

Newsletter of the North Alabama Country Dance Society

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NACDS home page: <http://secontra.com/NACDS.html> (new URL!)

May 4th:

Archie Faulkner with Feet First

April showers bring May flowers, and Mayflowers bring ... Pilgrims! [Sorry about that!] Archie Faulkner from Birmingham will call this Saturday, and our own **Chuck & Katrina Weber and Tom Green** will play.

May 18th:

Seth Tepfer with Dragonfly

Wes and Terry Maluk (from Merriweather) and **Roger Gold** (last seen in these parts as part of the Elftones) will be on a "tourlet" with caller **Seth Tepfer**. They will have played/called together on Friday in Hotlanta. Don't miss the **Dance Workshop** taught by **Seth** at Faith - 3 - 5:30 prior to the dance. Cost \$5.

May 31st thru June 2nd:

Blue Moon V

Featuring: **Susan Kevra** with
Larry Ungar, Marco Brehm & Lissa Schneckenburger plus
Janet Shepherd & the Atomic City Rhythm Rascals
and Couple Dances with **Feet First**

The fine print: NACDS dances the 1st, 3rd, & 5th Saturdays of the month in the gym at Faith Presbyterian Church on Whitesburg at Airport Rd. in Huntsville. Come to the refresher workshop at 7PM, then dance until 10:30 for \$6 (\$5 for members, \$3 for teens.) Don't forget to bring comfortable shoes to dance in and please wear a name tag. Bring someone new to a dance this month!

Blue Moon V

It's May 2002. Do you know where your dance weekend is? Have you registered yet? Better hurry - after the 18th of this month the cost goes up by \$5! Do it today!

A printable registration form can be found here:
<http://members.telocity.com/bwalls/bluemoon.html>

Weekend Help Wanted!

Sign up for a weekend task at any of our regular May dances. We'll need help with: set up & decorations, keeping the water coolers full, registration-information-hospitality table, etc.

Badge making party!

Speaking of opportunities to help, there will be a name-badge making party at Carol & Jerry Mebane's house on Sunday, May 19th at 5:30. There are likely to be good things to eat as well. Ya'll come!

Fabulous After-dance Party

Bryan assures me that 'Casa del Walls' will be the site of the traditional Saturday night party after the UAH center closes down at 11. Feel free to bring a beverage and/or an *hors d'oeuvre*.

Dance Workshop with Seth

Want to brush up on your dancing skills for the weekend? Seth Tepfer will teach a dance workshop from 3 to 5:30 at Faith on May 18th. He will tailor the curriculum to the level of the attendees. Cost: \$5.

Upcoming Dance Weekends

LEAF - Black Mountain, NC - May 24-26
Our own Blue Moon V - UAH - May 31 - June 2
Summer Soiree - Asheville, NC - June 14-16
BCDS Weekend at Mentone - August 16-18



You may join us or renew your membership (check date on mailing label) at any of our dances, or by sending \$8, payable to me at the address below. You will receive this monthly newsletter & 2 free guest passes, plus you and all your kin will pay \$1 less to get into each of our regular dances.

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Twentieth Anniversary Dancers



Calendar

Local events in **bold**; contact Bryan Walls (256 837-0656; bwalls@pobox.com) for more info.

May 3 (Fri.): Nashville: John Sharlet with Nashville Ceili Band

NCD dances almost every Friday at the Woodbine Community Center, Burbank & Oriol, near I-440 & Nolensville Rd.

Instruction at 7:30, dance at 8:00. For more info, contact Chrissy (615-210-6808) or John (DanceFools@aol.com).

May 4 (Sat.): NACDS dance - Archie Faulkner with Feet First

May 6 (Mon.): Knoxville: - Nick Boulet calling with music by Danny Gammon & The Love Muffins

KCD dances Mondays at the Laurel St. Theatre (at 16th Street); for info: <<http://www.kormet.org/kcd/kcdsched.htm>>.

May 10 (Fri.): Nashville: Susan Kevra calling with Russ Barenberg & Friends

May 11 (Sat.): Birmingham: - Janet Shepherd with Atomic City Rhythm Rascals

BCDS dances 2nd Saturdays at the YWCA, 2300 3rd Avenue North; 7:30 \$8. Info: <<http://www.bamalong.com/bcds.htm>>

May 11 (Sat.) Chattanooga: Toby Koosman with Ed Baggott & Elsie Peterson

CTDS dances occasional Saturdays at All Saints Academy, 310 E. 8th St., downtown; 8-11 P.M.; \$5.

For info contact: Steve at 706-937-4991 or Claire & Bryant at 423-876-7359 or: <<http://conranooga.com>>

May 13 (Mon.) Knoxville: - Vicki Herndon calling with music by Nightcrawlers

May 17 (Fri.): Nashville: Chrissy Davis-Camp with In the Woods

May 18 (Sat.): NACDS dance - Seth Tepfer with Dragonfly - Workshop @ 4:30

May 19 (Sun): Name-badge making party at the Mebane's - 883-7016

May 20 (Mon.): Knoxville: - Seth Tepfer calling with music by Dragonfly

May 24 (Fri.) Nashville: Jim calling with Nashville Weather

May 25 (Sat.): Chattanooga: Alice Milmoie with Contraindicated

May 25 (Sat.): Birmingham - Unplugged - Open Mike calling plus you can sit-in & play

BCDS Unplugged dances are held at the Unitarian Church on Cahaba Rd. near the Zoo in MountainBrook. \$3

May 27 (Mon.): Knoxville - Linda Allen calling with music by Danny Gammon & All Over the Road

May 31 (Fri.): Nashville: - No Nashville Dance

May 31-June 2: NACDS - Blue Moon V - Susan Kevra - Larry, Marco & Lissa - at UAH

To get your dances on the schedule, e-mail us with the particulars by the 20th of the month. - Doug & Bryan

New Officer Candidates

It's election time for NACDS. Here are the nominees as of April 30. We'll vote in June.

President: Natasha Kunin
President Elect: ?
Secretary: Katrina Weber?
Treasurer: Chuck Weber

Producer: Carol Mebane?
Property Manager: Steve Nix
Membership: ?
Newsletter Editor: Doug Roth

Call me (882-6378) if you'd like to help with one of the "?" positions.