



50th Gala Edition

Denver, Colorado

GALA Edition

October/November 2010

Presidents Letter – Patrick and Eileen Krause

We would like to congratulate George and Peggy Smith on receiving Roundalab's Maestro Plus award for 50 years of teaching and cueing round dancing. Thank-you for all you have done for round dancing!

We would like to invite you to attend CRDA's 50th annual Gala on November 5th & 6th, 2010 at the University of Northern Colorado (UNC) in Greeley. The featured cuers will be Michael & Regina Schmidt from Germany and George & Pamela Hurd from Texas. The clinicians will be Karen & Dick Fisher from Texas and Peter & Chama Gomez from Colorado. Your favorite CRDA cuers will also be cueing the evening dances for you!

On Friday afternoon there will be casual, warm-up request rounds from ~2:00 to 4:00 pm. (Since the set-up committees will be in the ballrooms setting up, the starting time is approximate.) Roy Knight and Chris Cantrell will be cueing your requests phases 2 – 6.

Parking at UNC is free on Friday evening and on Saturday day and evening, but is NOT free on Friday afternoon. Parking passes can be purchased at the University Center parking lot dispenser or in the University Conference and Events Scheduling Office on the second level of the University Center for \$5 or you may park for free on the street. Please do not leave your car unattended while purchasing a parking pass, security has been known to issue tickets.

On Friday and Saturday evenings there will be three halls for your dancing pleasure. The first hall is phase II – III, the second hall is phase III – V, and the third hall is phase IV – VI. You are encouraged to move between each hall and dance your favorite dances. Saturday day, will feature figure clinics and new dances taught. We encourage you to attend the after party on Saturday night at the Select Stay. There will be lots of yummy treats and a chance to mingle casually. Everyone is welcome whether you stay at the Select Stay or some place else. Just bring a snack to share and your own drinks. If you would like more information please call: Earl & Judy Smith at 303-449-9010.

Here are some telephone numbers for accommodations:

Select Stay: 970-356-2180 or 1-877-264-5657 ,host hotel ask for CRDA block for special pricing

Heritage Inn: 970-395-7400

Motel 6: 970-392-1530

America's Best Value Inn: 970-339-2492

Greeley RV Park: 970-353-6476 or 1-800-572-2130

We would like to invite you to attend the general membership meeting on Saturday November 6, 2010 at approximately 12:15 pm in the ballroom at the gala. The membership will be voting on two important by-law changes.

Check CRDA's website for any last minute details about the gala. www.crdanet.net

We hope to see you at CRDA's 50th annual Gala!



MEMBERSHIP REMINDERS

Membership dues are payable in January, dues are prorated for new members joining in other months. THANKS!

Dues are \$ 18.00 per address.
Badges are \$12.00 or \$ 24.00 for two (sent to same address).

For membership info, address changes, badge order
please contact the Membership Chairman:

**Jean Montgomery, 1495 Braewood Avenue, Highlands Ranch, CO 80129
303-791-1054**

1CRDA Board of Directors Meeting
October 9, 2010

Board Members present:

Patrick & Eileen Krause - President
Jim & Margie Garcia - Vice President
Justin & Katie Stute - Secretary
Don & Peggy Hutchinson - Treasurer
Ron Blewitt
Chris & Terri Cantrell
Ron & Sue Flesch
Harold & Meredith Sears
Harold & Cindy Van Hooser

Other members present:

Rose del Sol
Jean Montgomery
Chuck & Melanie Thompson

The meeting was called to order at 10:08a.m. by Patrick Krause. Minutes from the last board meeting were read by Justin Stute and approved. Cards were sent to George & Peggy Smith, Jim & Sharon Peyrouse, and Yvette Ogren's son, Jeff.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer's Report was submitted and reviewed.

President's Report

CRDA received an email with concerns about CRDA representation at the State Festival and USA West this summer. CRDA did advertise both events and even contributed financially to the State Festival. While a higher attendance would be preferable, we can't force dancers to attend conventions. CRDA will continue to promote all opportunities for round dancers to dance.

The board continued their discussion on offering CRDA sponsored clinics before the fun dances. It was decided that since our fabulous CRDA instructors are already offering clinics, boot camps, etc., CRDA does not need to sponsor them at this time. However, those events will be advertised on the website (in a separate non-CRDA sponsored event location) and can be sent to the email reflector list to all CRDA members. CRDA and non-CRDA events can be advertised on the same flyer or email as long as it is clear which events are CRDA sponsored.

