



# Grapevine

A publication of  
Associated Square Dancers, California

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**Barry Johnson,  
Chicago-area caller/instructor and member  
of CallerLab Board of Governors addresses  
our May 16 General Meeting via Zoom to  
discuss the effect of SSD in  
a metropolitan area**

**Be Alert!  
Check with clubs before events!  
Covid mandates change daily.  
Stay Safe!**

## Associated Square Dancers

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## *A Square D Calendar:*

### SEPTEMBER

Sept. 6	Labor Day
Sept. 7	Rosh Hashanah
Sept. 11	Patriot Day
Sept. 12	Grandparent's Day
Sept. 16	Yom Kippur
Sept. 22	First Day of Fall

### OCTOBER

Oct. 11	Columbus Day
Oct. 15	National I Love Lucy Day
Oct. 31	Halloween

### NOVEMBER

Nov. 2	National Deviled Egg Day and Day of the Dead
Nov. 7	Daylight Saving Time ends
Nov. 11	Veterans Day
<b>Nov. 14</b>	<b>General Meeting via ZOOM, 2 p.m.</b>
Nov. 25	Thanksgiving Day
Nov. 28	First night of Hanukkah

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## *President's Message*



Hello Everybody,

We're back...sort of. The news is that I did get answers to my own following questions: How many square dance calls and round dance cues did I forget? Who will I recognize? Who came back? How badly did I miss folks? Do I still care about them and the community? And: Are square and round dancing still the best activities ever? Will it give me the joy it always did? For me, the answer is a resounding yes. I forgot Relay the Ducey. (Thank you to Mel Brenham for having the patience to teach it to me, three times.) All else was still in muscle memory or as a definition in brain memory. After all this time and loads of ZOOM phantom dancing it was wonderful to be back on the dance floor. The thought of seeing and hugging so many friends actually made me teary. The music and the dance took care of that as we all were off to resounding promenades. I recognized most everyone.

The Board at ASqD never gave up caring. We met and worked throughout the entire shut down. ZOOM was truly a pandemic miracle of its own. Thank you all for the wonderful attendance and participation at the general meetings. We hope you will continue to support the ASqD Board in the future. We completed a marketing plan and submitted it to Mike Hogan of Callerlab for comments. The plan has three elements, branding, website, and advertising. If you know anyone that may wish to bid on any element or the entire contract, please let us know and we will get it out to them.

The opening of square dance halls has its glitches. Some halls were permanently shut down, others were repurposed. Hall managers are struggling with how to determine when and under what circumstances it will be safe to open. The increase in costs of everything insurance, supplies, gas, callers and cuers, and venues will be challenging.

Very important issues that all clubs need to look at seriously and

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discuss at board and general meetings are the safety protocols in regard to Covid. **Safety must come first.** It is important to be informed about health mandates and regulations (Federal, CDC, State of California, County, **and** City). As I write this, protocols appear to be a moving target. The Los Angeles County of Department of Public Health has reinstated mask-wearing mandates for indoor activities. It remains to be seen if other ASqD club county locations will make changes as well,

Please everyone one, be careful, be safe, be considerate of each other. Vaccines, masks, hand sanitizers, no food handling (maybe think bottled water only) should *not* be ignored. Please remember if six feet Social Distancing returns as a mandate you won't have enough room in any hall for more than a few squares. Imagine how much square footage it would take to weave the ring and how long it would take to complete the call.

I want to see every single one of you on the dance floor. Square and round dancing still are the best activities ever! *Best regards—Fred Levitt*

## *A Square D Club Happenings*

### **Boots and Bows**

The good news is the Boots and Bows began dancing again on July 17, 2021, with a Beach Party Dance theme. Pat Carnathan was the caller and Jim Smith, the cuer. This dance was made possible by having insurance again through ASqD and our usual venue, the Riviera United Methodist Church, making their fellowship hall available to the club once more. As of the time of this writing in July, the second dance of the summer was scheduled for August 21 with Michael Kellogg as caller and the theme appropriately is Summer Fun Dance.

