



Footnotes

Portland Country Dance Community · January / February 1995

SPECIAL EVENTS

1995 begins with a high-energy, old-timey evening of contras and squares as Seattle's **Suzanne Girardot** joins forces with Portland's own **Rose City Aces** for the **PCDC First Friday Dance**, January 6. 8 PM at Multnomah Art Center.

The **First Saturday English Country Dance** welcomes musicians **Kathleen Towers**, **Dave Goldman**, **Beverly Stafford & Kent Fisher**, whose melodious notes will grace the calling and teaching of **Irene Young**. Last chance to get warmed up for the following week's **Ball** in Seattle. 8 PM at Fulton Community Center.

Zydeco fanatics may still have time to get in on the **Second Annual Zydeco Ski Party at Suttle Lake**, January 13-15. Check with **Deborah** or **Creighton** (503/753-1278) to find out!

The bi-semi-sesqui-every-other-month **PCDC Family Dance** series continues on Saturday, January 14. **Rick Meyers** will lead dances suitable for anyone able to walk and smile at the same time. And their children. The music will emerge from the **High-Strung String Band**. 5 PM at MAC, with potluck dinner at 7 PM.

The festivities of January 14 then continue, as recent transplant to the western side of Washington **Erik Weberg** calls the **PCDC Second Saturday Dance**. Joining him on-stage will be **Cat's Cradle**. You can expect an evening of smoothly-flowing contras with a combination like this. 8 PM at MAC.

Some of your favorite dance musicians will be showing off their concert sides at the **Portland Folklore Society Coffeehouse**, Friday January 20. The **Oxymorons** (**Clyde Curley**, **Creighton Lindsay & Joel Bernstein**) perform wild and rare traditional songs and tunes, delivered with a decidedly bluesy tilt. Their motto: "Ragged but right." This performance celebrates the release of the Oxy's new tape, *Tunes of the Gods: Old-Time Music for Mandolin*. 8 PM at the Multnomah Friends' Meeting House, 4312 SE Stark, Portland.

February's **First Friday Dance** will be the annual **Dean Kenty Benefit Dance**. Named for one of the founding musicians of the Portland dance scene, the proceeds of this dance go to PCDC's Scholarship Fund.

The Scholarship Fund, in turn, goes to PCDC members who request financial assistance to attend special dance and music events around the world. Donating their considerable energies will be caller **Kirk McCall**, musicians **Twisted Shamrock** and an ensemble featuring **Clyde Curley**, plus a second caller to be named soon. 8 PM at MAC.

The February 4 **First Saturday English Dance** will feature the rousing musical talents of the **NewTonians** plus the sonorous calling and teaching of **Nan Evans**. 8 PM at Fulton Community Center.

Meanwhile, February 4 will also feature a special edition of the **First Saturday Cats & Dogs Dance**, as favorite Seattle caller **Laura Mé Smith** tries to tame *both* **Cat's Cradle** and **Moondog**. The fur will be flying for sure! 8 PM at St. Andrew's Church.

The **PCDC Second Saturday Dance** of February 11 will combine the calling of Portland's **Paul McCullough** with the piano and fiddle of East Coast contra stars **Charlie Pilzer & Freyda Epstein**. Don't miss this rare visit! 8 PM at MAC.

The **North American Folk Alliance** brings together folk music performers, promoters, presenters and supporters from around the continent. Their 1995 conference is being held in Portland, February 15-19. The conference is mostly *not* open to the public, but you can get an earful of top-level performances by **volunteering** at the conference. There are many different duties available. Contact **Dick Hamlet** or **Corinne McWilliams** at 503/655-4290.

One Folk Alliance event that *is* open to everyone is the **Thursday Night Dance**, February 16. Sponsored by PCDC, the evening will include a contradance set with music by **Jigsaw** and calling by Seattle stalwart **Warren Argo**. There may also be swing or Cajun dancing; the details are currently being finalized. (Rumor has it that once you're admitted to the dance you might also be able to wander about listening to the hours of jamming going on all about the hotel!) 8:30 PM at the Lloyd Center Red Lion in Portland.

