



Tualatin Valley Council (TVC) 2018-04-23

Meeting was held at Old Spaghetti Factory,
18925 NW Tanasbourne Drive, Hillsboro, OR 97124
The meeting started about 7:00 and adjourned about 8:00
<http://www.tualatinvalleycouncil.org>

Attendees:

Delegates:

Columbia River Dancers: Dale & Nancy Smith (absent)
Eager Beavers: Kay Rogers, Ken Marifke
Hayshakers: Judy Martin, Kathy Worthington
Hoedowners: Mike Duyck, Rhoda Reinking (Rhoda absent)
Mix 'n' Mingle: Rick and Robin Faltersack
R Square D: Mary McDaniel, Marv Pope
Sunset Promenaders: Tom Sminia, Mike St. Clair
Toe Draggers: Linda Curtis
Tri Squares: Alice Hendricks (absent), Frank Collett
Tualatin Timber Squares: Marleigh Alexander (absent)
Valley Squares: Bea Cook, Joy Choy
Wave Steppers: Bob Allen

Officers, Elected & Appointed:

President: Dale Brabham
Treasurer: Joanne Switzer
State Delegate: Jim Rogers
Past-President of the TVC: Gary Clark
Insurance Chair: Kay Rogers
President of OFSRDC: Kathy Roberts
Oregon Federation Youth Advisor: Kathy Roberts
Caller Advisor: K.C. Curtis
Cuer Advisor: Kenneth Pratt (absent)
Alternate State Delegate and PAC Representative: Mary Schneider
TVC Webmaster: Tim Roberts (absent)
Vice-President: Kathy Roberts
Secretary: Andis Garuts
Sunshine Chair: Janice Sminia
OFN Area Editor: Ferrous Steinka (absent)

Visitors Attending:

Joyce Clark (Sunset Promenaders)
Garrett Hoerer (Eager Beavers, Valley Squares)
Jeff Knapp (Rosetown Ramblers (PAC))
Steve LeBlanc (Sunset Promenaders)
Tammy LeBlanc (Sunset Promenaders)
Doug Morgan (Hoedowners)
Dorothy Reed (Eager Beavers, Valley Squares)
Candy St. Clair (Sunset Promenaders)
Judy Schnase (Sunset Promenaders)
Dale Worthington (Hayshakers)

TVC Officer Reports:

Previous Council meeting minutes approved as written.

President's report: (Dale Brabham)

Several of our clubs will be having new Delegates soon: Dorothy Reed (Eager Beavers), Doug Morgan (Hoedowners), and Steve LeBlanc (Sunset Promenaders).

A TVC Ambassador Badge is being presented to Robert Allen.

Since the fourth Monday in May is Memorial Day, we are scheduling the next TVC Meeting for June 18, at the Old Spaghetti Factory. There will be no TVC Meeting in May.

Vice President's report: (Kathy Roberts)

June 22-24 Summer Festival in Grants Pass. Featured caller Dan Nordbye, Featured Cuers Steve and Judy Storm. I have ribbons if anyone would like to purchase one.

June 30th, 2018 (5th Saturday), Mainstream to Advanced, Aloha Grange, Scott Zinser calling, Jeanine Norden cueing. 1 hour Mainstream & Level 2-3 Rounds w/Plus intro, 1 hour Plus & Level 3-5 Rounds w/Advanced intro. Co-hosted by the Valley Squares.

August 12th, 2018 (Sunday) Hahn Farm Picnic and Barn Dance, Jim Hattrick calling, Connie Clark cueing, picnic starts at 5:30 p.m., Pre-rounds at 6:30 p.m., Mainstream and Rounds at 6:45 with one Plus tip. **This dance is still available if a club would like to co-host.**

September 29, 2018 (Saturday) Tri-Council Dance PAC hosting.

December 31, 2018 (Monday) New Years Eve Dance, Hillsboro IOOF Hall, Darrell Kalmbach calling, Randy Lewis cueing. 9:00 p.m. – 12:15 a.m. Our break will be a Dessert and Fruit Bar. Co-hosted by the Eager Beavers and Sunset Promenaders.

