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JANUARY to JUNE 2011

Greetings everyone. As you know we currently don't have an editor for this publication, so this is an interim version until we can get someone to volunteer to take over this job.

With this issue we welcome the Latham Circle Squares to the Hudson Valley Council, and unfortunately bid a couple clubs adieu, since they haven't paid the Council Dues.

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At this time, the interim editor(s) are NOT soliciting ads.

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HUDSON VALLEY COUNCIL MEMBER CLUBS, DANCE LOCATION & CONTACT

Acey Deuceys (A2/C1) Every Monday 1/10->6/27 (7-10.15pm)
Russian Orthodox Church, 617 Sand Creek Road, Colonie
Leader, Caller & Delegate: Ken Ritucci 413-734-0591
kenritucci@aol.com
website: <http://www.aceydeuceys.com/index.html>

Boots 'n' Bows (MS/Plus)
Our Savior Lutheran Church, Rt 52, Fishkill
President: George Vincelette geowise@aol.com
Delegates: Janice & Jerry Alexander janice_alexander99@yahoo.com
Booking Agent: Pat O'Donnell patdance@aol.com
Web site: <http://bootsnbowssdc.com/>

Boots 'n Bows is doing very well. We have 7 students for this semester and they are doing wonderful along with our new class teacher, Ron McMurdy.

I want to thank everyone who has supported our dances throughout the summer, hope you all had a wonderful time. We look forward to seeing you the rest of the year when possible.

Pat O'Donnell is our new program chairperson, and she is looking forward to her new job.

Our new couple of the year is Janet Moss & Steve Ocskasy. Congratulations to you both.

Circle B (A1)
Johnson School, Shittlesey Dr, Bethel, CT (7-10pm)
President/Delegate/Booking: Jan Galloway 203-775-9471
jan@jgalloway.net

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Friendly Squares (MS/Plus)

United Methodist Church, 44 Edgemont Rd, Katonah

President: Barbara Delfs 914-248-8554 bhdelfs@aol.com

Delegate: Tony Baldino 914-941-6695 tonybaldi@aol.com

Booking Agent: Kaethe Bierbach kbierbach@gmail.com

website: <http://friendlysquares-katonah-ny.angelfire.com/>

Friendly's priority is our class and our students. New dancers are our future! Many of our dances include Mainstream to give recent MS grads an opportunity to dance. Angels from all clubs are welcome to come to our Monday night classes, 7:30-10pm in Katonah. Sandy Corey is the caller/teacher, and we sometimes have 5 squares. Join the fun and support the students!

Grand Squares (A2/C1)

United Methodist Church, 44 Edgemont Rd, Katonah

President: Marie Gower 203-270-9676 mgower@cuddletime.com

Delegate: Rick Linden 845-226-5801 ralinden@optonline.net

Happy Footers (MS/Plus)

Youngsville School, 1818 Shandalee Rd, Youngsville 8-10.30pm

Presidents: Sharon & Earl Lilley 845-583-7749

hurdrdmom@aol.com

Delegates: Ginger & Leon Smith 845-583-1060

Booking Agents: Evelyn & Keith VanDermark 845-794-1807

Latham Circle Squares (MS/Plus)

Colonie Town Hall, 534 Loudon Rd, Latham 7pm - 9pm

President & Delegate: Janet Hempstead JanetNY2002@aol.com

Booking Agent: Florence Quigley 518-459-7185

e-mail: Lathamsquares@aol.com

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Motiv8ors (A2/C1)

Borough Hall, 355 Kinderkamack Rd, Oradell NJ

President: Chariss Smith 201-489-2498 charartist@aol.com

Booking Agent: Roberta Bruno 201-262-1570

RobertaCBruno@yahoo.com

website: <http://www.motiv8ors.njjsda.org/>

Mt. Peasant Squares (Plus)

Hawthorn Reformed Church, 65 Broadway, Hawthorn 8.00-10.15,
w' pre-rounds

Co-President: Chuck Wagner charles.f.wagner@us.army.mil

Co-President: Don McLeod 914-941-9213

Booking Agent: Norman Block 914-769-5037

website: <http://mtpleasant Squares-hawthorne-ny.angelfire.com/>

Pelham Promenaders (MS)

Christ the Redeemer Church, 1415 Pelhamdale Ave, Pelham Manor

President: Cynthia Rogers 718-652-3714 crogers15@verizon.net

VP & Delegate: George McNamara 914-232-3031

Booking Agent: Janice Shapiro 845-365-2521 shapirojj@gmail.com

website: <http://www.angelfire.com/planet/pelhampromenaders/index.html>

Pelham started this year with a very successful Open House. Now classes are in full swing with students learning the beginning Mainstream calls with our club caller and teacher, Don Coy. For those of you thinking of going to the 60th Annual Square Dance Convention in June, Pelham is chartering a bus to transport square dancers to Detroit and back. Contact members Phyllis Steele (914-968-7603) or Deborah Stubbs (718-320-5120) if you are interested in reserving a seat.

