



HOEDOWNERS NEWSLETTER

May 2018

May 12

Dale McRoberts Calling

Bob Pyles Cueing

Servers: Wayne & Bev Meyer and Bernie & Sarah Darr

Business meeting following the dance

May 26

NO DANCE



Message from the President.....Ruth Leech

- **Graduation:** Graduation will be held for our beginner class members on May 17 from 7 – 9 PM. Attend and welcome the new graduates into our club. Cake and ice cream will be served.
- **Round House Ice Cream Social:** Our club will have a table at the “Round House Ice Cream” social July 8 to advertise our classes and activities. Bo and Agnes Semith have volunteered to represent our club.
- **The Metro News:** (1) The Metro will be sponsoring New Dancer Dances the second Friday of May, June, July, and August. The May 11 dance will be at St. Peters Squares with Doug Mallory. The June 8 dance will be at Missouri Promenaders with Wayne Primeau. The July 13 dance will be at Wheelers and Dealers with Tom Murray. The August 10 dance will be at Kirkwood Community Center with George Dunbar. All dances will be from 7:30 – 9:30 PM; squares only. The fee will be \$5.
(2) Plus lessons are to start September 11 with Aaron Wells teaching. A coordinator for the program is needed. Please contact Ron Hazslip if you wish to help. 636-861-9389 or rphazslip@gmail.com. The location will be where the WCS dance....Trinity Lutheran Church. You would not have to be present at each lesson. You would have to schedule a club to sponsor each dance.
- **Family Event:** Our club will be planning a big family, fun BBQ event on August 26, 2018, 4 – 7 pm, in hopes of introducing people to dancing and attracting new students. We will sell tickets in advance and at the door. Rana Seal is preparing flyers for us to pass out and advertise such events and creating tickets for us to sell. We will need your help in distributing the flyers and selling tickets. All ages are welcomed. Details will follow as plans develop.
- **Workshop:** Bo Semith has his plus workshop on Tuesday nights at 7-9 PM at the Edwardsville Main Street Community Center (MSCC), 1003 North Main Street, Edwardsville, IL. IF the Edwardsville School District #7 closes for inclement weather, Bo’s workshop will also be canceled.
- **Round Dance Classes:** Bob and Debbie Pyles have round dance classes at the Caseyville Township Senior Citizens Building, 10001 Bunkum Road, Fairview Heights, IL. At 5:30 pm they will concentrate on advanced instruction. They will emphasize beginning waltz and jive at 6:30 pm.

Raids and Retrieves: Please attend Raids and Retrieves when possible. Bernie and Sarah Darr work continuously at this and they are very thankful to those who help with this important activity. It helps to keep our club alive and well.

Keep Bob Bratten, Gil Topp, Sandy McGill, George Schaefer, and Carol Warner in your prayers for their health.