

OCTOBER with the Sets in Step

President's Message

Dear Sets-in-Steppers!!

October is going to be a great month! We not only have our 2 dances, but our Club's SSD class and Plus workshop are well underway. And we have two visitations in October! Life is good.

Many are back from their respective vacations and travels. Some are still out there traveling. Regardless, prays for safe travels, good memories and then home again.

No real pearls of wisdom this month. But wishing you all a great Fall and hope to see you on the dance floor!!

Respectfully,

Karyn

Visitations

Sunday, October 6th. The **25th Annual Breast Cancer Benefit dance**, presented by the Pink Ribbon Square Dancers of California and hosted by the Valley Trailers at the Wilkinson Center, 8956 Vanalden Ave. in Northridge. 1:30 – 4:30 pm. Donation is \$15 for a pink ribbon. Your ribbon gets you into the dance. Buy your pink ribbons ahead of time from our club treasurer, Will Shaw. Make checks payable to City of Hope. Multiple callers are all donating their time, and ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE CITY OF HOPE BREAST CANCER RESEARCH!



Saturday, October 19th: **Grin-n-Square Its**, 5957 Golden West Ave in Temple City. Rounds start at 7:00, squares at 7:30. \$10. Alternating SSD and Plus. Pat Carnathan is calling with Shauna Kaaria cuing. Theme is "Ghost Busters."

Looking ahead to November: we will again be visiting the **Grin-n-Square Its** for their 60th anniversary! Saturday, November 16th, 7:00. Darren Gallina is calling with Bill Berry cuing.

See AI York for additional information about visitations, and be sure to sign up on the sign-up sheets available at our dances. It's very helpful for our visitation chairperson to know ahead of time who is going, who can drive, and who needs a ride!

Our two classes are going great: The first is a Mainstream/Plus class for people who already know SSD, and the second is for brand new folks. Both are at Mt. Olive Lutheran Church, 3561 Foothill Blvd. in La Crescenta.





Tuesdays from 7:00-7:45 pm: Mainstream/Plus. Only \$3 per person per week for the MS/Plus class, then you can also stay to be an Angel for the next part:

Tuesdays from 7:45-9:30 pm: Social Square Dance (SSD). \$6 for new people. The SSD class will run for 13 weeks.

Note that our instructor, Dale Hoppers, will be traveling (to Italy!) for a few weeks, returning in mid-October. Phil Farmer will be filling in as our class instructor while Dale is away. Welcome Phil, and safe travels, Dale!

Sets in Step Club Dances

Date	Caller	Theme (for party dances)	Refreshments (for party dances)
OCT 4	Don Schadt		
OCT 18	Steve Woodard	Theme: Toyland  Decorator: Jay Noell	sweet: Bill Reardon salty: tbd fruit: tbd
NOV 1	Mike Seastrom	Connie Yeseta is celebrating her 80 th birthday at this dance! 	Food to be provided by Connie's family, and also club volunteers
NOV 15	Dale Hoppers	Theme: Angel Appreciation  Decorator: Susan Collins	sweet: Karyn Smithson-Hughes salty: Don Hughes fruit: Estella Rodriguez
DEC 6	Shauna Kaaria		
DEC 20	Michael Kellogg	Theme: Jingle Bell Hop 	Food to be provided by club members. Our party chair will have signups ahead of time.

The second dance each month is a "party dance" where we decorate and try to have slightly more special snacks. Our Party Chair, Sandy MacLennan, handles the decorating and food assignments; please see her if you have questions.



October 10th: Larry Go
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October 28th: Connie Yeseta

The next Executive Board meeting will be held on Wednesday, October 2nd 7:00 pm via zoom. The September meeting minutes will be emailed ahead of time for board members to review.