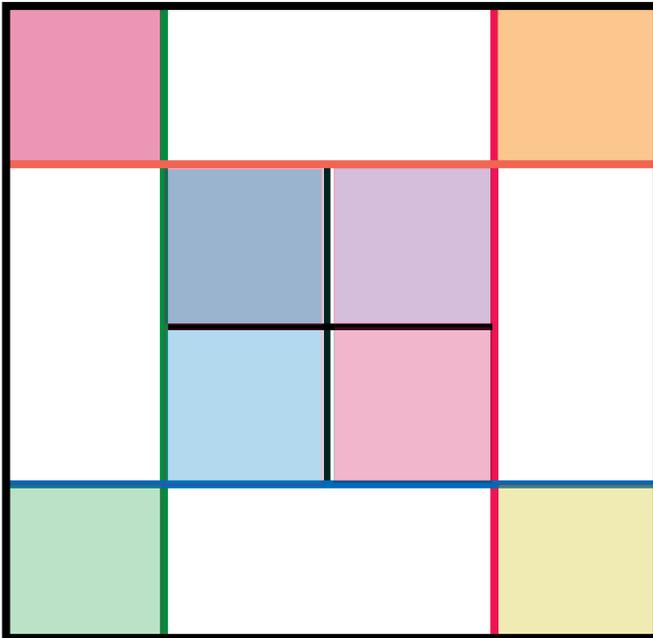


Grapevine

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How Many Squares Do
You See?

And...When Do You
See Them??

Associated Square Dancers

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- Special dances for the three months following date of issue.
- Articles on activities that have had a **major impact** on the club's membership, dance attendance, and classes.
- Fundraisers and/or outings your club has enjoyed.

Please be positive and helpful with your articles. Sharing ideas helps all clubs be more successful.

A Square D Website: www.asquared.org

A Square D Calendar:

MARCH

Mar.	14	Daylight Saving Time begins
Mar.	17	St. Patrick's Day
Mar.	20	First Day of Spring
Mar.	28	First Day of Passover

APRIL

Apr.	1	April Fools Day
Apr.	4	Easter
Apr.	22	Earth Day

MAY

May	5	Cinco de Mayo
May	9	Mother's Day
May	16	General Meeting via ZOOM, 2 p.m.
May	31	Memorial Day

Please visit the Associated Square Dancers web site (www.asquared.org) often to check for up-dates on activities as they resume. To contact clubs directly, refer to Affiliated Clubs on the back cover.

- The answers to the cover questions are:**
1. There are 18 squares possible.
 2. ASAP! Do your best to make it happen: Wear a mask, maintain social distancing, wash hands frequently, and support the safe restart of our American folkdance!

President's Message



Hello Everybody!! I hope you are faring well. I for one have had quite enough of this! I fear the pandemic has taken a serious toll on our activity, our fitness, and our outlook. So, ASqD has begun to address what we can do to rebuild our activity, which...when successful will help us all recover our fitness, and our sense of well-being! Fredi Levitt is spearheading this massive undertaking. . .**Fredi:**

It's nice to be back in the swing of things at ASqD and we have been working on a lot of issues and ideas. Of course we speculate about when we can return to dancing, how many club members will return, what will all of us remember, and what's it going to take to put on a class and a dance. We have been working on the Social Square Dance program (SSD) with CallerLab, many California callers, ASqD clubs, and other associations so that there will be a new approach to dancing and recruitment.

The SSD program is very exciting. We will have a new program that will get us dancing and we can bring in new students at the same time that we return. We can all learn together and hopefully bring together folks that have been shut in, way longer than anyone thought they would be. People out there want to reengage with other human beings and the dance community can offer fun, friendship, and exercise in one package deal. We should make sure that we are there to provide what everyone is missing and wants to do.

I have been speaking about the SSD program at various caller meetings and associations. I have spoken with callers that call in Los Angeles, Orange, Ventura, Simi, San Diego, and Santa Clara Valley counties and most recently with the International Association of Gay Square Dance Clubs (IAGSDC). I was a guest speaker along with Buddy Weaver and it was an honor to be asked. I try to stay involved with other associations so that the SSD program becomes wide spread and dancers can dance wherever they go.

