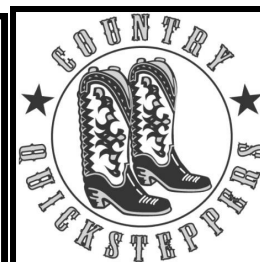




# THE STRAIGHT SHOOTER

## NOVEMBER-DECEMBER 2022



### Country Quicksteppers Dance Club

P.O. Box 5156, Belmont, CA 94002-9998

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Website: [countryquicksteppers.org](http://countryquicksteppers.org)

A message from Anni:

Anni Wunderlich,  
President



Dear Members:

You must agree with me .. rain, rain, glorious rain, hopefully we'll see some more.

Well, sad news, the club is losing money. We were doing so well, then the Pandemic hit us with a bang, however, we were able to continue on with ZOOM dances and were able to pay our wonderful DJ's who kept us dancing through this extremely difficult time.

When we were able to get back on the dance floor, we had a very good turn out, but as the weeks and months have gone by, our attendance has dropped along with our membership.

Unfortunately we're an ageing group, dancing has slowed down the ageing process, but time stops for no one. We aren't attracting a younger group, younger people like the bar scene, so a smoke and alcohol free club is of no interest to them.

So many of us are having trouble driving at night, and many of you have expressed your preference for day time dances, so, on Saturday, February 4, 2023 we will be trying out a new hall. Cathy and I have looked at it, it's in a perfect location, it's newly refurbished, clean, with plenty of parking, but we're unsure as to

whether it's large enough for us, so that's why we're trying it out to see if YOU like it.

It's the Transfiguration Church on the corner of The Alameda de las Pulgas and 39th Avenue in San Mateo, and is only about 5 minutes from Barrett. Our dance will be from 1:00—4:00 PM.

There maybe another option, The Complex in Belmont, which most of you have experienced, but I'm not quite sure if I can work something out with Belmont Parks and Recreation. The Complex is a lovely hall, but to get to it one has to navigate the steep stairs, which can be slippery in wet weather. There is an elevator, but it is very slow.

Because of our financial situation, the Board has decided to stop mailing the Straight Shooter due to the rising cost of paper, printing and stamps. However, the Straight Shooter will be available on our website in glorious color: [www.countryquicksteppers.org](http://www.countryquicksteppers.org) Our webmaster Edith Kipping does an amazing job of keeping it up to date, so please refer to it weekly. I will also email the Shooter to all members.

Our next dance is "Cowboys Don't Cry" with the DJ Duke, GARY CLAYTON. Gary, the icon, will be retiring at the end of the year, and this will be his last dance with Quicksteppers, please come to this very special dance.

Here are a couple of quotes from Helene's book: "Make connections; let rip; and dance whenever you can." AND "Pie makes everybody happy."

Cheerio,

*Anni*

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**Local Area Line Dance Classes**

**Jeanette Feinberg (650) 755-8049**

E-Mail: [jmf720@aol.com](mailto:jmf720@aol.com)



**Tuesday -1:30 to 2:45 PM Improver**  
Larcombe Hall 101 Lake Merced Blvd Daly City  
Sept 21 to Nov 30

**Wednesday Morning – 9 to 10 AM Improver-Intermediate**  
San Bruno Senior Center- 1555 Crystal Springs Rd  
Starts Sept 1

**Cathy Dacumos (650) 574-7948 E-Mail: [CCH3@ATT.NET](mailto:CCH3@ATT.NET)**

**Web Site: [cathyandclaudio.com](http://cathyandclaudio.com)**

**Tuesday morning:**

High beginner 10:00 to 11:15 AM  
Easy Intermediate –11:15 AMto 12:30 PM  
Veteran’s Memorial Senior Center  
1455 Madison Ave Redwood City



**Wednesday evening:**

Beginner 6:30 –7:30, Intermediate 7:45-8:45 PM  
Beresford Community Ctr.  
2720 Alameda de las Pulgas San Mateo

**Thursday afternoon:**

Basic Beginner –11:30 to 12:45 PM  
Intermediate –12:45 to 2:00 PM  
San Carlos Adult Community Center  
601 Chestnut St San Carlos

**Thursday evening: Basic Beginner 7 to 8 PM**

Easy Intermediate 8 to 9 PM  
Community Activities Bldg  
1400 Roosevelt Ave Redwood City

**Evelyn Khinoo (650) 325-6913**

E-Mail: [ekhinoo@gmail.com](mailto:ekhinoo@gmail.com)

Web site: [www.evelynanddenny.com](http://www.evelynanddenny.com)