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Dance Location Acronyms

BC	Benton Center, 630 NW 7th, Salem.
BWT	Burlingame Water Tower Dance Hall, SW 17th and Marigold (between Spring Garden and Taylor's Ferry Roads)—no street shoes permitted on the dance floor
EAT	East Avenue Tavern, 727 E. Burnside
ECHO	Echo Theater, 1515 SE 37th
FAS	French American School, 1849 SW 58th (Sylvan)
FCC	Fulton Community Center, 68 SW Miles (off Barbur, traffic light just east of Terwilliger)
GP	Guthrie Park, 3 miles south of Dallas on Kings Valley Highway.
HS	Hough School, 1900 Daniels, Vancouver, WA.
IOOF	IOOF Lodge, 187 High NE, Salem.
KMS	Kelly Middle School, North Park & Howard, Eugene.
MAC	Multnomah Art Center, 7688 SW Capitol Hwy. (at 31st)
MG	Mountainview Grange, White Salmon. Call 503/386-6461 for address.
MLB	Melody Lane Ballroom, 615 SE Alder
NG	Netel Grange, Lewis & Clark Road, 3.9 miles south of Miles Crossing at "Logan Road Chapel" sign. Call 503/325-7279 if lost.
NWSC	Northwest Service Center, 1819 NW Everett
OC	The Old Church, 1422 SW 11th
PPAA	Portland Police Athletic Assoc., 618 SE Alder
RG	Rockford Grange, 4250 Barrett Drive, Hood River.
SAC	Saint Andrew's Church, SW Dosch Road at Sunset Boulevard (near Beaverton-Hillsdale Hwy)
WHCC	Waldo Hills Community Club, 5 miles south of Silverton, Cascade Highway & Sunnyview Road.

Regular Dances

Unless stated, all dances are open to everyone—experienced or not, with or without partners, and feature live music. All dances are taught and children are admitted without charge. PCDC encourages sit-in musicians (unmiked) at regular PCDC dances at the discretion of the hired band and caller. Sit-in musicians will be admitted free to PCDC dances.

PCDC First Friday Dance. This contra dance showcases local and regional callers and dance bands. If you'd like to call or book a band for this dance, please contact PCDC. Musicians are encouraged to sit in with the hired band, but will not be miked. MAC, 8 pm, beginners' workshop 7:30 pm. \$6/\$5 for seniors and PCDC members.

PCDC First Saturday English Country Dance. English Country dance is a source of modern square and contra dance style. FCC, 8 pm, beginner's workshop 7:30 pm. \$5/\$4 seniors and PCDC members.

First Saturday Cats & Dogs Contradance. Cat's Cradle and Moondog play alternate months with guest callers. SAC, 8 pm, beginners' workshop 7:30 pm. \$5.

Second Friday English Country Dance. At least a little experience advised. Nan Evans calls and coordinates. BWT, 8 pm, no beginner's workshop. \$5.

PCDC Second Saturday Dance, the longest continuously running contra dance in the state. This dance is similar to the first Friday dance, maintaining the tradition. MAC, 8 pm, beginners' workshop 7:30 pm. \$6/\$5 seniors and PCDC members.

Portland Ceili Society Dance is "a gathering of friends" with lively Irish music, frequently played by world famous musicians. Very aerobic dancing and a full bar are only a few of the notable features of this Third Friday of the month dance, held at Portland Police Athletic Association. Cost \$5.

Third Saturday Contradance is a dance series organized by Paul McCullough. The dances tend towards the challenging side. FCC, 8 pm, beginner's workshop 7:30 pm. \$6.

Fourth Friday Open Mike Dance Party. Open mike for callers and musicians, with designated leaders. Organized by Paula Hamlin and Tom Roby, with different dance themes from month to month. BWT, 8 pm, no beginner's workshop. \$2.

Fourth Saturday Contradance is another independent dance series, organized by Ted Remillard. FCC, 8 pm, beginner's workshop 7:30 pm. \$5.

Fifth Saturday Dance. The Rose City Aces and guest callers. More of an old-timey/square-dance slant. FCC, 8 pm, beginner's workshop 7:30 pm. \$5.

Upriver Dances

Second Saturday Dance. GP, Salem, 8 pm.