ASqD is also working on laying the ground work for the marketing campaign. I have heard from several associations about the results of their professional marketing consultations. The Northern California Regional IAGSDC held a marketing summit resulting in recommendations that they build a professional website with all-inclusive recruiting and a FAQ page for

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prospective dancers. The San Diego Square Dance Association's marketing report recommended that they dance in bars, where there are more happier, livelier people, and better music. At a CallerLab Presentation entitled State of Square Dancing 2012, the marketer reported that "future square dancing will not look like it is today. Change is inevitable, or the end is certain. Alliances will form to rebuild. A new population of dancers, with new ideas will drive the activity. Traditional methods of recruitment and teaching will be revamped." At the 43rd Callerlab Convention in 2016, a consultant reported "Square dancing has an image problem in the general public, particularly among those in the targeted empty nester Baby Boomer age group. This target population sees square dancing as out of date, country oriented, for hicks and hillbillies, using old-fashioned music and patronized by senior citizens in fluffy dresses with big hair, big belts, and RV's." This is all true. I do disagree about the Baby Boomers, I'm one and we are the old generation now and should no longer be the targeted age group.

At ASqD we have been discussing all of these issues for the last eight years. We know what's wrong. It is past time to act on the advice we have been given and address our issues. We need to reorganize and change almost everything. It will take all of the dancers, callers and associations to do it. And if we want square dancing to continue (you bet we do) for generations to come, let's get to it.

First, we need a fun dance program that is easier to learn and will get new dancers having the fun that they want to and will continue to have sooner and faster. That's SSD.

Second, the square dancers have to give up dressing funny. We just do. It's not good for the activity, it shows outsiders that we still embrace the out of date country hick image. Let's give that up.

Third, we should change up the music. According to some square dance music producers (there is a division of CallerLab for just this purpose) the formula is to take the average age of the dancers, reduce it by 10 years and that is the musical era square dancing should be using. ASqD looked into that. The average age of our dancers is between 70-75. We are seniors and it should not be about us anymore. We want to attract younger people that have been trapped by the pandemic and want to go out and dance. We need music they can relate to. Please tell your callers to change the music and perhaps someone in the club will give \$10 to your class teacher, every once in a while, so they can buy a piece of music written after 2010. We don't need a new recording of an old standard or favorite oldie! We need to move on.

Fourth, we need to embrace current times and means of communication. That would be the internet. We need a professionally created

platform on wherever we are going to reach the next generation of dancers. We have to have a presence that makes us able to tell a whole bunch of people where to have a good time. We do not know where that is or how to achieve our goal. ASqD has started a project to find and hire the professionals that do. ASqD has been working on a project for the last few years to recruit and teach new callers. New young callers bring in their friends. We know what calls CallerLab recommends we use to teach them, the SSD program.

We know what's wrong. We need to get it right. Please join us in this exciting future for our favorite activity.—*Fredi Levitt*

Ed. Note: Planning for the Future

Beginning with the next quarterly issue of the *Grapevine*, being an optimist I will reinstate the "Theme Dances" section of the newsletter with the June-July-August issue. We book dance callers years in advance, so that is not an impediment to resuming this section. If your club is optimistic, usually holds dances with a theme, but not yet decided upon concepts for your 2021 dances, now is the time to get back on the ball! I understand you may not yet know *when* you can return to holding dances, or if your dance location will be the *same* as pre-COVID-19. None of these things are under our control, BUT having a plan and being *ready* to resume dancing *is* up to us!

Please send me your partial 2021-year schedule of dance themes in the form of a PDF, JPEG, PNG, GIF, or Word.Doc whenever it's available. Yes, we expect changes! As the months draw nearer, and plans are subject to change let me know the changes just as you would have done pre-pandemic. But invest a little time, be optimistic that life will go on, and let's get ready to succeed! When that time comes, your publicity chair will thank you for being able to get the word out ASAP, your club members and many other dancers will thank you for being able to get back to dancing ASAP, and for right now you will be injecting our whole community with hope and anticipation!—*Karen Geller-Shinn, Ed.*

A Square D Club Happenings

Boots & Bows

The Boots & Bows decided to try a ZOOM Holiday party, so on Tuesday, December 15th, about 26 of us got together on the phone to watch some fun dance videos, reminisce, engage in a trivia game, and participate in a very chaotic scavenger hunt! But I think everyone had a

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good time, and we had a few but fairly minimal technical glitches. We closed out the night with some holiday songs, and everyone was glad to spend a few minutes of “facetime” together.

