Delegates Meeting called to order at 2:47p pm 18 May 2008. 8 of 13 voting clubs in attendance.

Clubs not represented are: Blossom Hill Cloggers, El Camino Reelers, Lucky Steppers, Single Squares of Sunnyvale, and Square Hoppers.

New Delegates: Mary Jane Wegener, Krazy Dazys; Greg La Favor, Rockin' Jokers. Quorum at 2:47 pm. John Sybalsky appointed Parliamentarian.

SCVCA liaison: Keith Ferguson. Re: the Whing Ding. We have a contract that has been running for years. Keith notes the contract has been a very good contract and says "the Whing Ding is like a club hoedown with the dancers association doing the things a club normally does and the callers doing the things that callers usually do". Callers sign contracts and are committed to Whing Ding. At the March Whing Ding Keith looked for flyers for the May Whing Ding. He was told "I don't think there is a Whing Ding in May", Keith was surprised. At the April meeting there was a discussion on where to have the Whing Ding. There was discussion that John Muir costs more but is a better hall, SCVCA recommended that SCVSDA try to obtain John Muir. SCVSDA has right to pick the hall. Jerry Silverstein was to book AMTSJ as a backup. Squares Round the Bay had no ad in the May issue. Web site said location was to be determined. There was difficulty in contacting SCVSDA and the SCVCA decided to go ahead with AMTSJ dance location with SCVCA as sole sponsor. They feel that contract was breeched in that there was no publicity and no hall was obtained. This will be topic at SCVCA meeting, some feel contract should be ended, some feel cooperation should continue. Next SCVCA meeting is June 1. Keith needs three things: (1) at least tacit agreement that SCVCA is doing the dance on its own; (2) your delegates to wholeheartedly support the dance, let's make this the best dance we can, don't boycott it; and (3) some form of assurance that in the future we will not have these kinds of problems. Flyers are available at back table. Mary asks: Did you say that Barry asked someone to go with AMTSJ? Keith had hoped that there would be a resolution shortly after the April SCVCA meeting. May 8 Jerry Silverstein spoke with Barry and reserved AMTSJ. On May 9 someone learned that Barry had reserved John Muir and they were unable to contact him and confusion ensued. SCVCA is manning door doing setup and takedown and door. Do we have a liability with John Muir? (5/31, 8/30, 11/29 requested of John Muir) Monday 12 May Barry got approval but they need certificate of Insurance. Barry said he would provide them certificate of insurance. Barry spoke then with Jerry Silverstein, rather than decide on a location Barry told Jerry he would leave this up to the association. Barry didn't feel it was his job to step on toes and make a decision. Two flyers were made up so that we could print and distribute them at this meeting. Barry and Sam never reached each other. Sam sent email on May 11 saying that this dance was being done by SCVCA and not under the existing agreement, and that only flyers would be allowed to be distributed. No insurance certificate has been provided. Barry plans to cancel the 5/31 and 8/30 dates. Jim Davis is willing to serve on a Joint committee with the SCVCA (chair of our side). Committee is to deal with communication between and decision process within the separate organizations. Do people here feel that Whing Dings are something that should be done? Joe Moves that we consider the agreement be considered terminated. Allen Glesser seconds. Joe notes that there has been an undercurrent of dissatisfaction of each side with the other. Jim Davis disagrees and would like to see the tradition continue. Lorraine would like to see these continue, though she no longer attends herself. Mary Gingell reluctantly speaks in favor of the motion: when Joe was working on Whing Dings various SCVSDA Proposed Minutes Delegates Meeting 18 May 2008 things were said to her by callers like "we really rely on this dance as a big part of our budget", but when the SCVSDA discussed this the delegates preferred AMTSJ, (partially because they thought SCVCA preferred it as a better money-maker). Mary would prefer the Whing Dings went rather than that it be a point of friction between the associations. Betsy Lasarow-Tozzi believes this issue is important enough to ask delegates to take it to their clubs. Betsy moves to postpone this motion to the July Meeting. Seconded by Carol Glesser. Keith understands the frustration and feels it should be postponed. Attitudes change over time. At last meeting SCVCA positions was "let's do the best dance for the dancers, even if we take a loss." Joe argues against the postponement. It has been a headache to both organizations for at least the last few years, and Joe feels the agreement is already discontinued. Keith feels the officers of the SCVCA feel the contract has been breeched and that, in order to save the dance, the SCVCA took it over. Shall we bring finger foods? Yes. Motion to postpone is passed. Keith will ask the SCVCA to appoint committee members to help resolve.

Barry appoints committee to look into what we are doing with the SCVCA, a new contract, better communications, more responsive decision making. Jim Davis is chair of SCVSDA side.

NCSDA Board presented a question on an agreement between the boards. Delegates authorize a reply that there is no such agreement in general, that specific hoedowns were "exchanged", but that further negotiation would be needed on a general agreement.

Treasurer's report: (attached as PDF file). Lorraine wants a letter to each club with instructions. Debbie asks for a sample letter.

