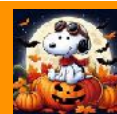


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June 24-27 2026
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Fall 2025: September, October, November

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State Conventions

Minnesota: June 12-14, 2026, Rochester, MN
Michigan: August 14-16, 2025, Dearborn, MI
Indiana: November 7-9, 2025, French Lick, IN
Wisconsin: August 8-10, 2025, Oshkosh, WI
Wisconsin: August 7-9, 2026, Brookfield, WI

National Conventions

68th NSDCA International Camporee, Bellville, TX
June 17-19, 2026
75th: Waco, TX, June 24-27, 2026
76th: Loveland, CO June 23-26, 2027



Hosted by:
**Badger Rovers &
Westport Squares**

SW-SDAW Fall Jamboree

Sunday,
October 12, 2025
2:00 - 4:30

MC: Ray Steinich
Area Callers/Cuers Welcome
Mainstream with Rounds

\$8.00 Adults/ \$4.00 Youth

Door prizes. Snacks.
Water will be available.
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Winter Issue Months:
**December, January,
February**

Copy Deadline:
October 10, 2025

Submit to:
tipsandcues1@gmail.com

**Check websites or Club
Contact for Times &
Locations.**

Happy Dancing!

Badger Rovers

NSDCA Chapter #031
www.badgerrovers.com

Contact: Stephanie Esser
608-576-0624 or stephesser@tds.net

September 5-7 **Token Creek County Park**, Deforest WI, 608 224-3730;
online: https://www.countyofdane.com/lwrparks/token_creek.aspx

55th Anniversary Dance (see flyer)

*Everyone is Welcome to join us!
Potluck dinner at 5:30 on Saturday
evening with dance to follow.*



66th Wisconsin Square & Round Dance Convention

Save The Date!

August 7-9, 2026

**Sheraton Hotel & Convention Center
Brookfield, WI**

Special Guest Caller
**Dee Dee
Dougherty-Lottie**

Trails End Dance
August 6, 2026
7:30-10:30 PM
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www.wisquaredanceconvention.org

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2nd & 4th Tuesdays
5th Tuesday - Plus



Wilson Elementary School
405 West Third St., Beaver Dam
Enter through double doors at the
back of building. Park on the
blacktop play area
Early Rounds at 7:00
7:30-9:30 pm

Contacts: Bob & Bonnie Sweeney
920-386-2951

bobsween@yahoo.com or
Tom Nickel 608-831-0341
tenickel@chorus.net
www.swinginbeavers.com

August 12 Bob Asp/Ray Steinich

August 26 Dave Crowley/Ray
Steinich

September 9 Don & Doug Sprosty

September 23 Tom & Kathy Nickel

September 30 Tom & Kathy Nickel
Plus

October 5 Doug & Don Sprosty
Octoberfest Dance (See Flyer)

October 14 Tom & Kathy Nickel

October 28 Curt Braffet/Ray Steinich

November 11 Tom & Kathy Nickel

November 25 Dave Crowley/Ray
Steinich

December 9 Tom & Kathy Nickel



WESTPORT PLUS FALL 2025

**PLUS Level Square Dancing
with Rounds**

2nd FRIDAYS of the Month!!!

7:00 – 9:30pm

Lakeview Lutheran Church
4001 Mandrake – Madison, WI

Club Caller: Tom Nickel Cuer: Kathy Nickel
tenickel@chorus.net

FALL DANCE SCHEDULE

August 8 --

WI Convention No Dance

September 12

October 10

November 14

PLUS DANCING

**Tuesday Round Dances****Dancing
Shadows**

**1st & 3rd Tuesday
Phase 2 Rounds**



All Dancers Welcome
4301 Hilltop Circle
Middleton, WI 7:30-9:00pm

Kathy Nickel, Cuer
608-831-0341, tenickel@chorus.net

August 5, 19 September 2, 16
October 7, 21 November 4, 18

Wednesday Round Dances**Prison City Rounds**

Most Wednesdays
Phase 3 & 4 Rounds
City Hall, 201 E Main St,
Waupun, WI

Ray Steinich, Cuer

Contact Ray for dance information
608-332-4865 or
raysteinich@gmail.com

**Sunday Round Dances****Friendship Rounds**

Most Sunday evenings
starting September 21st
Phase 3 lessons at 5:30,
Phase 2-4 dance 7-9:00

Phase 2 lessons, *Thursdays*
7:30-9:00 Starting September 18th

The Garden Room in The Castle,
501 Prospect St, Beloit, WI
Peggy Weisensel Chavey, Cuer
Contact Peggy for dance information
608-201-3529 or
beloitdancers@gmail.com



