

Buzz of the Bees—Blue Bell Square Dance Club Newsletter

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VIPS— Please come at 7 pm to help the President set up-make coffee etc. (If U can't make it, switch with someone)

Aug 12th—West & Carroll

Aug 26th—Clements & Davis

Sept 9th — Donart & Edgington

Sept 23rd — Gill & Groves

Oct. 14th — Harvey & Lewis

Oct. 28th — Martin & Pickering

Nov. 11th — Richie & Sallach

Nov. 25th — Sewell & Weiner

ICE CREAM SOCIAL — The Ice Cream Social is scheduled for August 26th. Tom Pickering is in charge of coordinating the menu. Give him a call and see what we need. This would be a good dance to bring any one that is interested in lessons. This is one of our best dances of the year so hope to see you there.

LESSONS — The club callers would like to give lessons starting in October. If you have any couples that are interested please give Jeanie a call and give her their names. It would also be great if you could have them come to the Ice Cream Social to see what Square Dancing is all about.

THANKS! — Dear Square Dancers, I want to thank the square dancers of New Mexico for thinking that we are Hall of fame material. Thank you to our Friends that sent in our name and wrote letters etc. This club has been very special for us for many years and we just want to thank you for this special Honor. Jim and Mary Ann Martin

55th NATIONAL FESTIVAL — There were 7 or 8 couples from Blue Bell Club that attended. There were about 7,500 people that attended. It was hot and humid but everyone had a great time. For all of you that used to dance with the El Paso Club we got to see Sally & Ernie Wolf, they were working as volunteers. It was great to see them again.

OTHER CLUB VISITS — Jim and Mary Ann Martin organized a group of club members to make the long trek to Silver City to the Silver Square's regular dance on July 17th. Those attending were Martin, Richie, Edgington, Donart, Pickering, and Groves. We had a great time. Get a group together and attend another club's dance, maybe we can get them to reciprocate.

DEMO'S — DANCERS NEEDED — Susan Raby is busy scheduling Demo dances to help recruit new dancers. She has one scheduled for the 9th of September (tentatively 2-3 pm) at the Mesilla Valley Mall, and one at the Southern NM State Fair. If you can help out please give her a call at 524-2471.

DUES ARE DUE — If you pay your dues every six months, then it is time to pay your dues again. You can give them to Billie Edgington, or mail to Blue Bell Square Dance Club % Belton Bridge Center, 1214 Madrid St., Las Cruces, NM.

UPCOMING DANCES:

RED RIVER, NM Sept 21st-22nd — Aspencade at the Community House. Callers Art Tangen & Shane Greer with Bob and Sally Nolen cueing. Contact Bob & Sally at nolensally@hotmail.com or 505-662-7227.

AREA DANCES:

1st & 3rd Sunday's — Circle 8's will host their regular dance 6:00pm at the Munson Center. Wilson Purcella is taking the summer off. Callers for the summer are: August 6, Ted Clements.

1st Saturday Each Month — Art Harvey's Cross-fire's Plus Club dance at Belton Bridge Center, 7:00-9:30pm. Cross-Fire's will be dancing on the 3rd Saturday in the month of August.

Every Tuesday — Good Time Squares, Deming. 7:00pm Senior Citizen Center 800 Granite St. Callers Wilson Purcella and Rusty Wright (alternate) for info call Lu Chestnut @ 505-546-6133

Blue Bell's

55th Annual Ice Cream Social

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**Join the Blue Bell Square Dance Club
For Our 55th Annual
Ice Cream Social**

**Where: Belton Bridge Center (524-3031)
1214 Madrid Rd., Las Cruces, NM**

When: August 26th, 2006

**Time: Dance 7:30
Ice Cream/Deserts After 2nd Tip**

**Bring your family and friends!
(Especially Anyone Who Is Interested In Lessons)
Casual attire**

**Special (Surprise) Presentation of Life Membership
TO: JOHN & JOYCE CURRY**