To make end-of year transitions easier, a new email address is going to be created for the president of CRDA and the webmaster. Then the contact information will stay the same even when there is a change of personnel.

Vice President's Report

The Vice Presidents found 3 fantastic candidates for the board to be voted on at the Annual General Meeting at the Gala in November.

The process of finding new board members is very tricky and time consuming. Many dancers either do not have time to join the board or are not interested. The board discussed the possibility of changing either the bylaws or supplementary rules related to the distribution and definition of people on the board. Currently only 3 instructors can be part of the board. Do we want to consider allowing more instructors positions on the board? Also, what is the definition of an instructor? Currently the bylaws use the same definition for a cuer, instructor, and teacher. Are they the same thing? The board will continue this discussion at the January board meeting.

Round Notes

The next edition of Round Notes will be sent out this Tuesday (October 12th). All information to be put in there, needs to be to Rose no later than Monday.

Cuer Selection

The guest cuers for the Gala are lined up into 2014:

- 2010 – Schmidts & Hurds
- 2011 – Preskitts & Fishers
- 2012 – Nobels & Sandeman
- 2013 – DeChennes & Guptions
- 2014 – Vogts & ?

The following cuers are being considered for the other 2014 spot: Ron & Marylou Webb, Peter & Chris Lawrence, Dan & Sandy Finch, Bob & Sally Nolen, Gert-Jan & Susie Rotscheid, David Goss & Ulla Figwer, and Steve & Laurie Harris.

Spring Dance

A lot of research has been done related to finding new venues (that have a 5000 sq. ft. dance floor) for both the Spring Dance and the Fall Harvest, since rental prices of our current venues are going up.

After much discussion, it was decided to book the Avalon Ballroom in Boulder for the Spring Dance at \$50/hour on May 22nd. If it can't be secured, the dance will move to the Arvada Methodist Church on April 10th for \$250. Either way, the spring dance will take place from 2:00-4:30pm; the hall secured from 1:30-5:00 for set-up/clean-up time.

Harvest Moon

This year's Harvest Moon cost \$500 and brought in \$488. 49 lines on the sign-in sheet were used, with 3 of those being singles.

The El Jebel Shrine's rental rate is increasing to \$480 this year. In addition, they might open the restaurant at the Shrine called The Oasis that day, even though it's not typically open on Sunday. If enough dancers make reservations at The Oasis the day

of the dance, they will lower the cost of the hall. Look for more information on this in future flyers.

The board decided contact the El Jebel Shrine about booking the hall for the Harvest Moon Dance on September 25, 2011, in addition to opening The Oasis. Due to the rental rate increase, the board approved a price increase of \$2 for the dance. The price changes are as follows:

	2010 CRDA Member	2011 CRDA Member	2010 Non-Member	2011 Non-Member
One Session	\$8	\$10	\$10	\$12
Both Sessions	\$12	\$14	\$14	\$16

Gala

Fabulous Dresses, the dress vendor that was at the Harvest Moon dance, will be at the Gala. Earl Smith contacted the Subway located downstairs from the dance hall at UNC about the possibility of pre-ordering box lunches on Saturday of the Gala. Stay tuned for further information on that.

Out of the 54.5 couples registered for the gala, 47 voted for the Gala programming on the website. Cuesheets of the teaches will be put on the website Friday morning of the Gala instead of distributed to everyone. There will be a few (20 copies) of the cuesheets available at the Gala for those that want the paper copy right then.

Hall of Fame

There were no new nominations since last meeting; hence, there will be no Hall of Fame award this year

CRDA Fun Dances

The possibility of a December 11th Fun Dance has been nixed because all cuers are already booked. The 2011 fun dances all have locations and are mostly booked with cuers as follows:

- 8 January, Saturday: [The Outpost](#) - Smith & del Sol
- 12 February, Saturday: [Maple Grove Grange](#) - Herr & Thompson
- 6 March, Sunday: [The Barn, Berthoud](#) - Glenn & Evans
- 15 May, Sunday: [The Carriage Stop, Colorado Springs](#) - Ferry & Krause
- 17 July, Sunday: [The Barn, Berthoud](#) - Holm & Gomez
- 13 August, Saturday: [Rose Hill Grange](#) - Knight & Thompson
- 28 August, Sunday: [Masonic Hall, Grand Junction](#) - Springer & tba
- 15 October, Saturday: [Rose Hill Grange](#) - Cantrell & Krause
- 10 December, Saturday: [Rose Hill Grange](#) - Carter & Herr

Membership

Membership levels are even. CRDA currently has 116 members.

