



# Buckles & Bows Square Dance Club



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## President's Message

Greetings everyone.

In spite of the Covid inspired mask mandates Buckles and Bows members as well as friends from other clubs continue to pursue our favorite activity in large and enthusiastic numbers at The Goebel Center. Every Tuesday evening Mike Seastrom continues to entertain and provide instruction for seven or eight squares of happy dancers. Unfortunately, the Board Directors did make the difficult decision not to start a new class for beginners in September as we had planned. It was decided that there were still just too many Covid related issues to start a new class. The plan is to have a class in January provided the mask mandate is lifted so please keep talking it up to your friends.

Saturday night we held our Halloween dance with Ken Bower, one of our favorites, calling. There were over eleven squares including 34 dancers from other clubs who joined us. Patty Hamm, the director of The Goebel Center enjoyed watching so much, that she began taking pictures and videos of our dance. She posted pictures and video on The Goebel Centers Facebook page. Having a turnout like that is very encouraging for future events, especially when we are rid of the masks.

We are very pleased and impressed with the continued support that Buckles and Bows receives from so many of our Club Members and believe that with your help we can continue to make Buckles and Bows the leader in the rebound of Square Dancing in this area.

See You in a Square.

*Bill & Nancy*



## Dance Coordinators.

We are delighted to report about our wonderfully successful October 23rd dance with Ken Bower, with over 90 in attendance, and everyone enjoying the delicious pies. See the collage of pictures on page 8.

Because of the great turnout we are going to be easing back into adding non-packaged volunteer refreshments at our monthly dances. Our next dance is November 27, and our caller is one of our favorites, Mike Sikorsky. We need at least 6 people to bring 2 dozen bars or cookies. Please volunteer by calling or emailing Joanne or Ted Noller at 805 373-8317 [runningt1@verizon.net](mailto:runningt1@verizon.net). By Ted and Joanne Noller



# Turkey Trot Thanksgiving Dance

Caller: **Mike Sikorsky**

Cuer: **TBA**

*Proof of Covid Vaccination Required*

**Saturday, November 27, 2021**

**Pre Rounds 7:00 pm**

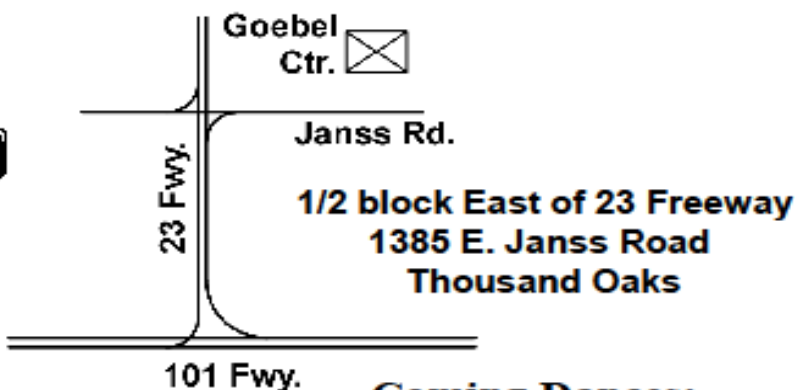
**Plus Level 7:30 to 10:00 pm**

**Hot Hash Tip!**

**Bonus Advanced Tip at 10 pm**

**Donation \$10.00**

**Goebel Adult Community Center**



Information:

Bill & Nancy (805) 368-5371

Coming Dances:

Dec - DARK

Jan 22 – Dee Dee Dougherty

Visit Us @

Web Page: <http://www.bucklesandbows.org/>

Facebook: [Buckles & Bows Square Dance Club Thousand Oaks CA](#)

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# Buckles and Bows 'Shining Star Dance and Dessert Social'

Sunday December 5th 2:30-5:00 pm at the Global Center  
\$10 per person  
Holiday or Square Dance attire encouraged

Dale Hoppers will be calling a variety of different dances to entertain us.

## Social Chairman

We will be setting up committees next month to insure everything runs smoothly and everyone has a good time.