President's Report: Items discussed above. Barry went to the CASDC Council meeting. The CASDC is requesting an electronic copy of the master policy from the USDA. Bylaws and Standing Rules changes were postponed to the next meeting. Jim notes that we should be proactive in separating the items and passing appropriate ones and fixing incorrect and inappropriate ones. The proposal changes Parliamentarian to elected rather than appointed. The proposal drops the boundaries, Barry asked why, "Because they are unused". Barry asked that the boundaries be used. The Youth Scholarship was not given out this year, as there were no applicants. 2012 state convention site reopened to discussion looking at Visalia and Tulare. 2009 Long Beach (National), 2010 Fresno, 2011 San Diego. Elections were held. The next CASDC meeting is August in Fresno. 1st Vice President: No report.

Mary Gingell moves that we adjourn at 4:20 unless meeting extended, Joe Dehn seconds. Motion passes.

Recording secretary: Preliminary minutes were emailed out on March 16th. The Agenda was not mailed out until last night. Bylaws require the date, time, location and agenda be mailed out at least 14 days in advance. Is it important to get the agenda out early, as so little of it changes? If not I can provide dates, times, and location for all remaining 2008 meetings right now. Silver Buckles / Carnival Twirlers asks that minutes be postal mailed to them. Regarding Insurance, on behalf of SCVSDA I have filed a request for Assistance with the California Department of Insurance, requesting a copy of the Markel policy.

Corresponding Secretary: Rosalie Burkhead. Received use tax bill from the county for Jubilee use of the Fairgrounds (in 2007). Received check from El Camino Reelers for dues, sent form 109 on to Debbie for income tax. Brochure on seminar.

52nd Jubilee report: General Chair Jim & Sue Davis. (attached)

Insurance Chairmen's report, Betsy Lasarow-Tozzi & John Sybalsky Class rosters are needed. No January class rosters have been provided. Please provide class rosters; class dancers are covered only if we get the roster and gets turned in to Markel.

John Sybalsky was appointed as ByLaws committee chairman.

Calendar: Calendars have been distributed. There are more on the back table. Send any updates to calendar@scvsda.org.

Dancing at the fair is canceled for this year.

Property committee:

Historian:

Webmaster: the website is its own report. Could we get the address of this meeting posted on the web?

Caller Procurement: John Marshall for 2009 Jubilee, Betsy & John would like authority to proceed through the signing of contracts. We would like to finalize contracts, subject to getting signature of another officer. Amounts unknown. Range 950-1100 sometimes plus travel.

Approval of minutes of 16 March 2008: Moved Rosalie, Lorraine seconds. Discussion, can minutes avoid use of we, she, they when possible. Motion passed.

New business:

Mary Gingell calls for the orders of the day at 4:31 pm. Meeting adjourned at 4:31 pm.

Meeting called to order at 1:08 pm, 18 May 2008.

Quorum is present (5 of 6).

Attending: Barry Binge, Jerry Janke, Jim Davis, Debbie Malloy, Rosalie Burkhead., Jane Bishop Absent: Bill Malloy, Debbie Janke.

Guests: Lorraine Hlavka, Betsy Lasarow-Tozzi, John Sybalsky, Mary Gingell, Joe Dehn, Keith Ferguson, Sue Lietz-Davis.

SCVCA Liaison: Keith Ferguson. There is a letter from Sam Shilmover (attached). Keith hopes SCVSDA & SCVCA can work together. Barry summarized the situation. Barry & Jim suggested that AMTSJ makes a surplus. The SCVCA requested that the SCVSDA try to secure the John Muir Middle School for the dance. Barry did so. Barry also booked AMTSJ for May 31st. Monday 12 May Barry received approval of the date from John Muir but needed an insurance certificate by FAX. Barry did not make any commitments. Barry told Jerry Silverstein that the Association had to make that decision. Joe remembers that request as a formal motion of the SCVCA.

Keith notes the contract has been a very good contract and says "the Whing Ding is like a club hoedown with the dancers association does the things a club normally does and the callers do the things that callers usually do". The contract requires that the dates of the Whing Ding be decided by October 31 of the previous year. At the March Whing Ding Keith noted that there were no flyers for the May Whing Ding. There was no ad for the Whing Ding I the May Squares Round the Bay. Keith has seen no publicity for the Whing Ding. A decision should have been made earlier. Keith would like to continue with the contract. Decision was made by SCVCA officers that because of the lack of publicity, that the contract has been breeched by a failure of the SCVSDA. SCVCA will pay all bills and keep all receipts. Next SCVCA meeting is June 1. Keith needs three things: (1) at least tacit agreement that SCVCA is doing the dance on its own; (2) your delegates to wholeheartedly support the dance, lets make this the best dance we can, don't boycott it; and (3) some form of assurance that in the future we will not have these kinds of problems. Keith would really like the dancers association to have someone accept responsibility for the Whing Dings. Joe notes that there was a communication on May 11th from Sam Shilmover to the board that ... they (the SCVCA) have withdrawn from the contract. Jim noted that Barry did not inform the SCVCA that Barry would defer any decision on the location to the next meeting of the Board or Delegates meeting. Had Barry done so the SCVCA would either have agreed to delay all publicity or they would have deferred their request to apply to a later Whing Ding. Joe notes that the SCVSDA did leave undone things that needed to be done. Joe says there are problems in the terms of the contract. There have been personality issues this year. If SCVSDA wants to continue with this relationship then we should restructure the relationship (e.g. a Joint Committee), something to empower the relationship without the need to go back to the board and representatives for decisions. Something needs to change in the structure to make things work more smoothly. Keith feels that we could readdress some of these items, and will talk with them about a joint committee.