Although it is not clear when our club will begin dancing again, there is hope for future dancing at some point due to the approval of the two COVID vaccines. In the meantime, we support each other through occasional conference calls and ZOOM gatherings. Some of our members are taking advantage of the online virtual activities for square dancing and round dancing.

With sadness we witnessed the closing down of our neighboring Honeycombers Square Dance Club, but we welcome with joy those members who are becoming Boots & Bows.

Boots and Slippers of Simi Valley

We are still ZOOM-ing on most Monday nights. Dick Hodnefield has been calling via ZOOM and our members are dancing in phantom squares. Some of our members are on ZOOM Tuesday nights with Mike Seastrom and the Buckles & Bows. Sometimes we bring jokes and interesting things to share. At least through ZOOM we can see each other.

At this time we don't know when the center will be opening. We're hoping that once the vaccine becomes widely available things will get back to the new normal.—*Irene Allen, A Square D Delegate*

Buckles & Bows

So much has changed for all of us. For some time folks were getting together as two real couples, and even as full squares, for ZOOM dances in our area. While we hear that folks are still real time gathering in other parts of the country, we are no longer doing so here in Southern California. We realize that a very large portion of folks who contract COVID-19, do recover, some not so completely. But, considering the upwards towards 400,000 folks who have, so tragically, succumbed to this, and the now increased proliferation of cases, we are, mostly, no longer gathering together.

We are so grateful for Mike Seastrom, the Buckles & Bows caller, who keeps us all engaged on Tuesday evenings at 7 p.m. These dances are for everyone, initially introduced to encourage our September 2019 students to continue. Those classes were stopped last March, while they were just starting Plus calls. We are now including some Plus calls. These Tuesday ZOOM dances are for everyone.

One Square International is doing their best, led by Johnny Preston, to keep us engaged. David Mee joins in with Johnny and Mike, along with other callers at times. At some dances, Dawn Mee will cue a few

An Important Note about Insurance

Insurance/Dues:

It is up to every club if they want to collect dues or not. ASqD won't be collecting payments at this time. However, you will be required to fill out the form found at <https://asquared.org/wp-content/uploads/Forms/SpecialListofOfficers2021.pdf>. Note: If when you click on a form it comes up too small to read, click on it again.

You will notice all of the old 2020 forms have lines drawn through them, so you don't use them. They will be updated once we have a better idea when we will be able to start dancing again.

We are asking for the number of members and the additional insured venues to help us when we shop for insurance. At that time you will need to fill out the application and email me your list of members.

Thank you to those clubs who have already emailed me the form; for the rest of you please email it ASAP. Please contact me if you have any questions.

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rounds. Johnny is now offering dances and reviews during the week. Plus on Tuesdays, A-1 on Wednesdays and A-2 on Thursdays. These all start at 6 p.m. Johnny is using the same recurring Hyperlink, Meeting ID and Passcode, for all of his events. These, along with Mike's connections codes for our Tuesday dances, are all on Face Book and are sent to many dancers worldwide in weekly e-mails from Buckles & Bows. Contact johnnyd@aol.com if you would like to be added to the distribution list.

CallerLab, ASqD, and Mike, with local callers for us, are coming up with a concept called Social Square Dancing, where they will introduce less calls initially to get folks spun up when we can gather again, and to encourage other folks to join us. Plus and Advanced/Challenge calls will still be taught in other classes, for those desiring same.

We at Buckles & Bows are committed to continuing this great activity, for all of our new dancers and seasoned dancers as well. We hope you will all stay safe and healthy, and that we will be together at some, fairly near, time in the future.

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70th NSDC IS STILL ON!