We have had a very busy month since our last Meeting. Our Spring Fling Dance on March 31 was very well attended with about 93 dancers. There was also a special Mystery Trip visitation from the Lebanon Square Circlers. They brought 30 people with them. Thank you, Tualatin Timber Squares, for co-hosting this dance. I hope everything went well for your club. Thank you also TVC for supporting this dance. The food was plentiful, the dancing was great and the people were fantastic.

On April 7, we had a visitation to the Valley Squares, while our TVC attendance was lighter than usual, they had a great overall attendance of 135! Yes – that's right!! 135!!! WOW! It was a great dance and a lot of fun dancing with the students and the group from Kirkland, WA. Our next visitation was to R Square D where we had another dance attendance with 125 dancers, callers and cuers. I'm sorry that I was unable to attend this dance – It sounded fun. Sadly, Mary has fined me \$3 for missing – I will gladly pay up tonight since I was really sorry to miss the dance. Last Sunday we had another visitation to the Eager Beavers for their Anniversary Dance where we had another 125 dancers! I made it to the dance for a few minutes and was sorry that I had to leave early – it looked like it was a lot of fun!!

We have two more chances this spring to beat our highest Anniversary Attendance of 135! I know we can do it!! Our first opportunity will be on Wednesday, April 25 with the Tualatin Timber Squares where they are busy planning their 2nd Anniversary Party and hope you can come celebrate with them! They are a small club and would appreciate it if some of you would bring a dessert to share during their break.

Our last opportunity to support our club anniversary visitations will be on May 18th with the Hayshakers in Warrenton. They will be celebrating their 66th Anniversary this year. As you know, their dance attendance has been really low and they have had to cancel some dances due to small numbers. I would really like to encourage you to head out to the beach on May 18th. Our two small

clubs at the beach really need our support as they are struggling. If you want to spend the night in the Astoria area, it is beautiful and peaceful and a great place to relax after a fun, full evening of dancing.

Last month I asked for all of the clubs to send me their updated TVC Directory information so that I can have the bulk of it finished before Judy take over as Vice President next month. Thank you to the four clubs who sent me your information. Hopefully the rest of you will be able to send it to me this week. I know at least 2 clubs have not had their elections yet. Just send me the information again when you have it. If you would like to check out your information on the current directory, you can check your information out at: <http://www.tualatinvalleycouncil.org/files/2017-2018-TVC-Directory.pdf>.

Please send me a list of your Jamborees so that I can update our list and publish our Lessons and Jamboree "Refrigerator" flyer. If you know when your next set of lessons will start, please send them to me. The Valley River Dancers will be added to the next update.

Last month, I gave you the list of possible TVC dance dates for 2019 for you to consider and take back to your clubs. I've distributed a questionnaire for you to give us your opinions on the March 30th, August 31st, November 30, and December 31 dances. We will take your answers into consideration as we plan the following dances.

March 30, 2019 (Saturday)

June 29, 2019 (Saturday)

August 31, 2019 (Saturday)

November 30, 2019 (Saturday)

December 31, 2019 (Tuesday)

Delegates, please remember to take your club flyers from the box back to your clubs. Please post all of them in your hall if you have an area where you can display other club flyers. It is sad to go into a hall where you know the delegates have received your flyers, but your flyers are not on their wall.

And finally, but very important – TVC – it is so thrilling to see how you are supporting each other on our Anniversary Visitations – it has really a great honor working with and dancing with you and your clubs these last couple of years as the TVC Vice President. I have had a couple of clubs tell me that they will be able to continue to operate another year thanks to TVC working together to support each other on these visitations and that is all thanks to you! I'll be turning the office over to Judy next month and I know you will all support her efforts in helping to promote your clubs, too.

Treasurer's report: (Joanne Switzer)

The computer that is being used by the TVC Treasurer needs to be replaced. If anyone knows of a computer that the TVC can use for Treasurer's work, please let Joanne know.

