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# Kitty Hawk Flyer

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## From the President

Myrna and I would like to thank everyone who supports the Kitty Hawks by helping at and attending our dances, raids as well as serving as officers and committee members. The Kitty Hawk's holiday season has always been very busy and this fall was no different. By the time that you read this, we will have held our 28th annual Myrt Foor Canned Food dance, the Christmas Party will be complete, and our 2nd annual Holiday Special Dance on Dec 28th is about to happen.

Kitty Hawks' 28th annual Myrt Foor Dance on November 30th was once again a great success and great thing for the Oak Park Greenmont/Accension Food Bank. It was also great for the dancers. The dance leaders were Jack Pladdys, Jason Raleigh, and Elaine Wintrow who did an excellent job

as always. Our basket raffle was a success earning over \$275. We thank those who provided a basket: Dave & Mary Stevens, Daniela Collins, Steve & Bev Stoehr, Brenda and Matt Howard, and Myrna Allen for all putting baskets together. Additionally I want to thank all of the Kitty Hawks and all of our visitors who brought cans, paid entry fees, bought split-the-pot, bought raffle tickets, and the anonymous donor who once again made a generous donation to put us over the top. With the building being rent free and the dance leaders donating their time, the Dayton dance community was able to raise \$3800 when all receipts were added together. All proceeds went to the Greenmont Oak Park/Ascension Food Pantry.

I think we want to continue with the gift baskets for next year as well. If you decide early that you are putting a basket together, during the year you can watch for deals and get basket contents at less than retail price. Keep watching and let us know what theme you have chosen so we can avoid duplication.

At the end of the year, Kitty Hawks and Cardinal Squares are co-sponsoring a dance on Dec 28th. This dance is at the Michael Solomon Pavilion from 2 to 5 pm and the cost is \$7 per person. The callers will be Jack Pladdys, Pam Courts, and Nathaniel Arnett with Elaine Wintrow doing rounds. This dance will be a Hi/Lo, with three callers for three hours, there will be plenty of dancing of what you like no matter the level. Last year was a big dance and we have every reason to believe it will be a big dance again. In fact, last year's was bigger than Myrt Foor, so we need for everyone to try

and come to help work and bring a couple of food items. Cardinal Squares will be helping so we should be in good shape if we all do our share. Thanks a lot Kitty Hawks for your efforts on these special dances. After this we get a couple of months off from special events.

We certainly had a big turnout for our Club Meeting when it was held on 21 Nov at 7 pm before the dance. We had 27 people which is about 3 times what we had been having at our after dance meetings. Obviously in the future we will hold these meetings at 7 pm before the dance.

It didn't strike me until later, that not only the meeting time was changed, but the entire meeting was about change. Times change and our club is smaller and older now, so we need to do things differently.

There are two subjects from the meeting that need to be reviewed in the newsletter. Both subjects were first discussed at the Board Meeting 12 Nov, voted and approved and then discussed again at the Club Meeting 21 Nov; also approved by vote.

The first change is in how we did this year's Christmas Party. This is probably old news for most of the Kitty Hawks, but in case you missed it, I will review what we did. Instead of it being a night of work, we gathered in the party room at MCL Cafeteria on Far Hills Ave in Kettering, OH on Tuesday 16 Dec 14. In lieu of the Kitty Hawk Club providing the meat and condiments, 2014 dues paid up members received reimbursement of \$10 per member after joining us in the party room.

We still did the ornament exchange as before and some other games organized by Myrna.

I want to point out that this was a change for Christmas 2014. Next year the board will need to decide what they want to do for 2015. It may be: the old approach, or MCL with \$10 reimbursement, or maybe \$5 reimbursement, or maybe no reimbursement, or something else totally different.

The second subject is our dance schedule. At the board meeting and at the club meeting, members voted to discontinue

our 1st Friday dance each month. During the last 5 dances reviewed at the 12 Nov board meeting, Kitty Hawks lost money at 3 out of the last 5 dances. At two of those dances we lost over \$200. When we earn money, it is typically about \$30. Obviously something needs to change.

