

**The Missouri Federation of Square 'N  
Round Dance Clubs**

2023

# Northeast District Handbook



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DISTRICT DANCE – **April 15, 2023**, Trinity United Methodist Church 300 S Main St Brookfield, MO

## Northeast District Past Presidents

2018-2022	Matt and Pat Auriene	Little Dixie Squares
2016-2017	Mary Sue Darwent	Little Dixie Squares
2014-2015	Terry and Annette Thornhill	Tiger Squares / Little Dixie Squares
2013	Nancy Wheeler	Little Dixie Squares
2012	Marilyn Graham	Capital City Squares
2010-2011	Mary Sue Darwent	Little Dixie Squares
2008 -2009	George and Cleva Roth	Beaux & Belles
2007	Nancy Wheeler	Little Dixie Squares
2006	Nancy Wheeler	Little Dixie Squares
2005	Mary Sue Darwent	Little Dixie Squares
2004	Nancy Stull	Tiger Squares
2002-2003	Mary Sue Darwent	Little Dixie Squares
2001	Terry and Annette Thornhill	Tiger Squares
2000	Leland and Mary Moyer	Beaux & Belles
1999	Dallas and Nancy Wheeler	Little Dixie Squares
1998	Vera Albert	Capital City Squares
1997	Kenneth and Loretta Moore	Dudes & Dames
1996	George and Cleva Roth	Beaux & Belles
1995	Dallas and Nancy Wheeler	Little Dixie Squares
1994	Jim and Eloise Riley	Huffs & Puffs
1993	Howard and Harriet Platz	Beaux & Belles
1992	Bud and Maxine Edwards	Little Dixie Squares
1991	Jim and Carol Charlton	Callaway Calicoes
1990	Don and Bernita Buck	Amigos
1989	Fritz and Phyllis Goelzenleuchter	Amigos
1988	Harold and Bessie Hune	Circle Bobs
1987	Keith and Mary Botkins	Little Dixie Squares
1986	Orville and Wilda Stieferman	Circle Bobs

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## Northeast District Club Summary

<b>Club Location</b>	<b>Members</b>	<b>Club Formed</b>	<b>Dance Date &amp; Time</b>	<b>Club Caller</b>
<b>Beaux&amp;Belles</b> Blees Room 1404 S Missouri St Macon, MO	16	1953	Every other Saturday 7:00-9:30 PM	Merle Hall
<b>Capital City Squares</b> Capital Ritz 2716 Plaza Dr, Jefferson City, MO	19	1971	Once a month 7:30-10 PM	Guest Callers
<b>Country Squares</b> Canton Community Center 210 N 7 <sup>th</sup> St Canton, MO	26	2002	First and Third Mondays 7-9 PM	Dave Roush
<b>Little Dixie Squares</b> Trinity Methodist Church 101 S 4 <sup>th</sup> Street Moberly, MO	44	1970	Every other Saturday 7:00-9:30 PM	Leroy Conrad
<b>Peppy Promenaders</b> Grand River Mulit-Purpose Center 607 West Business 36 Chillicothe, MO	17	1976	Fourth Saturday 7:00-9:30 PM	Don Boyer
<b>Tanglefoot Squares</b> Trinity United Methodist Church 300 S Main St Brookfield, MO	59	1976	First and third Saturdays 7:00-9:30 PM	Leroy Conrad

## Beaux & Belles, Macon, MO

<http://www.belles.squaredancemissouri.com/>

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### 2023 Dance Schedule

Dance every other Saturday  
7-9:30 pm  
Blees Room  
Macon, Mo

For additional information or special dances please checkout  
[www.squaredancemissouri.com](http://www.squaredancemissouri.com) or  
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/120357551730873>  
or call club president  
Look for our special **Campout** in July

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<http://www.capital.squaredancemissouri.com/>

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<b>District Delegate</b> Name Address	Phone Email Address

