# **Heart of America Singles Square Dance Association**



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#### FROM THE PRESIDENT - Maye's Notes:

I am still jingling in the glory of a Festival that was not only FUN but the beginning of a new trend in Square Dancing! All you have to do is go to our web site of <a href="www.HASSDAFestival.WeSquareDance.com">www.HASSDAFestival.WeSquareDance.com</a> and look at the 2013 festival pictures to see how much jingling good fun was had. Look at those smiles! The energy in all the halls was uplifted with the tinkling of jingle skirts!

I want to express my thanks to the Lone Wranglers for co-hosting the festival and making it a success. Larry and Laurel Erickson, Tom and Cindy Hollenberger and the rest of the Lone Wranglers made sure that the little details didn't fall through the cracks. In spite of his infirmity (broken leg) Marvin Knocke and his lovely wife Diane, Chairman of the NE KSDA, attended the festival and worked the registration tables to make sure all the dancers were greeted with true Kansas Hospitality and HUGS!

A special thank you goes to Sue Dellere for the use of her hearing enhancement equipment at the festival. Sue also provided me with additional jingle skirts when my inventory ran out. THANK YOU SUE! Sue is a square dance caller

from Salina, KS who attended the Festival along with her husband Jim. Both add tremendous energy and fun to any dance floor.

Someone who was unable to attend the festival but deserves a HUGE THANK YOU for sending his sound equipment to make sure the halls were fully sounded is Dana Schirmer. As the head of Callerlab, Dana had to be in North Carolina during the festival for Callerlab's annual convention, but graciously sent his calling equipment with HASSDA member Judy Tumbleson (who also deserves a BIG THANK YOU for hauling and making sure Dana's equipment was well cared for).

Thank you to Chris Wildhagen for starting the festival off with his many personalities on the microphone. How does he keep Edith and Archie straight when doing the duet by himself?? Marilyn Graham's cueing added just the right touch for the many round dancers that filled the floor at the Trail In Dance on Thursday night.

Our featured callers Ken Burke, Tim Marriner and Mike Hogan working together and individually provided more than just a great dancing experience, they were ENTERTAINERS! Ken Burke was new to the Kansas area and he has definitely left his mark! We are all looking forward to an opportunity to dance to him again. Love the choreography! Tim Marriner made McDonalds, Kentucky Fried Chicken, and many other theme songs into a square dance to remember. Kansas is looking forward to hearing Tim again in June at the State Convention.

Our own Midwest's "King of Square Dance", Mike Hogan, brought the house down with his rendition of Pink Cadillac. They may have heard the roar of the dancers from the Little Apple in Manhattan to the Big Apple in New York City. Mike is a frequent caller for HASSDA and he proved why we keep asking him back! They do pack dynamite in small packages!

Full floors of round dancers enjoyed Jim and Georgianne Couey. They received many compliments on keeping the festival upbeat and flowing.

There were many K-Laires (former K-State Square Dance Club Members) in attendance. They rekindled old friendships and several remarked that they will continue with future reunions.

There is a rumor that the dancers would like to see the festival return to K-State. The K-State staff certainly were wonderful to work with and the wood dance floors were much appreciated by many tired feet. Let your new Board know if you would like to see it return to the K-State Union Ballroom in 2015 or another future date.

Thank you to all 362 dancers that registered to share their smiles and dancing feet to make the HASSDA Festival 2013 BIG FUN in the Little Apple!

~Maye

PS. Cloudy, rainy, and snowy skies could not diminish the sunshine of smiles and laughter at the 2013 Festival. Thanks to all of you!



Outgoing HASSDA Board with 2013 Festival Callers L-R Jane Anderson, VP; Mike Hogan, Christine Batz, Sec; Ken Burke, Kathy Mears, Treas; Tim Marriner, Robert Orman, Hist; Maye Wegner, Pres Maye "cuts up" with the 2013 Festival Callers Mike Hogan, Ken Burke, Tim Marriner

Pictures by Robert Orman

# HASSDA HAS A NEW BOARD OF OFFICERS!



L-R Bobbie Heiden, Hist; Vicki Eslick, News; Vicky Zeller, Sec; Kelly Bockover, VP; Jesse Jackson Sr, Pres; Dee Proctor, Treas

The General Meeting was attended by 41 members who wanted to see the HASSDA Association continue. A new Board of Officers stepped forward to fill empty positions to make sure that the HASSDA Spring Festival continues to be the highlight of the Dancing Season. It has been my pleasure to serve on your Board for the past seven years. Thank you for your support and wonderful cherished memories.