*Dancing Shadows
Fall 2025*

Phase II Round Dances

**1st & 3rd TUESDAYS of the Month
7:30pm – 9:00pm**

Location: Kathy & Tom Nickel's
4301 Hilltop Cir., Middleton WI
Cuers: Kathy & Tom Nickel
Contact: 608-831-0341 tenickel@chorus.net



FALL DANCE SCHEDULE

Call to check schedule before attending

- August 5 August 19
- September 2 September 16
- October 7 October 21
- November 4 November 18



Friday Square Dances**Westport Squares**

1st, 3rd & 5th Fridays
www.westportsquares.com
 or Eldon & Virginia Boehm
 608-535-9461

7:00-9:30

Lakeview Lutheran Church
 4001 Mandrake Rd., Madison 53704

August 29 Wayne Irwin

Back to School

September 5 Myron Hollatz

September 19 Bob Asp/Ray Steinich

Barn Dance/Western Night

October 3 Mike Seurer

October 17 Doug & Don Sprosty

October 31 Tom & Kathy Nickel

Halloween

November 7 Curt Braffet/Ray Steinich

Food Pantry/Veterans

November 21 Dominic Gruetzmacher

December 5 Dave Crowley/Ray

Steinich **Charity Dance** ***

***Club Meeting after dance

Note: Check our website for updates on Times and Location.

Save the Dates:

Sunday, December 7:

New Dancers Christmas Dance

Sunday February 15:

Sweetheart Dance

More information coming soon!

Saturday Square Dances**Petunia City Squares**

2nd & 4th Saturdays Mainstream

7:00 Pre-rounds*

7:30-10:00pm/Rounds

7:30-9:30/No Rounds (NR)

Peoples Church

340 W. Grand Ave.

Beloit, WI 53511

petuniacitysquares@gmail.com

Facebook:

www.squaredance4life.com/petuniacity/

or call: 608-713-1895

Night of Dance: 815-298-7087

September 13 Brian Freed/Peggy Chavey*

September 27 Tom Manning (NR)

October 11 John Harden/Peggy Chavey*

October 25 Dave Crowley (NR)

November 8 Myron Hollatz*

November 22 Don & Doug Sprosty*

December 13 Tom & Kathy Nickel*

Westport Squares Plus

2nd Fridays **7:00-9:30pm**

Lakeview Lutheran Church (LV)

4001 Mandrake Rd.,

Madison 53704

Caller: Tom Nickel

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608-831-0341

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September 12 October 10

November 14

In Loving Memory:

Patricia Kelm:

12-9-1934 - 6-5-2025 Caller.

Bernard (Bernie) Coulthurst:

11-14-1938 - 7-26-2025

Here "Tis" publisher for many years.

SW-SDAW Meeting

Visitors are always welcome.
 Please attend the meeting and see what the SW-SDAW area is about and how we work to promote square dancing in our area and the state.

Next Meeting Date:

Monday, November 3, 2025

Time: 7:00pm

Planned Location:

United Methodist Church of

Sun Prairie,

702 North Street,

Sun Prairie WI 53590

www.swsdaw.com

Meetings for May, August &

November are in person.

Note: Meeting for February will be on Zoom.

NSDCA

68th International Camporee

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June 17, 18 & 19, 2026

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Camporee Treasurer:

Susan Wolford

256-673-0170

E-mail

68th.nsdca@gmail.com

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MONDAY EVENINGS

7:00 – 9:00 pm



Instructors:

Kathy & Tom Nickel

Location: 4301 Hilltop Circle
Middleton, WI

Contact: 608-831-0341
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Scan QR Code to Register

For more details on the 75th NSDC,
visit our website at: <https://75nsdctx.com>
and follow us on Facebook

To access our Facebook page, scan the QR code



Badger Rovers Square Dance Campers Chapter 031

Help us Celebrate 55 years!
Crafts, Games, Workshops, Potluck Dinner
and Dance

Saturday, September 6, 2025

1:00 Crafts, 2:00 - 4:00 Workshops (Square, Round & Plus), Camp Games available to play though out the day,
5:00 Potluck Dinner, 7:00 Dance, 9:00 Campfire



**Token Creek County Park, Shelter 1
DeForest, WI**



Badger Rovers is cooking Brats, & Dogs,
Cake & will have water available.
Please bring: your Lawn Chairs, Dinner
service, Dish to share & beverage of choice.
Note: Donations welcome to help offset cost
of the shelter.



Swingin' Beavers Square Dance Club



Sunday, October 5, 2025

**Dodgeland School
401 S. Western Ave.
Juneau, WI. 53039**

Dancing from 2:00 to 5:30 p.m.
\$10.00

Mainstream - Plus - Rounds
German meal served after the
dance for \$5.00



**Don & Doug
Sprosty**