



TOPICS NEWS

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Toronto and District Square and Round Dance Association Inc.

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

By Dave Williamson, Brampton, ON

Happy New Year!

At this time of year it seems customary for all the media sources to 'review' the year just past. However, in the square and round dance world, our active year does not align with the calendar year but begins in the fall and ends in the spring. Yet I will reminisce about days gone by and attempt to look ahead to predict what is in store for our hobby.

I look forward to our **50th Square and Round Dance Convention** in May and I hope that you will all support this special event. By chance, this year also marks the fiftieth year since I started square dancing and I yearn for those 'olden' days when classes were taught to a hall full of squares and 'special' dances had huge attendance.

What does the future hold for our pastime? Every caller and cuer has their own opinion about the future of our hobby but, like forecasting the weather, no one really has any idea what is in store. Personally, I hope for a revival of our great activity.

Let's celebrate our past and future together at our 50th anniversary dance!

CONVENTION CHAIR MESSAGE

Bryan Henry, Guelph, Ontario, January 2011

I have just returned from a week dancing in the Rio Grande Valley in Texas. The enthusiasm for square dancing there is infectious! I attended several A2 dances with over 100 couples. Round dancing is also very popular.

Attending these types of dances provides an excellent chance to tell folks about our T&D convention. I emphasize that this is our 50th anniversary, and generally they are impressed that our Convention has been running continuously for such a long time.

Remember our dates are **May 12, 13 and 14**, one week later than our usual slot. Help to spread the word and make our celebration a big success. Please register early. It helps us with our programming.

This is your chance to interact with the friendliest people on earth. Don't miss out!!

Keep smiling

bryan

"One important key to success is self-confidence. An important key to self-confidence is preparation."
Arthur Ashe

FROM THE REGISTRARS:

Rose Marie & Ken Robinson, St. George, ON

Here we are, already a month into 2011 - our 50th Anniversary year! Just as New Year's is a great time to look back over the past year, 2011 is a special opportunity for our square and round dancers to look back over 50 years of good times and fond memories of their experiences at T&D Conventions. Incredible that we have dancers and callers who have attended every one!

To help us celebrate in style, we have a marvelous staff!

Check out our callers:

**Tim Crawford,
Jim Lee,
Charlie McClure,
Tom Miller and
Jeff Priest;**

and our cuers:

**Jerry & Bonnie Callen and
Curt & Tammy Worlock.**

You can read their bios and access the convention registration form in Chatter on the T&D website: www.td-dance.ca

REGISTER EARLY!

If you're not registered yet, what are you waiting for?!?! Our programmers do an excellent job of scheduling dancing at appropriate levels for all the dancers attending our convention. It is a complicated process - let's make their work a little easier by registering as soon as possible, so they have numbers to work with!

FOOD SENSITIVITIES and ALLERGIES:

Don't let diet concerns keep you from registering for Convention at Brock University! The Food Services staff there are happy to accommodate your special needs. Just note your concern on your registration form; we will put you in touch with a staff representative, who will make special arrangements for your particular diet & health issues.

UP-TO-DATE CONTACT INFORMATION:

Please be sure to include your current **email address** on your registration. This helps our web master, Jerry Callen, get the latest news out to dancers. If your address (postal *or* electronic) changes during the year, please contact us, so we can keep our contact information current.

REGISTRATION DESK VOLUNTEERS:

We really appreciate the volunteers who help out at the registration desk each year. If you can spare an hour or two during the convention to rest your feet and chat with some *really* nice people, please contact Rose Marie @ rwoodley000@sympatico.ca or (519) 448-3842.

If you have any other questions or concerns that we can help you with, please contact Ken via email to k.j.robinson@sympatico.ca or by phone. We're looking forward to seeing you all at Brock - May 12th, 13th and 14th, 2011!

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PS: You may have noticed that we have moved! If you mailed your registration to our old address, don't worry - Canada Post will continue to forward our mail until May, 2011.

CLUB NEWS

(Toronto and District Member Clubs)

ROYAL CITY SQUARES - Guelph, ON

Carole and Don Bates, Publicity



Happy New Year ... with no news yet for 2011! Dancing starts on January 4 for New and Mainstream dancers and January 5 for the Rounds and Plus programs. As the new year gets underway, two events from the end of last year need to be mentioned.