Fourth Friday Scandinavian Dance. IOOF at 8 pm. Call 503/364-6713 to confirm.

First & Third Saturday Dances. BC, Corvallis. 8 pm. (*Bring non-street shoes.*)

Second Saturday Dance. KMS, Eugene, 8 PM. Beginner's instruction at 7:30 PM. (For info or places to stay, call Ellen at 503/686-2053.)

Fourth Saturday Swing 'n Contra Dance, GP, Salem, 8 pm.

Astoria Old-Time Country Dance. NG, Astoria. Call 503/325-7279 for details.

Contramania Dances. More challenging dances, no beginner instruction. KMS, Eugene. Fourth Saturdays at 8 pm.

Hood River Saturday Dances. RG, 8 pm. Call 503/386-6461 for details.

White Salmon Saturday Dances. MG, 8 pm. Call 503/386-6461 for details.

CALENDAR • JANUARY / FEBRUARY '95

January

- 2nd (Mo) Old-Time Music Jam Session.** 7-10:30 pm at the Martin's. Call Bill or Nancy (206/695-4361) for details.
- 6th (Fr) PCDC First Friday Dance** 8 pm at MAC. Caller: Suzanne Girardot. Music: Rose City Aces.
- 7th (Sa) First Saturday English Country Dance.** 8 pm at FCC. Caller: Irene Young. Music: Kathleen Towers, Dave Goldman, Beverly Stafford, Kent Fisher.
- 7th (Sa) First Saturday Cats & Dogs Dance.** 8 pm at SAC. Caller: Warren Argo. Music: Cat's Cradle.
- 7th (Sa) Corvallis First Saturday Dance.** Canceled.
- 11th (We) Beginner Music Teaching Session.** Call Susan (503/771-0035) for details.
- 13th (Fr) Second Friday English Country Dance.** *Canceled due to Seattle Ball.*
- 13th-15th (Fr-Su) Second Annual Zydeco Ski Party at Suttle Lake.** Call Creighton or Deborah for details (503/753-1278).
- 14th (Sa) PCDC Family Dance.** 5 pm at MAC. Caller: Rick Meyers. Music: High Strung String Band. *See Special Events.*
- 14th (Sa) PCDC Second Saturday Dance.** 8 pm at MAC. Caller: Erik Weberg. Music: Cat's Cradle.
- 14th (Sa) Seattle English Country Dance Ball.** Call Laurie for details (206/784-3477).
- 14th (Sa) Salem Second Saturday Dance.** 8 pm at GP. Caller: Alan Ede. Music: Lukiamute Band.
- 14th (Sa) Eugene Second Saturday Dance.** 8 pm at KMS. Caller: Todd Silverstein. Music: Paddy O'Furniture.
- 16th (Mo) PCDC Board Meeting.** 6:30 pm at Carter's.
- 20th (Fr) Portland Ceili Society Dance.** 8:30 pm at PPAA.
- 20th (Fr) Portland Folklore Society Coffeehouse.** 8 pm at Multnomah Friends' Meeting House, 4312 SE Stark. David Ingerson, Dev Singh, The Oxymerons. Call Maria (503/977-2159) for details.

- 21st (Sa) Third Saturday Contradance.** 8 pm at FCC. Caller: Paul McCullough. Music: Jigsaw.
- 21st (Sa) Corvallis Third Saturday Dance.** 8 pm at BC. Caller: Bob Nisbet. Music: Mick Doherty, Creighton Lindsay, Dennis Rothrock.
- 21st (Sa) Astoria Third Saturday Dance.** 8 pm at NG. Caller: Erik Weberg. Music: Full Moon.
- 27th (Fr) Fourth Friday Open Mike Dance Party.** 8 pm at BWT. Lead callers: TBA. Lead musicians: TBA. (No street shoes allowed.)
- 27th (Fr) Fourth Friday Scandinavian Dance.** 8 pm at IOOF.
- 28th (Sa) Fourth Saturday Contradance.** 8 pm at FCC. Caller: Ted Remillard. Music: Rose City Aces.
- 28th (Sa) Salem Fourth Saturday Swing 'n Contra Dance.** 8 pm at GP. Caller: Todd Silverstein. Music: Moondog.
- 28th (Sa) Eugene Contramania Dance.** 8 pm at KMS. Caller: Woody Lane. Music: Foolish Consistency.

