

# CHIRPER



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Katydids Square Dance Club Newsletter

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START YOUR WEEKEND RIGHT ... DANCE WITH THE KATYDIDS ON FRIDAY NIGHT!

# AMATEUR CALLER'S NIGHT

Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>

*Note: See Club Caller, Jim Osborne, for more details*

## CLUB CALENDAR



[www.katydids.org](http://www.katydids.org)

**Fri., Sep. 01: Resurrection Lutheran Church**  
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; Katydids Dancing  
*Chirper* distributed  
**THEME:** National No Rhyme (Nor Reason) Day

**Fri., Sep. 08: Resurrection Lutheran Church**  
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; Katydids Dancing  
**THEME:** National Ampersand Day

**Mon., Sep. 11: Executive Board Meeting**  
7:00 PM at Lloyd & Maxine Darknell's home

**Fri., Sep. 15: Resurrection Lutheran Church**  
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; Katydids Dancing  
**THEME:** Google.com Day

**Fri., Sep. 22: Resurrection Lutheran Church**  
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; Katydids Dancing  
**AMATEUR CALLER'S NIGHT**  
**THEME:** American Business Women's Day Dance

**Fri., Sep. 29: Resurrection Lutheran Church**  
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara  
7:00 – 9:30PM; Katydids Dancing; **FREE** 5th Friday  
**THEME:** Veterans of Foreign Wars Day

**Fri., Oct. 06: **NOTE TEMPORARY LOCATION:** Train Depot**  
1005 Railroad Ave., Santa Clara  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; Katydids Dancing  
*Chirper* distributed  
**THEME:** National Mad Hatter Day

**Fri., Oct. 13: Resurrection Lutheran Church**  
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; Katydids Dancing  
**THEME:** National Train Your Brain Day

**Fri., Oct. 20: Resurrection Lutheran Church**  
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; Katydids Dancing  
**THEME:** Natinal Brandied Fruit Day

**Fri., Oct. 27: Resurrection Lutheran Church**  
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara  
7:00 – 9:30 PM; Katydids Dancing  
**KATYDIDS ANNUAL HALLOWEEN PARTY**

## SQUARE HEAD ASSIGNMENTS

## and DUTIES

Sep. 01.....Bruns  
 Sep. 08.....Tilman / Hastings  
 Sep. 15.....Johnson / Stevens  
 Sep. 22.....Abel & Langer  
 Sep. 29..... Braaten / Clark

Oct. 06.....Hebson  
 Oct. 13.....Steele  
 Oct. 20.....Barker / Stolpe / Rhea  
 Oct. 27.....Wilhelmson

Nov. 03.....Lehnhoff / Grubb  
 Nov. 10.....Willey  
 Nov. 17.....Village / Allen, L.  
 Nov. 24.....McManus / Paterson

**Before the dance:**

- Notify the Super Square Head, Stephanie Stevens, (408-871-9525) of any needed changes to assigned dates.
- **YOU DO NOT NEED TO BRING ICE!**
- On scheduled night, the designated Square Heads should arrive by **6:15 PM** and stay until clean up is finished around 9:45 PM. A Katydid member with a key will open the doors and will secure the hall at end of evening.
- Check the restrooms for supplies & tidiness.
- Make ice water using provided cubes in freezer and make coffee.
- Sweep the floor as necessary & set up the sign-in table.
- Bring out additional **chairs** from storage room as needed.
- Set up drinks and supplies on counter.
- Place snacks, napkins and flyers on tables at back of the hall.