Barry requested that Jim Davis and Joe Dehn work with such people as the SCVCA provides to constitute a Joint Committee.

Treasurer's Report: (Attached). New accounts at Washington Mutual have been opened and we are waiting for checks to clear. Jubilee has also opened their account at Washington Mutual. Bills: \$14.74 for an endorsement stamp, and \$9.01 for new checks. Jim Davis moved Rosalie seconds to approve these two bills and submit Treasurer's report to audit. Motion postponed.

President's Report: Barry went to the CASDC Council meeting. The CASDC is requesting an electronic copy of the master policy from the USDA. Bylaws and Standing Rules changes were postponed to the next meeting. Jim notes that we should be proactive in separating the items and passing appropriate ones and fixing incorrect and inappropriate ones. They were changing Parliamentarian to elected rather than appointed. Youth Scholarship was not given out this year, as there were no applicants. 2012 state convention site reopened to discussion. 2009 Long Beach (National), 2010 Fresno, 2011 San Diego.

1st Vice President: No report.

Recording secretary: Preliminary minutes were emailed out on March 16th. The Agenda was not mailed out until last night. Is it important to get the agenda out early? Silver Buckles / Carnival Twirlers asks that minutes be postal mailed to them. Board wants 14 day notice of time date place and agenda of meetings.

Corresponding Secretary: Check tape

Reports of Directors: Jane Bishop (attached);

Motion to pay the two bills and submit the treasurer's report to audit, second Rosalie, motion passed by acclamation.

52nd Jubilee report: See Delegates meeting minutes.

Meeting recessed at 2:32 pm.

Insurance chair: See Delegates meeting minutes.

Meeting reconvened at 4:49 pm after the Delegates meeting adjourned.

Debbie asked for clarification on the objectives of the 49th and 50th Reconciliation committee. Do we need to dig into those books further? Jerry moves we dissolve the Reconciliation committee, Jane Seconds, motion passed.

Minutes: Approval of 16 March 2008 minutes: Rosalie moves, Jane seconds. Motion passes.

Approval of bills: \$14.74 for an endorsement stamp, and \$9.01 for new checks, \$5.40 to Jim for HD15 (VGA) gender changer, \$20 John Muir, deposit, \$108.46 for hotel, \$255 for gas (May 2,5,7, & 18), Rosalie moves, Jane seconds, motion passed.

Barry notes that the next CASDC meeting in Fresno has the insurance meeting on Saturday 9 August. Can Betsy and John attend; they will check on it. Jerry moves we pay for we pay for the travel and lodging of insurance chairman to attend August council meeting, Jim seconds, motion carried.

Sunnyvale Singles is sponsoring five hoedowns in 2009, adding March 28. Bows & Beaus has a 12 July newer dancer (January level) hoedown at AMTSJ. The Ice Cream Fling thing is June 7th (first Saturday in June) at Cubberly. Please buy in advance.

Jim moves we adjourn, Rosalie seconds. Motion passes. Meeting adjourned at 5:07 pm.

Santa Clara Valley Square Dancers Association Account Balances Mar/Apr 2008

	Balanc	e	Change
	Previous	Current	
	2/29/2008	4/30/2008	
Account			
Undeposited Receipts	1,291.95	0.00	-1,291.95
Bank of America Checking	4,786.90	4,368.18	-418.72
Bank of America Savings*	6,016.24	6,018.23	1.99
Bank of America CD (4.31% Matures 08/29/2008)	14,402.46	14,506.29	103.83
Washington Mutual Checking		1,168.77	1,168.77
Petty Cash	0.00	0.00	0.00
52nd Jubilee Advance	3,000.00 =====	3,000.00	0.00
	29,497.55	29,061.47	-436.08

^{*} Savings balance is estimated

Santa Clara Valley Square Dancers Association Income and Expenses for Fiscal Year Ending 2008 Oct 31 Mar/Apr 2008