**Tuesdays 12:15 to 1:15 AM—Beginner**

The Little House Activity Center  
800 Middle Ave Menlo Park

**Wednesdays 10:00 to 11:00 A.M.**

Beginner & Improver

Zoom class-Link is on our web site



**Mike & Joyce Shannon (408) 378-7096**

E-Mail: [joyce@dancinshamrocks.com](mailto:joyce@dancinshamrocks.com)

Website: [dancinshamrocks.com](http://dancinshamrocks.com)



**Mondays: Cypress Communiy Center**

403 S, Cypress Ave.  
San Jose 95117 408-244-1353  
Advanced Beginner 10:00 AM  
Improver 1:00 PM

**Fridays: Hybrid classes (In-person and Zoom)**

Fremont Union High School District Offices #2085  
10123 N Wolfe Rd. Cupertino 408-522-2700  
Advanced Beginner :12:00 Noon  
Improver: 2:00 PM

**MaryAnn Nicolaus 510-828-0162**

[maryann@tdl.com](mailto:maryann@tdl.com)

Improver class: Fridays 10:00 to 11:30 AM  
Kenneth Aitken Senior Center  
17800 redwood Rd. Castro Valley



**Susan Dodge 510-660-1002**

[sba412@gmail.com](mailto:sba412@gmail.com)

**Monday: High Beginner/Intermediate**  
11:00 AM-12:30 PM

American Legion Hall 1240 Pearl St Napa  
Class limit 25-call for availability 510-660-1002

**Tuesday: High Beginner/Improver 10:00 to 11:30 AM**  
Walnut Creek Civic Park Info call 925-295-1490

**Wednesday: Intermediate 9:30 to 10:45 AM**  
Concord Senior Center 925-671-3074

2727 Parkside Dr. Concord

**Thursday: Napa**

Beginner 5:00 to 6:00 PM Improver 6:05 to 7:05 PM  
Napa Activity Center 1500 Jefferson St Napa 707-257-9660

**Friday: Beginner 9:30-10:45 AM Concord Senior Center**  
2727 Parkside Dr, Concord



View this Newsletter “in color” and find links to more  
Line Dance news on our website; [countryquicksteppers.org](http://countryquicksteppers.org)

**CQS Board 2021-2022**

**President:** Anni Wunderlich  
**Vice Pres:** Claudio Dacumos  
**Secretary:** Denise Sorensen  
**Treasurer:** Jeanette Feinberg  
**Membership:** Betty Ma  
**Marshall:** Ray Flanagan  
**Marshall:** Ray Miller  
**Web Coordinator:**  
 Edith Kipping  
**Shooter Editor:** Cathy Dacumos

**FINANCIAL SUMMARY**

**Income Expenses**

**AUGUST**

Membership	100.00	
50/50	169.00	
Attendance	703.00	
D&J Workshop	360.00	
DJs		800.00
Refreshments		402.57
D & J workshop		2211.40
Federal dance fee		40.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1348.00</b>	<b>3543.97</b>

**Cash: \$120.00**

**Checking account: \$13092.48**

**SEPTEMBER**

Membership	40.00	
Attendance	878.00	
50/50	141.00	
Gift Certificates	30.00	
NYE	45.00	
DJs		600.00
Refreshments		111.74
Website		17.99
Insurance		252.00
<b>Totals</b>	<b>1134.00</b>	<b>981.73</b>

**Cash: \$120.00**

**Checking: \$13244.72**

**November Birthdays**

Loriann Villanis	Nov 2
Martie Hovancik	Nov 3
Patrick Stratton	Nov 5
Betty Wu	Nov 13
Cathy Dacumos	Nov 14
Charles Bonini	Nov 22
Mary Asturias	Nov 23
Carole Lallemand	Nov 23
Madeline Cutino	Nov 20



**December Birthdays**

Gerard Lallemand	Dec 1
Claudio Dacumos	Dec 3
Patti Bacon	Dec 4
Gail Harden	Dec 4
Denise Sorensen	Dec 6
Tom Garcia	Dec 11
Celia Liang	Dec 16

**50/50 Winners**



**Sept 3:** Mike Shannon, John Swanson, Anni Wunderlich

**Sept 17:** Victoria Garcia-Cardle, Steve Hartney, Roxanne Ashley

**Oct 1:** Anni Wunderlich, Judy Romanenkov

**Oct 17:** Shirley Tam, Cathy Dacumos

**Oct 29:** Betty Malloy, Patti Bacon



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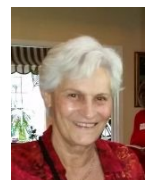
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**Webmaster:**

**Edith Kipping**



**First Sunday Dance**

**DJ-Jeanette Feinberg**

**San Bruno**

**Senior Center**

1555 Crystal Springs Rd.

San Bruno

1:00 to 4:00 pm



**Boots 'n' Buckles**

[bootsnbucklesdanceclub.com](http://bootsnbucklesdanceclub.com)