We encourage all our club members to attend this event as it is a social as well as a dance. Whether you want to come to dance or just visit please consider joining us for this festive time. This would be a wonderful time to renew old friendships.

By Terry and Paulette Clemens



## Important Dates:

- Every Tuesday night, 'Fall Workshop'
- Saturday Nov. 27th, Club Dance (Caller: Mike Sikorsky )
- Sunday December 5th, Club Holiday Party (Caller: Dale Hoppers).

### October Birthdays

Theresa Bridges  
 Dean Gulkekson  
 Bobbi Albert  
 Dave Eggli  
 Laura Jean Hole  
 Kathy DeForge  
 Lilliemo Possecker  
 Cindy McLaren  
 Barabara Jacobowitz  
 Cindy Gulkekson  
 Bill Armstrong  
 Lynne Ellington  
 Maxine Springer  
 Nellie Cusworth  
 Janet Forney  
 Sandy Daugherty  
 Kevin Hamilton  
 Bill Hatton  
 Karen Morelli  
 Tony DeMarco  
 Kathy Davis  
 Mary Genstil  
 George Clock

### October Anniversaries

Hall & Soo Jin Place  
 Bob & Mim Spitz  
 Gary & Karen Woodgerd  
 Jack Merck  
 Dean & Joanne Cunningham  
 Russ & Sandi Babbit

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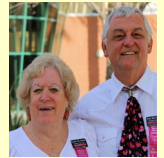
John Duhig  
 Richard Pool  
 Howard Jacobowitz  
 Donna Baker  
 Jody Conn  
 Harvey Cusworth  
 Jim Magnusen  
 Barabara Katzman  
 Brad Baker  
 Suzette Demarco  
 Juli Hamilton  
 Lou Jambor  
 Nancy Armstrong  
 Ray Hime  
 Nancy Bohannon  
 Chrisina Wilson  
 Terry Clemens

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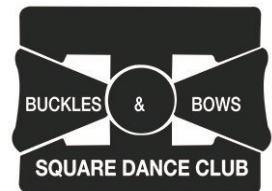
Shaiw Chang  
 Alan & Jeanne Grant  
 Dave & Linda Eggli  
 Bill & Marshs Hatton  
 Neal & Bobbi Albert  
 Dan & Annette Carnahan  
 Mark & Jodi Conn

## Spreading Sunshine

Kathy & Jon  
 DeForge



John Sluke is recovering from back surgery!!



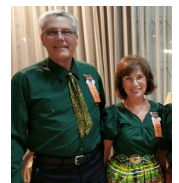
## Membership Update by Bryan and Carol Tapking

There are no new members to report. We do have 2 updates for the membership handbook. Steve & Jane Snider have changed their email address and Hall & Sou Jin Place have changed their address.

Please update your membership handbook to reflect the following.

Place, Hall & Sou Jin 1324 Santa Rosa Court, The Villages, FL 32159

Snider, Steve & Jane new email is snider51@outlook.com



## October 21st Board Meeting and "Dues Update"

By Bryan and Carol Tapking

The 'Zoom' meeting attendance was about 25 people. The major topics were planning for coming dances and parties. A welcome topic was 'The return to shared refreshments like slices of pre-cut pie'.

On the administrative side, Bryan Tapking led a discussion of the timing for the collection of dues. A motion was passed to change the Date that our Annual Dues are Due, from December 1<sup>st</sup> to June 1<sup>st</sup>. This will better synchronize the publishing of the club membership handbook, the terms of officers, and the annual insurance payment now due July 1st. An official vote to change the By-Laws will come at the General Board meeting in June. Our board also voted not to require any prorated adjustment for January thru June. As a result, we will not be asking for your dues payment until April / May of next year.



## Buckles and Bows Vagabonds enjoy Pismo Beach Camping

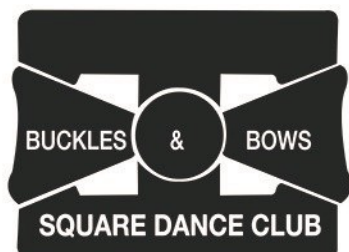
From Tuesday, October 5 to Monday, October 11 Buckles and Bows campers gathered at the Pismo Beach Village RV resort. We shared wonderful meals and conversation. Friday night we gathered around a pair of propane fire pits for a nice time with no smoke settling on our clothes. Saturday night we square danced in the resorts rec. hall. Local caller Darren Galina brought along some of the Pismo area square dancers so we had 3 squares on the floor. So it was great calling and dancing. See the photo collage on page 6.