We held a dance party with members of the Manhattan Beach Badminton Club coordinated by a Boots and Bows couple that are also members of that Club. Although some of the nine Badminton Club members who attended showed an interest in square dancing, the response was not great enough for us to hold a summer SSD class at their facility. We hope to be able to have a startup SSD class on Wednesday nights in September.

The Boots and Bows held a picnic in a local park on June 19

that included club members in addition to some Honeycombers and Shoreline Squares. The group had so much fun, there is discussion of another picnic at a later time this summer or fall.

Please join us at the Riviera United Methodist Church, 375 Palos Verdes Blvd, in Redondo Beach for our third Saturday dances. Our September dance will be with Mike Seastrom and the theme is Trade a Book. Octoberfest will be with David Mee calling on October 16, 2021. The Be Thankful Dance will be with Steve Woodard calling on November 20, 2021. Our cuers for most months are Judy Keller and/or Jim Smith. Pre-rounds begin at 7:00 p.m. and squares are 7:30–10:00 p.m.

### **Dancing Stars**

The Dancing Stars will get back to dancing the third Saturdays monthly with Jim Smith calling on September 18, Bill “Tex” Gipson calling on October 16, and Rick Manning calling on November 20. Mel Branham is our cuer and we dance at Mel's Studio in Westminster. Our Beginner's Class starts in October at the Woman's Club in Garden Grove.

### **FunWuns**

The FunWuns have Michael Kellogg scheduled for September 24th and Eric Henerlau scheduled for October 22nd. We don't have anyone scheduled for November.

### **Grin-N-Square It**

Our club dances the third Saturday of each month. The club held the first in-person board meeting in July, with the club's annual BBQ Burgers meeting. Currently we are waiting to hear from the City of El Monte about the reopening of the Senior Center as we explore other options for dance halls.

While our club activities are dark, our President and First Lady, Randy and Pat Thorpe, are keeping busy assisting with the planning of the USA West convention in San Diego, August 17–20, 2022. The USA West holds a convention when the National convention is held east of the Rockies. It is a great opportunity to experience a National type Convention close to home. Additional information is available about the USA West convention on the Grin-N-Square website [www.grinnsquareit.com](http://www.grinnsquareit.com) or 2022USA West website where you can find the registration for: <http://www.california.usawest.net>. The convention will be held at the Handlery Hotel in San Diego and all dancing will be under one roof.

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Also, you can submit your favorite quarantine recipe for the Cookbook to [2020cookbook@cox.net](mailto:2020cookbook@cox.net).

### Happy Squares

It's always great to see our square dance friends, and we're all looking forward to coming back together again. Currently, our July 20<sup>th</sup> board meeting will again be through ZOOM. We will be discussing regrouping in person, aiming, hopefully, for September. Cross your fingers that we can be ready for a square dance at that time. More information will follow when all details are worked out. Until then, enjoy the rest of your summer.—*Marie Gray*

### Ichabod Squares

The Mees, David and Dawn, were caller and cuer for the Ichabods on our Friday, August 20<sup>th</sup> dance at the Garden Grove Woman's Civic Club. Round dancing starts at 7:30 p.m. and square dancing at 8:00 p.m. Join us for fun and socializing as we return after all these long

months. Our hall is at 9501 Chapman Blvd. in Garden Grove.

Ichabods have a new website: [www.ichabodsquaredance.org](http://www.ichabodsquaredance.org). Check out our new look. We are ready and roaring to get back to dancing. See you in a square.

### Lads 'n' Lassies

As of the July print deadline, Lads 'n' Lassies haven't yet heard from Wilkinson Senior Center to know when they will open up for activities. So there is no news yet.—*Jeanne Shannon, ASD Representative*

### Ramblin' Rogues

The Ramblin' Rogues will be dancing September 3<sup>rd</sup> to Johnny Preston at Mel's Square Dance Hall in Westminster, and to Michael Kellogg on October 1 and to Buddy Weaver on November 5 at the Norman P. Murray Community Center in Mission Viejo.