February

- 3rd (Fr) PCDC First Friday Dance—Dean Kenty Benefit Dance.** 8 pm at MAC. Callers: Kirk McCall & TBA. Music: Twisted Shamrock & Clyde Curley and friends.
- 4th (Sa) First Saturday English Country Dance.** 8 pm at FCC. Caller: Nan Evans. Music: The NewTonians.
- 4th (Sa) First Saturday Cats & Dogs Dance.** 8 pm at SAC. Caller: Laura Mé Smith. Music: Cat's Cradle & Moondog. *See Special Events.*
- 4th (Sa) Corvallis First Saturday Dance.** 8 pm at BC. Caller: Todd Silverstein. Music: Foolish Consistency.
- 6th (Mo) Old-Time Music Jam Session.** 7-10:30 pm at the Martin's. Call Bill or Nancy (206/695-4361) for details.
- 8th (We) Beginner Music Teaching Session.** Call Susan (503/771-0035) for details.
- 10th (Fr) Second Friday English Country Dance.** 8 pm at BWT. Caller: Nan Evans. Music: Charlie Pilzer & Freyda Epstein. (No street shoes allowed.)
- 11th (Sa) PCDC Second Saturday Dance** 8 pm at MAC. Caller: Paul McCullough. Music: Charlie Pilzer & Freyda Epstein.
- 11th (Sa) Salem Second Saturday Dance.** 8 pm at GP. Caller: Alan Ede. Music: Lukiamute Band.
- 11th (Sa) Eugene Second Saturday Dance.** 8 pm at KMS. Caller: Ed Hall. Music: George Penk, Heather Pinney, Fred Nussbaum.
- 15th-19th (We-Su) North American Folk Alliance Conference.** At Lloyd Center Red Lion. *See Special Events.*
- 16th (Th) Contra & Swing Dance at the Folk Alliance Conference.** *See Special Events.*
- 16th-19th (Th-Su) Folk Alliance Seventh Annual Conference.** *See Special Events.*
- 17th (Fr) Portland Ceili Society Dance.** 8:30 pm at PPAA.
- 17th (Fr) Portland Folklore Society Coffeehouse.** *Canceled due to Folk Alliance Conference.*
- 18th (Sa) Third Saturday Contradance.** 8 pm at FCC. Caller: Paul McCullough. Music: Jigsaw.
- 18th (Sa) Corvallis Third Saturday Dance.** 8 pm at BC. Caller: Susan Michaels. Music: Dennis Rothrock, Creighton Lindsay, Chico Schwall.
- 24th-26th (Fr-Su) PCDC Ski-Dance Weekend.** At Mt. Hood Kiwanis Camp. Caller: Tony Mates. Music: Stuart Williams, Joel Bernstein, Helga Sermat. *See Special Events and enclosed flyer.*
- 24th (Fr) Fourth Friday Open Mike Dance Party.** 8 pm at BWT. Lead callers: TBA. Lead musicians: TBA. (No street shoes allowed.)
- 24th (Fr) Salem Fourth Friday Scandinavian Dance.** 8 pm at IOOF.
- 24th (Sa) Fourth Saturday Contradance.** 8 pm at FCC. Caller: Ted Remillard. Music: Boom-Chuck String Quartet.
- 24th (Sa) Eugene Contramania Dance.** 8 pm at KMS. Caller: Erik Weberg. Music: Moondog.

Note: most dances offer a beginners' workshop half an hour before listed time.

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PCDC's annual **Ski-Dance Weekend** will be held February 24-26 at the Mt. Hood Kiwanis Camp. The tradition is hot dancing and fresh powder snow under blue skies. This year's caller and musicians will be **Tony Mates and Stuart Williams, Joel Bernstein & Helga Sermat**. See the enclosed flyer for details and application form.

If you've been wondering what all the fuss is with this English Country Dance stuff, then plan on a special event March 4, at the **First Saturday English Country Dance**. Bay Area caller **Bruce Hamilton** is flying in to lead an exciting evening of traditional dances. Bruce is known for providing great energy and delight for both new and experienced dancers. He will be paired with Portland's own delightfully energized **NewTonians**. 8 PM at FCC.