I look forward to the fresh ideas the new Board will bring to HASSDA. Remember HASSDA is YOUR organization and its success depends on you. HASSDA can hire the callers and rent the halls, but it is you the dancer that makes the festival a success. And success is getting the word out to everyone what a great time a HASSDA Festival is for everyone, Single or Partnered. ~Maye

#### **MEET YOUR NEW 2013-2014 BOARD OF OFFICERS**



I learned to square dance under Lee Schmidt. I was President of Western Square Dance Association in Southern California three times and was on the board for 14 ½ years. I served as chairperson three times on their Festival. I also served three times as area vice-president of California Square Dance Council and have served on the board of many state festivals.

JESSIE JACKSON, SR – President Bethany, Oklahoma

Hello mutual friends and dancers,

I would first like to thank the outgoing HASSDA board for all of their dedication and endless hard work. I only hope that I will be able to work with the new board to serve this association at the same level.

A little about me: I have been square dancing for a little over 20 years now, wow time does fly by. I started dancing as a charter member of a local club that was formed here in the Kansas City area. Unfortunately, that club is no longer dancing. I am currently a member of two square dance clubs (BNR Squares & Knot So Squares) here in Kansas City. I am also the interim Vice President of the Fit and Fun Square Dance Association (FFSDA).

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KELLY BOCKOVER - Vice President Kansas City, Missouri

(*Kelly Bockover – continued*)

I am a relatively new HASSDA member and this past March is actually the first Festival that I have attended. I enjoyed myself so much that when there was mention that the association could be ending, I just had to attend the board meeting, not really thinking that I would end up on the board. However, I guess it was time for me to step up and do as much as I can for square dancing.

I am looking forward to working with the new and past board of HASSDA and meeting as many members as possible.

Hope to see you in a square, Kelly Bockover (Incoming) HASSDA Vice President



Vicky Zeller - Secretary Overbrook, Kansas

Vicky started square dancing in grade school in physical education class and loved it. Also she square danced some as a teen. As an adult she took lessons in the mid 1990's with the Westernaire Club in Wichita, Kansas and was a member until 2002. Vicky moved to north side of Pomona lake and became a member of the Sunflower Steppers in Osage City, KS for several years until they disbanded. She became a member of the Shawnee Swingers in Topeka, Kansas for five years until she retired and stayed living at Pomona Lake full time. She now is a member of Ottawa Promenaders in Ottawa, Ks.

Vicky is a University of Kansas graduate with a Natural Science Concentration Degree. She received her Master in Education of Administration at Wichita State University. She taught science in Kansas for 37 years and loved her job. She is retired now and substitute teaches and having a lot of fun working with the students.

She belongs to a Red Hat group, plays dominos, line dances, and works as a volunteer for Wichita Music Theater. She also attends theater in the Kansas City area. She attends state and national square dance conventions whenever possible. Look forward to seeing you all at the Oklahoma City National Square Dance Convention.

I first took square dance lessons as a favor to a friend. I really was not sure that I would like this activity, but as lessons progressed, I was hooked. I have been dancing since 1989, and have held offices since I graduated. I have held the office of President, Vice President, Treasurer, delegate and wherever help was needed. I am also the Singles Coordinator for the Central District Square Dance Assn. This is an office I have held for several years. I have also held the office of Vice President for HASSDA and hosted the HASSDA Festival in Midwest City Oklahoma in March of 2012.