First is that at the end of November Royal City Squares hosted the monthly SWOSDA dance. It was a great party with upwards of 140 dancers on hand representing 31 clubs from the area. Host callers and cuers were Dave Williamson, Jeff Priest, and Andrea Priest as well as half a dozen or more guest callers. The event ran smoothly thanks to the efforts of our Yvonne Paterson and her committee; words cannot describe the refreshments on hand, presented on a colourfully laid table! The photo shows dancers in action. Feedback from all has been positive ... a great way for our members and dancers from other clubs to mix and end the season!

Secondly is the annual toy dance. Always the second to last evening before holidays for both Tuesday and Wednesday programs; part of the admission fee is to bring a new unwrapped toy. These are taken to the Salvation Army ... this organization offers support to families over the Christmas season in Guelph. We were advised that the areas most difficult to fill are infants less than a year and early adolescents, both genders. Club members demonstrated their generosity with a great array of toys to fit these identified 'need' groups. The photo shows toys with Carole Bates ready for delivery.

The club finished off the season with holiday theme nights ... music to fit the time of year as well as lots of Christmas goodies on the refreshment table. Members took time to socialize with each other and left in good spirits, feeling that all would have a 'Merry Christmas'! And as all look forward to great dancing in 2011, it's time to work off some of those goodies!

Tuesday caller:	Dave Williamson	
Wednesday Caller:	Jeff Priest	and our Cuer: Andrea Priest
Location both nights:	Paisley Road School, 406 Paisley Rd (E. of Hanlon Pkwy/Hwy 6)	

GREETINGS FROM JUBILEE ROUNDS IN ST. JACOBS:

Jeff & Andrea Priest, Brantford, ON

Happy New Year Everyone!! And Happy Dancing! Jubilee Rounds had a wonderful Christmas Dance Night with which to start our December break. We danced and danced the night away. All of the music on the program was seasonal in flavour and I saw many of the dancers singing along as they moved around the floor. We had lots of visitors including some dignitaries! Min Gibson & Harry Martin (presidents of SWOSDA) joined us for the evening and Marilyn & Lionel Bond (SWOSDA area cuers) were lucky enough to have a free night in which to just dance. Welcome to all our visitors and thanks for joining us. Come back anytime!

Jubilee Rounds returned on January 13, 2011 in order to work off some of the Holiday excess and the dancers were very surprised at how much they had retained over their time off (and I don't mean around their middles). The newer dancers remembered most of the figures they had learned and just needed a dance or two to "get the rust out". We reviewed all of the twostep figures learned so far and just danced them over & over for practise. Next week we will start to look at the Waltz rhythm so it will be back to the learning curve.

For the more experienced phase II dancers, the twostep Ruby '06 was taught. It is a 2+1 twostep and by the end of the night, they had the figure Strolling Vine down pat! We have quite a few who are looking forward to our Rumba Clinic in Brantford on January 23, the Foxtrot Clinic in St Jacobs on February 20 and the Cha Cha Clinic in Brantford on March 6, in order to pick up some phase 3 skills. Our phase 3 group enjoyed some dances at their level toward the end of the evening.

Next week is Beach Night. It's probably too much to ask for the weather to be warm & sunny but we know the atmosphere in the hall will be! Wear your bikinis or maybe not!

Remember the Clinic Dates for Phase 3:

Rumba – Brantford – January 23 – SORRY- SOLD OUT

Foxtrot – St Jacobs – February 20 – Must know phase 2 waltz

Cha Cha – Brantford – March 6 – New (& never danced before) Dancers Welcome!

Please visit our website for info, flyers & registration forms: www.jeffreypriest.com.

(If any of these flyers are not on YOUR club flyer table, please feel free to print some out and take them along with you. Thanks.)

If you're in the neighbourhood, come check us out for a dance – we'd love to see you!

Visitors are always welcome; just come on out & dance.

Remember: For Round Dance fun, we're # 1 – the place to be is Jubilee!

Thursday nights 7-10pm. St James Lutheran Church, 1407 King St. N., St Jacobs.

FROSTY FLING AT OTONABEE SQUARES - PETERBOROUGH

By Jean Lander

On January 23rd, Frosty Fling held their 2nd annual party dance and welcomed 121 dancers to an afternoon of mostly basic level dancing with a few mainstream tips and a couple of plus tips. We must have been doing something right for the weather to co-operate and had a bright sunny day.

Home caller, Wayne Whatman shared the stage with Doug Holmes to make a fun afternoon for all the dancers.