Prices Have Gone Up

Starting in January 1995, the admission price for the PCDC First Friday and Second Saturday dances will be \$5 for PCDC members, \$6 for non-members. Prices were last raised in 1989.

If you ever encounter a dance hall about the size of MAC but less expensive, *please* let us know!



Hall Monitors Needed

PCDC's dances at MAC come equipped with a teenager to keep an eye on the roving bands of toddlers and children playing in the lobby. If you know a 13-ish year-old who can get him/herself to our dances for an easy evening of Hall Monitoring (at \$10 per evening), please call Dave Hamlin (503/691-1758). **Musician Housing Needed**

PCDC is fortunate to have frequent visits from out of town musicians and callers. After the dance, though, these travelers need a place to sleep off the excitement of performing for us. Sue Songer coordinates these housing arrangements. If you've got a spare bed (or comfy floor), and would like an occasional interesting guest for a night, please call Sue at 503/293-1446 and tell her what you've got. (Don't forget to mention whether the feline-allergic will enjoy their stay.)



Wild Asparagus Weekend Still Open

The Eugene Folklore Society's Cascade Contras Dance Weekend with Wild Asparagus, April 7-9, still has openings. This is a weekend in the woods about 40 miles east of Salem, featuring everyone's favorite contra band. 44 hours of dancing, workshops, vegetarian meals and lodging, all for only \$110 per adult. Contact Annie (503/688-3210) or Lia (503/344-0875).



10th Annual Lady of the Lake Summer Music & Dance Week

To celebrate its 10th anniversary, this summer's Lady of the Lake dance camp at Lake Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, June 25-July 1, will feature some of the favorite staff from camps past. Included will be Bob McQuillen, Ted Sanella, Brad Foster, Tomas Chavez, Steve Hickman, Kerry Elkin, Cathie Whitesides, Hank Bradley, Laurie Andres and Warren Argo. Workshops will cover contra, square, English Country Dance, Balkan and Latin dances, and even some hip-hop moves. Make sure that you get your application early by calling Penn or Debra at 509/838-2160.

"The real reason I dance is because
I want to explode.."

Bill Evans

PCDC

Ski Dance

weekend

February 24-26, 1995
Mt. Hood Kiwanis Camp, Rhododendron, OR

TONY MATES, Caller
STUART WILLIAMS, fiddle
JOEL BERNSTEIN, concertina & banjo
HELGA SERMAT, piano

Friday Night Dinner & Open-Mike Dance
Saturday Breakfast, Dinner, & Contradance
Sunday Breakfast

CROSS COUNTRY and DOWNHILL SKIING nearby
Ski Expenses & lunch on your own.

COST: \$80.00 Adults (\$72.00 without Friday Dinner)
\$40.00 Children 10 and under (\$36.00 without Friday Dinner)
No KP - Some scholarships available
Vegetarian meals if requested on registration

REFUND Before February 10, refund amount paid, less \$20.00 per person to cover administrative costs.
POLICY: From February 10 on, refund less \$20.00 if replacement found from Ski-Dance waiting list
(do not find your own replacement); no refund if replacement not found.

PCDC Ski-Dance '95

Names (s)	Under 10yrs?	Fri Dinner?	Vegi Meals?	Amount
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Address _____
Phone (day) _____ (eve) _____
NEED RIDE (S) for _____ people.
CAN TAKE _____ passengers.

TOTAL ENCLOSED _____
checks only, Payable to PCDC

A Ski-Dance roster will be mailed prior to the weekend to facilitate carpooling.
Please check here if you DO NOT want your address or phone number listed.
Return form, one Business Sized SASE/household, and payment to:
PCDC Ski-Dance, c/o Marianne Kandel, 3780 SW 234th, Hillsboro OR 97123(503) 649-0873

24th (Sa) Salem Fourth Saturday Swing 'n Contra Dance. 8 pm at GP. Caller: TBA. Music: Route 99/Just in Thyme String Band.