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R & R Rounds (Rounds II-V)

United Methodist Church, 44 Edgemont Rd, Katonah (7.30-9.30pm)
Leaders & Delegates: Rosina & Rick Wagenhoffer 914-592-4613
rwagenhoff@aol.com

We have a new dance location and day to hold our dances. You can find us on various Thursdays at the Katonah Methodist Church Hall. Also check our flyers for any additional dances to be held at the Irvington Presbyterian Church on various Mondays.

After 22 years of cueing and teaching round dancing, R&R will be retiring in 2011. We plan to become dancers spending the winter in Arizona and travel and dance around the country the balance of the year. We've made a lot of friends through dancing and we hope to see you again when we return to visit this area.

As always, happy dancing!!!

Rocking Roosters (Plus)

Edmund Town Hall, 45 Main St, Newtown, CT
President: Martha Millett 203-426-4817
Delegates: Noreen & Dan Foley 203-438-4590 dandnfoley@aol.com
Booking Agent: Calla Sellner 203-4236-6548 harvery@snet.net
website: <http://www.rockingroosters.org/>

Rockland Rockytops (MS/Plus)

West Nyack Firehouse, 45 Strawtown Rd, West Nyack
Presidents: Miriam & David Gurowsky 845-354-6351
jjgurumd@verizon.net
Delegate: Tony Baldino
Booking Agents: Marty & Beverly Millman 201-391-3592
mmillman@scidesign.com
website: <http://www.sqrdance.org/RocklandRockytops/>

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Single Funtimers (Plus)

United Methodist Church, Edgemont Rd, Katonah

President: Roberta Bengelsdorf 914-277-3309 robted@earthlink.net

Delegate: Dot Ferrine 914-271-1421

Booking Agent: Marie Gower 203-270-9676

mgower@cuddletime.com

Single Squares of Albany (MS/Plus)

Colonie Elks Lodge, 11 Elks Lane, Latham

President & Delegate: Earl Garnsey singlesquares@verizon.net

Booking Agent: Miriam Webster mwebster@nycap.rr.com

Times Squares (MS/Plus/A1/A2/C1/C2)

several locations in Manhattan -- www.TimesSquares.org

Tri-Mountain Squares

Seymour Smith Primary School, 2928 Church St, Pine Plains

President: Nancy Finkle 845-758-8372

Delegate: Eddy VanBuskirk 845-233-4221

Delegate: Ultan Johnson 845-339-0314 eltan15h@aol.com

Booking Agent: Gary Finkle

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HUDSON VALLEY COUNCIL CLUBS CALENDAR

January 1st -- Happy New Year !!

WEDNESDAY -- January 5th

Single Squares of Albany -- Dennis Visconti with Walter Wall

THURSDAY -- January 6th

R&R Rounds -- R&R Wagenhoffer (7.30-9.30, Katonah Church Hall)

FRIDAY -- January 7th

Single Funtimers -- Will Larsen(CT) & TBD

Rocking Roosters -- Stu Summers with Sue Lucibello

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Todd Fellegly

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

SATURDAY -- January 8th

Friendly Squares -- Ron McMurdy with R&R Wagenhoffer

SUNDAY -- January 9th

Pelham Promenaders -- Todd Fellegly

THURSDAY -- January 13th

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Fellegly

FRIDAY -- January 14th

Boots 'n' Bows -- Randy Roraback (squares & rounds)

Latham Circle Squares -- Helen Richardson with Dolores Randall
"Elvis Tribute"

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Betsy Gotta(NJ)

WEDNESDAY -- January 19th

Single Squares of Albany -- Walter Wall with Dolores Randall

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THURSDAY -- January 20th

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Fellegy

FRIDAY -- January 21st

Rocking Roosters -- Allen Brozak "Blast Off" (no rounds)

Single Funtimers -- TBD with Pat O'Donnell

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

SATURDAY -- January 22nd

Friendly Squares -- Betsy Gotta(NJ) and Roy Gotta(also NJ)