### Ribbons & Souls

We are inching our way out of the pandemic, and we have callers and cuers for dances starting in October. We are closing in on choosing a venue, a new hall for dancing. Some of us are ready to start dancing as soon as we have a hall, starting with a class for our members.

The level of dancing we will teach in our beginners' classes will be Social Square Dancing (SSD), and the level at our dances on 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturdays will be SSD. On the 5<sup>th</sup> Saturdays we will dance Plus.

Without a location, beginners' classes have not been planned yet.

In October, we plan to start an A-1-A-2 class, which will meet on Mondays for two hours, starting at either at 6 p.m. or 7 p.m., depending on the results of our survey of dancers.

While we are excited to return to dancing, in light of the changing COVID-related situation in Los Angeles and reports of COVID cases following other dances, we will be continuously updating our policy to promote safety. Please look for e-mail announcements, or call during the week of the dance, to verify any precautionary requirements.

Here is how our dances shape up. October 9, Mike Hogan calling SSD and Judy Keller cueing our Elvis Dance; October 23, Scot Byars calling SSD and Erin Byars cueing a Crazy Hats Dance. October 30 is tentatively dark, depending on the venue we choose. If there is a dance, the caller right now is TBA calling Plus and Joe Scarlatella cueing,

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# High Flyers

## Weave the Ring...in Evansville, Indiana!

We skipped Spokane, Washington; we skipped Jackson, Mississippi, but we're headed for Evansville, Indiana, in 2022! I'm busy making arrangements as you read this! We have a block of rooms reserved for us and I'm working on city tours. Here's what I know so far...it's going to be fabulous! The 71st National Square Dance Convention is scheduled for June 22–25, 2022.

The High Flyers arrive on Saturday, June 18, and fly home on Sunday, June 26. We tour the city for three days (Sunday, Monday, Tuesday). All of the registration will be done online by yourselves and I will direct you to the link to book the hotel we have reserved. All of this must be done by the end of December, 2021. I'll keep you posted about deadlines. The only funds I will collect will be for the city tours.

There are no hotels available at or near the Convention Center. The only one hotel that is close by (4 blocks away) is reserved for the callers/cuers. But...if anything opens up there they will let me know. So, the plan is for us to drive ourselves to the Convention Center's free parking each day. Some of us will have cars or rent cars at the airport and "share rides" with each other or use Uber. There are no shuttles. Many of you are already on the High Flyers list and have traveled to conventions with us before. If you'd like to be on the High Flyers roster, please email me directly ([bailis@gseis.ucla.edu](mailto:bailis@gseis.ucla.edu)) or call 310-351-1061 (cell and text).

Get ready to have a long-awaited and *way* overdue fantastic dancing time next year in Evansville! Hope to see you on the dance floor SOON!—*Pamela Bailis, ASD High Flyers Coordinator*

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FUTURE NATIONAL  
SQUARE DANCE CONVENTIONS  
JUNE 21–24, 2023: MOBILE, AL  
JUNE 26–29, 2024: MILWAUKEE, WI

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### Club Happenings *(continued from pg. 5)*

Halloween Dance. November 13, the caller is TBA calling SSD and Joe Scarlatella is cueing, Autumn Leaves Dance; November 27, Lawrence Johnstone calling SSD and Judy Keller cueing, Big Bands Dance.