Dues are due: \$27.00 (State dues - \$20.00 and TVC dues - \$7.00). Please write one check for both amounts together; checks are payable to the TVC for \$27.00. Please submit to Joanne.

Savings balance: \$10,584.91

Checking balance: \$898.12

Cashbox: \$50.00

Spring Fling Dance:

Door/Split the Pot Income: \$665.00

Caller/cuer/hall expense: \$242.50

A check was sent to Tualatin Timber Squares for \$284.38.

Net profit: \$139.12.

Secretary report: (Andis Garuts) No report.

State Delegates report: (Jim Rogers)

Membership cover letter for all Federated clubs:

April 10, 2018

Dear Square Dance Club,

This instruction sheet will discuss the method of completing the Club Directory form online. These forms are to be filled out after your club has its election of officers. Using your computer, go online to www.squaredance.gen.or.us. On the left is a listing for Membership Forms. Under that listing is one for Club Info. Choose that option and follow the instructions to complete the form. Please verify the accuracy of the information you enter.

The information your club provides will be used to create the State Directory and update the Where and When section of the Oregon Federation News (OFN). Remember the State Directory is printed and distributed in September and therefore, your information should reflect the officers that will be in effect at that time.

BE SURE TO INCLUDE YOUR TAX IDENTIFICATION NUMBER AND FILL OUT THE NON-PROFIT VERIFICATION INFORMATION on the online form.

The fees for State are: Each club and council pays \$20.00 State dues. (Any council dues will vary and will be handled by the individual councils.)

Please make check payable to your Area Council and send to your Area Delegate before Summer Festival State Meeting, June 24, 2018.

Sincerely,

Patty Cooper
State Membership Chairman
1416 Arizona Street
Port Orford, OR 97465
541-447-1753
coopercuer@aol.com

The Federation is looking for someone to host the 2019 Summer Festival. If you are interested, please notify the Federation.

PAC report: (Mary Schneider) (Jeff Knapp delivered the report)

The next PAC Dance will be on June 29, at the Oak Grove Community Center. Caller and cuer are to be determined; please check back.

The PAC may not hold a dance on Friday, August 31, since the Tri Council dance is in September, on the 29th. Location to be determined. Caller will be Stephen Cole, from Seattle; cuer is still being worked on.

We will no longer charge \$50 to non-PAC renters of the trailers. The registration on the trailers has been changed; we have gone to the past registration which does not require a commercial vehicle to tow and a special commercial licensed driver to drive the vehicle towing the trailers.

OFSRDC Publicity Education Report: (Kathy Roberts)

I am looking for ideas for an Educational Seminar during Summer Festival. If you have any ideas, please send them to me.

OFSRDC Youth Report: (Kathy Roberts)

Oregon will be hosting the Pacific Northwest Teen Festival in the Salem area May 4-5. Karen Buchheit from the Silver City Squares is the chairman. Karyn still needs volunteers to help with the event. On Friday, May 4, they will have an open dance starting at 7:00 p.m. You are invited to attend this dance. Their competition starts the next morning, bright and early, at 7:00 a.m.! If you would like to help, please check out the flyer I've put in your folder.

Remember to contact Karyn Buchheit (buchheitfarmkm@gmail.com), OFSRDC Youth Activities Coordinator, if you know of a youth (up to age 19) who would like to attend a festival but needs financial assistance. Karyn has a lot of activities planned for the youth at Mid-Winter Festival. The weekend will be a lot of fun for all ages.

Past TVC President report: (Gary Clark) No report.

Caller Advisor Report (K.C. Curtis):

After attending the CallerLab Convention in New Mexico last month, I felt that some of the issues brought up were important enough to share with the council.

The CallerLab Chairwoman, Patty Greene, addressed the convention with a speech about how Callers are perceived and the callers responsibility to the dancers. She stated how easy it is to seem as though the dancer is not as important as the caller. She reminded how much the dancers look up to us and how much that responsibility should affect the way we treat them. I felt it was a great reminder that without dancer's callers can only call to the walls.