### 2023 Dance Schedule

Dance once a month 7:30 -10:00 pm Capital Ritz Jefferson City, Mo For additional information or special dances please checkout <a href="http://www.squaredancemissouri.com">www.squaredancemissouri.com</a> or call club president
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## Country Squares – Lewistown, MO

<http://www.countrysquares.squaredancemissouri.com/>

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### 2023 Dance Schedule

**1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Mondays** of each month **7-9 PM** at Canton Community Center 210 N 7<sup>th</sup> Street, Canton, MO  
NOTE: This is a small club and do not always have enough to dance. Call before making a trip to dance.  
For information contact 660-248-5131 or 573-248-5805

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<http://www.dixie.squaredancemissouri.com/>

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### 2023Dance Schedule

Dance every other Saturday

7-9:30 pm

Trinity United Methodist Church

Moberly, Mo

For additional information or special dances please checkout

[www.squaredancemissouri.com](http://www.squaredancemissouri.com)

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/511341019698328>

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## 2023 Dance Schedule

Dance 4 <sup>th</sup> Saturday of the month 7-9:30 pm Grand River Multi Purpose Senior Center Chillicothe, Mo For additional information or special dances please checkout <a href="http://www.squaredancemissouri.com">www.squaredancemissouri.com</a> <a href="https://www.facebook.com/people/Peppy-Promenaders-Square-Dance-Club-of-Chillicothe-Mo/100064879232312">https://www.facebook.com/people/Peppy-Promenaders-Square-Dance-Club-of-Chillicothe-Mo/100064879232312</a> or call club president
Casual Dress – June, July & Aug Look for our Special <b>Kicks on 36</b> in September and our <b>New Year's Eve</b> dance!

# Tanglefoot Squares - Brookfield, MO

<http://www.tanglefoot.squaredancemissouri.com/>

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## 2023 Dance Schedule

<p>Dance 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month          7-9:30 pm          Trinity United Methodist Church          Brookfield, Mo</p> <p>For additional information or special dances please checkout  <a href="http://www.squaredancemissouri.com">www.squaredancemissouri.com</a>  <a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/441067499765941">https://www.facebook.com/groups/441067499765941</a>          or call club president</p>
<p>Watch for location- <b>-Three locations</b>          *** Casual Wear- June, July, Aug          Look for our Special Dances <b>Hog Roast</b> in March and <b>Kicks on 36</b> in September</p>

# **Northeast District Constitution and By-Laws**

## **ARTICLE I**

The name of this Organization shall be the Northeast District of the Missouri Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs. The Executive Committee, the Board of Directors, the committee members, and membership of the organization are all voluntary positions.

## **ARTICLE II -PURPOSE**

1. To promote Square and Round Dancing as a recreational activity of the highest standard.
2. To provide for member clubs promotion and organizational assistance.
3. To encourage, support, and assist the member clubs in their efforts toward developments and advancement.
1. To promote and organize an annual District Dance and other district activities as the Board of Directors decides.

## **ARTICLE III -MEMBERSHIP**

1. Membership in the Organization shall be composed of clubs throughout the District whose annual dues are paid.
2. Clubs wishing to apply for membership in the Northeast District shall meet the following qualifications:

### **APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP MUST CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING:**

- a) Club name, dance site, and dance date.
  - b) List of club officers with addresses, e-mails and phone numbers.
  - c) Name and address, phone number and email of club representatives to the District. Add e-mails and phone numbers.
  - d) Number of dues-paying members must be at least eight (8) people.
3. The regular club caller is not eligible as representative unless the club is a caller-run club; then the club may send two members as representatives, one of which may be the caller.
  4. In order to become a member club, all applications must be approved by the Board of Directors. Renewal membership dues must be submitted annually to the District by November 1 and are delinquent January 1. Member clubs who are delinquent are ineligible to vote at the District meeting until dues are paid.
  5. The club membership fee will be the sum total of the state and district dues.

