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CAPITAL CITY SQUARES WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

May 2022

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www.capitalcitysquares.org

<https://www.meetup.com/CapCitySquares/>

CCS Hosted Dances

7 August 2022

Summer Luau

Caller: Mike Wright

Location:

Royer Park Veteran's Hall
Roseville

Times:

1:30-2:30pm Advanced;
2:30 – 5:00pm SSD & Plus

20 November 2022

Anniversary Dance

Caller: Andy Allemao

Location:

Jose Rizal Community Center
Sacramento

Times: TBD

Advanced in afternoon
SSD through Plus in evening

IAGSDC Annual Convention

27-29 May 2022

Callers:

Too many to list !!!

Location:

Minneapolis, MN
"Twin City Spin"

Info and Registration [HERE](#)
Check out the "Meal Deal" as well

Please register & support



Prime 8s

Advanced Dancing

Where: Fruitridge Community
Center

When: Wednesdays, 7p-9p



Golden State Roundup

27-29 May 2022

Callers include:

Ray Brendzy, Jay Henderson,
Charlie Robertson, Mike Sikorsky

Location:

Lodi Grape Festival Event Center

** Wednesday Club Night Dancing**

6:30pm – 8:00pm: New Dancer Class (SSD)
with tips of Mainstream and Plus

8:15-9:15pm Mainstream, Plus, & Advanced



Proof of Current Vaccination Required
Masking Voluntary

ASDSC: Harvest Hoedown

21 – 23 October 2022

Callers include:

Joe Saltel, Tom Miller, Bill
Harrison, and Buddy Weaver

Location:

Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds

Board Members & Other Officers

Board members: Sara Hodge (President); Ali Bengs (Secretary); Treasurer (Briana Bornino); Jay Aldridge (Flyers; Board member at large); Palma Lower (Stumptown Raffle; Board member at large).

Other Positions: Bob Granger (Facebook); Alan Langdon (Webmaster); Tom Kaiser (Caller; Caller Procurement; Advisor)

Board Documents & Meetings

April 2022 Board Meeting Minutes are under review.

March 2022 Board Meeting Minutes are [here](#).

Current CCS Bylaws, click [here](#).

Next Board Meeting is 22 May @ 1:30pm at Sara/Ali's.

May Birthdays

Sara Hodge (12 May)
Dennis James (19 May)
Corky Bolin (28 May)



News and Notes

Co-Vid Policies

Capital City Squares requires proof of current vaccination to dance on workshop nights (Wednesdays) and attend our dance events. "Current" means a booster of Pfizer or Moderna (usually 4-6 months after initial vaccination). Masking is voluntary. Thank you all for being considerate of each other as we navigate towards a new sort of "normal".

Other square dance clubs/events may have their own requirements regarding vaccination and/or masking. Please check an event site ahead of time to see if there are any requirements for that event.

SSD class graduation

Join us on May 11th for the graduation of our newest members as they complete SSD/Social Square Dancing.

While completing Mainstream and Plus calls may be of interest to some, there's a vast array of dances available for SSD dancers. Check out the listings on the next 2 pages, or online via <https://asdsc.org> or <https://iagsdc.org>.

Convention & Golden State

Hopefully, we will have a strong showing at IAGSDC Convention at the end of May in Minneapolis. There are still great meal deals available – please take advantage. It will be a joy to see and dance with good friends from across the country and the globe to an array of AMAZING callers.

If you can't travel to Minneapolis, please do go to Lodi for Golden State (next page for link). There will be dancing available for everyone. This is also a fantastic opportunity to meet folks from all over the west coast and enjoying the chance to dance with callers from near/far.

Summer Dancing

Our club caller, Tom Kaiser, heads to Michigan soon for the summer. He has coordinated for us to have a few substitute callers during this time. As the world continues to "re-open" post-CoVid, it's a joy to have the opportunity to dance **all summer long**.

Many upcoming dances follow on the next page. Please also check the following sites for posts on current events:

- www.asdsc.org (Sacramento region square dance events)
- www.iagsdc.org (National & International LGBT+ square dance events)
- www.capitalcitysquares.org (our own club events)

Yellow Rocks ~

Sara Hodge, CCS President

Alicia (Ali) Bengs, CCS Secretary

Briana Bornino, Treasurer

Palma Lower, Board Member-at-Large

Jay Aldrich, Board Member-at-Large (and 2022 ASDSC President)

Tom Kaiser, Caller & Board Advisor

UPCOMING DANCE SCHEDULE

DATE/TIME	CLUB	PROGRAM	CALLER	LOCATION	FLYER
Saturday 14 May 8p-10p Wear 50s outfits	Mavericks <i>50s Root Beer Float Sock Hop</i> (Enjoy floats: 8:45p-9:15p)	Plus Rounds 7-8p (& round b/w tips)	Tim Merino MaryAnn Callahan, cuer	Veteran's Memorial Hall Roseville, CA	Click here
Sunday 15 May 1:00 – 4:00p	Main Street Strollers <i>Dance Around the Maypole</i>	Plus Rounds: 1:30- 2:30 Squares: 2:30- 4:30 (& round b/w tips)	Tom Kaiser (caller & cuer)	Veteran's Memorial Hall Roseville, CA	Click here
Fri – Sun 27 – 29 May	IAGSDC <i>39th Annual Convention "Twin City Spin"</i>	All	Sandie Bryant, Vic Cedar, Barry Clasper, Michael Levy & MANY, MANY more	Hyatt Regency Hotel Minneapolis, MN	Click here
Fri – Sun 27 – 29 May	Northern California Square Dancers Association <i>69th Annual Golden State Roundup</i>	All	Mike Sikorsky Charlie Robertson, Jay Henderson Ray Brendzy	Lodi Grape Festival Event Center	Click here
Sunday 7 August 1:30 – 5:00	Capital City Squares <i>Summer Luau</i>	1:30-2:30 Advanced 2:30-5:00 SSD and Plus	Mike Wright	Royer Park Veteran's Hall	
Fri – Sun 7-9 October	IAGSDC <i>"Peel-Off in Palm Springs"</i>	All	Bill Eyer	Canyon Club Hotel Palm Springs, CA	Click Here
Fri – Sun 21 – 23 October	ASDSC Harvest Hoedown	All	Bill Harrison, Tom Miller, Joe Saltel, Buddy Weaver	Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds Yuba City, CA	Click Here
Saturday 19 November	Capital City Squares <i>Anniversary Dance (Flip Your Diamonds & Pearls)</i>	Afternoon = Advanced Evening = SSD and Plus	Andy Allemao	Jose Rizal Community Center	