SUNDAY -- January 23rd

Pelham Promenaders -- Al Brozek

FRIDAY -- January 28th

Boots 'n' Bows -- Jim DeNigris with R&R Wagenhoffer

Latham Circle Squares -- Lenny Stratton with Dolores Randall

SUNDAY -- January 30th

Motiv8ors -- Todd Fellegy

WEDNESDAY -- February 2nd

Single Squares of Albany -- Cliff Brodeur with Maureen Wall

THURSDAY -- February 3rd

R&R Rounds -- R&R Wagenhoffer (7.30-9.30, Katonah Church)

FRIDAY -- February 4th

Rocking Roosters -- Bob Smith with Sue Lucibello

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Howard Richman

Single Funtimers -- Bill Mager with R&R Wagenhoffer

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

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FRIDAY -- February 11th

Boots 'n' Bows -- Bruce McCue & Pat O'Donnell

Latham Circle Squares -- Matt McGovern with Dolores Randall
"Valentine's Day"

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Fran Wadel "Student Dance"

SATURDAY -- February 12th

Friendly Squares -- Derek Page (no rounds!)

SUNDAY -- February 13th

Motiv8ors -- Betsy Gotta

Pelham Promenaders -- Stuart Summers

VALENTINE CAKE SALE

WEDNESDAY -- February 16th

Single Squares of Albany -- "Hip Boot Boys" with Dennis Visconti

FRIDAY -- February 18th

Rocking Roosters -- Dave Hass with Peg Millar

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

SATURDAY -- February 19th

THURSDAY -- February 24th

R&R Rounds -- R&R Wagenhoffer (7.30-9.30, Katonah Church Hall)

FRIDAY -- February 25th

Boots 'n' Bows -- Open Mic Nite w' Pat O'Donnell

Latham Circle Squares -- Cliff Brodeur with Dolores Randall
"Mardi Gras"

SATURDAY -- February 26th

Friendly Squares -- Todd Fellegly with R&R Wagenhoffer

Joint dance with **Single Funtimers**

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SUNDAY -- February 27th

Motiv8ors -- Todd Fellegly

Pelham Promenaders -- Don Coy "Blast Off Dance"

WEDNESDAY -- March 2nd

Single Squares of Albany -- Gloria Vivier with Dolores Randall

FRIDAY -- March 4th

Rocking Roosters -- Lenny Stratton with Sue Lucibello

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Mark Franks

Single Funtimers -- Bruce McCue(CT) with R&R Wagenhoffer

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

FRIDAY -- March 11th

Boots 'n' Bows -- Randy Roraback (squares & rounds)

Latham Circle Squares -- Ron McMurdy with Dolores Randall

"St. Patrick's Day"

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Roy Leber

SATURDAY -- March 12th

Friendly Squares -- Sandy Corey (no rounds)

STUDENT LEVEL ~~~ Bring Your New Dancers!

SUNDAY -- March 13th

Motiv8ors -- Betsy Gotta

Pelham Promenaders -- Howard Richman

"Birthdays & Anniversaries"

WEDNESDAY -- March 16th

Single Squares of Albany -- Betsy Gotta with Roy Gotta

FRIDAY -- March 18th

Rocking Roosters -- Will Larsen with Janet Summers

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

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THURSDAY -- March 24th

R&R Rounds -- R&R Wagenhoffer (7.30-9.30, Katonah Church Hall)

FRIDAY -- March 25th

Boots 'n' Bows -- Derek Page & R&R Wagenhoffer

Latham Circle Squares -- Ray Taylor with Dolores Randall

SATURDAY -- March 26th

Friendly Squares -- Roy Leber (no rounds)

SUNDAY -- March 27th

Motiv8ors -- Todd Fellegly

Pelham Promenaders -- Jim DeNigris

THURSDAY -- March 31th

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Fellegly

FRIDAY -- April 1st

Rocking Roosters -- Ron McMurdy with Sue Lucibello

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Ed Foote

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

SUNDAY -- April 3rd

Motiv8ors -- Dayle Hodge(MD)

WEDNESDAY -- April 6th

Single Squares of Albany -- Gene King (squares & rounds)

FRIDAY -- April 8th

Boots 'n' Bows -- Chris Pinkham(NH) with R&R Wagenhoffer

Joint dance w' **Single Funtimers** in Fishkill.

