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NEWSLETTER

February '10

What a dance we had in January. Seems that everyone was as anxious as we were to get out and dance once the weather broke. We had 83 visitors and 17 members, not to mention 4 non-dancing guests. What a crowd! Good thing is, it was a great dance. Bad thing is, we have LOTS of repays to make.

On February 6th the NE KS Callers had their festival at Croco Hall in Topeka. Many thanks to those of you who traveled west to be with us. It was a great dance with 271 dancers in attendance. Your next opportunity to dance to these fine callers is the Tenderfoot dance on March 14th. This is geared to new dancers and will be all singing calls. It's a Sunday afternoon dance. Let me know if you need more information.

We've started a new set of lessons. Plus starts at 6 and MS at 7:30. We have 2 new students and they are very enthusiastic. I can't wait to get them out among us. We have 4 students for plus so it's gonna be a busy next few weeks. Little by little we're building the club with new members. If you know of anyone who might enjoy our activity, by all means talk to them about visiting either our dance or one of our social functions. Then when it comes time for the NEXT set of lessons, they will already know us and won't be so timid.

Thanks to the 13 members who traveled to Gardner, KS and stole the banner when I called there. It was really special to see so many of you on the floor. I truly appreciate the support.

The KS State dance will be held in Salina, KS, on June 4th and 5th. Nick Hartley will be the featured caller. I have registration forms available. Some of us have made our reservations at the Budget King Motel. Not pretty on the outside, but the rooms are clean and nice and the rate is very reasonable. The phone number and directions are on the back of the registration form. We'd love to have you come along. It will be great fun.

The Federation will be needing help with all kinds of tasks over the 2 day festival. If you are interested in taking a break and doing something useful, contact the staff. They will need ticket takers, greeters, and much more.

VISITATIONS

Past Visitations			
Jan	24	River City Squares	15
Feb	4	Shoal Creek Critters	10
Feb	12	Lotawana Sailors	10
Feb	13	Docey Dandies	14
Feb	20	Crosstrailers	3

Future Visitations			
*	Mar 06	Jacks 'n Queens (Mardi Gras)	
*	Mar 13	Silver Shoes	
#	Mar 20	Ramblers	
	Mar 26-27	Fed Dance	
*	Apr 03	Santa Fe Trailers	
*	Apr 10	Shooting Stars	
#	Steal a Banner (Be a little early, please)		
%	Retrieve Our Banner		
*	Repay a visit		

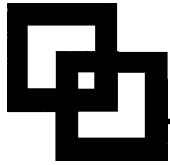
What a great job you are doing with our visitation schedule. Look at those numbers!! No matter what we have to do, you rise to the occasion and get the job done. And members of other clubs are noticing, as well. We've come a long way toward paying back our visits but we still have some work ahead of us. Thanks for your support.

Now would be a good time to mark your calendar for the KAMO Callers' Festival to be held in Lees' Summit on August 28th. It's a great way to end summer and kick off a new season of dancing!!

Our March dance is cancelled in deferance to the Federation Dance. I hope you will all try to attend. Tim Tyl is a super caller and a southern gentleman. I guarantee you will enjoy yourselves. Remember that appropriate square dance attire is required on the dance floor. Ladies, that does include the long skirts, just no slacks. Fellas, that means long sleeved shirts for you.

Happy
St Patrick's Day

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NEXT CLUB DANCE

February 26th
Canary Dance

To:

Believe it or not, we
 have no March birth-
 days or anniversaries.
 Have a wonderful
Spring!

Let's Go Dancing



Special Dances

Dances in blue sponsored by the club:

Mar	26-27	Fed Dance - Hall McCarter
Jun	3	Nick Hartley - 1st Bapt Church KC
Jun	4-5	KS State Convention - Salina, KS
Jun	12	Mike Hogan - Location TBA
Jul	9	Lanny Weaklend - 1st Bapt Church KC
Jul	16	Stan Brooke/Jay Wright/Lynn - 1st Bapt
Jul	23	Tom Roper - 1st Bapt Church KC
Jul	24	NW District - Location TBA
Aug	28	KAMO Festival - Delta Woods
Sep	22	Mike Sikorsky - 1st Bapt Church KC
Oct	10	Jerry Junck - 1st Bapt Church KC

Future Club Themes

Mar 26 - Cancelled for Fed Dance

Apr 23 - April Showers

May 26 - Hawaiian Dance

Summer Specials

We kick off our summer specials with a "trail thru" dance with Nick Hartley as he heads to Salina for the KS State Convention. June and July will be pretty busy and I hope you all put the dates on your calendars. These guys are all professionals who will not only put you through your paces, but will also entertain you.

In July, I'm doing a 3 caller special with 2 of my favorite callers. I am so excited to share the mic with these guys. And the best thing is, they aren't just good callers, they know how to have a good time. Please join the fun!