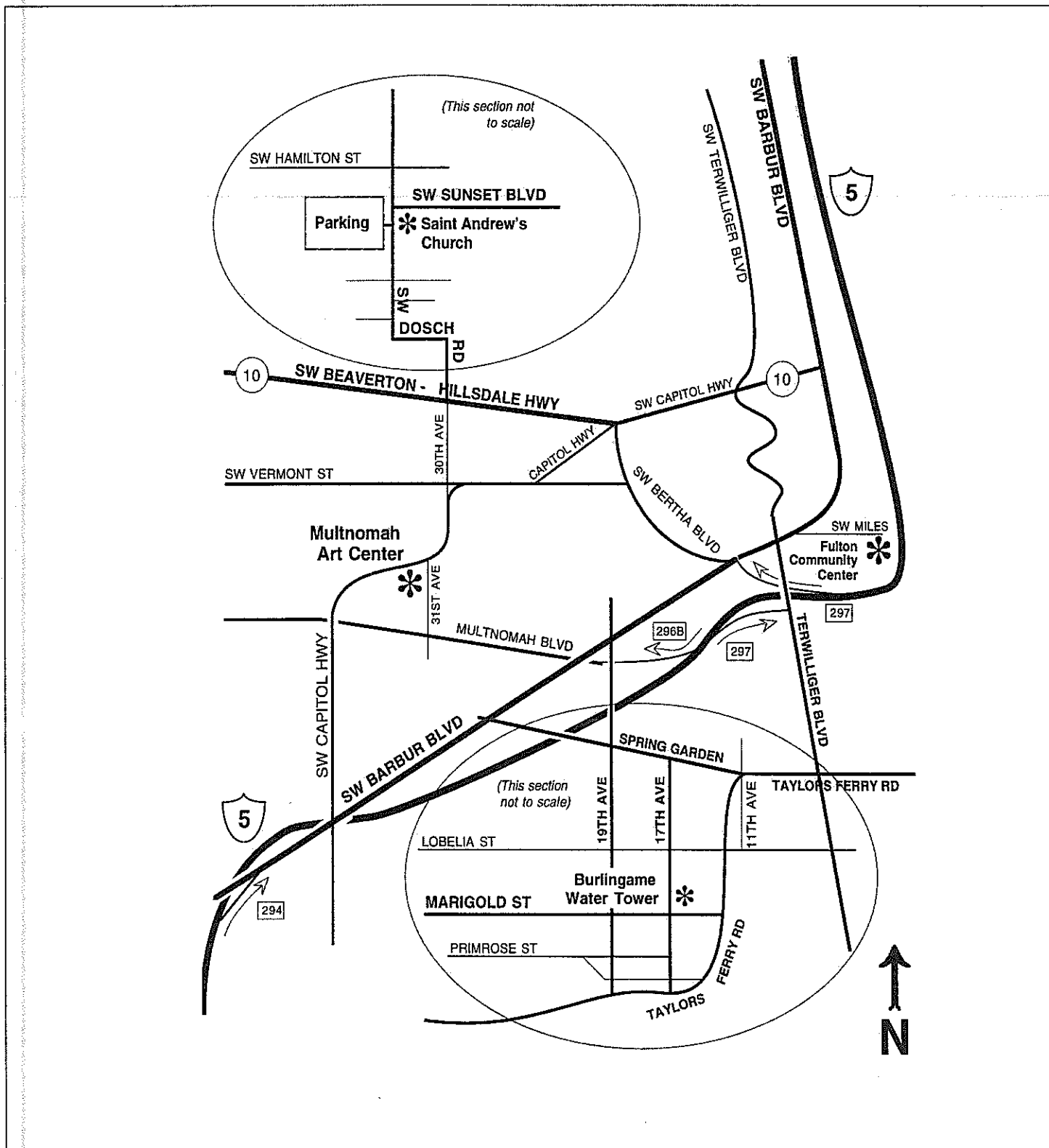
4th (Sa) PCDC English Country Dance. 8 pm at FCC. Caller: Bruce Hamilton. Music: The NewTonians.

4th (Sa) First Saturday Cats & Dogs Dance. 8 pm at SAC. Caller: Mary Devlin. Music: Cat's Cradle.

