

HUDSON

VALLEY

DANCER

JANUARY to JUNE 2012

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.

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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 & Booking Agent: Pat O'Donnell patdance@aol.com  
Delegates: Janice & Jerry Alexander janice\_alexander99@yahoo.com  
Web-Person: George Vincelette geowise@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

## **Happy Footers** (MS/Plus)

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

Presidents: Sharon & Earl Lilley 845-583-7749

[hurdrdmom@aol.com](mailto: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](mailto: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://mtpleasantsquares-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: Dorothy Casa 914-738-3093 sqdancdot@optonline.net

Booking Agent: Dave Casa 914-738-3093

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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## **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](mailto:jjgurumd@verizon.net)

Delegate: Tony Baldino

Booking Agents: Marty & Beverly Millman 201-391-3592

[mmillman@scidesign.com](mailto:mmillman@scidesign.com)

website: <http://www.sqrdance.org/RocklandRockytops/>

## **Single Funtimers (Plus)**

United Methodist Church, Edgemont Rd, Katonah

President: Robert Scoralick 914-320-0626

Delegate: Dot Ferrine 914-271-1421

Booking Agent: Marie Gower 203-270-9676

[mgower@cuddletime.com](mailto:mgower@cuddletime.com)

Our Annual Picnic will be on Sunday August 26th.

## **Single Squares of Albany (MS/Plus)**

Colonie Elks Lodge, 11 Elks Lane, Latham

President & Delegate: Earl Garnsey [singlesquares@verizon.net](mailto:singlesquares@verizon.net)

Booking Agent: Miriam Webster [mwebster@nycap.rr.com](mailto:mwebster@nycap.rr.com)

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## **Tri-Mountain Squares**

Seymour Smith Primary School, 2928 Church St, Pine Plains

President: Nancy Finkle 845-758-8372

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

Booking Agent: Gary Finkle

The Hudson Valley Council would like to congratulate **Kay Caswell & Dan Plog** from the Tri-Mountain club who were selected as the Hudson Valley's Dancers of the Year.

A reminder that everyone's subscription was extended by a year when the Subscription Dance had to be canceled last year.

You will have to either buy a ribbon for this year's Subscription Dance, on May 6th 2012, or purchase a subscription to the Hudson Valley Dancer magazine to continue receiving it after this issue.

Subscriptions should be mailed to:

Janet Moss, Subscription Manager

63 Parkwood Blvd

Poughkeepsie NY 12603

If you need to contact Janet, her phone number and e-mail are on the front cover. ( It's 845-486-8666 and jmgypsy@gmail.com )

And, a reminder from the interim editor -- Clubs, please send me a note or e-mail when you elect new officers, so that I can update the data contained herein.

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## HUDSON VALLEY COUNCIL CLUBS CALENDAR

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### **FRIDAY -- January 6th**

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Roy Leber(PA)

Tri-Mountain -- Sandy Corey

### **SUNDAY -- January 8th**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Todd Felleggy(CT)

Pelham Promenaders -- Al Brozek & Peg Millar -- Chinese Auction

### **THURSDAY -- January 12th**

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Felleggy(CT)

### **FRIDAY -- January 13th**

Boots 'n Bows -- Derek Page & Pat O'Donnell

Latham Circle Squares -- Ken Ritucci & Dolores Randall

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

### **SATURDAY -- January 14th**

Friendly Squares -- Betsy Gotta(NJ) & Roy Gotta(NJ)

### **WEDNESDAY -- January 18th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Walter Wall & Dolores Randall

### **THURSDAY -- January 19th**

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Felleggy

### **FRIDAY -- January 20th**

Rocking Roosters -- Stu Summers & Janet Summers

Single Funtimers -- Will Larsen(CT) & Pat O'Donnell

Tri-Mountain -- Sandy Corey

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## **SUNDAY -- January 22nd**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Betsy Gotta(NJ)

Pelham Promenaders -- Mark Franks

Rocking Roosters -- Derek Page & Sue Lucibello -- 1-5pm

Snowflake Dinner Dance @ Stony Hill Inn, Bethel CT

## **THURSDAY -- January 26th**

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Felleggy

## **FRIDAY -- January 27th**

Boots 'n Bows -- Pat Push & Peg Millar

Latham Circle Squares -- Bruce McCue & Dolores Randall

Single Funtimers --

## **SATURDAY -- January 28th**

Friendly Squares -- Howard Richman(NJ) & no rounds.