		Prev Balance 2/29/2008	Transactions Mar/Apr	Fiscal Year to Date	Budget
Income	Insurance (\$4 per dancer)				1,800.00
	2007	4.00		4.00	1,000.00
	2008	112.00	12.00	124.00	
	Interest				500.00
	CD 4.40 % matures 08/29/08	190.30	103.83	294.13	
	Savings Acct Jubilee Surplus	5.01	1.99	7.00	
	51st Jubilee	925.69		925.69	925.69
	Membership Fees (\$8 per dancer)				3,800.00
	2007				
	2008 Other	240.00	24.00	264.00	
	Other Whing Dings				1,000.00
	Admissions	590.57	393.00	983.57	1,000.00
	Badges				
	Split-the-Pot		18.00	18.00	=====
	Total:	2067.57	552.82	2620.39	8,025.69
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Expense					
	Bank Calendars				0.00
	Charity				20.00 0.00
	Fairground Property Tax (Jubilee)		77.08	77.08	150.00
	Historian				0.00
	Inaugural Festivities				0.00
	Insurance Administration				100.00
	Insurance Fees (Paid to State Assn) 2007 (\$4.25 per dancer)				2,000.00
	2008 (? per dancer)				
	Meals and Entertainment				0.00
	Memorials				65.00
	Office Supplies	3.53	8.11	11.64	50.00
	Postage and Delivery Printing and Reproduction	2.11	8.20	10.31	20.00 50.00
	Public Relations				50.00
	Rent				
	Meeting Hall				0.00
	P.O. Box	40.00		40.00	85.00
	Safe Deposit San Jose Christmas Parade				0.00 0.00
	State Council				0.00
	Dues				100.00
	Hosting				0.00
	Travel & Lodging	218.77	183.23 356.00	402.00	1,500.00
	Storage Supplies	712.00	356.00	1,068.00	2,140.00 0.00
	Tapestry Arts Festival				0.00
	Thanksgiving Toy Dance				350.00
	Whing Dings				
	Advertising Food and Supplies	2 (2	120.00	120.00	125.00
	Hall Rental	3.63 75.00	75.00	3.63 150.00	25.00 500.00
	SCVCA Share	253.68	161.28	414.96	275.00
	Other	=====	=====	=====	20.00
	Total:	1308.72	988.90	2297.62	7625.00
	. 5.4				
Increase/	Total:	758.85	-436.08	322.77	400.69
Decrease		. 50.00	.30.00	022.77	.50.07

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Date	Num	Description	Memo	Category	Clr	Amount
Bank of Ameri	ca CD					
3/31/2008	int	Bank of America		Interest Income:B of A CD	R	52.67
4/30/2008	int	Bank of America		Interest Income:B of A CD	R	51.16
TOTAL Ba	nk of Amer	rica CD				103.83
Bank of Ameri	ca Checkir	ng				
3/7/2008		Deposit To Checking		[Receipts]	R	1,291.95
3/16/2008	741	Tax Collectory, Sant.		Property Tax	R	-77.08
3/16/2008	742	Barry Binge	For 3/29 Whing Ding Seed .	[Petty Cash]	R	-100.00
3/16/2008	743	SSCVCA	3/29	Whing Dings Expenses:SCVCA Share	R	-159.00
			12/29 excess	Whing Dings Expenses:SCVCA Share	R	-2.28
3/16/2008	744	Jim Davis	Audio Tapes for Rec. Secr	. Office	R	-8.11
3/16/2008	745	Rosalie Burkhead	Stamps	Postage and Delivery	R	-8.20
3/16/2008	746	Public Storage	April and May	Storage	R	-356.00
3/19/2008	747	WAMU Checking Acc	et .	[WAMU Checking]	R	-1,000.00
TOTAL Ba	nk of Amer	rica Checking				-418.72
Bank of Ameri	ca Savings	3				
3/1/2008	Int	Bank of America	Adjust to actual	Interest Income:B of A Savings		-0.01
3/31/2008	Int	Bank of America		Interest Income:B of A Savings		1.02
4/30/2008	Int	Bank of America		Interest Income:B of A Savings		0.98
TOTAL Ba	nk of Amer	rica Savings				1.99
WAMU Checki	ng					
3/19/2008		Opening Balance		[WAMU Checking]	R	0.00
3/19/2008	DEP	WAMU Checking Acc	et .	[Bank of America Checking]	R	1,000.00
3/31/2008	991	Squares 'Round Th		Whing Dings Expenses:Advertising	R	-120.00
3/31/2008	992	Barry Binge		State Council:Travel and Lodging	R	-183.23
4/21/2008	DEP	Deposit To Checking		[Petty Cash]	R	100.00

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, Date	Num	Description	Memo	Category	Clr	Amount
				[Receipts]	R	372.0
TOTAL	WAMU Check	ing				1,168.7
Petty Cash	l					
3/16/2008	8	Barry Binge	For 3/29 Whing Ding Seed .	[Bank of America Checking]		100.0
4/21/2008	8	Deposit To Checking		[WAMU Checking]		-100.0
TOTAL	Petty Cash					0.0
Receipts						
3/7/2008		Deposit to Checking		[Bank of America Checking]		-1,291.9
3/8/2008	S	Rockin' Jokers	Ck # 3140	Membership:Membership2008/Rockin' Jokers		8.0
				Insurance Income:Ins Inc2008/Rockin' Jokers		4.0
3/17/2008	8 S	Belle Swingers		Membership:Membership2008/Belle Swingers		8.0
				Insurance Income:Ins Inc2008/Belle Swingers		4.0
3/31/2008	8 S	Whing Ding		Whing Dings:Admissions		393.0
				Whing Dings Expenses:Hall Rental		-75.0
				Whing Dings Expenses:Food and Supplies		0.0
				Whing Dings Expenses:SCVCA Share		0.0
				Whing Dings:Split the Pot		18.0
4/18/2008	8 S	Rockin' Jokers	Ck # 3176	Membership:Membership2008/Rockin' Jokers		8.0
				Insurance Income:Ins Inc2008/Rockin' Jokers		4.0
4/21/2008	8	Deposit to Checking		[WAMU Checking]		-372.0
TOTAL	Receipts					-1,291.9
				OVERALL TOTAL		-436.0