Plan to get together with friends in the City with Soul

There's light at the end of the tunnel with the first vaccines for COVID-19 being shipped to states across the country, so as of January the 70th National Square Dance Convention® is still on.

Reunite with friends and fellow dancers and remember how good it feels to dance again. Some of the best callers and cuers from around the country will be attending, so if you are a bit rusty, it should all come back to you soon.

Dancers, remember to register for housing by Saturday, May 15, 2021, to take advantage of discounted room rates. You must register for the convention before registering for housing. To register for housing online, go to 70nsdc.com and click on housing: "hotels, camping and travel" on the left side of the site. After May 15, rooms will not be discounted and may not be available depending on hotel occupancy.

During the convention, if you can tear yourself away from the dance floor, stay with a music theme with the Delta Blues Tour, which stops at the Grammy Museum, the Delta Blues Museum, and the Crossroads, where a blues legend sold his soul to the devil, or the Sing the Blues Tour, which visits the BB King Museum and Club Ebony.

Jackson has plenty of history as well. If you want military history, travel to Vicksburg, MS, a major turning point in the American Civil War. Or, visit the Armed Forces Museum near Hattiesburg. Come for the dancing, stay for the culture! There's plenty to do in the City with Soul!

For more information about the convention, go to the Contact Us page on the 70th NSDC website and send Convention Committee members an email.

**FUTURE NATIONAL
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JUNE 22–25, 2022: EVANSVILLE, IN
JUNE 21–24, 2023: MOBILE, AL
JUNE 26–29, 2024: MILWAUKEE, WI



Hat's off to the 71st NSDC planners! Pre-convention activities have been converted to a virtual format. ZOOM meetings will still be taking place although details will follow. Early registration is important for planning and funding purposes. We encourage everyone to "Join Us Down by The River" in 2022.



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Inglewood Guys & Dolls

For those who were unaware of Sylvester Nealon's (caller & instructor for the Inglewood Guys & Dolls) amputation of seven inches from his right leg due to diabetes in May of 2020, I'm happy to report he was finally fitted with a prosthesis four days before Christmas, and is currently doing well. He's still using a walker sometimes as he becomes acclimated to putting his body weight on the prosthesis. By the time we begin dancing again, he may not get on the dance floor, but he will surely be in shape to entertain us with his timely calling.

My apologies for not updating you sooner. Miss you all, and inform others (who may not be aware) of Sylvester's current status/situation. Take care, and blessings to you all!—*James Caton*

Lads 'N' Lassies

By the time you read this, it will be a year since COVID-19 halted life as we knew it. We have not met for meetings or dancing for many months; however, thanks to our editor and secretary/treasurer, we are keeping in touch. The editor posts monthly topics and asks our members to share a little about the topic. Our secretary follows up with some of the more senior members and gathers their thoughts for inclusion. For example, in January we talked about resolutions. Members have learned quite a bit about one another by sharing their thoughts and experiences.

Cards—birthday, anniversary, get well, encouragement, sympathy, congratulations— are still being sent to our members.

The Club's Facebook page (<https://www.facebook.com/LnLsquaredanceclub/>) is active and square dance related information is routinely posted.

Ribbons & Souls

I called about one third of our club members and asked them how they were surviving the pandemic. I will reach the other two thirds when writing a later edition for the Grapevine. One person is a front-line health care provider and has had COVID-19 three times. She said that it needs to be taken seriously and to put off risky activities until you can get a vaccine, the sooner the better. I, who keep wanting to expand my activities and then have second thoughts, took her advice to heart and will put off future home improvements for the time being. One person answered that she was glad to be old, because she could get the vaccine sooner. A couple of people bemoaned the slowness of the vaccine rollout, especially in Los Angeles County, with the obvious implications for how soon we can get back to in-person dancing.

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A common reply to my question was that they were losing stamina and endurance as the months rolled by with lower physical. People do get exercise, though, including yoga, Tai Chi, Tai Chi Sword, adult ballet, round dancing, two-couple square dancing, and walking. A person, who gets up and walks before sunrise to avoid people not wearing masks, tripped in the dark on a sand bar, fell, and broke a rib. She is doing much better now. One person said that she is maintaining her strength by square dancing three times a week and getting work outs with a trainer twice a week on line. A person said that she gets a lot of outdoor activity, with bike riding, line dancing in person (!) in a friend's large patio with everyone wearing masks, and going with her husband to their condo in Mammoth.