Next year the park is full on our regular dates. So next years event is scheduled for Tuesday Sept. 20th to Monday the 26th. Saturday night the 24th will be another rec. hall dance. Darren Galina already has it on his calendar.

Your Wagon Masters

Brad and Donna Baker

Jim and Peg Magnuson



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# October 2021 Pismo Beach Campout



Joanne Cunningham suggested the newsletter could be a path for us to learn about our fellow club member's backgrounds. She has provided the first article in the new 'Our Story' series. The idea is club members contribute a short biography to be shared. The hope is even with limited social contact, we can learn about each other. Please send your one page or less stories to Pat and Jerry Akers email: akers.jerry.e@gmail.com. A special thank you to John Duhig, This featured continues because he hunts down 'volunteers'.

- **Our Story - Steve and Wendy Weiser**



Steve is a “valley boy”, born in Van Nuys, Ca. He grew up in Granada Hills, and graduated from Granada Hills HS. After that, he went to CSUN, and subsequently enlisted in the National Guard. He then worked for the Forest Service as a firefighter, after which he became a firefighter at Los Angeles City Fire Department for 38 years. Before he retired, he was a Fire Inspector and a Fire Safety Officer, working on the sets of TV shows, movies, and special events.

Wendy was born in Waimea, Kauai, Hawaii. When she was 2, the family moved to California. She grew up in Gardena, graduating from Gardena HS. After that, she attended California State University Dominguez Hills and CSUN. During college, Wendy fell in love with a group of mentally challenged students at the local elementary school. She began work at a school for Special Needs students in Reseda. Before she retired after 40 years, she started a successful cafe business with the young adult interns at the school.

Steve and Wendy met while country western dancing at a place in Canoga Park called the Longhorn Saloon. He was her favorite dance partner, and she was his “waltz partner”. They got married in 1988, and moved to Moorpark in 1991. They have a son, Kevin, and a daughter, Katie. Both are successful in their careers.

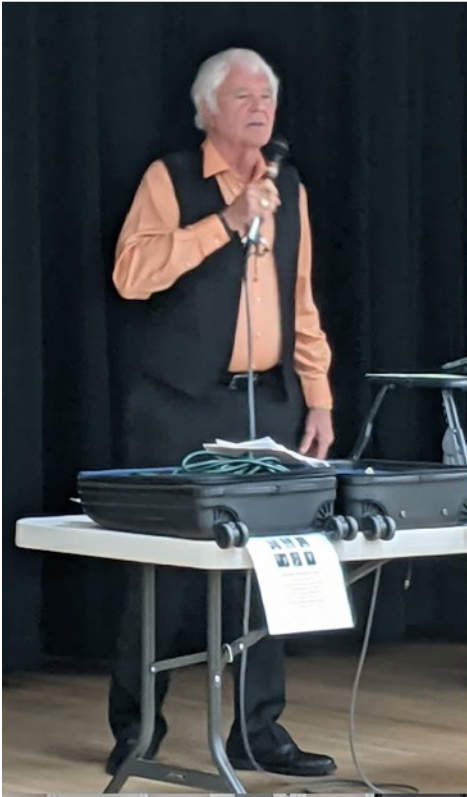
Steve and Wendy both enjoy being part of Buckles and Bows. Besides dancing, Steve enjoys golfing, model trains, traveling, and estate sales. Wendy enjoys Disneyland, crafts, traveling (especially back to Hawaii), and good friends.

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# October 2021 Halloween Dance





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Sun

Mon

Tue

Wed

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Fri

Sat

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3	4	5 <i>Workshop</i>	6	7	8	9
10	11	12 <i>Workshop</i>	13	14	15	16
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