2008-04 Membership and Quorum

		Members	Insured	Dues	Votes
1	Belle Swingers	13	11	11	2
2	Blossom Hill Cloggers	22	22	22	2
3	Bows & Beaus	60	62	60	4
4	Charlie's Angels	22	4	4	0
5	CPSD	10	9	9	2
6	El Camino Reelers	68	68	68	4
7	Krazy Dazys	59	59	59	4
8	Lucky Steppers	29	25	25	4
9	Rockin Jokers	111	99	101	4
10	Silver Buckles/Carnival Twirlers	8	8	8	2
11	Single Squares of Sunnyvale	53	53	53	4
12	Square Hoppers	32	32	32	4
13	Star Eights	15	10	9	2
14	Top Cats	31	18	27	4
	Total	===	===	400	==
	Total	533	480	488	42
			Insurance	Dues	Clubs
			Received	Received	14
			\$3,840.00	\$1,952.00	Votes
			•		42
					Quorum
					7



52nd Annual Jubilee Committee Report May 18, 2008



Preparations for the SCVSDA 52nd Annual Jubilee continue. Much has been done to make this a fantastic festival, though much still remains to be done. Please look at our website at http://www.scvsda.org/jubilee.html for online registration, the program, Lodging information, committee information, and much, much more!

The 2008 SCVSDA Top Ten Callers have been elected and announced at the March SCVCA & SCVSDA Whing Ding. They are:

Scot Byars, Roger Smith, Rob French, Kenny Carroll, Keith Ferguson John Sybalsky, Jim Osborne, Harold Fleeman, Eric Henerlau, Bob Elling

Our sales figures to date are on target but we need to push to out-of-area dancers.

Туре	Gold Rush	Early Bird	April-June
General Admission	85	111	4
Youth	2	0	0
Handicapable	0	2	0

There are many ways in which dancers and their clubs can help us. Please register for the festival, and encourage your friends to do so.

Please consider volunteering, we have openings for people with many different skills and interests: We could use your help if you

- would promote the Jubilee at East Bay or San Francisco Plus dances;
- like to decorate (design, paint, construct, &c);
- have an RV and would be willing to be wagon master;
- would like to sell advertizing in the program book;
- are interested in taking a few hour break from dancing to help at the registration desk;
- are able to help with the event setup on Thursday or Friday; or
- are able to help with takedown on Monday.

If you would like to help, please talk to Jim, Sue, or anyone on the committee.

Attached please find Jubilee Treasurer's report, Program Chairman's report, and the preliminary program.

Jim & Sue Davis General Chairman 52nd SCVSDA Annual Jubilee

52nd Jubilee Statement of Account December 31, 2007 - April 30, 2008

60.00

\$ 223.62

\$8,203.25

Opening Balance	\$4,797.00
Income	
Ribbon Sales (net of PayPal expenses of \$14.87)	\$ 3,491.41
RV nights (6)	138.00
Interest	46
Total Income	\$ 3,629.87
Exmanges	
Expenses	
Moving bank account (checks, slips, star	mp) \$ 88.62
Ad in State Convention Program Book	75.00

Total Expenses

Ad in Squares Round the Bay

Net Balance

52nd Jubilee Program Status Report May 16, 2008

The program for the 52nd Jubilee is basically finalized in terms of session scheduling, and is attached to this report.

New and noteworthy in this year's program are a series of Festival Plus-Level Dancing workshops scheduled at various times throughout the weekend that are targeted primarily for new and rusty Plus dancers, as well as more Mainstream offerings (on Friday evening and Saturday) targeting new and returning Mainstream dancers. We have also expanded Relaxed Plus, Advanced, Challenge, and introductory Round Dance offerings, making use of an additional hall now available to us to accommodate our expanded program.

All Top Ten callers have agreed to call during some portion of the Jubilee weekend.

Caller assignments are almost complete, with most of the Top Ten callers having agreed to their proposed assignments. Because some of the Top Ten have not yet confirmed their assignments, there is still some uncertainty on certain sessions, and the Featured callers have not yet been presented with their assignments pending resolution of these uncertainties.

Because of limitations in terms of:

- a. the times the Top Ten callers are available;
- b. the dance programs and special sessions various Top Ten callers are able and willing to call;
- c. the total number of hours various Top Ten callers are willing to call at Jubilee; and
- d. the fact that the Featured callers have contractual limitations on the number of hours they can be scheduled to call throughout the weekend;

a few scheduled sessions are not yet covered, even tentatively, by any of these callers.