Strolling Rounders

Strolling Rounders would love to have people help promote the Gala at clubs.

Web Page

There's a new face to the website. Last Sunday, there was an issue with the server, but that's only the 3rd time there's been an issue since 1989. Please check out your clubs and classes you attend and/or teach to make sure they are correct and accounted for on the website. The website now works on new technology phones that have flash. This will make it even easier to tell your friends about CRDA!

Historian

Meredith wants to put together information for other CRDA-sponsored events besides the Gala, including the Spring Dance, Harvest Moon, and fun dances.

Unfinished Business

In order for a bylaw change to happen, 2/3 of the members at the annual general meeting must vote for it to pass.

Redbook Revision: If you are a current committee chair, can you please check your section in the Redbook and bring it up to current practices? The Redbook will be put on a hidden link on the website to make it easier for the chairs to access it.

The Annual General Meeting will be Saturday, November 6, 2010 in the II/III Hall at the Gala at 12:15pm. Please join us!

The next board meeting will be Saturday, January 8, 2011 at Rose Hill Grange. All members are invited to attend. Snacks are at 9:30 a.m. and the meeting starts at 10:00. Thompsons and Van Hoosers are bringing snacks.

Meeting adjourned at 12:22p.m.
Submitted by Justin and Katie Stute



Michael and Regina Schmidt Germany

www.rumsdance.de

Michael and Regina met at college in 1987 while studying chemistry. They were married in 1995 and have a seven year old son.

Regina began Round Dancing in 1987 and helped to found the High Noon Round Dance Club in Cologne. Michael started dancing in 1989 and joined High Noon in 1990. they began teaching for the group in 1994 the same year that Michael passed his cuer exams and became a member of the European Call and Teacher Association.

Michael and Regina are members of ICBDA and made their debut as clinicians at the 22nd Convention in San Jose. In 2001 they contributed "Love Ain't Here Anymore" for the 25th anniversary also in San Jose. On their third appearance they taught their intermediate "Amparita Roca" which became a RAL ROQ in 2007.

They have been members of RAL since 2009.

Their philosophy – In Dancing, learning and teaching, ***it takes two to tango***



George and Pamela Hurd Texas

www.gphurd@aol.com

George and Pamela have been round dancing since 1989. They began teaching in Anchorage, Alaska in 1995. To enhance their round dance, they began taking ball room lessons in 1992 and continue to advance their education through private lessons while in Mesa, AZ and on several cruises.

George and Pam taught and cued at the Anaheim, CA National Convention, all USA West Conventions through 2006 and at several ICBDA conventions. Loving to travel, they have taught and cued in 31 of the 50 states plus internationally in Germany, Scotland, the Czech Republic and Slovakia. Their third trip Down Under had them cueing or teaching in 5 out of the 6 states in Australia and the North Island of New Zealand.

They are members of RAL, ICBDA, Texas Round Dance Teacher's Association, Dizie Round Dance Council and are past presidents of the Anchorage Callers & Cuers Association.

Some of their recent choreography includes, "Perfidia in Brazil", "Fiesta Madrilenia", "A Daisy in December", "Dance in Portugal", "Cumparsita Argentina", "She's No Lady", "Senza Fine VI" and "Fine Brown Frame".



And the Beat Goes On

A Gala for All Levels of Round Dancing
3 separate halls with wood floors for dancing
Easy: Phase II - III Intermediate: Phase III - V Advanced: Phase IV- VI