One might ponder as to why this is happening, but the answer is what we all know has been happening for a number of years. The square dance community worldwide is smaller and in the U.S., at least, it is getting older. Where many used to dance every weekend night, they now only dance one weekend night. It should also be noted that many other Dayton clubs now dance only one night a month. It is clearly the thing we need to do, in keeping with the larger Dayton Square Dance Community. Due to caller cancellation clauses, Kitty Hawks will switch to this new schedule beginning 1 Feb 2015.

The January 2 dance was already cancelled due to its proximity to New Year's Eve. Our January 16 dance we will have Pam Courts and Elaine Wintrow. 30 Jan we will have Tom Davis and Elaine Wintrow. Under the new policy, our dance 6 February is cancelled. Our 20 February dance feature Jack Pladdys and Elaine Wintrow. At this dance we will honor our 2015 Honor Couple, Dave and Mary Stevens. With only one opportunity to raid us every month, we expect the attendance to be up and therefore we will not have the losses but will see profitability.

Now I want to cover one last subject. Due to our smaller membership, we have almost run out of food by 9 pm at several dances. It would be courteous to our guests if we could all bring a little extra with us especially since we expect our dance attendance to be up. Hopefully this isn't too much of a burden since we are now dancing only once per month.

By the way, you should pay your 2015 dues real soon. Shirley and Ellen are collecting those at this time. This year we are going to get busy enforcing the extra dollar at dances for those who have not paid. The dues are \$5 per person. For this cheap price,

you get into our dances at a \$1 discount and are eligible for our summer picnic and Christmas party.

Thanks for your continual support of Kitty Hawks! Myrna and I want to wish you each a happy and healthy 2015.

Ken & Myrna Allen  
President, Kitty Hawk Squares

From the Vice-  
Presidents

Hope all had a wonderful Christmas with family and friends and are looking forward to the start of a new year. As always we will have a few special dances, so look for the fliers.

Happy New Year to one and all.

Daniella Collins  
Vice President

From the Raid  
Chairmen

MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR!!!!

We are off to another year of great dancing which includes great times with friends and fellowship. Hopefully one of your New Year resolutions is to make more time to enjoy your dancing hobby. Check out the dances on the raid and retrieval list and put them on your calendar!!! It is always great to spend an evening dancing with your friends. Hope you have a Healthy and Blessed New Year.

We are looking forward to being in your square soon.

Yellow Rocks

Tim and Patty Dunn  
Raid Chair

October–November Raid  
Awards

Earning a Jewel for their raider badges for the months of October and November 2014 are:

Kevin Arnett	100	Tim Dunn	724
Ken Cizadlo	243	Brenda Howard	41
Peg Cizadlo	243	Matt Howard	41

Kevin Arnett has earned his 100 Kitty Hawk raid bard and dangle.

**THANK YOU RAIDERS FOR RAIDING IN THE MONTHS OF OCTOBER AND NOVEMBER 2014!**

Thank you for supporting your club by attending the raids and retrievals ... your club needs you! Often we need that 7th or 8th person to make our square of dancers. Thanks for being there!!! IF YOUR name is not on this list, please pick one or more dates in the raid and retrieval list and join us! We have lots of fun! See you in a square soon!!!!