The Program Chairman is continuing to juggle the scheduling around to cover as many sessions as possible with Featured and Top Ten callers; however, once all Featured and Top Ten resources are fully utilized, she will be turning to other local callers, asking them to fill the assignments that are remaining. Currently unassigned sessions consist primarily of "edge" sessions (e.g.: first thing in the morning "warm-up"sessions) or "transition tips" (one tip at either the beginning or end of any hour, to give Featured or Top Ten callers with back-to -back sessions

in different buildings time to move between buildings), as well as a few other sessions during the day on Saturday and Sunday. To fill these assignments, she will first turn to non-Top-Ten callers for SCVSDA clubs, and then to other local callers as needed.

Caller assignments are expected to be complete, confirmed by the callers, and publishable, by July 1 at the latest.

October 10-12, 2008

Draft Friday Evening Schedule

Draft

Pavilion I (A)	Pavilion II (B)	Pavilion Patio (C)	Fiesta (D)	Cafeteria (E)
Plus Hall	Advanced Hall			
Pre-Rounds			Intro to Rounds – Cha	Workshop on Successful
				Festival-Level Plus
	•			Dancing
				Confidence Building
Plus Dancing	A-2 Dancing			
		No Experience Needed		No Rounds
Double Rounds	Single Rounds		C-1 Warmup	
			No Rounds	
Plus Dancing	A-1 Dancing		C-1 Dancing	C-3A Dancing
		Intro Mixer Rounds		
Double Rounds	Single Rounds		No Rounds	No Rounds
Plus Dancing	A-2 Dancing	Review of Mainstream	C-1 Dancing	C-3A Dancing
		For Returning Dancers		
Double Rounds	Single Rounds		No Rounds	No Rounds
		No Rounds		
Plus Dancing	A-2 Dancing		C-1 Dancing	C-2 Dancing
Double Rounds	Single Rounds		No Rounds	No Rounds
	Halls Close		Chairman's Afterparty:	Hall Closes
			Everyone is Welcome!	
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Saturday Day Schedule

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	Pavilion I (A) Plus Hall	Pavilion II (B) Advanced Hall	Pavilion Patio (C)	Fiesta (D)	Cafeteria (E)	Other Venues
09:00 AM	Hall Open for Shopping	/ lavarious Fran		Phase IV Teach Featured Cuers		
09:30 AM	Plus Warmup No Rounds	A-2 Warmup No Rounds	Mainstream Warmup No Rounds		C-2 Warmup No Rounds	
10:00 AM	Styling and Flourishes For Plus Dancers	Tough A-2	Mainstream Dancing		C-2 Dancing	Int. Hex Workshop Gazebo (G)
10:30 AM	No Rounds	No Rounds	No Rounds	Phase II Pre-Rounds	No Rounds	No Rounds
11:00 AM	Plus Dancing	A-1 Dancing	Mainstream Dancing	Phase II Teach Featured Cuers	C-1 Dancing	Intro Hex Dancing Gazebo (G)
11:30 AM	No Rounds	No Rounds	No Rounds		No Rounds	No Rounds
NOON	Intro to Advanced for Plus Dancers	Intro to Challenge for A-2 Dancers	Mainstream Dancing	Intro to Clogging	Wkshp on Suc. Fest-Level Plus-	
12:30 PM	No Rounds	No Rounds	No Rounds Hex Dangle Dancing		Friday Followup No Rounds	C-3 and C-4 Dancing
01:00 PM	Plus Dancing	A-1 Dancing	Intro to Challenge Concepts for All	Intro to Rounds - Rumba	Wkshp on Suc. Fest-Level Plus-	Upstairs Room Or other venue
01:30 PM	No Rounds	Single Rounds	Dancers No Rounds		Precision Dancing No Rounds	(F)
02:00 PM	High Energy Plus Dancing	A-2 Workshop	Intro to C-2 for C-1 Dancers	Handicapable Program	Relaxed Plus Dancing	No Rounds
02:30 PM	No Rounds	No Rounds	No Rounds	-	Double Rounds	
03:00 PM	Plus Dancing Youth Callers	A-2 Dancing	C-1 Workshop		Relaxed Plus Dancing	
03:30 PM	Double Rounds	Single Rounds	No Rounds	No Rounds	Double Rounds	
04:00 PM	Plus Anything Goes!	A-2 Anything Goes!	C-1 Anything Goes!		Relaxed Plus Dancing	
04:30 PM	No Rounds	No Rounds	No Rounds		Double Rounds	
05:00 PM		I	Spaghetti Dinner in Pa	avilion Dining Room	ı	

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Draft Saturday Evening Schedule