## **SUNDAY -- January 29th**

Pelham Promenaders -- Al Brozek

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Todd Felleggy(CT)

## **WEDNESDAY -- February 1st**

Single Squares of Albany -- Cliff Brodeur & Maureen Wall

## **FRIDAY -- February 3rd**

Rocking Roosters -- Sandy Corey & Sue Lucibello

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Bruce McCue(CT)

Single Funtimers -- tbd

Tri-Mountain -- Ron McMurdy

## **FRIDAY -- February 10th**

Boots 'n Bows -- Nick Martellacci & Pat O'Donnell

Latham Circle Squares -- Matt McGovern & Dolores Randall

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Fran Wadel(NJ)



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## **SATURDAY -- February 11th**

Friendly Squares -- Roy Leber(PA) & no rounds

## **SUNDAY -- February 12th**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Betsy Gotta(NJ)

Pelham Promenaders -- Wayne Applegate

## **WEDNESDAY -- February 15th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Gloria Vivier & Maureen Wall

## **FRIDAY -- February 17th**

Rocking Roosters -- Will Larsen & Jo Yakimowski

Single Funtimers -- tbd

Tri-Mountain -- Sandy Corey

## **THURSDAY -- February 23rd**

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Fellegly(CT)

## **FRIDAY -- February 24th**

Boots 'n Bows -- Jim DeNigris & Pat O'Donnell

Latham Circle Squares -- Cliff Brodeur & Dolores Randall

## **SATURDAY -- February 25th**

Friendly Squares -- Ron McMurdy & no rounds.

## **SUNDAY -- February 26th**

Motiv8ors -- Dayle Hodge(MD)

Pelham Promenaders -- Don Coy -- Blastoff Dance

## **FRIDAY -- March 2nd**

Rocking Roosters -- Bob Smith & Jo Yakimowski

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Mark Franks(NJ)

Single Funtimers -- *Travel to Rockland Rockytops*

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

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## **SUNDAY -- March 4th**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Betsy Gotta(NJ)

## **WEDNESDAY -- March 7th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Helen Richardson & Dolores Randall

## **FRIDAY -- March 9th**

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

Latham Circle Squares -- Helen Richardson & Dolores Randall

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Howard Richman(NJ)

## **SATURDAY -- March 10th**

Friendly Squares -- Sandy Corey & no rounds -- Student Level

## **SUNDAY -- March 11th**

Pelham Promenaders -- Dan Koft & Peg Millar

## **FRIDAY -- March 16th**

Rocking Roosters -- Derek Page & Sue Lucibello

Single Funtimers -- *Travel to WASCA or Rocking Roosters*

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

## **SUNDAY -- March 18th**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Barry Clasper(Canada)

## **WEDNESDAY -- March 21st**

Single Squares of Albany -- Peter Weidman & Walter Wall

## **THURSDAY -- March 22nd**

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Felleggy(CT)

## **FRIDAY -- March 23th**

Boots 'n' Bows -- Don Coy & Pat O'Donnell

Latham Circle Squares -- Derek Page & Dolores Randall

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## **SATURDAY -- March 24th**

Friendly Squares -- tbd

## **SUNDAY -- March 25th**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Todd Fellego(CT)

Pelham Promenaders -- Stuart Summers -- Crazy Hats

## **THURSDAY -- March 29th**

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Fellego

## **FRIDAY -- March 30th**

Single Funtimers -- tbd

## **SUNDAY -- April 1st**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Todd Fellego(CT)

## **WEDNESDAY -- April 4th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Gene King (calling & cueing)

## **FRIDAY -- April 6th -- Good Friday**

Rocking Roosters -- Jim Schell & Anna McDoughall

## **FRIDAY -- April 13th**

Boots 'n Bows -- Stu Simmer & Janet Summers

Latham Circle Squares -- Mike Callahan & Dolores Randall

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Roy Leber(PA)

## **SATURDAY -- April 14th**

Friendly Squares -- Nick Martellacci

## **SUNDAY -- April 15th -- Tax Day !!**

Pelham Promenaders -- Jim Emory -- 7->9.30pm

## **WEDNESDAY -- April 18th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Betsy Gotta & Roy Gotta(NJ)

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## **THURSDAY -- April 19th**

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Felleggy(CT)

## **FRIDAY -- April 20st**

Happy Footers -- Roy Leber

Rocking Roosters -- Alan Brozek & no rounds -- Calico Ball

Single Funtimers -- tba

Tri-Mountain -- Sandy Corey

## **SUNDAY -- April 22nd**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- John Marshall(VA) -- C1 3-5pm, A2 7-9.30pm

Pelham Promenaders -- Ken Ritucci -- Dinner Dance 6-10pm

## **WEDNESDAY -- April 25th**

Single Squares of Albany -- "Hip Boot Boys" & Dolores Randall

**April 27-28-29**

## **New England Square Dance Convention in Hartford, Connecticut**

Visit "[www.nesrdc.org](http://www.nesrdc.org)" for information.