Ken Allen	6 raids
Myrna Allen	5 raids
Kevin Arnett	1 raid
Renee' Arnett	1 raid
Ken Cizadlo	8 raids
Peg Cizadlo	8 raids
Daniella Collins	3 raids
Patty Dunn	9 raids
Tim Dunn	8 raids
Betty Esbeaugh	2 raids
Carol Griffin	2 raids
Linda Hastings	2 raids
Frank Hayes	5 raids
Michael Hinkle	5 raids
Pat Hough	1 raid
Brenda Howard	9 raids
Matt Howard	9 raids
L.H. Jones	11 raids
Nina Jones	11 raids
Vickie McQuay	5 raids

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# January 2015

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
Miami Valley Hotline (937) 294-5511				<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> No Dance <b>Birthday</b> Mary Hauber	<b>3</b> Anniversary Kyle & Chuck Rieker <b>Birthday</b> Brett Hauber
<b>4</b> 66 <sup>th</sup> Convention Benefit Dance @ Pavilion	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b> Raid <i>Cardinal Squares</i>	<b>10</b> Raid <i>Curlie Q's</i>
<b>11</b> Raid <i>Yellow Rockers</i>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b> Pam Courts Elaine Wintrow	<b>17</b> Raid <i>Gem City</i>
<b>18</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b> Raid <i>Grand Squares</i>	<b>24</b> Birthday Brenda Howard
<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> Tom Davis Elaine Wintrow  <b>Birthday</b> Pat Arnett	<b>31</b> Raid <i>Hoosier Corners</i>  <b>Birthday</b> Marie Ellis

The 66<sup>th</sup> National Square Dance Convention proudly presents the 2015 General Butler Bash **SNEAK PEEK**, on **Sunday, January 4<sup>th</sup>** at the Michael Solomon Pavilion, 2917 Berkley Street, Dayton, OH. Early Advance Dancing will be 1:00 – 2:00 pm; Plus Dancing will be 2:00 – 5:00 pm. The callers and cuers are: **Jack Pladdys, Tom Davis, Wes Dyer, Mark Patterson, and Bud & Elaine Wintrow**. The dance will cost \$8.00 per person.

# February 2015

<i>Sun</i>	<i>Mon</i>	<i>Tue</i>	<i>Wed</i>	<i>Thu</i>	<i>Fri</i>	<i>Sat</i>
<b>1</b> Kitty Hawk Round Dance @ Pavilion	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> Birthday Betty Eshbaugh	<b>6</b> Raid Concord Cloverleaf's	<b>7</b> Raid Hoosier Corner's
<b>8</b> Raid Yellow Rockers	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> Birthday Geneva Moore Anniversary Susan & Bud Frederickso	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b> Raid Cardinal Squares	<b>14</b> Raid High Point See Saws  Anniversary Nina & LH Jones
<b>15</b> Raid Hoosier Corner's	<b>16</b> Anniversary Mary & Dave Stevens	<b>17</b> Anniversary Vicki & Bill McQuay	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> Birthday Betsy Nushawg	<b>20</b> Jack Pladdys Elaine Wintrow Honor Couple Dance	<b>21</b> Raid Gem City
<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> Birthday Debbie O'Connor	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b> Raid Grand Squares  Birthday Renee' Arnett	<b>28</b>

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### 66<sup>th</sup> National Convention News

Reminder: Ohio is hosting the Convention in Cincinnati on June 21-24, 2017. Register and volunteer to help with a committee.

**Kitty Hawks** are hosting a **Round Dance** on Sunday, **February 1<sup>st</sup>**, at the Michael Solomon Pavilion. The cuers are Elaine Wintrow and Linda Bishop. There will be a workshop from 2:00-3:00 pm and dancing from 3:00 to 5:00.

For Your Records, Our Officers

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Fred Moore	5 raids	Chuck Rieker	2 raids
Geneva Moore	5 raids	Kyle Rieker	2 raids
Debbie O'Connor	1 raid	Bev Stoehr	8 raids
Paul O'Connor	1 raid	Steve Stoehr	8 raids
		Leitha Webber	1 raid



