

SETS IN STEP MAY 2022 newsletter



Presidents' Message

Hi all Sets-in-Step members!! May is going to be a busy month for us!

We have our Anniversary Dance on May 20! Come and dance to a live band. It is usually a great celebration and we will have a table full of a light dinner goodies for all!!! So if it is not already on your calendar, put it on and come and dance with us.

At our first dance of May on the 6th is our Board elections. There will be an in-person meeting right after the dance where we will all vote for a new Board. Having said that we are still in search of at least 3 nominees to fill out our Board. The open chairs are:

Caller Coordinator: The person in charge of Caller Recruiting is responsible for the booking of all guest callers (*handles the caller contracts – this is one of the most important jobs for our club!*) He/She also contacts the guest caller one week in advance to verify that they will be coming.

Social Chair: responsible for greeting guests as they arrive. Also, he/she coordinates special activities, such as progressive dinners and theater parties held on other than regular dance nights.

Publicity Chair: responsible for all ads, and the distribution and mailing of all ads and flyers, etc. (*this role may be expanding in the future, as we consider new ways to promote our club*)

Come and join this amazing group of people as we take Sets-in-Step into the future.

A lot of folks are starting to travel on vacation as the world is opening up. So if you are traveling, let us know and then share pictures and stories of your adventures. Currently we know that the Shaws are off to Ireland while Don and Karyn are enroute to Greece in May. Arlene and Jim just got back from Egypt! Any trips planned for you?

Take care everyone, be safe and remember those random acts of kindness go a long way,

Your Presidents,

Jim and Karyn

64th Anniversary Dance

May 20, 2022, at the Knights of Columbus Hall: with Darren Gallina calling, accompanied by a *Live Band!* You do not want to miss this one. In addition to being a really fun dance, friends from other clubs will be visiting us, and we want to make sure we give them all a wonderful Sets in Step welcome. Sandy MacLennan is coordinating the food and the decorating – if you have not already signed up to help in some way, please contact Sandy to let her know if you can help with food. We also need volunteers to set up ahead of time, and to stay and clean up afterwards.




Welcome New Members

In April we voted in two new members: Marilyn McKay, and Kimberly Munson-Nicholson. Both were in our SSD class this past Fall. Be sure to say hello when you see them, and welcome them to Sets in Step!

Elections

On May 6th, following our regular dance, we will hold a special Club Meeting for all members, to vote on the people who will serve on the Sets in Step Executive Board for the 2022-2023 year. The Nominating committee has been hard at work coming up with a list of people who are willing to serve on the Board. The slate of proposed officers will be distributed prior to the vote, and additional nominations can be taken from the floor. Please plan to stay for a few minutes at the end of the May 6th dance for this important meeting.

Club Dances

<u>Date</u>	<u>Caller</u>	<u>Theme</u>	<u>Decorations</u>
May 6	Steve Woodard	Elections for the 2022-23 Executive Board	
May 20	Darren Gallina, and Band!!	Our 64th Anniversary!	
June 3	Michael Kellogg		
June 17	Mel Branham	Angel Appreciation	Susan Collins, decorating

Visitation

It's been a while! Let's all go visit our neighbors:

Our visitation chair, Al York, has set the first visitation since we've returned to dancing for **Friday, May 13th, to the Western Weavers**. The dance is at the Joslyn Senior Center, 1301 W Olive Ave, Burbank. Dale Hoppers is calling, and Joe Scarlatella is cueing rounds. Pre-rounds start at 7:30, squares start at 8:00. The cost is \$10. Proof of vaccination is required. The parking lot is behind; enter on Griffith Drive. According to wheresthedance.com, this will be a Plus dance, and the theme is "Freaky Friday."

Class Graduation

Our newest students are almost done with this Spring's SSD class! The final class and their **Graduation** will be on **Thursday, May 12th**, at our usual class location: St. George's Episcopal Church, 808 Foothill Blvd. La Cañada. Come on out to congratulate, and stay to help them celebrate!



May Birthdays

May 9 – Bob Keiter
 May 28 – Jerry Ferguson
 May 31 – Carol Grice
 May 31 – Marie Hadaway-Hill
 May 31 – Jim Lesh

May Executive Board Meeting:

Tuesday, May 3, 2022 via zoom

June Executive Board Meeting will be our "Changeover Board" to welcome new board members and kick off the new year – date and location will be announced in May