HOTFOOT STOMPERS SQUARE DANCE CLUB

The Chatter

Live Lively – Square Dance!

Coon Rapids, MN November 2023 0132

From Our Presidents

Hello Hotfoot Members,
We have been enjoying the fall visiting with everyone at lessons and dances. We are enjoying the fall dances and getting ready for the winter season dances.

Our next club dance is on Veteran's Day, November 11, 2023. Veterans Day is all about honoring our soldiers, both past and present, who have made sacrifices for our freedom. Peggy Decker is creating a Veteran's Day photo collage for the November dance to honor our Veteran's. Please bring a picture of a soldier from your family to lessons or the dance to be included with our celebration.

The November Dance will be held at Faith Lutheran Church in Coon Rapids.

Jim and Bruce with Hotfoot Presidents Tammy and Keith at Gospel Plus Friday, October 27th

Outside of dancing, we have been planting garlic, finishing the fall garden harvest and cleaning up the yard. Keith has been busy learning to hunt pheasants and Tammy traveled with our daughter to Kansas City, MO to the Wise Traditions conference.

Presidents Keith and Tammy at Gospel Plus

We wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. Enjoy all the November dances and we hope you have lots of good times with family and friends.

Let joy be unconfined – let's dance,

Tammy & Keith Lakeman
Hotfoot Stompers Presidents

Hotfoot October Dance

Hotfoot's Pumpkin Patch dance theme with Bob Asp from Illinois calling and Ken LaBau cueing to 15 squares and 8 clubs was a fun dance to remember. Westonka Whirlers stole a small banner and DAN'SE PAC stole a super banner. County Line Squares retrieved their banner. There were 7 callers and 3 cuers to cheer on Bob & Ken. What a special dance it was.

President Tammy Lakeman did a swell job announcing the long list of special attendees.

Besides the many callers and cuers, there was a birthday song for Debbie Nelson's mother, Chris.

There was Michelle's 50th birthday standing by her husband, Caller Brad Neutz

The décor was marvelous thanks to our decorating committee, Peggy & Bruce, Rose and Coni.

Jerry, Fran and Dee appear as part of the Pumpkin Patch Theme

We're talkin' pumpkin theme here

County Line Squares retrieves their banner

Westonka Whirlers steals a Hotfoot banner

Dan'se PAC steals a Hotfoot Super banner

And the dance floor went wild ……

How much more fun can there be? Thanks to all of our Hotfoot Stompers' members for welcoming our many guests.

Thank you Veterans

Saturday, November 11th

From Hotfoot Queen Renee

Hello friends,
It is barely fall and I am hearing talk of winter getaways.

As I am looking at all the flyers you can find at lessons & dances, just to mention a few: Hotfoot Stompers social events 2023-24, Annual Turkey Dinner dance, Mid-Texas Festival, Tucson Square & Round dance festival, Alaska square dance cruise.

I have not given you all the details so you may visit the tables with flyers for more information. Some of these events have pre-registration deadlines, so don't delay.

A lot of time & talent goes into making all of these flyers for our enjoyment and entertainment so please do check them out.

Remember to invite a new dancer into your square. Hope to see you in a square.

Pumpkin Queen Renee with Princess Sarah

Renee Hogan
Hotfoot Stompers Queen

Prayers and Get Well Wishes to ……..

Bob Johnson who had a stroke in September was still able to celebrate his 50th anniversary with his wife Arlene on October 14th.

Dianne Tauer after falling breaking her right femur on October 18th. She is in Homestead of Anoka Rehab Center with yet another metal rod in her leg.

Jerry Steinworth as he went through knee re-surgery and has a long way to go at home after the multiple surgeries.

Banners

Hotfoot stole Cambridge Corners banner 10-6-23

Daytimers Main Stream

We were joined with a couple from California (Word gets around about Wayne's calling)

Square Dance Demos

Demo at Personal Care Senior Living in Anoka with John Bittner calling with resident & past Hotfoot Stomper Virgil Rasmussin participating 10-10-23

Hotfoot at Majestic Oaks for North Metro Chamber of Commerce with Dan Sahlstrom calling 10-10-23