Here is part three of our saga on how members are coping with the pandemic. One person has dived into round dancing in a big way, dancing 3–4 times per week by international ZOOM, learning to read cue sheets, studying the videos put out after dances, practicing on her own, and learning many new dances. Also, she recently started square dancing in person—a couple's dance 3–4 times per week via ZOOM. Another person walks 2–4 miles per day. One person considers herself lucky, because she has been working since August of 2020. At work they test for COVID-19 daily, people are socially distanced and wear masks, and food comes pre-wrapped. A COVID-compliance committee comes around and makes sure that people are at least six feet apart. She also is busy with Famous Fone Friends, where famous people make phone calls and now ZOOM visits, to children isolated in hospitals. One person says that square dancing was her only exercise, and now with the pandemic she is gaining weight. One person had hip surgery, and another had cataract surgeries. People talk to square dancing friends, take in shows online, watch TV, go to outdoor dining, and meet with vaccinated friends. One person said that they ZOOM with family every week and plan to continue doing so after the pandemic is over.—*Jan Bartholomew*

**Late-Breaking News:** Ribbons & Souls have decided that dances and classes will be open to fully vaccinated dancers only. Since located in Los Angeles County, masks are also required.—*Ed.*

### Rustlers

The Rustlers will be closing the club on August 1, 2021. Hopefully our members will be joining other clubs. Thanks to all for what you do.—*Florence Bell*

### Shirts 'N' Skirts

Our new Beginner Line & Square Class will begin on Thursday, September 2, 2021, at the Anaheim United Methodist Church, 1000 South State College Blvd., Anaheim. We will be teaching the Social Square Dancing (SSD) format; 14 weeks long with graduation on December 16, 2021. The instructor for both the line dancing and square dancing lessons will be Tim Pepper. The class will be open to

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NEW students for the first *three* weeks only. For *new* class members the first lesson is *FREE*, and then for each lesson thereafter a \$6 donation is requested. Male dancers who dance in the Singles' Rotation may dance for only \$2 for each lesson. The format of the lessons will be as follows: 7:00–7:30 p.m., line dancing; 7:30–9:00 p.m., SSD lessons; 9:00–9:30 p.m., Plus square dancing workshop. For more information, please contact Dave or Irma, (657) 212-5134 or Cell (323) 893-7751; or Randy or Beverly, (562) 864-0903 or Cell (714) 905-6114 or email: missbev82@ymail.com.

We will be taking ALL recommended precautions will be taken to prevent COVID-19 exposure or infection. Terry Steyer, our A Sq D representative, heads up our *Square Up Safely* committee. He and his committee have done an excellent job to develop guidelines for everyone's protection during our new classes and dances.

Our square dances began anew on Saturday, August 14, 2021 at the Anaheim United Methodist Church, 1000 S. State College Blvd., Anaheim. Pre-Rounds begin at 7:30 p.m., and Plus dancing goes from 8:00–10:30 p.m. There will be a Singles' Rotation and an Advanced tip after the third Plus tip. On Saturday, September 11, 2021, we will celebrate our 62<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary with a raucous night! Our caller will be the energetic Buddy Weaver, and our cuer will be the erudite "Bill" Berry.

On Saturday, October 30, 2021, it'll be a scary night indeed! The ghosts will be roamin' the dance floor during our "Boo Bash" dance. The ghoulish caller will be Mike Kellogg and Dawn Mee will cue the goblins on the dance floor. There will be a prize for the best costume! So come in your most hideous attire.

On November 20, 2021, we will have a third Saturday night dance. You can strut your stuff at the 'No Turkeys Allowed' with Gobbler Charlie Fagan calling the dance moves, and "Bill" Berry cuing the fowl on the floor.

In October we will have a BUNCO Party for our club at one of the member's Club house. Lots of eating and laughing will take place before the games begin!

We all truly hope that by practicing necessary precautions we can get back to our favorite activity!!

## Sierra Hillbillies

The Sierra Hillbillies held a members-only, three-week refresher

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## A Square D Club Theme Dances.