## **ARTICLE IV - OFFICERS AND THEIR DUTIES**

1. Officers of this District shall be elected by the Board of Directors during a meeting to be held in September and shall serve from January 1 to December 31.
2. A vacancy in any office shall be filled by a vote of the Board of Directors at their next meeting.
3. A member of the Executive Committee of the District shall be ineligible to vote as a representative from their member club during the term of office.
4. Officers shall be President, Vice President, Second Vice President, Secretary, and Treasurer.
  - A. The President, subject to the direction of the Board of Directors, shall have general responsibility over the affairs of the District and shall preside at all meetings. The President shall be an ex-officio member of all committees. The President shall perform such other duties as are usually incident upon the office of the President. The President shall oversee the making of a packet containing the listing of each club, their officers, their representatives, the club caller, and the total number of members to the February meeting of the State Federation. The President may delegate this job to the Secretary.
  - B. The Vice Presidents, in their order respectively, shall, in the absence of the President, perform all duties of the office. Duties also include education, publicity, and inter-club communication.

- C. The Secretary shall keep the minutes of all meetings, shall notify directors of all meetings, shall be responsible for any correspondence delegated by the President, Executive Committee, or Board of Directors, and shall mail a copy of the minutes to each member of the Board of Directors. On direction from the President, the Secretary will send to the State Secretary names and addresses of all District clubs and club presidents, district president and officers, the three delegates to the State, and total number of paid members of each club.
- D. The Treasurer shall have custody of all funds and accounts. The Treasurer shall make a report of the financial condition of the District at each meeting. The Treasurer's books shall be available at any reasonable time for inspection by the Executive Committee, Board of Directors or their designates. An annual report for presentation at the January meeting shall include all District business through December 31 of the year preceding the meeting. At the last meeting of the current fiscal year, an audit committee of two members shall be appointed by the Executive Committee, or if deemed necessary, a certified public accountant, to examine the books for the current fiscal year. The books shall be audited after the December bank statement is received and before the January meeting.

The District's funds shall be deposited by the Treasurer in the name of the Northeast District of the Missouri Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs in the depositories covered by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation and can be disbursed only over the signatures of the Treasurer and/or President.

- E. The delegates to the State Federation shall be the President, Immediate Past President, and a third member to be appointed by the President, for a total of three (3) votes.

#### **ARTICLE V- EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE**

1. The Executive Committee shall consist of the elected officers and the Immediate Past President.
2. The Executive Committee shall carry out projects authorized by the Board of Directors.
3. A quorum of the Executive Committee shall be two-thirds of the committee members.

#### **ARTICLE VI- APPOINTIVE COMMITTEES**

1. The President, with the approval of the Executive Committee, may appoint such committees as deemed necessary.
2. All committees shall be relieved of their duties at the end of the calendar year in which they are appointed, except the audit committee. All committees and officers, upon their relief, shall turn over to the new incoming committees and officers all records and papers. All records shall be retained for a minimum of five (5) years.

#### **ARTICLE VII- BOARD OF DIRECTORS AND THE MEETINGS**

The Board of Directors shall consist of the members of the Executive Committee, the Past President, and two (2) representatives from each member club. Each position has one (1) vote.

No person shall serve in more than one (1) position on the Board of Directors.

1. A vacancy created on the Board of Directors by the election of a representative to the Executive Committee shall be filled by the club affected.
2. There shall be at least three (3) meetings: January, May, and September. Additional meetings may be called if necessary. The time and place of meetings will be determined by the Board of Directors.

3. Notices of meetings and agenda of all business known to the Executive Committee shall be e-mailed, or mailed to each member of the Board of Directors, at least two (2) weeks before the meeting.
4. Special meetings of the Board of Directors may be called by the President or by written petition to the Executive Committee by at least two (2) member clubs. Failure by the Executive Committee to comply within fifteen (15) days to properly petitioning clubs' request to call a special meeting shall qualify petitioning clubs to call a special meeting.
5. A majority vote or 51% of the members present may pass or defeat any legislation at a meeting, except for ARTICLE XI, which regulates Constitution and By-Laws changes.