Join us for the 50th Anniversary

Featuring



***Michael & Regina Schmidt
& Pam Hurd***

Germany



George

Arizona

November 5 & 6, 2010

University Center
University of Northern Colorado, Greeley,
Colorado

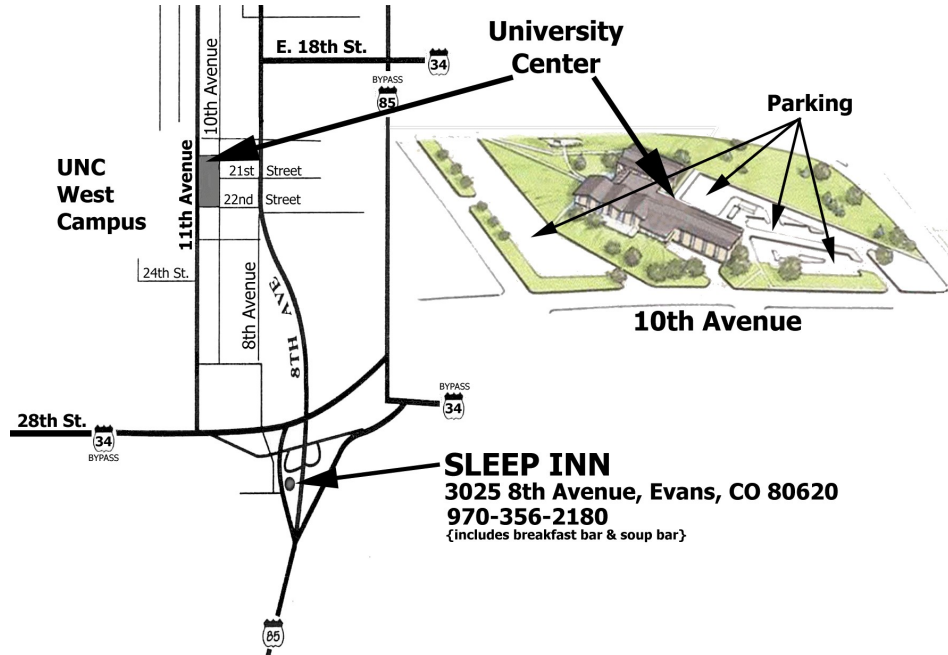


Karen & Dick Fisher

Figure clinics
By



Peter & Chama Gomez



SLEEP INN
 3025 8th Avenue, Evans, CO 80620
 970-356-2180
 {includes breakfast bar & soup bar}

Colorado Round Dance Association 50 th Anniversary Gala Registration Form				
His Last Name His First Her Last Name Her First				
Street Address City State Zip Phone Number E-mail Address				
FULL PACKAGE (pre-registration until 4/1/2010)	\$65 Members	\$85 Non-Members (includes 2009 CRDA membership)	(singles pay half)	_____
FULL PACKAGE (after 4/1/2010)	\$75 Members	\$85 Non-Members (NO membership included)	(singles pay half)	_____
Saturday, teaches only (9am – 4pm)		\$45/couple	\$22/single	_____
Saturday, all day & evening		\$65/couple	\$32/single	_____
Friday AND/OR Saturday Evenings(s) only		\$25/couple, \$15 single for ONE evening	\$45/couple, \$22/single for BOTH evenings	_____
			TOTAL:	_____
Make checks payable to CRDA. Mail to: Patrick & Eileen Krause, 5433 South Walden Street, Centennial, CO 80015				
\$5 cancellation fee prior to 10/1/2010. NO refunds after 10/1/2010 (rollovers allowed upon request)				



CRDA Gala Tentative Evening Programmed Routines

This list is subject to change based on cuer availability and other programming factors

EASY HALL (PHASE II – III)

A Beautiful Time
A Million Tomorrows
A Naughty Lady
A Taste of the Wind
Alice Blue Gown
All Shook Up
All That Jazz Two
Almost Jamaica
Answer Me
Any Dream Foxtrot
Ascot Rumba
Axel F
Baby Likes to Rock It
Baby's...Blue Jeans On
Beach Party Cha
Blessed Time Up There
Cab Driver
Continental Goodnight
Could I Have This Dance
Crazy Eyes
Déjà vu
Desert Song
Die Lorelei
Dream Awhile
Edelweiss
Except for Monday
Feed the Birds
Fiddlestepper Polka
Fireman Twostep
Folsom Prison Blues
Green Door
Hole in My Pocket
Hush
Jacalyns Waltz
King of the Road*
Maple Leaf Rag
Mission Bell Waltz
Neon Rainbow
Non Dimenticar
Numero Cinco
Ob-La-Di Ob-La-Dah
Roses for Elizabeth
Run for the Roses
Sea of Heartbreak
Someone must...fool tonight
That Jazz
The Poet & I
Turn Your Radio On
Woodchopper's Ball
Yellow Bird

INTERMEDIATE HALL (PHASE III – IV)