The dancers came from Lift Lock (Peterborough), Lakeshore Waves (Cobourg-Port Hope), Oshawa Squares (Oshawa), Triangle Squares (Toronto), Pairs and Squares (Trenton); Happy Hoppers (Newmarket).

Willowdale Weavers (Willowdale), Quinte Twirlers (Bellville), Cloverleaves (Lindsay) and of course our own club Otonabee Squares.

It was great to have all the more experienced people out to help the first year dancers through their moves. With the expertise of our callers the dancing flowed very well and everyone enjoyed the variety of choreography.

Guest callers Barry Clasper and Grant Logan added more variety to the afternoon, each calling a tip. It is very good for all dancers to have the opportunity to dance to different callers.

Four large gift baskets were raffled and three happy people won the Share the Wealth. In addition there were seventeen door prizes plus three door prizes donated by Triangle squares.

The dance started at 2pm and at 4:30 we all sat down to a very substantial lunch. A great way to end a great dance.

We wish to thank the callers, guests and our own club members for making the day special.

Visit our website: otonabeesquares.org

NEW DANCERS WELCOMED INTO THE ACTIVITY

By Doug Holmes, Queensville, ON

Saturday evening, November 27th, was the first in a series of dances especially planned for new dancers and their friends, at the Lebovic Hall in Stouffville. That evening saw over ten squares of dancers enjoying, what was for many of them, their first dance away from the familiarity of their home clubs. A superb program of dancing was provided by callers present – Grant Logan, Barry Clasper, Aaron Goodman and host caller, Doug Holmes. Members of the supporting club, the Newmarket Happy Hoppers, provided some very tasty refreshments following the dancing. What a joy it was for this caller to see so many new dancers starting into the activity, and thoroughly enjoying the experience.

During this dancing season, additional opportunities have been planned for the NEW DANCERS, as outlined below. I am sure the dancers will be excited about attending these events also, to enjoy the dancing and socializing, as they begin to make new friends in the square dance world. We welcome the support of all dancers and clubs in the Toronto and District Association. We envision, eventually, there being a dance each month of the dancing season for these new dancers. Perhaps, in due course we will see the revival of regular Mainstream dances too.

Upcoming NEW DANCER events:

Saturday, February 12, 2011 - New Dancers Valentine's Dance presented by the Willowdale Willow Weavers. This will be an afternoon and evening party dance for new dancers at Thornhill Presbyterian Church, 271 Centre Street, Thornhill. 2:30-5:00 and 6:30-9:30. Afternoon or evening \$12/cpl. Full day \$25 includes chili supper. Singles half price. Attending callers are invited to participate and will use calls most new dancers have learned this season. For more info see flyer or email Grant Logan at grant.logan@3web.net.

Sunday, March 27, 2011 – Doug and Heather Holmes, supported by the Newmarket Happy Hoppers, will be hosting SPRING UPRISING, the fourth in a series of dances designed especially for all new dancers in the area. This will be an afternoon event at the Lebovic Arts & Entertainment Centre, Stouffville. Couples \$15 – Solos \$8. All attending callers are invited to participate in the program.

Details for these NEW DANCER Hoedowns are available on the Doug's website -- <http://users.xplornet.com/~hobby>

For additional information – Doug & Heather 905-478-2200 or drholmes@xplornet.com

LIFTLOCK SQUARE DANCE CLUB'S CHRISTMAS DANCE

By Doug Watt, Peterborough, ON

The Peterborough Lift Lock Square Dance Club held their Christmas dance on Saturday December 11th. Fortunately, the snow storm held off until Sunday. Forty-six dancers enjoyed the calling of our club caller, Joe Uebelacker. We welcomed guests from Brampton, Cobourg, Toronto, and Woodville. We thank those dancers who came from other areas to add to the fun. Joe called interesting Plus tips with a few Advanced tips too. He showed us a variation on Grand Square that he called Star Prowl, but for this dance, he called it "Trim the Tree!"

Share The Wealth prizes were won by Gerry McGrath and Doug Watt. There were additional draws for two Poinsettia plants, won by Fred Levitt and Betty Robinson.

At 10:00, we ended the evening by enjoying conversation and the delicious variety of food provided by club dancers. Thanks to the kitchen helpers for punch, coffee and tea.

In keeping with the season, the evening's net proceeds of \$113.75 were donated to the Peterborough Salvation Army Community Christmas Hamper Fund.

God bless everyone.