One person maintains her wellness by being in a moment-to-moment state of gratitude and reading something uplifting. Another relaxes using meditation and an adult coloring book. Work gives satisfaction to some members. A middle school teacher asked her students if they preferred classes in person or by ZOOM. To her surprise, they said by ZOOM, because they didn't have to worry about bringing home the virus to their parents, and on-line they could see each other's faces.

Some people are helped by their children who run errands for them, some use delivery services for shopping, and one person goes to the store to buy her own groceries. Some people rarely go out, including one person who only leaves her apartment to go to the mail box downstairs. ZOOM keeps people in touch with each other (one person saying that she ZOOMs up to five hours in a day), and so do phone calls—enriching relationships and discovering new friends whom they might not have known in normal times.

One person is looking forward to a new day in America. Another person is looking forward to the future when she can round dance and square dance around the country and in Europe.—*Jan Bartholomew*

Shirts 'N' Skirts

Greetings from the Shirts 'N' Skirts Square Dance Club in Anaheim. Although we are inactive, we expect that you all are taking proper precautions to stay safe and free of COVID-19!

All of our classes and dances have been cancelled through May 2021. We hold our activities at the Anaheim United Methodist Church, and we cannot begin anything again until the church re-opens its facilities. Once a significant number of folks have been vaccinated, we hope to return to our lessons and dances.

During the pandemic we have continued to send out our monthly Newsletter by email and U.S. mail to keep in contact with our club members and students, who were in class in early 2020. (That seems like an

awfully long time ago, doesn't it?)

To buoy our spirits, many of our club members are forwarding jokes and inspirational messages via email. It helps to keep the lines of communication open....

The Club board members have participated in ZOOM meetings to discuss various topics of importance. If an item needs to be voted on, an email is sent to all of our club members to request their input and vote on the matter at hand.

We hope to be dancing with everyone soon—as soon as it is safe!!

Sierra Hillbillies

Our current president, David Neill, continues to host ZOOM meetings of our Management Committee every four–six weeks with all club members invited to attend. At the December 2020 meeting, David was happy to report that 42 members renewed their club memberships for the 2021 calendar year with the club waiving their annual dues and agreeing to pay their 2021 ASqD insurance premiums. Although we have signed contracts with callers for each of our monthly dances in 2021, the Management Committee voted to cancel the January–March dances due to an ongoing lack of a dance venue and ASqD insurance. We will continue to cancel dances in advance until conditions allow us to return to dancing. Please check wheresthedance.com for our latest dance information and find us on Facebook for the latest information on the club. —*Alan Willis, A Sq. D Delegate*

Trail Dusters

Like all clubs in our area, Trail Dusters do not know when dancing will return again—or in what form that dancing will take. Certainly, our monthly club virtual two-couple dance is keeping many of our members up-to-date with the terminology and pattern of most calls.

These virtual dances also serve a social need as the “room” opens up 30 minutes beforehand for members to connect, talk and laugh as well as the break out rooms between the tips and line dancing segments.

Trail Dusters are a very social club and prides itself on connecting members, not only with square dancing, but also social events. The one major social event for the club each year was the New Year's Eve Gala Dinner & Dance and despite (or in spite of!) COVID 19 and “stay in place” orders once again the club hosted a successful Virtual New Year's Eve Gala! Spearheaded by Bill Dickter (strongly encouraged and supported by Farryl!) and Caren Blumfield and assisted by a committee consisting of Ellen and Mike Sternberg, Denise Kurtzner, Nikki and Steve Rosentsweig, Wendy Goldzband, and well as many other members who added their wisdom and suggestions. It was definitely a team effort. The format was tailored to

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singles and couples

Diane Jubileer Light started our evening with a feisty, upbeat rendition of “That’s Amore,” and the party was off to a fabulous start. The music chosen was year after year favorites and provided rock & roll, slow, and cha chas dances; also line dances, led by Caren Blumfield, that were fun and funky. Interspersed with dancing and break-out rooms we had two very entertaining stand-up comedy routines, one by Judith Altman and another by a guest Bob Epstein.