Hotfoot Social Events

Riverboat Cruise at Harriet Island 9-23-23

Lunch at Crosetta's 9-23-23

Train Ride out of Osceola, WI 10-15-23

Organizers above and below

Hotfooters on Train ride from Oseola, WI 10-15-23

Train ride end 10-15-23

Hotfoot Volunteers 2023-24

President: Keith & Tammy Lakeman
Vice President: Anna Soland & Julie Bittner
Treasurer: Guy Trudeau
Vice Treasurer: Renee Hogan
Secretary: Terri Axelson
Past President: Julie Bittner & Anna Trudeau
Sunshine Contact: Julie Bittner & Anna Trudeau
Queen: Renee Hogan
Banner Chief: John Bittner
Chatter Editor: Gary Kemmetmueller
Historian: ___
Photographer: Sandy & Robert Morgan
The ROUNDUP Reporter: Julie Bittner
Spotlight Editor: _____
Website Webmaster: Rachel Katkar & Cathy Gates
Caller Booker: Les Marier

----------Committees ----------
Decorating Committee: Peggy & Bruce Decker, Rose Valentine, Coni Winterfeld, Bob Johnson (storage)
Door Prizes: Fran Sorensen
Greeters: Queen Renee Hogan, Margaret Theisen, _____
Lesson Set Up Committee: Sandy & Jim Quasbort
Lesson Cleanup Committee: Mark & Sheila Brouhard, Tom & Jan Hanson
Marketing Committee: Audrey Cecko, ___, ___
Mystery Caravan Committee: Jerry & Nancy Knoth**,** Bruce & Peggy Decker
North Shore Weekend: Peggy and Lee Kohl
Pop Committee: _____
Sign Placer: _____, _____
Social Committee: Peggy & Lee Kohl, Sandy & Frank Amore, Colette Kilber, Cary Hebert & Fran Sorensen
Social Media: ___
State Conv Dinner Planner: _____
Summer Campout Planners: _____
Telephone Committee: Marilyn Vialle, Cathy Gates (leader + Hotfoot News + roster + communicator)

---------- Coordinators ----------
Community Ed Contact: Cathy Gates
Dance Service Coordinator: _____
Student Coordinator: Danielle Rust

We are on the WEB
www.HotfootStompers.org

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2023 – 2024 Dance Schedule

Saturday, 7:30-8:00pm & 10pm Plus; 8:00-10:00pm, MS or ND and RDs & Lines by Ken LaBau between tips, potluck at 8:30pm. All dances are at Northdale Middle School, 11301 Dogwood St NW, Coon Rapids-

*****Service Committee **Treasurer Assistant

Nov 11 Dan Sahlstrom – MS – Remembering Our Veterans at Faith Lutheran Church – potluck
* Jim & Sandy Quasbort James Love, __, __ **Les Marier, __

Dec 9 Mike Hogan – MS – Christmas - potluck
* Jim & Sandy Quasbort, __, __ **Jerry Knoth, __
Jan 13 Bryan Bush - **ND** - Chinese New Year - potluck
* Jim & Sandy Quasbort, Frank & Sandy Amore **__, __
Feb 10 Abe Maier – **ND** – Valentine – potluck -
* Jim & Sandy Quasbort, Rose Valentine, Les Marier,__ **__, __
March 9 Bill VanBergan – MS – Tropical Paradise- potluck
* Jim & Sandy Quasbort, Jerry and Nancy Knoth, __ **__, __
April 13 Dan Sahlstrom – MS – Royalty - pie/ice cream
* Jim & Sandy Quasbort, __, __**__, __
May 11 Dee Dee Dougherty-Lottie, MS Let's Go Fishing - potluck
*Myrna Kostuch, __, __, __ **__, __

Upcoming Event Reminders for November

Nov 2 – Thursday **– Demo-** 2:00 PM- John Bittner calling at: Gracewood Assisted Living
675 Market Place Drive, Lino Lakes, MN 55014

Nov 6, 13, 20 & 27 – Mondays **– PLUS lessons** 6-7:00 PM**, MS** 7:00 – 9:00 PM
Northdale Middle School – Dan Sahlstrom teaching

Nov 7 & 21- Tuesdays **Hotfoot Daytimers** MS SD **–** 9:30-11:30 AM - Wayne Tauer calling at
Coon Rapids Civic Center, 11155 Robinson Dr NW

Nov 7 – Tuesday **Feed MY Starving Children** volunteer opportunity- 6:45-8:45 PM- 401 93rd Ave NW, Coon Rapids – sign up at lessons

Nov 22 - Wednesday- **Hotfoot Breakfasts**: Women's and Men's, both 8:30 AM at Bakers Square at Riverdale in Coon Rapids across from CUB