**During Club dance:**

- Welcome everyone as they enter.
- Collect a **\$5.00** donation from each guest and have them sign in. "Regular" guests sign the prepared sheet, new guests sign the guest book.
- In the green box, there is an envelope with petty cash for making change.
- Offer raffle tickets: 5 tickets for \$1.00.
- In the green box, there are envelopes for keeping track of money collected during the evening.
- Divide the raffle proceeds with 50% to the Club, 50% to the winner. (Note: odd dollar goes to the winner!)
- Check that water & cups do not run out during the night.
- After announcements and raffle, feel free to dance except for the last tip (unless you are needed to fill a square) when you will need to be putting things away and cleaning up

**After the dance:**

- If Treasurer is not present, pass monies collected to any Executive Board Member.
- Pack up the sign-in items, leftover snacks and flyers.
- Empty coffee pot and dry the cooler and pack up other supplies and return them to the shelf in storage room.
- Wipe counter and tables where needed.
- Empty garbage can if more than half full. The dumpster is located in the side parking lot.
- Sweep up crumbs from the floor as needed.
- Return extra chairs to the storage room
- Notify the Quartermasters, Maxine or Lloyd (408-241-7567) of any replacement supplies needed for the next week.

## DANCE EVENTS

PLUS LEVEL unless otherwise noted

**Sep. 1-3: Mid-Cal Classic; Pear Steppers**

Merced County Fairgrounds, 4th & F Street, Los Banos  
 Callers: Bob Baier, Jet Roberts  
 Cuer: Sharon & Casey Parker

**Sep. 9: Elvis Presley Showtime; Lucky Steppers**

The Slab, 9525 Mill St., Ben Lomond  
 7:00 – 7:30 PM; PreRounds: Sue & Phil Harris  
 7:30 – 10:00 PM: Caller: **Jim Osborne**

**Sep. 30: Whing Ding; SCVSDA/SCVCA**

Sunnyvale Presbyterian Church, 73 W. Fremont Av  
 7:30 – 8:00 PM; PreRounds: Barbara-Lynn Smith  
 8:00 – 10:15 PM; Callers: Kurt Gollhardt, Mike Luna,  
 Tork Clark

**Oct. 6: Intro to Square Dancing**

Hoover Middle School, 1635 Park Ave., San Jose  
 8:00 – 9:30 PM

**Oct 6–8: SCVSDA Jubilee**

Hoover Middle School, 1635 Park Ave, San Jose  
 Callers: Andy Allemao, Bill Harrison, Michael Kellogg  
 Cuer: Sharon & Casey Parker

**Oct. 14: Anniversary Hoedown, Sage Stompers**

Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside  
 6:00 PM Free Dinner  
 7:00 – 10:00 PM Caller: Tork Clark

**Oct. 27-29: Harvest Hoedown; ASDSC**

Yuba-Sutter Fairgrounds, Yuba city  
 Callers: Ray Brendzy, Bobby Poyner, Charlie Robertson,  
 Matt Worley  
 Cuers: Mary Ann Callahan and Craig Cowen

**Nov. 3-5: Fiesta De La Cuadrilla; SDSDA**

Balboa Park, San Diego  
 Callers: Don Moger, Eric Henerlau, Pat Carnahan  
 Cuers: Sharon & Casey Parker, Rey & Sherry Garza

**Nov. 4: Farmers & Farmerettes**

Walters Jr. High, 39600 Logan, Fremont  
 7:30 – 8:00 PM, Pre-Rounds: Bob Ensten  
 8:00 – 10:30 PM, Caller: Lawrence Johnstone

## SPECIAL HOEDOWN

Bring your non-square dancer  
 friends & neighbors.

**Sep. 16: Castaways**

7:30 – 10:00 PM  
 Resurrection Lutheran Church  
 2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara  
 Caller: **Roger Smith**  
 Basic, Mainstream and New Dancer tips

PRESIDENT'S CORNER



Hi Katydids,

Here it is September and we just finished August with many fun activities! First was dancing at the Santa Clara County Fair, then Morris's very refreshing Root Beer Float Night which Skip and Stephanie helped serve. The next week, we had our Hot August Night Dance with a used square dance clothing sale. Thank you Pat and Maxine for setting everything up and to Maxine and Doris Smith who sold the clothes. Also, thanks to everyone who helped us pack everything up for our next sale. To finish our fun month was a great Pizza Party at Eric and Jacky's home where we rolled out our own pizza dough and loaded it with wonderful toppings we all provided. We then took it outside and watched Eric bake it in their outdoor oven. We all enjoyed sitting in their nice shady backyard, visiting, eating our pizza and salad, and later pizza desert and cookies. Many of you had things come up and were not able to attend but those who came had a nice afternoon!

