



Lebanon Square Circlers



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Dances are held 1st and 3rd Saturday nights at the Lebanon Senior Center, 80 Tangent Street, with Pre-Rounds starting at 7:30pm and Mainstream Squares at 8:00pm with every third tip Plus. Square Dance lessons begin every September and the club welcomes any interested individuals—families especially welcome! For more information contact (541) 401-9780.

Lebanon Dances

All of our regular dances are held at Lebanon Senior Center, 80 Tangent Street.

December 31st: NEW YEAR'S EVE Dance with Shaun McKamey calling and Jackie Gale cueing. 6:00pm Dinner (provided by Lebanon Square Circlers) 6:30pm Pre-Rounds, 7:00pm Mainstream with every third tip Plus, Ball Drop at 9:00pm. Lebanon Senior Center, 80 Tangent Street.

January 4th: Regular Dance with Shaun McKamey calling and Jackie Gale cueing. 7:30pm Pre-Rounds, 8:00pm Mainstream with every third tip Plus. Lebanon Senior Center, 80 Tangent St.

January 18th: Regular Dance with Shaun McKamey calling and Jackie Gale cueing. 7:30pm Pre-Rounds, 8:00pm Mainstream with every third tip Plus. Lebanon Senior Center, 80 Tangent St.

February 2nd (Sunday): ALLIANCE BIRTHDAY Dance with Shaun McKamey calling and Jackie Gale cueing. 2:00pm Pre-Rounds, 2:30pm Mainstream with every third tip Plus. Lebanon Senior Center, 80 Tangent St.

Dance Duty

January 4th

Door Duty: Tim and Melissa Morse

Kitchen Duty: Rachael Watcher and Jo Baker

January 18th

Door Duty: Tim McKamey and Melissa Zager

Kitchen Duty: Cathye and Terry Kinkelaar

Club Meeting

The January **Club Meeting** for Lebanon Square Circlers will be at 6:45pm Wednesday, January 15th (no-host dinner beforehand at 6:00pm) at Sum Yan, 1060 S. Main Street, Lebanon.

Alliance Area Dances

January 3rd (Friday) Masquerade Dance: Bruce Lowther calling and Sandy Harris cueing. 7:00pm Pre-Rounds, 7:15pm Plus, 7:30pm—9:30pm Mainstream at the Albany IOOF Hall, 738 SE 5th Street.

January 11th Sweet Home Squarenaders Dance: Shaun McKamey calling and Jackie Gale cueing. 6:30pm at Foster Elementary School, 5526 Poplar Street, Sweet Home.

January 11th Corvallis Squares NEW DANCERS Dance: Bruce Lowther calling and Judy Russell cueing. 7:00pm Pre-Rounds, 7:15pm New Dancer level. \$7.00. Youth younger than 18 free. First Baptist Church, 125 NW 10th, Corvallis. (Enter from parking lot in the back.)

January 17th (Friday) ALLIANCE Plus Dance: Shaun McKamey calling and Jackie Gale cueing. 7:30pm at the Albany IOOF Hall, 738 SE 5th Street.

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Lessons Starting

Lebanon Square Circlers will be offering **Plus lessons** starting Sunday, February 9th, 6:30pm to 8:00pm. Angels most welcome!

Lebanon Square Circlers will be offering **Cha Cha** lessons starting Sunday, February 9th, 5:00pm to 6:15pm. Angels most welcome!

Sweet Home Squarenaders **Mainstream** square dance lessons start in Sweet Home December 29th, 2:00-4:00pm at Foster Grade School Gym, 5526 Poplar Street, Sweet Home. No experience or partner necessary and Angels most welcome!

New Year's Eve Dance

Save the date of December 31st for our **New Year's Eve Dance!** The schedule is: 6:00pm Dinner (provided by Lebanon Square Circlers), 6:30pm Pre-Rounds, 7:00pm Mainstream with every third tip Plus, Ball Drop at 9:00pm (East Coast). Callers will be Shaun McKamey and Bruce Lowther and cuers will be Jackie Gale and Judy Russell. Lebanon Senior Center, 80 Tangent St.

Guess Who?

Last issue's Guess Who was Kaynor Heineck who used to be a hippie, went on a date with Johnny Carson, and has a Master's degree in Clinical Psychology. This Month's Guess Who had a terrible log truck accident where the truck went end over end three times and lived to tell about it, met his spouse when he was six years old and has owned six different businesses. Who am I?

Meet our Board!

Our club Vice President is Frank Cawrse, who just retired from Pape Machinery last spring. Frank started square dance lessons in 1986, was our Area Delegate for 29 years, has been our Vice President for 13 years, and is our longest (but not eldest!) club member. Frank and Marianne have been married for 36 years.

Mid-Winter Raffle Basket

MWA (Mid-Willamette Area) Council is putting together a Garden Theme Basket again this year. All of the clubs from our area have been asked to contribute items by

way of donations from their club members. Donations may be brought to Grace Christensen at lessons, January dances or our next club meeting on January 15th. Any questions - contact Grace – Area Delegate 503-508-4442.

Volunteers Needed

If you can volunteer to be the Chair to decorate for our Birthday Dance in February, please contact Linda Hamer at 503-394-3025 or linda@smt-net.com.

Experienced Clothing Coordinators Needed

A new Experienced Clothing Coordinator is needed as Grace will be moving within a year. She would like to train the Coordinators before the Strawberry Festival, so volunteers are urgently needed. Grace will remain with the club and will continue to hold the position of Area Delegate. Please contact Grace to help at 503-508-4442.

Punch Cards

Lebanon Square Circlers are now offering a pre-pay punch card for entry into our dances. Tired of looking for spare change, or remembering to stop off at the ATM for every dance? Soon you will be able to purchase your attendance ahead of time with this wallet sized card. Strictly voluntary, you will be able to purchase from one to ten dances in advance and have the card conveniently with you. This card will not only alleviate your cash-flow problems, it will lock in your dance fees for the life of the card, even if our rates go up! Also a great idea as a gift to your dancing friends or those you would like to encourage. These punch cards will soon be available at our entry table. We encourage you to give them a try.

Birthdays

John Frenzel 1/2
Timothy McKamey 1/7
Rachael Watcher 1/8
Catherine Stauffer 1/18
Joe Hamer 1/26
Richard Pluff 1/26