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	Pavilion I (A)	Pavilion II (B)	Pavilion Patio (C)	Fiesta (D)	Cafeteria (E)
	Plus Hall	Advanced Hall			
06:00 PM	Hall Open for Shopping				
06:30 PM	Pre-Rounds	Crand March Lineur			
		Grand March Lineup			
07:00 PM	Grand March and Exhibition (?)	Hall Closed			
07:30 PM	Mainstream Dancing All Featured Callers				
08:00 PM	Plus Dancing	A-1 Dancing	Variety Hour (rectangles; Salty Dog Rag; gemini,	C-1 Dancing	C-3A Dancing
08:30 PM	Double Rounds	Single Rounds	Arky; old calls)	No Rounds	No Rounds
09:00 PM	Plus Dancing	A-2 Dancing	Youth Glow Dance Under Black Lights	C-1 Dancing	C-3A Dancing
09:30 PM	Double Rounds	Single Rounds		No Rounds	No Rounds
10:00 PM	Plus Dancing	A-2 Dancing	Youth Callers and others	C-1 Dancing	C-2 Dancing
10:30 PM	Double Rounds	Single Rounds		No Rounds	No Rounds
11:00 PM		Halls Close		Ice Cream Afterparty with Themed Singing Calls Sponsor: Bows & Beaus	Hall Closes
01:00 AM					

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	Plus Hall	Advanced Hall			
10:00 AM	Plus Dancing	A-2 Dancing	Intro Blast No Experience Needed	Phase V Teach Featured Cuers	C-1 Dancing
10:30 AM	Single Rounds	Single Rounds	No Rounds		No Rounds
11:00 AM	Plus Dancing	A-2 Dancing			C-1 Dancing
11:30 AM	Single Rounds	Single Rounds			No Rounds
NOON	Tough Plus	A-1 Dancing	BREAK	Phase III Pre-Rounds	Workshop on Suc. Festival-Level Plus
12:30 PM	No Rounds	Single Rounds	Intro Blast Continues	Phase III Teach Featured Cuers	Dancing-Sat Followup No Rounds
01:00 PM	Plus Dancing	A-2 Dancing Single Round	No Rounds		C-2 Dancing
01:30 PM	Single Rounds	Tough A-2		Review of Saturday Phase II and Phase IV	No Rounds C-3A Dancing
02:00 PM	Plus Dancing Single Round	No Rounds		Teaches	No Rounds
02:30 PM	Competition	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK	BREAK
03:00 PM	Plus Dancing	A-2 Dancing	Intro Blast Continues	Intro to Rounds – Tango And review of other	C-1 Dancing
03:30 PM	Single Rounds	Single Rounds	No Rounds	Intro Teaches	No Rounds
04:00 PM	Plus Dancing	A-2 Dancing			C-1 Dancing
04:30 PM	Single Rounds	Single Rounds			No Rounds
05:00 PM	Dinner	Break	Halls	Close	Hall Closes

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06:00 PM	Dinner Break		Halls Closed	
06:30 PM	DieHard Multi-Level Hoedown Featured, Top Ten, and other			
07:00 PM	Callers			
07:30 PM				
08:00 PM				
08:30 PM	Single Rounds			
	Sponsor: Star Eights			
09:00 PM				
09:30 PM				

SEE YOU NEXT YEAR!

SCVSDA Delegates Sign in sheet 16 March 2008

CPSD Club (2 yotes) Mill Glesser	Charley's Angels (non-voting)	Bows & Beaus Por Sein Burble act	Blossom Hill Cloggers	Belle Swingers (2 votes) clalali () he
Silver Buckles / Carnival Twirlers (2 votes) Bevery Man	Rockin' Jokeps	Lucky Steppers	Mary Dazys Mary Jane Wegener	El Camino Reelers
Guests (pon-voting)	Top Cats Toe Dens T My Del Toe Dens T My Del	Star Eights Bial P	Square Hoppers	Single Squares of Sunnyvale

Report from SCUSDA Director march 29 Whing Ding Amt Top 10 30 Bay Meadows 132 tickets sold Aprili 555 class-fiddle player dimera Birds in Mature olide show 5 Circus Circus - Rockir Jokers 10 Nommi at lunch W/R Jokers 12 Bows Newer Dancer 17 533 Hard Times Party Night 26 mt. View Porede w/ Bows + Keith F 26 Keeway Juingus Hosdon 30 5th Wed Krazy Dazys at Ryckers mais 3 outlans Cruise Napa River 15 "Out of Africa" 588 Party Night 16 Katydids' greduation 17 Cambrion Center Cemo CPSD 17 Black + White Boll Krazy CPs) Jane Bixtop Baus Star 8'5 Out aus

50th CALIFORNIA STATE SOUARE DANCE CONVENTION

April 9, 10 & 11, 2010 At the Fresno Fairgrounds

Dear Affiliate President,

Here is your initial supply of Grand Prize tickets for the next State Convention. We are asking your help to distribute these tickets to the members of your association. If you appoint a person to coordinate ticket distribution for your association, please provide us with their name and phone number so that we will know whom to contact.

We want to get the word out to all the members about the commissions that they can earn for their club by selling these tickets. This is "Easy Money" that all clubs can earn. All a club has to do is sell a minimum of 5 books (50 tickets), and they will qualify for a commission.

From 50 to 200 tickets, the club earns 20%.

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The club in each association that sells the most tickets earns 40%, provided that they sell at least 50 tickets.

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The individual in the state who sells the most tickets will receive a \$100 Savings Bond. It is important that the seller put their name, club and association on each ticket so that we can give them the proper credit.