LIFT LOCK SQUARES - NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE PARTY

By Jean Lander, Peterborough, ON

To bring in the New Year, we were fortunate to have caller Al Calhoun with us, along with his wife Renia. Following a tasty dinner of ham and scalloped potatoes, an assortment of veggies, salad and dessert, Al kept us on our toes calling plus and advanced level squares from 9pm to 12:30am. For variety he cued some rounds which gave the square dancers a chance to take a break. Four attractive gift baskets were won by guests and our own members. In addition a number of door prizes were awarded during some fun dances.

After bringing in the New Year, everyone enjoyed a light lunch to send them on their way. Although numbers were down a bit this year, those who came out for our party had a great time. Many thanks to Al and Renia and to all the visitors who joined us to bring in 2011. We wish you all happy dancing during the coming year.

Attention: T. and D. Members
Saturday, April 2, 2011
Toronto & District Square & Round Dance Association's
Annual General Meeting at our Afternoon Dance
Please be there and bring your ideas for your T. and D.
See You There

THANK YOU, DANCERS

Dear Square Dancers,

I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone that supported Norm and myself over the last year and a half. It was such a shock to find out that Norm had cancer and also how advanced it was. From the start Norm always kept a positive outlook and he was driven by his love for square dance calling and for the square dancers. Even in September he was sure he could carry on with his clubs, until he tried and discovered his energy just wasn't there. He very seldom complained, even though he was in pain and couldn't move his right arm.

I would like to especially thank T. & D. 'for putting on the wonderful "**Thanks for the Memories**" dance'. Over 250 people attended the dance and after it was over, I went back to the hospital where he woke up and we talked until midnight on all the people that he saw and how pleased and overwhelmed he was with all the wonderful praises he received by everyone. Not knowing how close he was to the end, it turned out to be a terrific send-off and it meant the world to me and allowed me to cope easier with the end knowing that he was happy and comfortable with his life.

450 people attended the funeral home and funeral and I want to thank everyone for bringing so much love and support to the family and myself. It will stay with me forever. Your cards and donations have been overwhelming. Thank you again.

I hope to run into you all again sometime, someplace and until then happy dancing and yellow rocks to all.

Love and Best Wishes

Wendy

Graduate Dancers:

Watch for the Graduate Festival Flyers in the next issue of TOPICS

ARE YOU REGISTERED YET?

Don't miss out on
Toronto & District Square & Round Dance Association Inc.'s
50th Anniversary Convention
May 12, 13 & 14, 2011

3 Day Dance Package - \$50.00 per person

Come dance to:

Callers: **Tim Crawford, Jim Lee, Jeff Priest, Charlie McClure & Tom Miller**
&

Cuers: **Jerry & Bonnie Callen and Curt & Tammy Worlock**

Register Early to ensure your space on the dance floor.
Looking forward to seeing everyone at Brock University

Be part of this special event

Information: Contact Rose Marie & Ken Robinson
k.j.robinson@sympatico.ca

SPECIAL REQUEST FOR MEMORABILIA

Jeff & Andrea Priest

Brantford, Ontario

Greetings,

We are well under way to planning a wonderful 50th anniversary party for you to enjoy, BUT... we need your help in two ways:

First: if you are not registered yet, do it TODAY!

Second: if you have any memorabilia from past conventions, photos, stories, poems, treasured memories, etc, we would love it if you could share them with us.

We will return any photographs that are submitted but would really appreciate your help in putting together some great memories to share with everyone who attends this Milestone in T& D's history.

Please contact:

Andrea Priest

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Deadline for next TOPICS Newsletter

Saturday, March 12, 2011

The next issue will cover February .and March. Please be sure to get your events in the newsletter. Thank you to all the Clubs and members who contributed to this newsletter. Remember, I hope to get all of your flyers and club reports. Please watch for your events on the web site, www.td-dance.ca

MOVING & GROOVING

Toronto & District Square & Round Dance Association
has available for your use

The New
“Moving & Grooving” Dance Program Tapes

A refundable deposit of \$75.00 is required to borrow the tapes for two weeks.
To reserve this program for a special event or a school or seniors activity, please call:

Dave Williamson at 905-451-5059 or
e-mail him at drwcaller@gmail.com

Chatter...

*For our 50th Annual
Convention*

May 12, 13, 14 2011

***Chatter*, our internet Newsletter, is On-line!**

Visit the T & D website at: www3.sympatico.ca/jerry.callen/td/>

Want to hear all about the 50th Anniversary Convention? It's easy!
If you provide us with your email address, we can email you when
Chatter is updated so that you have the latest news.