There was as always, some talk of moving calls to and from different levels but nothing was proposed that will change our levels at this time. All suggested changes will as always be referred to committees for further discussion.

Other than that, the convention was uneventful and fun.

Things in the TVC look very good and thank you to Kathy Roberts for promoting the anniversary dances.

Respectfully
KC Curtis.

Sunshine report: (Janice Sminia)

- Get well card for medical procedure to Ruth Canby; retired cuer after 25-years for the Sunset Promenaders.
- Get well card to Bette Hahn of the Sunset Promenaders after surgery.
- Get well card to Lane Clem of the Eager Beaver Club after a medical procedure.
- Sympathy card to Dale and Kathy Worthington of the Hay Shakers Club; her father passed away.

OFN Area Editor Report: (Ferrous Steinka) Absent, and no report.

Webmaster report: (Tim Roberts) Absent, and no report.

Old Business:

Our officers for the new TVC Board for 2018-2019 have been sworn in; they will start on May 28.

TVC President: Mike St. Clair
Vice President: Judy Schnase
Treasurer: Joanne Switzer
Secretary: Andis Garuts
State Delegate: Mary Schneider

New Business:

Kathy Roberts: Does anyone remember when we decided to reimburse club lesson expenses up to \$200? Was there a motion to add it to the P&Ps? If no one recalls when this happened:

I make a motion that is to be added to the P&Ps... **The TVC will reimburse each club up to \$200 per calendar year for expenses related to the advertising of square dance lessons. Each request is to be approved by the TVC Board at the next General Meeting. All expenses listed must be accompanied with the appropriate receipts.**

This motion is essentially what we assume we are doing now; however, it is making it official and part of our P&Ps. The motion and the reimbursement form should be added to the P&Ps.

Motion was made by Kathy Roberts and seconded by Joanne Switzer. Motion has been tabled; voting will take place at the next TVC Meeting on June 18.

Club Delegate Reports:

Columbia River Dancers: *(Dale & Nancy Smith, Delegates) (both absent)*

Club dances 2nd and 4th Saturdays year round at Hazel Dell Grange, 7509 NE Hazel Dell Ave., Vancouver, WA 98665. The times 7 to 8 Plus dance, 8-10 Mainstream dance with Jim Hattrick as club caller and cuer. <http://www.ColumbiaRiverDancers.org>

No report.

Eager Beavers: *(Kay Rogers and Ken Marifke, Delegates)*

Club dances plus every Monday afternoon, 1:00 to 3:00 PM, at the Sunset Presbyterian Church (14986 NW Cornell Rd., Beaverton, OR), which features an air conditioner and excellent wood floor. On holidays we dance at the Aloha Grange (the corner of 185th and TV Hwy). Daryl and Yvonne Clendenin are the caller and cuer on the 1st and 5th Mondays; Darrell Kalmbach calling and Joyce Hooper cueing on 2nd and 4th Mondays; Jim Hattrick is the Caller and Cuer 3rd Mondays each month. Dance starts with 15 minutes of intermediate pre-rounds. For information call 503-645-2414; <http://www.eagerbeavers.info>

The Eager Beavers would like to thank all the clubs for attending our Anniversary Dance with the total attendance of 125.

Our next special dances will be "Remember Mother's Day", our dance for Mother's day will be on May 14 with Darrell Kalmbach calling and Joyce Hooper cuer.

Our Memorial Day Dance is on Monday, May 28th, at Aloha Grange 185th & TV Highway. Phase 3 Rounds will start at 1 PM to 1:15 PM. At 1:15 PM to 3 PM Plus Square dancing and Rounds. With Darrell Kalmbach calling and Joyce Hooper cuer.

Eager Beavers dance Every Monday (mostly) at the Sunset Presbyterian Church, 14986 NW Cornell Road in Beaverton.