### **ARTICLE VIII- NOMINATIONS OF CANDIDATES FOR OFFICE**

1. There shall be a Nominating Committee consisting of one (1) member from each club in the District. Each club shall appoint who will be on the Nominating Committee and notify the Board of Directors by July 31. The Nominating Committee shall present the slate of nominees at the September meeting.
2. Nominations may also be made from the floor at the September meeting.
3. Consent of each nominee must be obtained before his/her name is presented.

### **ARTICLE IX- DISTRICT DANCE**

1. The Annual Northeast District Dance shall be held the third Saturday in April, except for years when Easter falls on the same weekend.
2. The First Vice President shall be responsible for obtaining the callers and cuers.
3. The Second Vice President shall be responsible for inviting State Officers and other District Presidents to the dance.
4. The Secretary shall be responsible for advertising by placing ads in the DOIN'S, online websites, and other square and round dance newsletters and by distributing fliers.
5. The Treasurer shall be responsible for collecting all money, paying all bills, and depositing all receipts.

### **ARTICLE X**

1. The rules contained in the "Robert's Rules of Order, Revised" shall govern the Organization in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these By-Laws or Special Rules of Order.

### **ARTICLE XI**

1. The Constitution and By-Laws may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Directors present. The Board of Directors shall be notified by the Secretary, IN WRITING of the proposed amendment change at least thirty (30) days prior to the meeting during which it is to be voted on.

## **ARTICLE XII**

1. This Constitution and By-Laws, when approved by the Board of Directors, supersedes any and all previous Constitution and By-Laws and their amendments.

*Constitution and By-Laws adopted 2/19/2017*

### **Northeast District Working Rules**

1. Dues from each member club must be paid by November 1 and will be delinquent January 1. The amount to be paid totals \$17, \$10 for State and \$7 for District, to take effect in 2011.
2. Badges will be purchased by the District for new Executive Board members who do not already have a badge. Bars will be purchased for the current Executive Board.
3. The President oversees the booklet and the list of who should receive packets for both District and State Board Members.

### **Guidelines for Student Participation**

1. Students are always welcome to the sponsoring club's dances to visit and observe the dancing. After a student reaches the halfway point through lessons (or class has had their own halfway dance), he/she may participate in student tips.
2. Students are eligible to attend other club halfway, three-quarter, graduation, or specific dances to which they are invited at any time. (There is no blanket welcome to all our dances).
3. Student attendance at other club regular dances prior to graduation is not discouraged; however, if they do travel prior to graduation, preferably with a club member, it is with the understanding that they cannot participate in all dances-only those designated as student tips.

All students are encouraged to visit home club dances to mingle and get to know club members. As stated above, they may participate only in student tips until after graduation.

*Approved 01-17-2010*



## **Northeast District Guidelines for the Traveling Banner**

1. Each club is permitted to have two (2) traveling banners. The banners may be given out at the discretion of the club. It is recommended that personal items not be used as substitutes when the banners are not available.
2. The traveling banner shall resemble, as nearly as possible, the original club banner.
3. The size shall be no larger than 24" x 24".
4. The traveling banners which have been captured, plus the club's traveling banner (if available), shall be displayed at all club dances.
5. Eight (8) people from the same club is the minimum number required for capturing another club's traveling banner. The same number of people is required for recapture also.
6. In such cases where two or more clubs have present equal numbers of people, the club which traveled the farthest distance claims the traveling banner.
7. The traveling banners may be displayed at club festivals or special dances but may or may not be captured or recaptured.
8. Only clubs outside the Northeast District that are participating in a similar program will be permitted to capture traveling banners from within this District.
9. A club may capture only their banner or the host club banner but not both. They may not capture any other club banner.
10. Dancers belonging to more than one club can represent only one club on any given date.
11. Only paying club members should be counted in capturing or retrieving a banner. Students may be counted when attending a dance to which students have been invited (i.e., a halfway dance).
12. After a club has held another Northeast District club's banner for three (3) months, that club has the option to take a square of their members and return the banner, with said square being admitted free as a "penalty" for them having to return the banner.