Latham Circle Squares -- Derek Page with Dolores Randall

"Think Spring"

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Don Coy

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SATURDAY -- April 9th

Friendly Squares -- Nick Martelacci

SUNDAY -- April 10th

Motiv8ors -- Ken Ritucci

Pelham Promenaders -- Roy Leber "Chinese Auction" (7-9.30pm)

FRIDAY -- April 15th

Rocking Roosters -- Bill Mager with Peg Millar

Single Funtimers -- TBD with R&R Wagenhoffer

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

SUNDAY -- April 17th

Motiv8ors -- Roy Leber

Pelham Promenaders -- Nick Martelacci

ANNUAL DINNER DANCE at

The Royal Regency Hotel, Yonkers, NY (6-10pm)

WEDNESDAY -- April 20th

Single Squares of Albany -- Bob LaBounty with Walter Wall

THURSDAY -- April 21st

R&R Rounds -- R&R Wagenhoffer (7.30-9.30, Katonah Church Hall)

FRIDAY -- April 22nd

Boots 'n' Bows -- NO DANCE -- Good Friday

Latham Circle Squares -- NO DANCE -- Good Friday

SATURDAY -- April 23rd

Friendly Squares -- NO DANCE -- Good Saturday(?ed)

WEDNESDAY -- April 27th

Single Squares of Albany -- Dave Hass with Maureen Wall

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April 29th & 30th

New England Square & Round Dance Convention

Biddeford, Maine

www.nesrdc.com

WEDNESDAY -- May 4th

Single Squares of Albany -- Chuck/Gerry Hardy with Dolores Randall

THURSDAY -- May 5th

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Felleggy

FRIDAY -- May 6th

Happy Footers -- Lucille Imes

Rocking Roosters -- Bob Smith with Sue Lucibello

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Rick Gittelman

Single Funtimers -- Dave Hass(CT) & Pat O'Donnell

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

FRIDAY -- May 13th

Boots 'n' Bows -- TBD

Latham Circle Squares -- Bill Ackerman with Dolores Randall

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Ken Ritucci

SATURDAY -- May 14th

Friendly Squares -- Todd Felleggy

SUNDAY -- May 15th

Pelham Promenaders -- Don Coy "Graduation Dance"

WEDNESDAY -- May 4th

Single Squares of Albany -- Cliff Brodeur with Jo Yakamowski

THURSDAY -- May 19th

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Felleggy

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FRIDAY -- May 20th

Happy Footers -- Stuart Summers

Rocking Roosters -- Allen Brozak with Jo Yakimowski "Calico Ball"

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

SUNDAY -- May 22nd

Motiv8ors -- Todd Fellegly

WEDNESDAY -- May 25th

Single Squares of Albany -- Red Bates with Dennis Visconti

THURSDAY -- May 26th

R&R Rounds -- R&R Wagenhoffer (7.30-9.30, Katonah Church Hall)

FRIDAY -- May 27th

Boots 'n' Bows -- Randy Roraback (squares & rounds)

Latham Circle Squares -- Matt McGovern with Dolores Randall

"New Grads Recognition"

SATURDAY -- May 28th

Friendly Squares -- Betsy Gotta(NJ) and Roy Gotta(also NJ)

WEDNESDAY -- June 1st

Single Squares of Albany -- Ken Ritucci with Walter Wall

FRIDAY -- June 3rd

Happy Footers -- Lucille Imes

Rocking Roosters -- Kevin Bersing with Sue Lucibello

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Roy Leber

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

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FRIDAY -- June 10th

Boots 'n' Bows -- Rick Gittelman(AZ) with R&R Wagenhoffer
Joint dance w' **Single Funtimers** in Fishkill.

Latham Circle Squares -- Gloria Vivier with Dolores Randall
"Red, White & Blue -- Flag Day"

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Nick Martellacci

SATURDAY -- June 11th

Friendly Squares -- Sandy Corey with R&R Wagenhoffer
YEAR-END DINNER DANCE

SUNDAY -- June 12th

Motiv8ors -- Don Moger(Canada)

Pelham Promenaders -- Wayne Applegate "Red White & Blue Dance"

WEDNESDAY -- June 15th

Single Squares of Albany -- Don Moger with Curt Worlock

FRIDAY -- June 17th

Happy Footers -- Roy Leber

WEDNESDAY -- June 22nd

Single Squares of Albany -- Red Bates with Dolores Randall

FRIDAY -- June 24th

Boots 'n' Bows -- TBD

Latham Circle Squares -- Bob LaBounty with Dolores Randall
"Red, White & Blue -- 4th of July"

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And finally some extra calendar for dances into July...

FRIDAY -- July 1st

Happy Footers -- Roy Leber

FRIDAY -- July 8th

Boots 'n' Bows -- TBD

Latham Circle Squares -- Bruce McCue with Dolores Randall
"Ice Cream"

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Sandy Corey

FRIDAY -- July 15th

Happy Footers -- Sandy Corey

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Bruce McCue

SUNDAY -- July 17th

Pelham Promenaders -- Ken Ritucci -- "Ice Cream Social"

FRIDAY -- July 22nd

Boots 'n' Bows -- Roy Leber with Pat O'Donnell