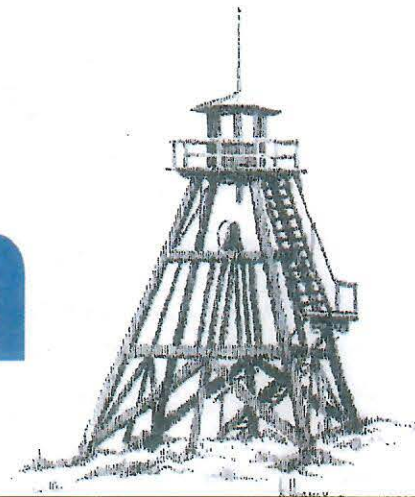


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Last Chance Squares, Helena, Montana - January 2022 - Volume 1

you're invited

As we head into January 2022, I'm happy we are able to get back to club dancing! New lessons are starting soon and I'm hopeful we'll have a good group of new square dancers for the State Festival in East Helena over Memorial Day weekend.

I'd like to thank all of our members for staying vigilant the past two years while our club was unable to dance due to the pandemic and for adjusting to the many changes we've had to endure. Each and every member has contributed time, effort, and energy to keep our club active and thriving even when we were not able to dance.



We've had a few health issues going on with some members and it is encouraging how our square dance family has stepped up to the plate to help out when needed. You all are a great group of folks and I'm looking forward to this new year of seeing each of you in person more, dancing, and sharing friendships!

Virgil Kaiser
President

FOLLOW US - WE'RE GOING SQUARE DANCING



**HAPPY
NEW YEAR**

A look at a fun " old time" call to start the year. We all need to smile a little with this pandemic going.

THE SPINNING WHEEL;
FIRST AND THIRD BOW AND SWING
LEAD RIGHT OUT TO THE RIGHT AND CIRCLE FOUR
HALF WAY ROUND DON'T YOU BLUNDER
INSIDE ARCH AND OUTSIDE UNDER
THEN RIGHT AND LEFT THRU IN THE CENTER OF THE SET
THEN RIGHT AROUND YOU'RE NOT THRU YET
THE LADIES CHAIN IN THE CENTER OF THE FLOOR
THEN TURN AND CHAIN WITH THE OUTSIDE FOUR
AND TAKE THEM HOME AND PROMENADE
JUST PROMENADE SINGLE FILE
LADIES IN THE LEAD INDIAN STYLE
YOU FORM A WHEEL AND SPIN IT AWHILE
THAT'S A SPINNING WHEEL AND YOU ROLL IT ALONG
WELL REVERSE THAT WHEEL YOU'RE GOING WRONG
GENTS REACH BACK WITH YOUR LEFT ARM
TIE EM ALL UP LIKE A BALL OF YARN
NOW A DO PASO WILL DO NO HARM
PARTNER LEFT, CORNER RIGHT.



A Handbook of Squares and Rounds by Harry Vincent

SASHAY TO A SQUARE DANCE!

PATTER FOR MAKING UP SETS:

Hurry, folks, fill the hall

Get your partners one and all

Find your honey, find your sweet

Get that gal out on her feet

Hurry now and don't be slow

We'll never get started if you don't do so

With a couple here and a couple there

We'll start the dance when you form your square.

Honor Your Partner by Ed Durlacher

1. Compliment three people every day.
2. Have a dog.
3. Watch a sunrise at least once a year.
4. Remember other people's birthdays'
5. Overtip breakfast waitresses.

Life's Little Instruction Book.

DANCE
like no one is watching

a little birdie
told me...



I would like to publish everyone's birthday or anniversary, but I do not have your info. If you would like it listed let me know dates.

MEANWHILE I do have:

Leola Tusler - Jan 29th

Del Harris - Jan 31st

HAPPY BIRTHDAY to both of you



UP COMMING DATES TO REMEMBER:

JANUARY 7 - Regular Club dance 6:30-8:30 - BHB, Fair Grounds

10 - New Dancer Lessons - Jefferson School - 6:30 - 8:00

22 - Regular Club dance - 6:30-8:30 - BHB, Fair Grounds

24 - New Dancer Lessons - Jefferson School - 6:30-8:00

31 - New Dancer Lessons - Jefferson School - 6:30-8:00

I love
to dance

FEBRUARY - 7 - New Dancer Lessons - Jefferson School - 6:30 - 8:00

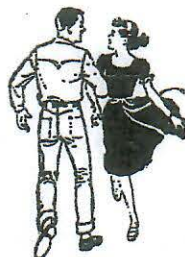
**12 - VALENTINE'S DANCE - 6:30-8:30 - BHB, Fair Grounds
with Karyn hosting.**

14 - New Dancer Lessons - Jefferson School - 6:30 - 8:00

21 - New Dancer Lessons - Jefferson School - 6:30 - 8:00

26 - Regular Club Dance - 6:30-8:30 - BHB, Fair Grounds

28 - New Dancer Lessons - Jefferson School - 6:30 - 8:00



This news letter will be available at the first dance of the month, be it a regular dance or a new dancer lesson. It can be mailed at a minimal cost if you like. If anyone has any articles, flyers or whatever they would like published just get me the info and it will go in the next newsletter. If you would like to see something different, its for everyone, let me know. We need to keep in touch with all of our dancers where ever they may be.