We are still doing lessons, "Plus Brush Up" noon to 1:15 and our regular dance is 1:15 to 3:00 pm.

Hayshakers: *(Judy Martin and Kathy Worthington, Delegates)*

Hayshakers are now dancing the 1st Friday's from 6:30 pm. Harvey Hunsucker caller & cuer. Dance is at the Pacific Grange, 90475 Hwy 101, Cullaby Lake, at Warrenton, OR. Be sure to call first to make sure we have enough people for a dance. 503.325.8109, 503.861.2726, 503.325.2100.

<http://www.hayshakers.org>

We will be holding our Anniversary Dance on May 18. Caller will be Craig Abercrombie; cuer will be Lonnie Sycks.

Hoedowners: *(Rhoda Reinking (absent) and Mike Duyck, Delegates)*

Dance the 2nd and 4th Saturdays at the Aloha Grange on the corner of 185th and TV Hwy. Our Caller is Daryl Clendenin. The Cuer is Yvonne Clendenin. Pre-Plus and Intermediate Rounds will be called from 7:00-8:00 and Mainstream from 8:00-10:00. Our format is informal and friendly.

<http://www.hoedowners.info>

The Hoedowners will have our Circus Circus dance on May 12th. This will also be a Trophy Dance. The club with the highest percentage of members present will take home the Trophy. Come in circus costume if you are inclined.

The Hoedowners Beach Trip is scheduled for May 17th through 20th at Seaside.

May 26th will be our Red, White and Blue Memorial dance.

June 9th will be our Strawberry dance.

Hoedowners have been attending anniversary dances and TVC dances this past month and wish to thank TVC and the clubs we have attended for the great dances.

Mix N Mingle: *(Rick and Robin Faltersack, Delegates)*

Club dances Plus at the Winona Grange (8340 Seneca Street, Tualatin, OR) on 1st and 3rd Saturdays. Pre-Rounds begin at 7:00 PM (Levels 4 & 5), 7:30 PM (Levels 2 & 3) and Plus from 8:00 – 10:30 PM with level 2-4 Rounds. The door donation is \$5 for members and \$6 for non-members. Randy Dibble is our club Caller and Jeanine Norden our club Cuer. www.mixandminglesquares.org

We are a high energy plus club in Tualatin located right off of I5. We love to have visitors, so come on by some 1st or 3rd Saturday! We are a small club, but we always have BIG fun!

Our DBD Plus lessons have been going great. We have had a good turn out with about five squares for lessons and four staying for the dance. The lessons are no longer open to students who do not dance plus, but we welcome experienced Plus dancers that want to brush up on DBD. We hope many of you will join us as angels. Everyone will pay \$5, but angels will get to stay for the dance for free! It actually saves you money to angel since our usual door donation is \$6. Lessons will be taught by Randy Dibble.

Our current schedule is:

DBD Plus Lessons 6:00 PM to 7:30 PM

Pre-Rounds 7:30 PM to 8:00 PM

Plus Squares and Level 2-4 Rounds 8:00 PM to 10:30 PM

Please remember to check out our website if the weather gets cold or snowy. We want our members and visitors to stay safe, so if the weather seems risky we will cancel our dance. We will update the website prior to the dance.

R Square D: (Mary McDaniel and Marv Pope, Delegates)

Dance 2nd Friday and the 4th Saturday from September thru May; June thru August dance 2nd and 4th Wednesday at the Kelso Senior Center (106 NW 8th Ave, Kelso, WA). We dance 7 to 8:00 Plus and 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream and refreshments after the dance. Craig Abercrombie is the caller and Lonnie Sycks is our Cuer. Our website is www.r-square-d.info Call 360-431-7553 or 360-636-3358 for more information.

Our Octoberfest will be held in October, at the Rose Valley Grange. Ribbons for this event are available for \$35 each. Callers: Craig Abercrombie and Adam Christman; cuer will be Susan Healea.

A very big THANK YOU for everybody that attended our Anniversary Dance on April 15.