**PLEASE check with clubs directly before heading out to an event! We're as accurate as possible at press time, but Covid changes things daily!**

### Valley-Ventura-Santa Barbara

#### SEPTEMBER

Sierra Hillbillies September 12 54<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance

#### OCTOBER

Sierra Hillbillies October 3 Harvest Festival & Food Pantry Benefit

Western Weavers October 8 40th Anniversary Dance

Weatern Weavers October 22 Happy Halloween Dance

#### NOVEMBER

Sierra Hillbillies November 7 Honor our Vets Party

Western Weavers November 12 Veterans' Day Dance

#### DECEMBER

Sierra Hillbillies December 5 Holiday Hoedown

Western Weavers December 10 Burbank Temporary Aid Center Benefit Dance

### South Bay Westside:

#### SEPTEMBER

Boots & Bows September 18 Trade a Book Dance

#### OCTOBER

Ribbons & Souls October 9 Elvis Dance

Boots & Bows October 16 Octoberfest

Ribbons & Souls October 23 Crazy Hats Dance

#### NOVEMBER

Ribbons & Souls November 13 Autumn Leaves Dance

Boots & Bows November 20 Be Thankful Dance

Ribbons & Souls November 27 Big Bands Dance

#### DECEMBER

Ribbons & Souls December 11 Home for the Holidays Dance

Boots & Bows December 18 Dark

### Orange

#### SEPTEMBER

Boys 'n' Berries September 4 School Days Dance

Shirts 'N Skirts September 11 62<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary Dance

Ichabod Squares September 17 And All that Jazz Dance

Church Mice September 18 Mexican Hat Dance

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**Theme Dances** (continued from pg.9)

**OCTOBER**

Boys ‘n’ Berries	October 2	Cowboy Round-up
Ichabod Squares	October 15	Monster Hexes Dance
Church Mice	October 16	Pirates and Wenches Dance
Shirts ‘N Skirts	October 30	Boo Bash Dance

**NOVEMBER**

Boys ‘n’ Berries	November 6	Harvest Moon Dance
Ichabod Squares	November 19	Attitude of Gratitude Dance
Church Mice	November 20	Shoot the Turkey Dance
Shirts ‘N Skirts	November 20	No Turkeys Allowed Dance

**DECEMBER**

Boys ‘n’ Berries	Dark	
Shirts ‘N Skirts	December 11	Ugly Sweater Dance
Ichabod Squares	December 17	Season’s Greeting Dance
Church Mice	December 18	Tuxedo Dance

**Club Happenings** (continued from pg.9)

workshop with Rod Shuping in August to reacquaint ourselves with SSD-designated calls and rebuild our stamina. This was in preparation for celebrating our 54<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on September 12<sup>th</sup> with caller Andy Allemao! We will also begin an SSD class on September 7 through our Santa Clarita Parks & Recreation Department with Janienne Alexander teaching, 7–9 p.m., for 12 weeks, \$50, Valencia Meadow Park.

**Trail Dusters**

With the lessening restrictions this past late spring, the club hosted the final virtual dance in June. This was the time of year that we normally would have been celebrating our graduates—but realized that we still had at least two things to celebrate! The one-year anniversary of having these dances that gave us the opportunity to stay connected during difficult times and the fact that our world was beginning to open up again and life was starting to return to some semblance of normal. We were all looking forward to going out with friends, hugging family, and we no longer living with anxiety and isolation. So the logical choice for our theme was: **WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE CELEBRATION?** Is it Birthdays, Weddings, Hanukkah, Rosh Hashanah, New Year’s Eve, July 4<sup>th</sup> or something else? The evening was hosted by Presidents, Nikki & Steve Rosentsweig, the final official act of their term and as usual entertained us

with jokes and puns. Paul Waters called two-couple squares and our own Caren Blumfield lead us in line dancing.

During the summer the incoming president, Jane Lief, led the Executive in negotiating our return to club classes with the aim to start September 22<sup>nd</sup>. The board, taking everyone’s health and concerns very seriously, made the decision that ALL Trail Duster activities would require every attendee, both members and guests, provide proof of double vaccination, preferably prior to the event or commencement of classes. We are all looking forward to starting up again.