## ***Kitty Hawk Raids & Retrievals - January & February 2015***

*Raid Chairmen: Patty & Tim Dunn - - -*

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<b>Date</b>	<b>Day</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>Caller/Cuer</b>
Jan 9 <sup>th</sup>	Fri	8:00-10:30	<u>Cardinal Squares</u> : Clark Technical Center, 1901 Selma Rd, Springfield	Nathaniel Arnett (caller)
		Pre-rounds: 7:30		Elaine Wintrow (cuer)
Jan 10 <sup>th</sup>	Sat	8:00-10:30	<u>Curli Q's</u> : Golden Gate Park, Brookville	Tom Davis (caller)
		Pre-rounds: 7:30		Elaine Wintrow (cuer)
Jan 11 <sup>th</sup>	Sun	7:30-10:00	<u>Yellow Rockers</u> : Bryon Community Center, 100 Dayton St., Yellow Springs	Tom Reinhardt (caller) Elaine Wintrow (cuer)
Jan 17 <sup>th</sup>	Sat	7:30-10:00	<u>Gem City</u> : <b>Souper Bowl Dance</b> , Michael Solomon Pavilion, 2917 Berkley St., Kettering, OH	Ken Roberts (caller) Stuart Lewis (cuer)
Jan 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Fri	8:00-10:30	<u>Grand Squares</u> : <b>Recycle Sale</b> , Polk Grove United Church of Christ, 9190 Frederick Pike, Englewood	Eddie Powell (caller)
		Pre-rounds: 7:30		Linda Bishop (cuer)
Jan 31 <sup>st</sup>	Sat	7:30-10:00	<u>Hoosier Corners</u> : Richmond Community Ctr, 1600 S. 2 <sup>nd</sup> St, Richmond, IN	Mark Patterson (caller)
		Pre-rounds: 7:00		Gary Hutton (cuer)
Feb 6 <sup>th</sup>	Fri	8:00-10:30	<u>Concord Cloverleaf's</u> : 3263 North Street, Route 560, 4 miles north of Westville, Urbana	Jason Raleigh (caller)
		Pre-rounds: 7:30		Elaine Wintrow (cuer)
Feb 7 <sup>th</sup>	Sat	7:30-10:00	<u>Hoosier Corners</u> : <b>Roaring 20's Dance</b> , Richmond Community Ctr, 1600 S. 2 <sup>nd</sup> St, Richmond, IN	Tom Strickland (caller)
		Pre-rounds: 7:00		Elaine Wintrow (cuer)
Feb 8 <sup>th</sup>	Sun	7:30-10:00	<u>Yellow Rockers</u> : <b>Chocolate Dance</b> , Bryon Community Center, 100 Dayton St., Yellow Springs	Jason Raleigh (caller) Elaine Wintrow (cuer)
Feb 13 <sup>th</sup>	Fri	8:00-10:30	<u>Cardinal Squares</u> : <b>Heart Healthy Dance</b> , Clark Technical Center, 1901 Selma Rd, Springfield	Gary Kincaide (caller)
		Pre-rounds 7:30		Elaine Wintrow (cuer)
Feb 14 <sup>th</sup>	Sat	8:00-10:30	<u>High Point See Saws</u> : <b>Valentines' Dance</b> , 600 N. Main St., Bellefontaine, OH	Tom Alexander (caller)
		Pre-rounds 7:30		Elaine Wintrow (cuer)
Feb 15 <sup>th</sup>	Sun	2:00-4:30	<u>Hoosier Corners</u> : Richmond Community Ctr, 1600 S. 2 <sup>nd</sup> St, Richmond, IN	Ken Ritucci (caller) Elaine Wintrow (cuer)
Feb 21 <sup>st</sup>	Sat	7:30-10:00	<u>Gem City</u> : Michael Solomon Pavilion, 2917 Berkley St., Kettering, OH	Ken Roberts (caller) Stuart Lewis (cuer)
Feb 27 <sup>th</sup>	Fri	8:00-10:30	<u>Grand Squares</u> : Polk Grove United Church of Christ, 9190 Frederick Pike, Englewood	Ken Roberts (caller)
		Pre-rounds: 7:30		Linda Bishop (cuer)

# January and February 2015 Raid Maps