When you return the sold tickets to us, please **DO NOT GIVE US CASH**. Please put the cash in your bank account and write a check to the convention. It is much safer and easy to account for that way.

Please check each book of tickets to be sure that each stub is filled out. Some folks put their name on the top ticket when they buy a book, and someone else has to write that information on all the other tickets in the book. Please be kind to us and make sure that they are filled out before you send them in. That way each of you will do a little of the work instead of sending in a bunch of blank books and expecting us to fill them all out.

If you need more tickets, we will be happy to get them to you. We plan to be at many of the festivals in the next year and can bring them to you there, you can get them at Council Meetings, or we can mail them to you. Please either call or e-mail us and we will arrange to get you whatever you need.

Please turn in sold tickets and money regularly, especially checks. We don't want to hold people's checks for long periods of time and complicate their reconciliation of their bank accounts. Remember, the Convention Guidelines require that all tickets be turned in by April 1 in order to qualify for the commission.

Thank you for your help, and let's tell everyone about this "Easy Money".

Sincerely,

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1st Prize - 2009 Chevrolet HHR or \$15,000 cash

2nd Prize – Panama Canal Cruise for two or \$5,000 cash

3rd Prize - 58" Flat Panel HDTV or \$4,000 cash

4th Prize - Digital Camera and accessories or \$500 cash

The drawing will take place on Saturday, June 27, 2009 at the 58th National Square Dance Convention® during our closing ceremonies. The winner need not be present.

Square Dance Clubs in California will earn a commission of \$5 for each and every ticket they sell. This is a great fund raising opportunity for your club. Get ready to sell to everyone you know. Attached to this letter are books of tickets. There are more tickets available. When you sell these contact your Association Council representative for more. Remember the more your club sells the more money your club can make.

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Name:		
Address:		
City/State/Zip:		

Please sell tickets, fill in the stub portion of the ticket and return it with checks made out to 58th NSDC and mail them to (don't mail cash):

58th NSDC c/o Jim & Sue Davis 1468 Saskatchewan Drive Sunnyvale, CA 94087-4446

Make sure you fill in your club to get credit. Some clubs have similar names, so be sure you fill in the Association as well.

Jim & Sue Davis 58th NSDC Grand Prize Chairman

Address to the SCVSDA from the President of the SCVCA

By now may of you have heard that the SCVCA has decided not to co-sponsor The Callers' Appreciation Dance in conjunction with the SCVSDA. This is not a decision that we came to without forethought, nor is it a decision we are taking lightly. At our April 6, 2008 meeting the SCVCA informed the President of the SCVSDA that the Callers' Appreciation Dance is the most important dance of the year for our association and we did not want a repeat of last year where the dance was cancelled. At that meeting we also requested the SCVSDA try to secure the use of John Muir Middle School for the dance. There was some protest by both Barry Binge and Jim Davis that we should hold the dance at AMT where we could be pretty assured to make a profit verses John Muir where it was more likely to be a loss. We did take a vote as an association and decided due to the importance of this dance we wanted to hold it at John Muir. It was also requested that Jerry Silverstein reserve the American Musical Theater (AMT) for May 31, in the event John Muir was not available.

On May 7, due to the number of inquiries received, an email request was made of the SCVSDA to please let our association know where the Callers' Appreciation Dance was going to be held. To date there was no advertising done, No Ad in Squares Around The Bay, No Flyers, the only advertising was an entry on the SCVSDA Web Site with the note location TBD. On May 8, the Vice President of the SCVCA did manage to contact your President and he said the dancers association was interested in doing the dance and we would be doing it at AMT. This would have been the end of it, but on May 9, I received an email from one of our members who stopped by John Muir to reserve the hall for their clubs dance in October. The girl who made the reservation at John Muir confirmed the hall was reserved by your association for a dance on May 31 and had been confirmed for some time. At this point it was decided the only way we the SCVCA was going to take place is if we put the dance on ourselves especially since those chosen to do the work for your association were being less than truthful with us.

For the past year and a half I as the President of the SCVCA have been pleading with your association to join with our association to promote Square Dancing. During the period of my taking over as the President of SCVCA this has been the topic which we start each and every meeting and we have come up with ideas which due to our limited membership we unable to implement. I made this plea to your President at our last meeting to please join with us and help us promote Square Dancing. We are seing our numbers decrease faster than we are replenishing them as I keep telling the Callers don't be surprised when your dance is going to be held in a garage and you have trouble getting a square to dance.

The SCVCA and the SCVSDA have come to a fork in the road and we can either travel together or we can each travel our own separate path. This is a decision both associations will need to discuss and decide. For the good of the Square Dance Community this decision should be made as expeditiously as possible. If our associations are to continue to work together we will need to resolve our differences, as quickly as possible, and come to a mutual agreement of what our expectation are of each other.

Both our association need to examine the reasons our associations were formed, and if we are fulfilling the needs of our creation. If our boards are to carry out the business of our respective association, those who are selected to carry out that business of the association must be granted the authority to carry out and make the decisions necessary to conduct the business. Both our associations have a common interest and that is Square Dancing. We now need to decide if we want to work together or separately towards the promotion of our common interest.