To sign up for notification, send an email to
Jerry Callen at:

jerry.callen@sympatico.ca with the word
"***Chatter***" in the Subject line.

**Keeping in touch is your key to
knowing what is going on!**



SQUARE DANCE HANDBOOKS

Basic/Mainstream – \$2.60

Plus – \$2.00

Mailing costs are extra. Please contact Bob Beck if you wish to order books.
905-227-7264
or e-mail: rbeck9@cogeco.ca



An Irish Blessing

**May the road rise to meet you.
May the wind be always at your back.
May the sun shine warm upon your face,
the rains fall soft upon your fields
And until we meet again.....
May God hold you in the palm of His hand.**

ROUND DANCES TAUGHT

Jerry & Bonnie Callen - Guelph, Ontario

Little Girl – Phase IV – Quickstep (Preskitt)
I Go Out Walkin' – Phase IV – Cha Cha (Harris)
Alhambra – Phase IV – Waltz (Lamberty)
The Best of Me – Phase IV – Bolero (Goss/Figwar)
Bolero Basics

CONVENTION PROGRAMMER'S REPORT

By Jeff & Andrea Priest, Brantford, ON

Greetings,

It is that time again to start thinking about your convention advertising. In this issue you will find the sheet that identifies all the prices and sizes available. Please send your ad to me no later than April 10, 2010.

If you placed an ad previously that you would like to repeat with only a small change or two: ie: date, location, etc., please e-mail the change and I will look after that.

I am happy to advise you that again this year we have not increased our advertising prices.

Please make your cheque payable to :

T & D Assoc. Inc.

And send to the address below!

Jeff Priest
28 Hawthorne Lane
Brantford, Ontario
N3R 6R2

Support Convention by promoting yourself!

See you at Brock May 12, 13, 14, 2011



Happy Valentine's Day

Monday, February 14, 2011

1" x 3.5" = \$28.00
Text Only

1" x 7.5" = \$49.50
Text Only

2" x 3.5" = \$44.00
Text Only

2" x 7.5" = \$67.50
Text Only

3" x 3.5" = \$68.50
Text Only

3" x 7.5" = \$122.50
Text Only

4" x 3.5" = \$79.00
Text Only

4" x 7.5" = \$144.50
Text Only

50 YEARS OF FASHION

We are looking forward to seeing everyone at the
50th Anniversary
Toronto and District Square and Round Dance Association Inc.
International Square & Round Dance Convention

The 2010 Fashion Show was a great success, and we're planning for the
2011 Fashion Show
to be a highlight of our 50th Anniversary festivities.

We need volunteers for
**Advertising, Decorating, Door prizes, Music,
Models & Escorts,
Ticket sales, Ushers, and Back-stage help.**
Please consider this list of jobs and let me know where you can help.

As you can see, there is lots to be done in order to host another successful Fashion Show. May we hear from you *as soon as possible* to volunteer your time and talents.

Rose Marie Robinson
Fashion Show Co-ordinator
(519) 448-3842
rwoodley000@sympatico.ca

***Please contact me if you have photos and/or
patterns of square and round dance fashions from
1961 - 2011. ***

UPCOMING EVENTS:

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Saturday, February 19, 2011 – **Waterdown Village Squares** are holding their annual **Beef a la King Dance** at the St. James United Church, 306 Parkside Dr., in Waterdown, Ontario. The doors will open at 6:30pm, with a roast beef buffet starting at 7pm. Dancing starts at 8pm, with Jim Lee calling Plus & A1 tips, plus Rounds. Electronic tickets are available at a cost of \$12 (club members)/\$14 (non-members) per person (maximum of 12 squares), by contacting Bill Turnbull at turnbullwt@yahoo.com, or by telephone at (905) 878-9573. Further info is available on our website at www.waterdownvillagesquares.ca, or by calling Bill or Pat & Ralph Coutts at (905) 822-8045. No tickets will be available at the door.

Saturday February 26, 2011 - A day of **PLUS with A1 tips & rounds** - presented by the **Willowdale Willow Weavers** at Thornhill Presbyterian Church, 271 Centre Street, Thornhill. 2:30-5:00 and 6:30-9:30. Afternoon or evening \$12/cpl. Full day \$25 includes chilli supper. Singles half price. Squares & rounds with **Jim Lee & Grant Logan**. More info see flyer or email grant.logan@3web.net.