In September, we have our board meeting on Monday, September 11th, and our AMATEUR CALLERS NIGHT on Friday, September 22nd. If you would like to sign up to call or have questions, please see Jim and he can also help you with a music selection.

Lloyd

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**Club Spirit**

Katydids Iron-on patches are available for \$15 each. It could be less if more people order the patches. To purchase, see Pat Angotti.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

- Jerry Abel .....Sep. 01
- Stephanie Stevens.....Sep. 05
- Parker Willey.....Sep. 07
- Armand Schwartz .....Sep. 19
- Jacky Wilhelmsen .....Sep. 27

PLUS WORKSHOP (Castaways)

TUESDAYS:

Caller/Instructor: **Roger Smith**  
Resurrection Lutheran Church  
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara  
7:00 – 9:00 PM  
Ongoing  
Cost: **FREE!!!**  
Contact: Roger 408-821-1837

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ROCKIN' JESTERS BLAST CLASS

TUESDAY:

Sep. 12th  
7:00 – 9:00 PM  
Resurrection Lutheran Church  
2495 Cabrillo Ave., Santa Clara

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FALL BEGINNER CLASSES

SUNDAYS:

Stanford Quads

Caller/Instructor: Harlan Kerr, Bill van Melle  
First Baptist Church, 1100 Middle Ave., Menlo Park  
7:00 – 9:00 PM  
Begins: Oct. 2  
Cost: 1st 3 sessions are Free; \$8 per night thereafter  
Contact: Pat 650-948-4935

TUESDAYS:

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Caller/Instructor: Tork Clark  
Camden Community Center, 3369 Union Ave., SJ  
6:30 – 8:30 PM  
Begins: Sept. 12  
Cost: \$7 per class

Roadrunners

Caller/Instructor: Robert Algea  
Beresford Recreation Center  
2720 Alameda de Las Pulgas, San Mateo  
7:30 – 8:30 PM  
Begins: Sept. 12  
Cost: \$5 per class

Sunnyvale Squares

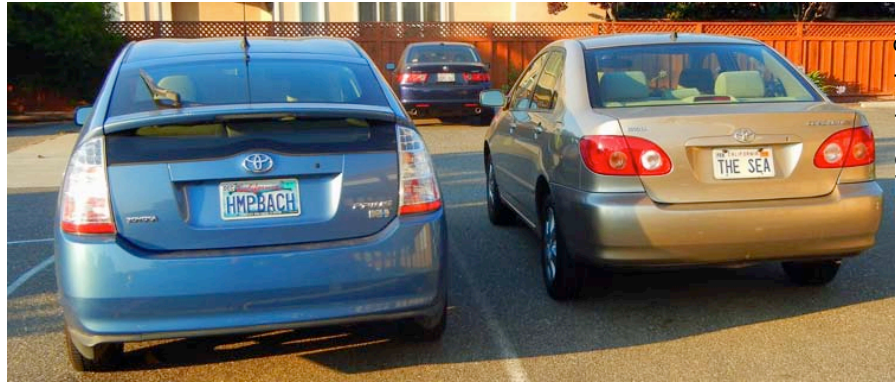
Caller/Instructor: Rich Reel  
Murphy Park, 250 N. Sunnyvale Ave., Sunnyvale  
7:00 – 9:00 PM  
Begins: Sept. 5  
Cost: 1st night is free; \$25 per month thereafter  
Contact: Roger 408-744-1021