**11/15/09**

# Missouri Federation of Square and Round Dance clubs, Inc.

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## The Missouri Federation of Square 'N Round Dance Clubs

### 20\_\_ Square Dancers of the Year Nomination Form

**Deadline: August 1. Nomination may be made for an individual or a couple for the award.**

**Nominee(s) Information:**

**Name(s):** \_\_\_\_\_ **Member of** \_\_\_\_\_ **Club**

**Address:**

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-Mail:**

Describe why the nominee(s) should be recognized with this award: (and attach a picture)

List the accomplishments related to square/round dancing achieved by nominee(s)

Federated club submitting the nomination:

Name of Club Contact:

Address of Club Contact:

**Signatures of at least two supporting club presidents from the nominating district.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
President Club Name President Club Name

**District Endorsement:**

As President of the \_\_\_\_\_ District, I / we confirm the endorsement of the nomination of  
(nominee) \_\_\_\_\_ to be considered for the 20\_\_\_\_ Square Dancer of the  
Year Award.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of the District President Date

## Criteria for Square Dancer of the Year Award

1. Recipient(s) must be a current member of a club affiliated with The Missouri Federation of Square and Round Dance Clubs, Inc.
2. All dancers, regardless of the number of years they have been dancing, are eligible for this award.
3. The recipient(s) must be nominated by the district president of which the nominee's club is a member and supported by at least two (2) presidents of affiliated clubs (or representatives to the district, if the club has no president) from the nominating district. The nominations will close August 1st of that year, and the nominations will not be held over to the following year.
4. Each person is eligible to receive this award only once.
5. Nominations will consist of a one-page submission containing the following:
  - a) Name of nominee
  - b) Address and phone number of nominee
  - c) Name of federation club submitting the nomination
  - d) Name, address, and phone number of a contact within the club
  - e) A paragraph describing why the nominee should be recognized
  - f) A list of accomplishments related to square / round dancing achieved by the nominee
  - g) An endorsement by the District of which the club is a member.

### **Suggested Guidelines for Clubs / Districts to Follow in Making Nominations**

1. Recipient(s) demonstrate good sportsmanship, citizenship, integrity, and ethics that are becoming of a good square or round dancer.
2. Recipient(s) promote the well-being of square or round dancing through participation in activities associated with the conduct of club business.
3. Recipient(s) promote the well-being of square or round dancing by supporting club activities and lessons.
4. Recipient(s) unselfishly assist at club dances by sharing functions, such as kitchen duty, food serving, and setup and breakdown of facilities to ensure that they are accomplished in a timely and considerate manner.
5. Recipient(s) promote square and round dancing when possible by participating with other dancers in such activities as demonstration dances, parades, fairs, or other community events in an effort to inspire interest and growth in square and round dancing.
6. Recipient(s) volunteer to participate when possible as square or round dancers while providing service or entertainment to residents in health or residential care facilities. Other examples of volunteer activities include participating in school education programs, toys for tots, assisting with special dances to raise money for charitable causes, or any other charitable cause or function requiring the services of volunteers.



# NORTHEAST DISTRICT DANCE

*Saturday, April 15, 2023*

***Let's Go On A  
Dancing Spree in 2023***

***Colors: Denim and Lace***

***District and Visiting Callers***

***Methodist Church Fellowship Center  
224 S. Main St., Brookfield, MO***

***Opening / Grand March 6:00 PM  
Dance follows until 9:00 PM***

***MS/Plus/Lines/Rounds -***

***As callers/curers are available***

***Resale Shop***

