



# Be in our Squares

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## NEWSLETTER

## SUMMER 2019

What a nice way to end our official season. We had a really nice crowd. We have already returned 2 of the visits we owe from this dance and the other 2 are scheduled.

Eathel McNabb could use our continued prayers. She is still struggling with severe abdominal pain. She is also the main caregiver for her son who had 2 extensive back surgeries. Also, June Tygart is still struggling with no voice. If something doesn't change in the next few weeks, she is hoping to go to Mayos in a quest for answers. We hope these ladies will soon be 100%. Many of us have struggled with allergy related symptoms and we can only hope that the pollen counts drop soon and fast.

Our lessons are progressing nicely. Our very enthusiastic students are like a couple of sponges. We will hopefully be able to complete lessons by the end of June. We are encouraging them to go with us to Salina for the State Convention, as well as to Johnson, Nebraska for the "Summer Weekend Getaway" with Mike Hogan and Lanny Weakland. Are you planning to attend? Many of us stay at the Palmer House PH 402/274-3193.

Speaking of lessons, once we complete the current set, we will start another so if you have anyone who is interested, let them know. We won't set a specific date until we know exactly when this set will be completed. We also have dancers interested in Plus so we'll do that this time just prior to mainstream.

If you haven't turned in your NW Missouri visitation card to Carol Hershey, please do so by the end of this month. If you are visiting on your own, please be sure and get it documented so we can count all our visits. We have already turned in some of them so she can get a head start on calculations.

Our next club "Picnic" is scheduled for June 23rd at Carol Hershey's. Gather at noon and plan to eat at 1pm. At this time we will review the information June gathered for us on Springfield and see if we can schedule our annual club trip. The club will furnish the meat and we ask that you bring a vegetable, salad or dessert to share. This is the day we will also choose the themes for next year so bring your thinking cap. I'm hoping we can come up with some new ideas. It gets harder every year.

I will be calling the KS State Fall Jubilee in Wichita, November 30th, if you would like to put that on your calendar. Would be fun to have a square from our club in attendance.

### Past Visitations

May 21 Swinging Singles 10

### Future Visitations

May 31-June 1 KSDA Festival - Salina, KS

Aug 10 NW MO District Dance

%Aug 18 Savannah Sashayers (Dee Dee)

\* Sep 22 River City Squares

# Steal a Banner (Be a little early, Please)

% Retrieve Our Banner

\* Repay a Visit

The 2 clubs we still owe visits dance on the 4th Sunday and limit their summer dances. Savannah has DeeDee Dougherty coming in on the 3rd Sunday in August so I'm hoping that you will all plan to attend that one so we can get our banner back. DeeDee is a great caller and I'm sure you will enjoy her. I've also scheduled River City now in hopes you will put it on your calendar so we have enough when the time comes. I have not scheduled dances over the summer so that you are free to enjoy your summer activities. Of course, I hope you will support our various summer specials. They are all casual if you wish and we don't do refreshments. There will be coffee and ice water but that's all. Take advantage of the easy nights and join us. For those of you who are new to the club, everybody pays for the special dances.

Don't forget the Summer Weekend Getaway with Lanny and Mike, July 19th and 20th.

We have such a wonderful group of people among our membership. I feel so very lucky and blessed to be your caller. It seems that no matter what is needed for the club, somebody steps up and takes care of it. You handle all the details at our dances, help with my equipment, take the money at the door, make our visitors feel welcome and support the visitation program, just to name a few. I can't thank you enough for all you do to keep our club a success. That doesn't happen by accident and it takes more than a decent caller. Thank you all for your dedication and support.

Have a wonderful summer!

*Lynn*



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TO:

**NEXT CLUB DANCE**

*Summer Specials*

**Birthdays**

**June**

- 2—CoraLynne VanBebber
- 6 - Siobhan Champ-Blackwell
- 18 - Lynn Nelson
- 27 -June Tygart

**July**

- 1 - Dorothy Claussen
- 18—Tammy Craig
- 25—David Gray
- 28—Eathel McNabb

**August**

- 5—Mary Prather

**Anniversaries**

**July**

- 24—Tom and Cindy Hollinberger

**August**

- 13—Claude and Carol Burch
- 14—Jim and Kim Sincox

*Happy birthday and  
 Happy Anniversary from  
 Your friends at BNR Squares*

**Special Dances**

Dances in blue sponsored by the club:

- May 31– Jun 1 KSDA Convention  
(Mike Hogan calling)
- Jun 15 Lanny Weaklend
- Jul 12 Mike Hogan
- Jul 19 - 20 Summer Weekend Getaway
- Jul 26 - 28 HASSDA
- Aug 3 KAMO Callers' Festival
- Aug 9 Jeff Holley
- Aug 10 NW MO District
- Aug 17 Jerry Junck
- Sept 18 Mike Sikorsky

*Club Trip*

June Tygart has gathered information about going to Springfield for our club trip. We will be reviewing that at our club picnic on June 23rd. We can try to find a dance in the area while we are there if that is your preference.

If anyone has other ideas, we'd love to hear them. After all, this is YOUR club.

**Future Themes**

- Sept 13 Vacation T-shirts (Lynn/Deborah)
- Start thinking of themes for next season!