Next dance will be on May 11. During the dance we will have a taco bar at 6 p.m. Cookies and desserts after the dance. Plus at 7 p.m.; MS at 8 p.m. with rounds.

We are trying something new for lesson advertising: We will be putting our club's name and lesson times on ink pens. These will be passed out at different demos.

Our next Demo will be on July 7 at the Antique Car Show, and also at a car show at the Longview Church of God. We will also be passing out flyers and the ink pens at the parade in Longview.

Sunset Promenaders: (Tom Sminia and Mike St. Clair, Delegates)

Mainstream Dance 1st & 3rd Saturdays. Dances starts at 7:00 with Intermediate Rounds, and then 7:30-9:30 is the Mainstream dance with a Plus Tip at the end. Caller is Mike (Julie) Stout; Cuer is Ken (Diane) Pratt. The Club also has a Plus dance on the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Thursday of the month. These dances starts at 7:00 with Intermediate Rounds and at 7:30-9:30 is a Plus dance with Darrell Kalmbach calling and Ken Pratt cueing. We dance in Hillsboro at the Odd Fellows Hall Upstairs on the corner of 3rd & Main Streets above LaHaies. More information call 503-848-3841 or www.sunsetpromenaders.com

Saturday April 7th the Sunset Promenaders Club went dark and visited the Valley Squares 68th Anniversary Dance. It was a fun event with Scott Zinser calling and Connie Clark cueing. There were so many dancers it was quite crowded on the dance floor and the chatter made it hard to hear but it was great to see so many friends and also meet some new dancers.

Saturday April 21st we had a Mainstream dance and the theme was the Traveling Teddy Bear Dance. Teddy was eager to travel so now let's keep him moving so he can dance all around our area.

We also visited the R Square D on Friday April 13th their 65th Anniversary Dance and the Eager Beavers Anniversary Dance on April 15th. We had over 20 of our members at both these dances. These were both very big dances, it is nice to see so many dancers visiting the anniversary dances.

The square dance lessons are moving along well, the students have learned a lot and seem enthused about square dancing; the class will graduate May 20th. We feel blessed to have this great class; we are hoping we can get them all dancing regularly and active members of our Club.

Ken and Dianne Pratt are teaching Jive dance lessons now up into phase four. Anyone that feels they need to refresh on their Jive are welcome to come on Sundays 6:30 to 8:00.

Our Mainstream dances this month are on Saturdays, May 5th with Mike and Julie Stout calling and cueing and May 19th with Mike Stout and Ken Pratt calling and cueing, the theme of dance is "The Roaring 20's".

The Promenaders Plus dances this month are on Thursday May 3rd, 17th, and 31th with Darrell Kalmbach and Ken Pratt.

We thank all the visitors that come to our dances, we really appreciate you coming, you being there makes the dance a lot more fun and gives us a chance to visit with our new and old friends.

Submitted by Tom Sminia, and Steve LeBlanc Sunset Promenaders TVC Delegates

Toe Draggers: (*Linda Curtis, Delegate*)

Dance at the Kinton Grange on the 1st Friday 7:30-8:00 Pre-Rounds, 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream (3rd tip Plus) and on the 3rd Friday 7:30-8:00 Plus, 8:00 to 10:00 Mainstream with the last tip Plus. Caller is K.C. Curtis; and Cuer is Bev Flint. Kinton Grange is at 19015 SW Scholls Ferry Rd., Beaverton, 97007. www.toedraggers.org

The Toe Draggers are having a **Fillies and Lilies** themed dance in May. This is in honor of the Kentucky Derby. So put on your fanciest Hat and your favorite Derby and come to our May 4th dance.

The Toe Draggers are getting ready for our Mystery Trip at the end of May and we are planning a progressive dinner early June. That is just the beginning of our summer fun. See you in a square.