Dances on the third Sunday of each month. See web site for more info



**Tracy Country Swingers:**

Dances at San Joaquin River Club

30,000 Kasson Rd ,Tracy

For dates and times contact:

Phone: 209-608-0632 Email: [rosfam@pacbell.net](mailto:rosfam@pacbell.net)

**Country Hustlers**

**2nd & 4th Sundays**

**See Country Hustlers**

**Facebook page for**

**more info**

[www.countryhustlers.com](http://www.countryhustlers.com)



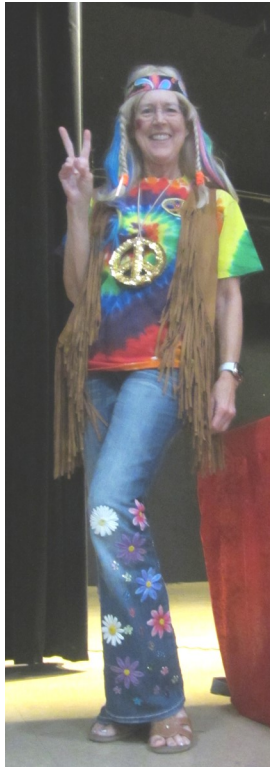


**Sept. 3 Kermit & Miss Piggy**



**Sept 17 35th Birthday Bash**





### Oct 1st Flower Power



### Oct 15 Born to be Blonde



To see all of these pictures, and more, in color visit our Web Site! [Countryquicksteppers.org](http://Countryquicksteppers.org)



October 29th "Halloween"



"Best Costume" winners



# COUNTRY QUICKSTEPPERS

Invite you to their  
Fifteenth Annual  
New Year's Eve Dance  
It will be a "Black & Gold" ...



## "GLITZ AT THE RITZ"

At the Beautiful  
BURLINGAME MASONIC HALL

145 Park Road, Burlingame

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 31, 2022

With DJ's MIKE and JOYCE

8:00 P.M. to 12:00 A.M. Doors open at 7:45 P.M.

Cost: \$45.00 per person

Quicksteppers will be serving fancy hors d'oeuvres,  
dessert, sodas, water, and sparkling cider at midnight.

This is a B.Y.O.B. affair.

There will be plenty of free parking available.



### Directions to Masonic Hall:

**From Hwy 101 southbound:** Take Poplar Ave exit. Go to El Camino and turn right. At intersection with Peninsula, make a slight right onto Park Rd as El Camino veers left. The Masonic Hall is 2 blocks ahead on the left.

**From Hwy 101 northbound:** Take the Peninsula Ave exit. Go right on Airport Blvd, then right on Peninsula. As Peninsula begins to intersect with El Camino, go right on Park Rd. The Masonic Hall is 2 blocks ahead on the left.

### Country Quicksteppers New Year's Eve Registration Form (2018)

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

Phone number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of reservations:    \_\_\_ Members @ \$45 each    \_\_\_ Non-members @ \$50 each    \_\_\_ Non-dancers @ \$45 each

Fill out this form and send it with your check, payable to Country Quicksteppers, to

Country Quicksteppers, P.O. Box 5156, Belmont, CA 94002



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**NOVEMBER 2022**

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**Nov 5 —**

**“Cowboys Don’t Cry”**

**DJ—Gary Clayton**



This will be Gary’s last time as our DJ as he goes into a well-earned retirement.

**Barrett Community Center**

**Nov 19—**

**“Turkey Lurkey”**



**DJs—Mike & Joyce**

**Barrett Community Center**

**DANCE TIMES: 6:30 TO 9:30 P.M.**

**MEMBERS \$10.00**

**NON-MEMBERS \$12.00**

**Directions to Barrett Community Center: 1835 Belburn Dr. Belmont**

From Hwy 101: Take Ralston Ave exit. Go west and cross El Camino Real .Continue for 1 1/2 miles and turn right on Avon, then left on Bellburn

From Hwy 280: Take Ralston Ave exit. Go east and cross Alameda de Las Pulgas. Turn left on Avon, then left on Bellburn.





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## DECEMBER 2022

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### Dec 3 —

## “Moonshine Madness”

DJs —Cathy & Claudio

Barrett Community Center



### Dec 17 — “Santa’s Elves”

DJ-Susan “Sparkles” Dodge

Barrett Community Center



### Dec 31 —New Year’s Eve

## “Glitz at the Ritz”

DJs—Mike & Joyce

Masonic Lodge

145 Park Ave, Burlingame

8:00 PM to 12:00 AM



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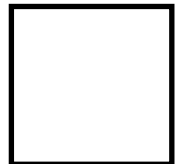
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