

LANE & MARIE CLEM RANDALL AWARD 7-2025

Lane & Marie completed three mainstream square dance classes over twelve years. 1990's

1990's-Two Draggers- They joined and danced

2008-2010 Valley Squares Club- Joined, danced & held offices with Lane as Secretary & Treasurer and Marie as Treasurer. Held offices. During this time, Lane and Marie rewrote bylaws and procedures for the club. They designed and built various decorations for special dances including A full-size hanging-'49 Ford wooden station wagon & a 3-D pick up for the tailgate party.

2009-Present- Eager Beavers Club-Joined after a plus class and dance weekly. Lane and Marie both served as treasurer separately. When not serving as treasurer, Lane audited the treasurer's books and he consolidated multiple bylaws and procedures for approval by the board. Losing their dance location with Elsie Stuhr's remodel, Lane and Marie helped negotiate a new location in AC at a local church.

2016- In January, Lane and Marie were presented with the TVC Recognition Award for outstanding contributions to square dancing for 2015.

2017, Lane Completed Daryl Clendenin's Caller School in Cle-Elem, Washington.

2018-2024-CallerLab Member-Lane

2018 - Lane & Marie volunteered to teach a square dance class at their neighborhood Oak Hills Home Association Gym. Eight students graduated from mainstream lessons.

2019- Oak Hills Square dance club was formed. They joined & additional students graduated from mainstream classes in February, June and August. In Spring 2020 due to covid, the club took a hiatus

2019-Completed Cueing Lessons with Ken Pratt.

2019-Present RoundALab -Member-Lane

2021-In February Lane guest-Cued a full dance for the first time for the Chaps and Petticoats Club.

2021-Present- Guest cued for PAC & TVC Clubs including River City Dancers & Oak Hills

2021-2023 Wave Steppers joined the club and Lane called weekly in Tillamook Oregon & at the Tillamook County Fair.

2022-Present Sunset Promenaders- Joined and dance weekly.

2022-2024- Caller for barn dance for a Retreat Center for Special Needs kids in Rockaway Beach every summer and a retreat in Olympia Washington in 2024.

2023-Present -ORDTA Lane is Member

2023-Present , Lane Cues at the Eager Beavers twice a month, alternating with Tami Helms.

2023-Present For the past three summers, Lane has called a barn dance for special needs kids with Marie at the Joni & Friends Family Retreat" in Rockaway, Oregon, and in Olympia, Washington.

2023-2025, Marie was elected Treasurer for the TVC. She held that office until 2025. Upon leaving the Treasurer Position with TVC, she was elected Treasurer for the Oak Hills Squares.

2024-2025-Moonlight Rounders- They joined the club and they dance weekly

2025-Present- Lane is currently treasurer with OFN

Lane is known by the TVC as the Chairman of the Jokes for his humorous stories "for the good of the cause" at each TVC Meeting. Both Lane and Marie personify the attitude of service, willing to do whatever job need to be done at the moment.

Randall Award Recipients 7-25

Oak Hills Squares would like to recommend Lane and Marie Clem for the Randall Award because of their outstanding job in supporting the square and round dancing community. Lane & Marie have square and round danced for years and are members of TVC's Eager Beavers, Oak Hills Squares. And Sunset Promenaders. They are very good about going to many club dances and supporting all the other clubs. They have served in various square dance positions and committees.

Recently, Marie did a wonderful job as TVC Treasurer. She helped update many bi-laws that were long overdue. Currently, Marie is treasurer for Oak Hill's Squares. Currently Lane is treasurer for OFN and he's cueing at various clubs.

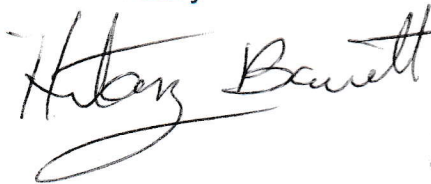
Lane & Marie organized Oak Hill's Squares in Beaverton as a club and started calling lessons in 2019. Lane was the caller and Marie fully supported him. Lane teaches classes with patience, humor and encouragement.

Over time, Lane shifted to cueing and now cues for River City Dancers, in Milwaukie, Oregon and part-time for Eager Beavers. Lane is also a featured cuer at several Tualatin Valley Clubs and some PAC club dances.

Their love of the Square and Round dance community is contagious. Marie & Lane's support, wisdom and guidance is commendable.

I have attached their Square dance bio History

Thank You,
Hilary Barrett
Oak Hills Squares President

 7-10-25



RICK HAWES



Rick Hawes is the longest attending member of Rosetown Ramblers as well as Heads to the Center. Rick has been dancing for 40 years, all but 6 months of the Ramblers' existence. Rick has served in many roles for both clubs and has taken on the task of learning to call as well as teaching lessons.

Rick's skill set has been largely organizational and he has been active in the International Association of Gay Square Dance Clubs (IAGSDC). Rick served as Chair of the IAGSDC early on.

In 2003 he was awarded the Golden Boot, a national version of Oregon's Randall award. He was co-chair of the 1998 IAGSDC Convention in Portland that had over 1,000 attendees and has run two other Conventions in two other cities, in Houston TX and Minneapolis MN (Houston was cancelled by the pandemic). His skill set has allowed clubs to host conventions in their town with him handling the details. In addition, he ran the Medallion Project for the IAGSDC for many years - giving medallions to dancers attending 10, 20, 25, 30 and 40 years of conventions. To save money, he had the ribbons hand made by various people, giving it a personal touch as well. Most recently he organized the annual West Coast Advanced & Challenge Weekend in Portland for the 4th time.

At the local level, he is almost always at Heads to the Center and Rambler dances and at Rambler lessons as an angel, and for the last 5 years, caller/teacher. He has served as Club President, Caller Scheduler, Scares & Squares Dance organizer and many other positions. In 2020 he took on the task of teaching lessons. He was one of the 8 people in 1990 who started Heads to the Center, an Advanced and Challenge level club. To provide quality calling for a local club, he has made it his practice to record sets at square dance events where national callers are calling, then put tracks on the recordings to make backtracking easy. Heads to the Center has had the benefits of dancing to national callers on Thursday evenings, or to Rick calling.

In addition, Scott Zinser has given Rick the opportunity to call Plus and Advanced for Scott's clubs. And once a month he calls Advanced and C-1 over ZOOM for Puddletown Squares of Seattle.

The reason why his fellow dancers are nominating Rick is because although he is very well known for his contributions to Square Dance with IAGSDC, he is largely unknown in his home state. His dedication to this dance form has been instrumental in the continuance of his home club.