There were a couple of social events also during the summer. First, several Trail Dusters attended the Calabasas Sun Setter Concerts at Lake Calabasas and second on August 22 a Summer Party was organized. Many Trail Dusters met at The Stand for a meal before and then moved on to Tarzana Community & Cultural Center. The evening was held under the stars and among the towering pine trees with lots of room to social distance club members brought finger food and beverages to share. Many are also looking forward to once again attending our annual Gala New Year’s Eve Dinner & Dance for which the committee is already busy finalizing the details.

Our classes are every Wednesday evening, 7:00–9:00 p.m. at Bay Laurel Elementary School, 24740 Paseo Primario, Calabasas, CA 91302. The Board has not yet decided whether or not to host monthly dances—I will update the status in the next issue.—*Shirley Brown*

**Valley Trailers**

Within Los Angeles, the senior centers are not open, and Valley Trailers cannot hold its monthly dances there. However, Valley Trailers members Mary & Tom Beatty (Northridge) invited square dancers to June, July, and August dances outside their home in their cul de sac from 6:30–8:30 p.m. There is no special theme—just a good time for all! In July Darren Gallina called, in August Johnny Preston called at the same time and location with dancers requested to bring their own chairs and water. Also, our restaurant fundraisers have been very successful.—*Marlene Lovett*

**Western Weavers**

The Western Weavers are hoping that the light at the end of the tunnel is not a train and we can soon return to dancing and all of our other fun club activities.

## Anniversary & Benefit Dances:

<b>Shirts 'N Skirts</b>	<b>September 11</b>	<b>62<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary Dance</b>
<i>with caller Buddy Weaver &amp; cuer Bill Berry</i>		
<b>Sierra Hillbillies</b>	<b>September 12</b>	<b>54<sup>th</sup> Anniversary</b>
<i>with caller Andy Allemao, cuer TBA</i>		
<b>Sierra Hillbillies</b>	<b>October 3</b>	<b>Harvest Festival &amp; Food Pantry Benefit</b>
<i>with caller Vic Ceder, cuer TBA</i>		
<b>Western Weavers</b>	<b>October 8</b>	<b>40th Anniversary Dance</b>
<i>with caller Mike Hogan and cuer Joe Scarletella</i>		
<b>Western Weavers</b>	<b>December 10</b>	<b>Burbank Temporary Aid Benefit, Collection of canned goods</b>

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### Club Happenings *(continued from pg. 11)*

The club is excited to start a Social Square Dancing class on Sept. 14. Our classes are held at the Magnolia Park Methodist Church (2828 West Magnolia Boulevard, Burbank) on Tuesdays, with line dancing from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. and square dance instruction from 7:30-9 p.m. Enrollment is free through Sept. 28. Angels from other clubs are welcome and it's just \$6 to dance. Questions? Contact Alice Rodriguez at 818-295-6907.

To help promote the class, Kit Wren, secured a display cabinet at the Burbank Central Library to feature square dancing and we plan on having our banner flying across major streets in Burbank.

While we have not received the official approval to return to our dance hall, we are keeping our fingers crossed that we will be able to hold our 40th Anniversary Dance in October. We are pleased to announce that the great Mike Hogan will be calling for us once again, with Joe Scarletella handling the cuing duties. The dance is set for Friday, Oct. 8, with rounds starting at 7:30 p.m. (and between tips) and squares from 8 to 10:30 p.m. Donation is \$10, \$9 with a Burbank Senior Activity Card.

Connect with us on Facebook ([www.facebook.com/westernweavers](http://www.facebook.com/westernweavers)) and check our photos and videos from our dances. See how many square dancers you recognize and, hopefully, we can feature you soon!