Swinging 21ers

Caller/Instructor: Bob Elling  
Fremont Elks Lodge, 38991 Farwell Dr., Fremont  
Contact: Sue 510-887-5605

August 4, 2017

CLUB NIGHT, BOB STEELE, CALLING  
CARS SEEN IN OUR PARKING LOT



Photos courtesy of Stephanie Stevens

KATYDIDS & FRIENDS  
AT THE COUNTY FAIR



Jim Osborne, Sandy Hastings,  
Barbara Johnson



Naomi Grubb & Steve Lehnhoff



Jeff Robinson, Pat Angotti



Kay Harlow, Ken Resh



Andrée Barker, Don Village, Josie  
Rhea



Jane Bishop

Photos courtesy of Naomi Grubb

### Chirper Chatter...



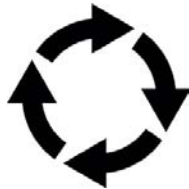
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Last month's answers:

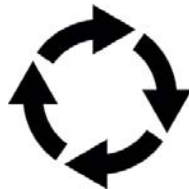
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#56 – Walk & Dodge

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### Life Puzzles of Members & Friends...

**Gary & Sue DeLapp** celebrated their 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary a few weeks ago by taking a trip to Hawaii, one week on Maui and one week on the Big Island, with their two married daughters, (Deb & Bill, Allie-19, Katie-17)(Brenda & John, Trevor-14, Hailey-11), son-in-laws, and four grand-children. This was a group celebration, Deb & Bill's 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Brenda & John's 18<sup>th</sup> Anniversary. They really had a ball doing the following: Zip Lining, Golfing, Swimming, ATVing, touring Maui Gold Pineapple fields, the oldest lava tubes in the world, submarine ride, rode horses, visited Black Sand Beach, many waterfalls topped with a beautiful sunset. Can't say you went to Hawaii without enjoying a LUAU at the Westin Hotel with entertainment...

Sure glad to see **Roger Johnson** back with us dancing tenderly for now. He had a left knee replacement...

**Doris Smith** had a cancerous tumor removed from her left forearm on Monday, Aug. 21 and doing well since she was able to dance a tip or two the following Friday. They kept her overnight at the hospital. We wish her well...

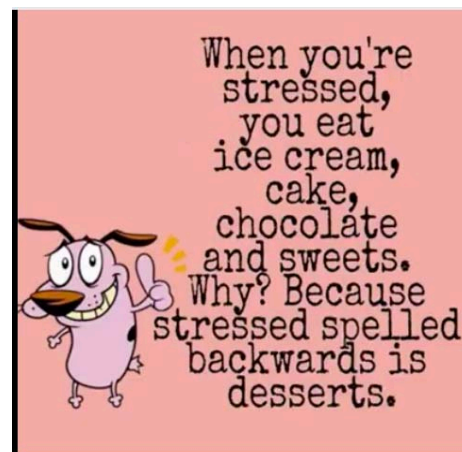
**Bob Steele** did a beautiful calling on the Friday our caller had an obligation to fulfill at the Annual County Fair. **Bob** will be calling again on Oct. 6 when we will be dancing at the TRAIN DEPOT (remember that great venue!) when those who will not be going to the Jubilee can join us...

### DID YOU KNOW...

In the Amazon logo, the arrow tells us that they cover everything from A to Z.



In the Baskin Robbins logo, see the "3 & 1" buried in their BR logo in Pink, promoting their Thirty-One-derful Flavors.



*Morris Hosoda*  
moho77@gmail.com

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**Campbell United Church of Christ  
Food Pantry needs:** Non-perishable food, personal grooming items, clothing & shoes for all sizes.

Bring anything you want to donate on Friday Night and I will deliver the items on Tuesday. The Food Pantry director is so thankful for everything that I have delivered from our Club.