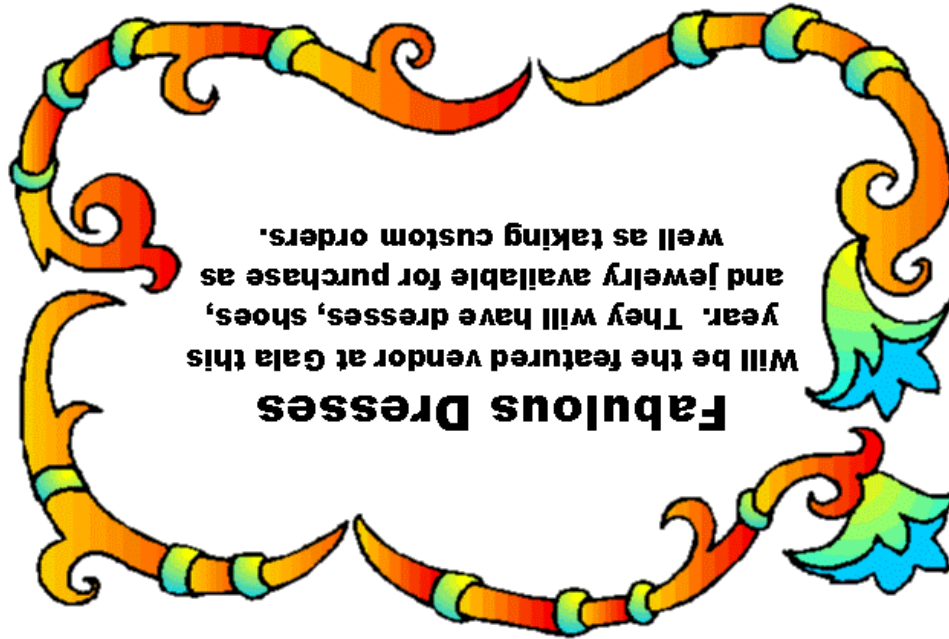
2000 Blues
Ain't Misbehavin'
Amazing Grace*
And I Love You So
Any Dream Foxtrot
Beach Party Cha
Biloxi Lady
Buddy Love
Calendar Girl
Carnival
Carolina Moon
Castles & Kings
Chaka Chaka
Ding Dong Mambo
Esta Rumba
Fine Brown Frame
Hide Nor Hair III
Hooked On Swing
Hope
I Wanta Quickstep
La Vie En Rose
Last Night
Manuela
Maria Elena Bolero
Marilyn, Marilyn
Mi Vida
Molly Maguires Waltz
Ob-La-Di Ob-La-Dah
Old Time Rock & Roll
Orient Express Foxtrot
Perfidia*
Rachel's Song
Rainbow Connections
Rainbow Foxtrot
Reggae Cowboy
Rose of Tralee
Send Her Roses
Sleeping Beauty
Spinning Wheel*
Sugar Sugar
Sunflower
Sway 4 Me
The Old House
The Singing Piano Waltz
Too Many Rivers
Valentine Bolero
West Coast Swingin'
White Sport Coat
Wind Beneath My Wings
Witchcraft IV

ADVANCED HALL (PHASE IV – VI)

A Daisy in December
A Wink and A Smile
And I Love You So
Angelina
Beale Street Blues
Beat of your Heart
Black Horse
Caress
Carnival
Cavatina
Dark Waltz
Forrest Gump
It Takes Two
Java Jive
Jean
Jurame
Just A Tango
Kiss Me Goodbye
Kiss Me Goodbye Rumba
La Gloria
Last Night Cha
Me & My Sister
Mi Vida
Misty Morning
Molly Maguires Waltz
Moon River
No Walls
On & On
Papillon
Perfidia in Brazil
Rabbit Tango
Rama Lama Ding Dong
River Lullaby
Roadhouse Blues
Starlight Waltz
Stier Tango
Sunflower
Tampa Jive
Tango Capriccioso
Te Quiero
The Bard
The Best of Me
The Human Thing To Do
Venetian Serenade
Violette
West Coast Swingin'
Wyoming Lullaby
Years May Come
You Love Me
You Needed Me

~2-4pm Friday afternoon Warm-Up Rounds (phase II – VI)

Purchase a parking pass for this session only at a daily dispenser \$5



Rose del Sol
36831 View Ridge Drive
Elizabeth, CO 80107