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## A Square D Affiliate Clubs:

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

**Boots and Bows:** Riviera United Methodist Church, 375 Palos Verdes Blvd, Redondo Beach. Third Saturday; <http://bootsandbows.net>

**Boots & Slippers:** Simi Valley. [www.bootsandslippers.com](http://www.bootsandslippers.com)

**Boys 'n' Berries:** Ehlers Event Center, Buena Park Senior Activity Center, 8150 Knott Ave., Buena Park. First Saturday; [www.boysnberries.org](http://www.boysnberries.org)

**Buckles & Bows:** Goebel Adult Center, 1385 E. Janss Rd., Thousand Oaks, CA 91362. Fourth Saturday; [www.bucklesandbows.org](http://www.bucklesandbows.org)

**Church Mice:** Tustin Area Senior Center, 200 S C St, Tustin, CA 92780. Third Saturday; [www.churchmice.com](http://www.churchmice.com)

**Dancing Stars:** Mel's Square Dance Hall, 5946 Westminster Blvd., Westminster. Third Saturday; [www.ocdancingstars.com](http://www.ocdancingstars.com)

**Farmers & Charmers:** Northridge. <http://www.farmersandcharmern.com/index.html>

**FunWuns:** (A-1) Mel's Square Dance Hall, 5946 Westminster Blvd., Westminster. Fourth Friday; <https://www.facebook.com/roups/1344068042290283>

**Grin-N-Square It:** El Monte. [www.grinnsquareit.com](http://www.grinnsquareit.com)

**Happy Squares:** Simi Valley. [www.happysquares.com](http://www.happysquares.com)

**Ichabod Squares:** Women's Civic Club of Garden Grove, 9501 Chapman Ave., Garden Grove. Third Friday; [www.ichabodsquaredance.org](http://www.ichabodsquaredance.org)

**Inglewood Guys and Dolls:** Los Angeles. [www.orgsites.com/CA/inglewoodguysanddolls](http://www.orgsites.com/CA/inglewoodguysanddolls)

**Lads 'n' Lassies:** Northridge;

<https://www.facebook.com/LnLsquaredanceclub/>

**Major Keys:** Whittier. [www.majorkeys.org](http://www.majorkeys.org)

**Orange Coast Lariats:** Garden Grove. <https://www.facebook.com/Orange-Coast-Lariats-460788400686291/>

**Phantom Squares:** (A2-C2) Canoga Park. [www.phantom-squares.com](http://www.phantom-squares.com)

**Ramblin' Rogues:** September--Mel's Square Dance Hall, 5946 Westminster Blvd., Westminster; thereafter--Norman P. Murray Community and Senior Center 24932 Veterans Way, Mission Viejo, CA 92692. First Friday; [www.ramblinrogues.org](http://www.ramblinrogues.org)

**Ribbons & Souls:** Veterans Memorial Building 4117 Overland Ave, Culver City, CA 90230. Second, 4th & 5th Saturdays.

**Shirts 'N' Skirts:** Anaheim United Methodist Church, 1000 S. State College Blvd., Anaheim. Second & 5th Saturdays; [www.shirtsnskirts.net](http://www.shirtsnskirts.net)

**Shoreline Squares:** Long Beach. <http://shorelinesquares.com>

**Sierra Hillbillies:** Valencia United Methodist Church Fellowship Hall, 25718 McBean Parkway, Santa Clarita. First Sunday; [www.sierrahillbillies.org](http://www.sierrahillbillies.org)

**Taws & Paws:** Santa Barbara.

**Traiblazers:** (A-2-C-3) Westminster. [www.trailblazers-socal.org](http://www.trailblazers-socal.org)

**Valley Trailers:** Northridge. [www.valleytrailers.org](http://www.valleytrailers.org)

**Western Weavers:** Joslyn Adult Center, 1301 W. Olive Ave., Burbank, California. Second & 4th Fridays; info: 818-252-9692; Visitations: WWvisitations@gmail.com; [www.westernweavers.org](http://www.westernweavers.org)