*Pat Augotti*  
Vice President

3 Old Ladies from Florida [Thank you, Ed!]

This is a detective story

So Pay Close Attention!!!

Three elderly ladies are excited about seeing their first baseball game.

They smuggle a bottle of Jack Daniels into the ball park.

The game is real exciting and they are enjoying themselves immensely... mixing the Jack Daniel's with soft drinks.

Soon they realize that the bottle is almost gone and the game has a lot of innings to go.

Based on the given information, what inning is it and how many players are on base?

Think!

Think some more!!

You're gonna love it .

It's the bottom of the fifth and the bags are loaded!  
Answer:

GREETINGS FROM COLORADO!

For the past week I have been in Colorado visiting my twin brother, Rod, and sister-in-law, Cathy. I had a great time visiting family with a BBQ. I helped Rod with a few chores around the house, I took Rod and Cathy out to celebrate their 27th wedding anniversary. We also took a trip down to Georgetown to take the Georgetown Silver Plume train ride. A great rail trip and beautiful scenic country.



Happy Square Dancing,  
Don Village



Eric & Jacky Wilhelmsen ....Sep. 02  
Bob & Lisa Steele ..... Sep. 15

**Katydid's Square Dance Club**

**National No Rhyme (Nor Reason) Day**  
**Friday Dance**

NO WORD IN THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE RHYMES WITH...  
**MONTH PURPLE**  
**ORANGE SILVER**

This unofficial holiday is dedicated to the English language idiom, no rhyme or reason, which means something that occurs without any purpose or explanation.

Did you know...  
that in literature and poetry, words that are spelled similarly but pronounced differently are called...*eye rhymes*?

Your Friday Night **FUN** Club  
Plus Dancing from 7:00 - 9:30 PM  
Only \$5/Person  
Caller: **Jim Osborne**




Can you add to this list of unrhymable words?...spirit, chimney, woman

**September 1, 2017**  
Resurrection Lutheran Church - 2495 Cabrillo Ave. - Santa Clara, CA



**Katydid's Square Dance Club**

**National Ampersand Day**  
**Friday Dance**

**&** **HAPPY NATIONAL AMPERSAND DAY**



Your Friday Night **FUN** Club  
Plus Dancing from 7:00 - 9:30 PM  
Only \$5/Person  
Caller: **Jim Osborne**

Ampersand reminds us that nothing truly lasts forever, there is always an AND &&&&

**September 8, 2017**  
Resurrection Lutheran Church - 2495 Cabrillo Ave. - Santa Clara, CA

# Club Nights

**AUGUST 18<sup>TH</sup> – CELEBRATING ART & SANDY BRUNS' ANNIVERSARY**



Photo courtesy of Pat Angotti

**AUGUST 25<sup>TH</sup> – WELCOMING MELANI HENKE AND HER DAUGHTER, GUNDULA, WHO WERE VISITING FROM BARDOWICK (NEAR HAMBURG), GERMANY. MELANI DANCES WITH THE BARDEN FOXES SQUARE DANCE CLUB WHERE SHE IS THEIR TREASURER**



Photo courtesy of Stephanie Stevens

## Saturday, August 26, 2017 ANNUAL MAKE-YOUR-OWN PIZZA PARTY ERIC & JACKY WILHELMSSEN'S HOME



All set and ready to go.



Class is in session ...

Maxine Darknell, Sandy Franger, Denis Moore, Skip Stevens, Lloyd Darknell



Cut bag of dough; turn the bag inside out & dump the sticky dough onto a floured board.



Flour dough ball and cut in half.



Spread the dough.

Pat Angotti and Jacky Wilhelmsen



Armand Schwartz



Roll the dough.

Allen Nassau

Photos courtesy of Lloyd Darknell, Allen Nassau & Steph Stevens



Maxine & Lloyd Darknell



Kay Harlow



Armand Schwartz, Lloyd Darknell, Skip Stevens



Morris Hosoda, Allen Nassau, Jacky Wilhelmsen, Art Bruns



Even the youngest got a lesson in how to make pizza! Way to go Acton!!