4th (Sa) Corvallis First Saturday Dance. 8 pm at BC. Special Mardi Gras dance with Blackfish.

March

3rd (Fr) PCDC First Friday Dance. 8 pm at MAC. Caller: Penn Fix. Music: Dan Compton, Clyde Curley, Joel Bernstein, Dave Marshall.



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This newsletter, *Footnotes*, is published every other month. If you have a dance announcement for the newsletter, please contact the newsletter committee, or send it to PCDC, PO Box 14636, Portland, 97214. Give a concise description of your event, including featured band and callers, date, time, place, cost, and phone number for further info. The information provided here is as accurate as we can make it, and changes or cancellations may not be reflected in this calendar. We encourage submission of letters and articles of interest to the community. Letters and articles become the property of *Footnotes* on publication and may be edited. The **DEADLINE** for the Mar./Apr. calendar is Feb. 15th.

Portland Country Dance Community is a consortium of dancers, musicians and callers promoting country dance and music traditions through regular dances, workshops and other

events. Everyone is welcome. Our interests include American, English, Celtic, Scandinavian and related traditions, expressed through live performance and participation. With this newsletter, we hope to exchange information and share concerns about traditional music and dance. We publish the newsletter every other month and distribute it to members of PCDC and other folk organizations in the Pacific Northwest. Membership is \$10.00 a year (\$8.00 for seniors), which provides a \$1.00 discount at our regular dances and subscription to the newsletter. Donations in excess of \$10 per year are tax deductible. Correspondence may be sent to PCDC, PO Box 14636, Portland, OR 97214. We are an educational non-profit corporation and also a center of the Country Dance and Song Society, a national organization whose address is 17 New South Street, Northampton, MA 01060.

The PCDC board is an elected body of volunteers from the community. Meetings are held once a month, and community members are always welcome. Help, ideas and feedback from the community, in whatever form, is necessary to make PCDC events happen. Your contributions

of time and support are appreciated. Call any board member for further info. The PCDC board comprises:

Darrell Desper	252-6203
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Newsletter: Dave Goldman (245-2185) & Terri Walker (235-3153)

Mailing list & membership:

Bob Nisbet (244-3971)

PCDC October Board Meeting Minutes (summary). The post-Suttle Lake Monday night dance was great, but lost money; maybe next year we can make even more announcements. Jinx Davis presented upcoming plans for the Folk Alliance Conference in February. He asked PCDC to sponsor an evening dance at the conference, to be open to the public as well as conference attendees. After discussion the Board agreed to his proposal; Tyler will coordinate with Jinx on the booking. Marianne is assembling the pieces for the Ski-Dance Weekend. Seattle's *Pleasures of Home* will lead a set of music workshops prior to their December dance; Sue is coordinating. Tyler is organizing the New Year's Eve benefit dance; we will again provide coffee, which was so popular last year. Tyler will investigate the possibility of snagging Wild Asparagus for a PCDC dance when they're in the region in April. The First Saturday English Dance committee is proceeding as planned. A piano has been donated to MAC; PCDC will submit a written proposal to MAC stating that PCDC will pay for a piano dolly for the stage if MAC will pay for the necessary repairs to the piano. MAC has created a new category, "Friend of MAC," for PCDC, with an accompanying discount on our rental; the discount nearly meets 1995's rental rate increase. This leaves PCDC in the same position it was in last year when the Board was going to increase admission prices, but held off in hopes of becoming an official MAC "tenant." The Board decided to raise admission to \$5 for members, \$6 for non-members, starting January. At the same time, the guaranteed minimum pay to musicians and callers will rise from \$50 to \$70. For the moment there will be no other changes in the way payment shares are calculated; this will be re-evaluated in six months. A group of Zydeco fanatics are going to start a regular dance series in the Spring, with a special kick-off dance in December. They have requested that PCDC make them a \$300 forgivable loan and use of the PCDC mailing list. The Board agreed to a \$200 forgivable loan and one-time use of our mailing labels. PCDC will buy from Annie Johnston her approximately 12 PCDC T-shirts, to be auctioned off at some upcoming event.

PCDC December Board Meeting Minutes (summary). Stay tuned to this newsletter...

Next Meeting: January 16 at Carter's.

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