

Candidates for State Officers • 2010 - 2011

PRESIDENT • Tom & Fay Tomlinson (Rainier Council)



Tom has danced 55 years beginning with the Kingston Tangle Footers in Kingston, Idaho. He has been a caller since 1972 and currently calls and cues for the Roman Tacoman's and calls for the Swinging Squares.

Club: Tom has held offices in the clubs of which he has been a member. He has been President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer of Rainier Teachers and Callers of Rainier Council and is presently serving as the Recording Secretary.

Council: President (3), Past President (2), served on numerous committees, Co-Chair of the 2005 State Festival, current co-chair of the 2011 State Festival, and is the contra chairman for the 2012 NSDC.

State: Recording Secretary (3), Chairman of the Leadership Committee (1), Facilities Chairman (2), and the Publication and advertising committee (1) with the Leadership Committee.

Tom is a National Caller Chair a long time member of Callerlab (1976), and has taught square dancing, round dancing, line dancing, and clogging to people of all ages. Presently teaching 3rd through 8th grade students square dancing in the schools PE Class in Tacoma. Tom & Fay have 4 children, 8 grandchildren and 10 great-grandchildren.

PRESIDENT • Paul & Kitty Ogg (Peninsula Council)



Paul & Kitty have danced since 1986. They currently belong to the Poulsbo Promenaders and the Round Squares. They were members of the Belles & Beaux Plus Club before the club folded.

Club: Caravan Chair, Vice President, President, Treasurer, Various Committees, Delegate to Kitsap Square Dance Association, Parliamentarian for Kitsap Square Dance Association and currently serving as Chairman Kitsap Square Dance Association for third consecutive term.

Council: President (currently serving second consecutive term), Vice President, 1992 Washington State Festival Committee, Club Delegate, Steering Committee for the 2003 State Festival, Co-Chair 2003 Washington State Festival, Council Parliamentarian.

State: Promotion & Publicity Chairman, Education and Leadership Committee 8 years, Parliamentarian for 4 terms, Committee Chairperson for the two year term of Office for Officers and Chairs and two meetings per year.

National: 54th National Convention Promotion and Publicity Committee.

Other: Currently serving as Secretary/Treasurer for the Veterans Association of the USS Iowa Battleship for 10 years. President of the Holy Loch Scotland Association for 8 years. Secretary of the Pacific Northwest Chapter Naval Submarine League.

VICE PRESIDENT • Kathy & Frank Chase (Rainier Council)



Kathy has been dancing 41 years. Kathy and Frank are currently members of the Sociable Squares (Rainier Council) and the Poulsbo Promenaders (Peninsula).

Club: President (3), Treasurer (several years), Council Delegate (25).

Council: President (2), Chair of Fall Festival and Mid Winter Festival, State Festival Clogging Chair (3), State Festival Program Book (2003) and Program Book Assistant (2005).

State: Footnotes Circulation Chair (11), Youth Editor (3), Corresponding Secretary (7), Education and Leadership Book (4+), Youth Coordinator (3), Recipient of President's Award (2006), and the MacGregor Award (2008)

National: VIP Hospitality Chairman (1981), Program Chairman (2012)

Kathy and Frank have been married for 33 years and have a daughter, Megan.

VICE PRESIDENT • Scott & Kathy Donmoyer (Evergreen Council)



Scott & Kathy have danced for 15 years. They belong to the Happy Hoppers, Jeans & Calicos and the Columbia Gorge Plus.

Club: President, Vice President, 2nd Vice President, Delegate at Large, Lesson Committee and Lesson Committee Chairman.

Council: President, Vice President, Area Delegate, Summer Festivals, Council Advisor and Website Coordinator.

State: Education & Leadership Seminar 4 years.

National: 2005 Wednesday night entertainment, 2005 Social & Special Events and 2012 Assistant Social & Special Events Chairman.

Other: Have attended each National Convention since 2001. Loves to promote square dancing and the people they have met over the years.

RECORDING SECRETARY • Beth & Roger Barnes (Spokane Area Council)



Beth and Roger graduated from lessons in the spring of 1977 and are members of the Model T Square Dance Club and Lifetime members of the Whirlybirds.

Club: She has held offices in all the clubs to which they have belonged.

Council: President, Recording Secretary (4), Area Delegate (4), Publicity Chair, Footnotes Reporter, Newsletter Editor (2), General Chair of 1987 State Festival.