Denis Moore



The teacher finally gets to make pizza for herself & family.

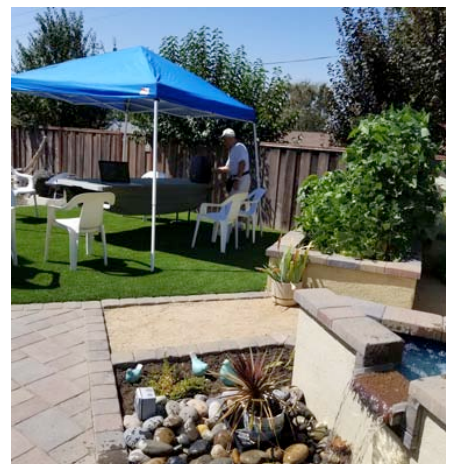


Josie Medina

Dough is finished; now to load it up with goodies.



Time to take pizza to the outdoor oven where Eric, master pizza maker, will do his magic on your masterpiece.




Many thanks to Eric & Jacky for a relaxing afternoon; to Lloyd & Maxine for bringing all the drinks and ice; to Morris who provided lovely background music; and to all the participants whose toppings were varied and delicious.






**Katydids Square Dance Club**

# Google.com Day

## Friday Dance



Google began in January 1996 as a research project by Larry Page and Sergey Brin when they were both PhD students at Stanford University. The domain name for Google was registered on September 15, 1997 and the company was incorporated on September 4, 1998.

Your Friday Night **FUN** Club  
Plus Dancing from 7:00 - 9:30 PM  
Only \$5/Person  
Caller: Jim Osborne

### HAPPY 20TH BIRTHDAY - Google!

## September 15, 2017

Resurrection Lutheran Church - 2495 Cabrillo Ave. - Santa Clara, CA

**Katydids Square Dance Club**

# American Business Women's Day

## Friday Dance



SEPTEMBER 22ND  
AMERICAN BUSINESS WOMEN'S DAY  
[www.ListOfNationalDays.com](http://www.ListOfNationalDays.com)




Your Friday Night **FUN** Club  
Plus Dancing from 7:00 - 9:30 PM  
Only \$5/Person  
Caller: Jim Osborne

### I didn't come this far to only come this far!

## September 22, 2017

Resurrection Lutheran Church - 2495 Cabrillo Ave. - Santa Clara, CA

**Katydids Square Dance Club**

# Veterans of Foreign Wars Day

## FREE 5th Friday Dance





Your Friday Night **FUN** Club  
Plus Dancing from 7:00 - 9:30 PM  
Caller: Jim Osborne

### Thank you for serving our country & protecting our Freedom!

## September 29, 2017

Resurrection Lutheran Church - 2495 Cabrillo Ave. - Santa Clara, CA

**Katydids Square Dance Club**

**NOTE LOCATION!!**

# National Mad Hatter Day

## Friday Dance







Your Friday Night **FUN** Club  
Plus Dancing from 7:00 - 9:30 PM  
Only \$5/Person  
Caller: Bob Steele

You're MAD. Bonkers. Off your head...but I'll tell you a secret...all of the Best People are!

WE ARE DANCING AT TRAIN DEPOT

## October 6, 2017

SEE MAP AND DIRECTIONS ON BACK SIDE

**SBHRS - 1005 Railroad Ave. - Santa Clara, CA**

First Name Last Name  
Home Street  
Home City, Home State Home ZIP

## FIRST CLASS MAIL

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**Chirper**

**September 2017**

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Caller & Taw .....Jim & Joann Osborne.650-571-1970

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Copy **deadline** for the October 2017 issue is **September 29<sup>th</sup>, 2017**. You can submit articles and photographs to the *Chirper* Editor, Stephanie Stevens, at:

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