## **FRIDAY -- April 27th**

Boots 'n Bows -- Cancelled

Latham Circle Squares -- Bob LaBounty & Dolores Randall

## **SATURDAY -- April 28th**

Friendly Squares -- Dayle Hodge(MD) & no rounds

## **SUNDAY -- April 29th**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Dayle Hodge(MD)

## **WEDNESDAY -- May 2nd**

Single Squares of Albany -- Don Bachelder & Maureen Wall

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## **THURSDAY -- May 3rd**

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Felleggy

## **FRIDAY -- May 4th**

Happy Footers -- Stuart Summer & Janet Summers

Rocking Roosters -- Darrell Sprague & Sue Lucibello

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Rick Gittelman(AZ)

Single Funtimers -- *Travel to Rocking Roosters/Rockland Rockytops*

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

## **SUNDAY MAY 6th**

### **Hudson Valley Council's Subscription Dance**

**In New Windsor NY 2pm-5.30pm**

with Roy Leber(PA) and Pat O'Donnell & more !!

4 halls -- MS, Plus, Advanced and Student-Level.

## **FRIDAY -- May 11th**

Boots 'n' Bows -- tbd

Latham Circle Squares -- Gloria Vivier & Dolores Randall

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Sandy Corey(NY)

## **SATURDAY -- May 12th**

Friendly Squares -- Todd Felleggy(CT) & tbd

## **WEDNESDAY -- May 16th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Cliff Brodeur & Walter Wall

## **THURSDAY -- May 17th**

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Felleggy

## **FRIDAY -- May 18th**

Happy Footers -- Sandy Corey

Rocking Roosters -- Walter Bull & Jo Yakimowski

Single Funtimers -- tbd

Tri-Mountain -- Stuart Summers

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## **SUNDAY -- May 20th**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Roy Leber(PA)

Pelham Promenaders -- Don Coy -- Graduation Dance

## **WEDNESDAY -- May 23rd**

Single Squares of Albany -- Red Bates & Dolores Randall

## **FRIDAY -- May 25th**

Boots 'n' Bows -- tbd

Latham Circle Squares -- Ray Taylor & Maureen Wall

## **THURSDAY -- May 31st**

Grand Squares(A2) -- Todd Felleggy(CT)

## **FRIDAY -- June 1st**

Happy Footers -- Stuart Summers & Janet Summers

Rocking Roosters -- Dave Hass & Sue Lucibello

Rockland Rockytops(Plus) -- Howard Richman(NJ)

Single Funtimers -- tbd

Tri-Mountain Squares -- Sandy Corey

## **WEDNESDAY -- June 6th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Todd Felleggy(CT) & Jo Yakimowski

## **FRIDAY -- June 8th**

Boots 'n' Bows -- tbd

Latham Circle Squares -- Peter Weidman & Dolores Randall

Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Don Coy

## **SATURDAY -- June 9th**

Friendly Squares -- Sandy Corey & Ron McMurdy. No rounds.

End-of-Season Dance (not a dinner dance)

## **SUNDAY -- June 10th**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Don Moger(Canada)

Pelham Promenaders -- Nick Martellacci & Peg Millar

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## **FRIDAY -- June 15th**

Happy Footers -- Roy Leber

Rocking Roosters -- Kevin Bersing & Jo Yakimowski

## **WEDNESDAY -- June 20th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Ron Brown & Maureen Wall

## **FRIDAY -- June 22nd**

Boots 'n' Bows -- tbd

Latham Circle Squares -- Elaine Verderese & Dolores Randall

## **SUNDAY -- June 24th**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Roy Leber(PA)

June 27-30th National Square Dance Convention in Spokane Wash.

## **WEDNESDAY -- June 27th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Bob Stern & Dennis Visconti

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

## **FRIDAY -- July 6th**

Happy Footers -- tbd

## **SUNDAY -- July 8th**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Ken Ritucci(MA)

## **FRIDAY -- July 13th**

Latham Circle Squares -- Bill Ackerman & Dolores Randall  
Rockland Rockytops(MS) -- Dennis Reardon(PA)

## **SUNDAY -- July 15th**

Pelham Promenaders -- Jim Schell

## **WEDNESDAY -- July 18th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Ray Taylor & Walter Wall

## **FRIDAY -- July 20th**

Happy Footers -- Sandy Corey  
Rocking Roosters -- Stu Summers & Janet Summers

## **SUNDAY -- July 22nd**

Motiv8ors(A2) -- Dayle Hodge(MD)

## **WEDNESDAY -- July 25th**

Single Squares of Albany -- Matt McGovern & Dolores Randall