State: Recording Secretary, Footnotes Sewing Editor (3), Historian and Librarian (2), and Publicity and Promotion (2), Footnotes State meeting reporter & Education and Leadership Director.

National: Sewing Clinic Presenter at six NSDC, and one Canadian National Convention. Fashion Show model at the Memphis, TN NSDC in 1992 and Wichita, KS in 2008. Currently serving as Social & Special Events Chairman couple for the 61st NSDC.

Beth and Roger are recipients of the Presidents Award (1995) and the Harry MacGregor Award (1998).

RECORDING SECRETARY • Merri Anne Huber (Blue Mountain Council)



Merri Anne has danced for the past 24 years and belongs to the Muddy Frogs and the Columbia River Squares.

Club: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Council Delegate, Nominating Committee Chairman, Muddy Frogwater Festival Chairman, Member of Ways & Means and By-Law Revision Committee, and many other club committees.

Council: President, Recording Secretary, Treasurer, Parliamentarian, and Heritage Center representative.

State: Vice-President, Recording Secretary, State Festival Coordinator, and Finance & Audit Chairman.

National: Vice-Chairman National Publicity for the 2005 and 2012 National Convention.

Other: Chairman for Publications Committee United Square Dancers of America (USDA) and Editor for United Square Dancers of America Quarterly Newsletter.

Merri Anne has also been a Panelist, Recorder and Moderator for Leadership Seminar.

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY • Margaret & Kris Kiser (Central Area Council)



Margaret and Kris have danced for the past 31 years, and currently are members of the Gateswingers and Yakima Rounders.

Club: President, Vice President (2), Secretary, Building Committee, Chair of Spring Sashay (4), Chair of annual Plus Weekend (4), Area Council Representative (4), Chair of New Years Eve dances (3) and 50th Anniversary dance.

Council: President (3), Vice President (3), State Nominating Committee (3), Historian (4), 2010 State Festival Co-Chair, Tri Council Dance Chair (3), Chair of the Alzheimer's Benefit Dance.

State: Vice President (2)

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY • Judy & Bruce Ottoson (Spokane Area Council)



Judy has danced for 21 years and Bruce has danced for 35 years. They're members of the Wild Rose Ramblers.

Club: Wild Rose Ramblers Treasurer, Secretary, Footnotes Reporter 5 years, Caravan Chairman 5 years and Council Delegate; Tic Tac Toes President; Western Dance Association Trustee 5 years and Salmon BBQ Fish Sauce Chairman 3 years; North Spokane Dance Association Secretary 2 years, Kitchen Coordinator and Trustee.

Council: Treasurer, Recording Secretary 3 years, Hall of Fame Committee 2 years, Council Footnotes Reporter, Bed & Breakfast Standing Committee and Youth Activities Treasurer for the 1998 State Festival.

State: Recording Secretary 3 years, Heritage Center Trustee 5 years and recorder for Seminar.

National: Corporate Secretary & 61st NSDC Secretary since 2008.

Other with husband Bruce: Wild Rose Ramblers President 2 years. Western Dance Association President, Assistant Secretary and Assistant Salmon BBQ Chairman. Spokane Area Council President 2 years, Nominating Chairman 2 years, Kitchen Director and 2006 Festival Treasurer. State President, Vice President, and Nominating Chairman 2 years, Finance & Audit. 61st NSDC Bid Committee and Registration and Housing Assistant Chairman.

Treasurer • John and Linda Peterson (Spokane Area Council)



John has been dancing for 17 years and participated in several offices and committees in the Square Dance activities.

Club: President (1), Club Representative (1).

Council: Treasurer (3), Council Webmaster, Publicity Co-Chairman for 2006 Washington State Festival.

National: Program Book Committee for 2005, Housing Committee for 2012.

Other: Publicity Chairman and Photographer for Western Dance Association Summer Square Dance Festival and Salmon Barbecue (3).

Treasurer • Kay & Roger Mahan (Mount Baker Council)



Kay & Roger have danced for the past 13 Years and are members of the Dudes & Dolls Square Dance club in Lynnwood.

Club: President, Treasurer, New Years Eve Dance Committee Chairman, Council Delegate, Campout Chairman, Directory Chairman, and Class Coordinator.

Council: Treasurer (5 years), Membership & Insurance, 2004 State Festival Assistance Chairman, and Float Coordinator

State: Current Treasurer.

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