you exercise your brain. Dancing increases happiness!

These are the many reasons we love to square dance. We want to thank every member for their participation. You are the reason for our club's success. Please consider what you can do to make our club the best. A small contribution goes a long way!

Greg & Terry Moore

Upcoming Club Dances:

February 3rd, John Ramsey will be calling with Sue Powell Cueing.

February 17th, Dick Mackey will be calling with Phyllis Burdette Cuing. This is our "All Things Chocolate" dance and the annual student dance.

Student Dance

February 18th, Dan Austen will be calling with Phyllis Burdette Cuing; 2pm until 5pm. This is a Federation Student Dance host by Red Lantern, at the Barn 13130 Mt. Eaton St. SW, Navarre, Ohio.



The “All Things Chocolate” dance on February 17th – All members are asked to bring a chocolate dish to share for refreshments.

January Dance Highlights:

The January 6th dance with Dick Mackey calling, and Kristy Lake cueing had 24 Gnat Boxers (4 students) and only 2 guest from Friday Night Dancers. The officers provided refreshments. Pat Brinkerhoff and Larry Webb provided the door prize. The door prize was won by Jim and Betsy Taylor of the “Friday Night Dancers”. The 50/50 was \$19.00 and won by Mary Stork.

The January 20th dance with Bill Meese calling, and Amy Riehl Cueing was attended by the caller’s wife, Bertha Meese as well as 33 guest and 31 Gnat Boxers. We enjoyed guests from Apple Creek Promenaders, Brecksville Squares, NuHall, Norton Grand Squares, Red Lantern, Swing-A-Lings, and Solo Squares. Refreshments were provided by Erma Miller, and Judy & Armond Black, everyone enjoyed the delicious sandwiches. Many compliments! Door prize a gift card @ Bob Evans was provided by Glenn and Sharon Shaffer. Door prize was won by guest Tom Keith from NuHall. The 50/50 was \$42.00 and won by Judy Black.

Lessons were canceled on Monday January 15th, due a late afternoon/early evening snow squall. Officers’ apologize for not getting the lesson canceled prior to many members and students already leaving home.

For future reference, remember to always check the web site at www.gnatboxers.com for any cancelations or changes. Any cancelation will also be on WQKT radio.

Traveling with Dick



February 2 - Medina Squares
February 9 - Solo Squares
February 10 – Swing-A-Lings
February 24 – T-Squares
March 17 – Westerville Promenaders
March 21 – Fun Shop

As flu season is upon us, please remember to use the hand sanitizer at lessons and dances. You can find it on the corner of the welcome table (close to the 50/50) and one by the kitchen.



Prayer Corner:

Michelle Mong is home and doing well from the surgery on January 26th. Please continue to keep Michelle and Harold in your prayers.

New Student, Denise Edwards had surgery from a fall and breaking her wrist.

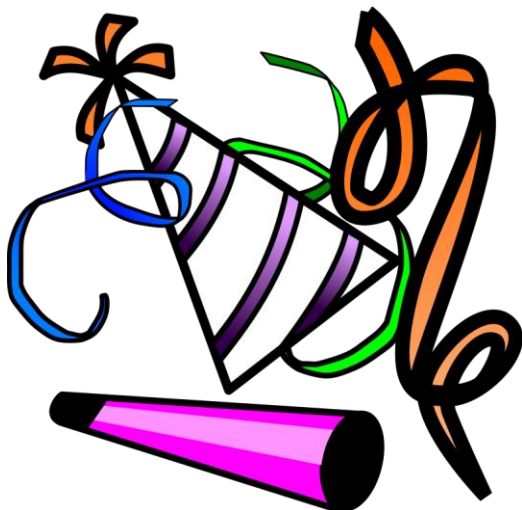
David Howard – from Red Lantern Squares is doing well recovering from knee surgery.

Items are being collected for the annual “Green Basket” raffle. Please bring your green items to lesson or any dance this month. The raffle tickets will be on sale next month with the drawing for the basket at the dance on March 17th. You do not need to be present to win!



Birthdays

February 1 st	Elaine Weygandt
5 th	Ralph Treeese
6 th	Kevin Brazee
10 th	Earl Nickles
13 th	Pat Brinkerhoff
23 rd	Sue Nickles
26 th	Scott Boothby



Anniversaries

Bill and Joyce Veicht,
February 14, 1976

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Please report any news, or suggestions for the newsletter to me at 330-262-5281, or email at pbrazee@datasoln.com. For news to be included in the next newsletter, the information is appreciated by the second dance of the month, must have the before the last week of the month. Also please let us know of any changes in your home address, email address, or phone numbers.

Sincerely
Pam Brazee, Secretary