The evening was deemed another success--all who attended had fun, stay in place boredom was relieved and the friendship connections were strengthened.

Stay safe, stay healthy and we will see you in a square one day!—

Shirley Brown, Publicity

Valley Trailers

Some Valley Trailers are involved in virtual dancing and enjoy it a great deal. Others attend fund raisers at restaurants keeping social distance and other safety issues. Our club holds its board meeting every other month on ZOOM. During the months that no board meeting is held, plans are to have the club socialize via ZOOM.

With a vaccine being rolled out, there is a light at the end of a very long tunnel. Our world must be safe before we venture out.—*Marlene Lovett*



Here's a blast from the past—the Valley Trailers from approximately three years ago. Can you believe it's been that long?? Thanks to Linda Kaplan for sharing!

Ed. Note: The February election of officers had not yet taken place at the time this issue was prepared. However, I have taken the liberty of up-dating the contact information for the A Square D Board to reflect those candidates known to be running for office at the current time. Any changes will appear in the next issue.



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A Square D Affiliate Clubs:

1. Club name, regular dance, and contact info 2. Club web address given where available.
Please contact me to correct errors in the information for your club. *Thanks, KGS, Ed.*

- **Boots & Bows** — Redondo, 3rd Saturday, <http://bootsandbows.net>
- **Boys 'n' Berries** — Buena Park, 1st Saturday, www.boysnberries.org
- **Buckles & Bows** — Thousand Oaks, 4th Saturday, www.bucklesandbows.org
- **Buttons & Bows** — Anaheim Hills, 1st & 5th Saturdays, www.buttonsandbowsquaredancing.com
- **Church Mice** — Anaheim, 3rd Saturday, www.churchmice.com
- **Dancing Stars** — Huntington Beach, 4th Friday, www.ocdancingstars.com
- **Farmers & Charmers** — Northridge, 1st Saturday, www.farmersandcharmers.com
- **Fun Wuns(A-1)** — Westminster, 4th Friday
- **Grin-N-Square It** — El Monte, 3rd Saturdays, www.grinnsquareit.com
- **Happy Squares** — Simi Valley, 2nd Saturday, www.happysquares.com
- **Ichabod Squares** — Garden Grove, 3rd Fri-day, www.ichabodssquares.org
- **Inglewood Guys and Dolls** — 3rd Friday, www.orgsites.com/CA/inglewoodguysanddolls
- **Lads 'n' Lassies** — Northridge, 1st Saturday
- **Major Keys** — Whittier, 4th Saturday, www.majorkeys.org
- **Orange Coast Lariats** — Garden Grove, 2nd Friday, www.orangecoastlariats.net
- **Phantom Squares** (C-1 & 2) — Canoga Park, 2nd or 3rd Sunday, www.phantom-squares.com
- **Ramblin' Rogues** — Mission Viejo, 1st Friday, www.ramblinrogues.org
- **Ribbons & Souls**—Los Angeles, 2nd, 4th & 5th Saturdays, www.ribbonandsouls.com
- **Shirts N Skirts** — Santa Ana, 2nd & 5th Saturdays, www.shirtsnskirts.net
- **Shoreline Squares** — Long Beach, 4th Saturday quarterly, www.shorelinesquares.com
- **Sierra Hillbillies** — Santa Clarita, 1st Sunday; email: hillbillies.pres@gmail.com; www.sierrahillbillies.org; www.facebook.com/groups/sierrahillbillies/
- **Simi Valley Boots & Slippers** — Simi Valley, 1st & 4th Saturdays, www.bootsandslippers.com
- **Taws & Paws** — Santa Barbara, Wednesdays weekly
- **Trail Dusters** — Northridge, 2nd Saturday, www.traildusters.com
- **Valley Trailers** — Northridge, 3rd & 5th Saturdays, www.valleytrailers.org
- **Western Weavers** — Burbank, 2nd & 4th Fridays, 7:30 p.m.; www.westernweavers.org; www.facebook.com/westernweavers

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