Saturday, March 5, 2011 - **Toronto & District Square and Round Dance Association** will host a **Special Afternoon Dance** at St. Bartholomew's United Church, 22 Abbey Road, Brampton. Dance plus squares and rounds (2 + 2) with A-1 tips from 1:30 - 4:30 p.m. Callers are **Al Calhoun & Wayne Hall** with **Sharron Hall** cueing the rounds. Cost is \$12.00 per couple. **Note: All T. and D. Members get in for half price (\$6.00 per couple)**. For information call Dave Williamson - 905-451-5059 or e-mail him at drwcaller@gmail.com or call Rose Marie & Ken Robinson - 519-448-3842 or e-mail k.j.robinson@sympatico.ca or rwoodley000@sympatico.ca

Saturday, March 19, 2011 – “**Welcome In The Spring at Waterdown**”. With Spring now just around the corner, the **Waterdown Village Squares** cordially invite you to their **Ice Cream Social** at the St. James United Church, 306 Parkside Dr. in Waterdown, Ontario. **Tim Crawford and Jeff Priest** join together for **3 hours of A-1 dancing, with A-2 tips**. There will also be the occasional Round as an added bonus, to give most of us a break. Couple those two with all the Ice Cream you can eat, and a bargain price of \$8 (club members) / \$10 (non-members) per person, how can you go wrong. The doors open at 7pm, with dancing from 7:30pm to 10:30pm. Tickets are available by contacting Ken or Rose Marie Robinson at k.j.robinson@sympatico.ca, or by telephone at (519) 448-3842. Information is also available at www.waterdownvillagesquares.ca, or by calling Ken & Rose Marie, or Pat & Ralph Coutts at (905) 822-8045

Saturday, April 2, 2011 - **Toronto & District Square and Round Dance Association** presents a “**Special Afternoon Dance** and **A.G.M.**” at St. Bartholomew's United Church, 22 Abbey Road, Brampton featuring **Jim Lee and Wayne Hall** doing Plus Squares and **Bob Beck** cueing Rounds. Dance from 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.. Cost is \$12.00 per couple. **Note: All T. and D. Members get in for half price (\$6.00 per couple)**. **Mark this date on your calendar**. For information call Dave Williamson - 905-451-5059 or e-mail him at drwcaller@gmail.com or call Pam & Barry Clasper - 416-498-0007 or e-mail pam@clasper.ca or barry@clasper.ca

Saturday, April 16, 2011 - **Lift Lock Squares** of Peterborough invite you to their **49th Annual Spring Spree** at Crestwood Secondary School, 1885 Sherbrooke Street West, Peterborough. Dance Basic, Mainstream, Plus & A-1 with **Don Moger, Paul Adams, Grant Logan & Joe Uebelacker** and Rounds with **Bob & Betty Beck**. Afternoon dance from 2:00 - 5:00 p.m., Round dance Party from 7:00 - 7:45 p.m. and Evening dance from 8:00 - 10:30 p.m. Refreshments to follow. For information contact Anne & Wayne Hare at 705-743-3077 or e-mail wayne.hare@sympatico.ca Advance Registration cost \$25.00 per couple all day if registered before April 2, 2011.

May 12, 13, & 14, 2011 - Toronto and District Square & Round Dance Association Inc. invite you to their **50th Anniversary International Square & Round Dance Convention** at Brock University, 500 Glenridge Avenue, St. Catharines, ON. Dance MS to C-1 Squares with **Tim Crawford, Jim Lee, Charlie McClure, Tom Miller, PA, & Jeff Priest** and Rounds with **Jerry & Bonnie Callen and Curt & Tammy Worlock, FL**. Dance registration for the 3-day convention is \$50.00 per person. For information contact Ken and Rose Marie Robinson, at k.j.robinson@sympatico.ca . See the flyer on the T. and D. Website: www.td-dance.ca Hope to see you there.

June 3, 4, & 5, 2011 - WOW! - The WOW Weekend Committee invite you to join them for their **16th Western Ontario Round Dance Weekend** featuring **Barbara & Wayne Blackford**, from Jacksonville, FL at John Paul Secondary School, Oxford and Highbury Avenue, London, ON. Teaching and dancing Phase III, IV and V dances from Friday 8:00 p.m. to Sunday Noon. Cost \$160.00 per couple includes dancing, Saturday lunch and dinner with coffee breaks. For Information contact Bob & Betty Beck at 905-227-7264 or e-mail bettytop@aol.com or rbeck9@cogeco.ca

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