Tri Squares: (*Alice Hendricks (absent) and Frank Collett, Delegates*)

We dance on the second Saturday and fourth Friday of each month at the historic Tigard Grange in Tigard. Terry Halley is our club Caller with Sandra Pinion Cueing. We dance from September to June. We are dark in July and August. Hearing enhancement devices are available. We round dance from 7:30 – 7:45, dance Plus from 7:45 to 8:00 and Mainstream from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m.; the 4th tip will be PLUS. Refreshments are served at 10:00. www.trisquares.com

The Tri Squares have enjoyed visiting other TVC clubs anniversary dances. We had 48% of our members attend the Eager Beavers anniversary dance.

Our next dance is Friday April 27th. The theme for the dance is “Hippie Hoedown”. Dressing for the theme is optional, but you can expect Terry and Sandra to reflect the theme in some of their music.

Next month’s dances are on Saturday May 12th “Fiesta Time” and Friday May 28th “Making Melody”. Come to the Tigard Grange and enjoy dancing with us.

Tualatin Timber Squares: (*Marleigh Alexander, Delegate*) (*absent*)

We dance on the second and fourth Wednesday nights each month, except for lessons, which are every Wednesday from Jan. through April, at the Winona Grange, 8340 Seneca Street, Tualatin, OR. These are Mainstream dances or lessons, starting at 7 p.m. and ending at 9 p.m. Refreshments are downstairs after each dance or lesson. Caller: Janienne Alexander. Other callers from the floor are welcome. www.tualatindance.com

Tualatin Timber Squares has been having successful lessons with several new students as well as review with dancers who have recently graduated. If you have new dancers who need more practice time on the floor send them our way. It’s a safe environment to have fun while also being able to raise your hand and ask for a move to be reviewed. We have now moved into Mainstream lessons.

Our Second Anniversary is Wednesday, April 25th. We will be having an open break with Nacho Bar. Students are welcome at the dance. It will be a basic level dance with every third tip Mainstream.

Our next LIVE music community dance will be on May 2nd. It is open to the public and we encourage you to invite your friends who would like to get a taste of square dancing.

Janienne Alexander

Tualatin Timber Squares Caller

Valley Squares: *(Bea Cook and Joy Choy, Delegates)*

Dance 1st and 3rd Saturdays at the Aloha Grange on the corner of 185th and TV Hwy, year-round. Mainstream with every first tip of each hour Plus with rounds from 7 to 10 p.m. Open break with refreshments starting at 8 p.m. Guest callers, Connie Clark Cuer. www.valleysquares.com

The Valley Squares have added a beginning Mainstream class from 6:00-7:00 p.m. at each of their dances through June. At 7:00 p.m. we will begin our regular dance with a plus call. Then we have a class level tip and the rest of the evening will be our usual dance program. Class members will pay \$4.00 and \$6.00 for all others. Tuesday night lessons are continuing through June.

Renee Ruud will call the Cinco de Mayo dance on May 5. Craig Abercrombie will call the May 19th dance. Scott Zinser will call the June 2 dance. Janienne Alexander will call the June 16th dance. Please see our flyers for more information.

Wave Steppers: *(Bob Allen, Delegate)*

Dance 2nd Saturday March through October. The dance is Mainstream, with one PLUS tip, every second tip at the Garibaldi City Hall (107 6th Street, Garibaldi, OR 97118) from 7:00 to 9:30 PM with guest Callers.

We need more dancers at our Wednesday night event.

We dance on the 2nd Saturday of the month.

Good of the Order:

Kathy Roberts: Please return your comments about our TVC dance themes for the 2019 year.

Robin Faltersack mentioned that Scott Zinser is holding Advanced lessons, from 12 to 2 p.m., at the Milwaukie Community Club Center.

Next TVC Meeting:

Monday, June 18, at 7:00 pm at the Old Spaghetti Factory, 18925 NW Tanasbourne Drive, Hillsboro, OR 97124. If you wish to eat a meal prior to the meeting, the room is available after 5:45 and you can order from the full menu.

Respectfully edited and published by Andis Garuts, TVC Secretary