I love to travel and accompany our local caller on his out of town & out of state engagements. ~Dee Proctor



Dee Proctor – Treasurer Norman, Oklahoma



Vicki Eslick - Newsletter Editor Wellston, Oklahoma

Vicki Eslick is a member of Metro Singles Square Dance Club in Oklahoma City, OK. Vicki is a dedicated square dancer and is well known throughout Central District in Oklahoma. She's an Immediate Past President, having served with Vernon Willis as the 2012 Central District Presidents. When elected, they selected as their motto, "Spread the Joy" of square dancing. Vicki certainly lived up to the motto and worked tirelessly this past year to spread the word about the fun and joy of square dancing.

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(Vicki Eslick - continued)

Vicki was born at an Air Force Base in Germany during an electrical storm. That night the lights went out and when they came back on, her parents had a new baby girl! A few years later her father retired from the Air Force and moved his family to Oklahoma where Vicki grew up.

Vicki has always loved to dance. She and a group of friends liked to go two-stepping when one night; she met someone who convinced her to take square dance lessons. She took lessons from Mike Green in 2003, with Metro Singles. She loved it so much that she took a second set of lessons the next fall in order to learn to dance the man's position. This must have made a lasting impression because now you often see her dancing the man's position in a square.

Vicki achieved her dream of a college degree in 2008, when she graduated from Colorado Technical University Online with a Bachelors Degree in Accounting. She returned to school that fall to work on a Masters Degree and graduated in May 2010, a few days before her 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday.

Vicki has been a hard worker she always has had a smile on her face and a "yellow rock" for her fellow square dancers.

Bobbie is a very new dancer and is full of energy... ready to get after it. She took Square Dance lessons in January of 2012 and by September of the same year she was in Plus lessons. Now she is taking DBD lessons. Bobbie really loves to dance!

Bobbie's first volunteering position in the square dance world was Ticket Chairman for the Spirit of 76 Club, to help promote the selling of tickets for the Oklahoma State Square Dance Federation Ticket Program (A fund raiser for the clubs in Oklahoma). In 2013 Bobbie had her first taste of being an officer as she served as State Delegate for Norman Silver Spurs. Bobbie then took on the job of 2013 Ticket Chairman for Central District to promote the Oklahoma State Square Dance Federation which will be giving away a car as the Grand Prize at the Oklahoma State Festival.

The Good Sheppard Lutheran Church in Midwest City, OK, is blessed to have Bobbie as a member. One of her jobs is being their Activities Coordinator. She is also a member of the Lutheran Women's Missionary League.

Bobbie was born and raised in southern California before moving to Oklahoma in her late teens. She married had two children; a daughter Susan and a son David Jr. She is also blessed with five grandchildren; three boys and two girls. Bobbie's husband was killed while at work on a road painting crew by a reckless driver. After being a widow for several years Bobbie met Carl Wilson, another high energy Square Dancer; they were meant to be together. They dance as many as five days a week go – go – go. In her spare time she likes to work in her garden and go camping while taking photos all the way.



Bobbie Heiden - Historian Choctaw, Oklahoma

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## WINNERS OF THE FREE REGISTRATION TO THE 2014 HASSDA FESTIVAL

HASSDA offered a free registration to the 2014 HASSDA Festival to the single dancer that provided proof of dancing with the most different partners during the festival. While some chose not to participate, those that did, said it was a great way to get to know other dancers. A real mixer! And all the dancers were willing to be partners to help those that chose to participate win their goal....and those that didn't win said they were still winners because they danced and danced!

Our happy winners of the 2014 registrations were Greg Mills of Edmond, OK on Friday night and Bobbi Heiden of Choctaw, OK on Saturday night. Both danced about 18 tips with 18 different partners. CONGRATULATIONS!

If you have ideas of how to help the singles in our group get acquainted and dancing, please let a Board Member know. We listen and we implement all valid ideas! We are your HASSDA!

#### DID THE SMOOTHIE HALL WORK?

Last year the HASSDA General Meeting voted to establish a "Smoothie Hall". The purpose was to provide dancers a more relaxed dancing experience with a smoother slower paced mainstream and plus level dance.

While it may require some fine tuning, this hall was very well attended and very popular with all dancers during the festival. This hall had an average of eight squares, sometimes as many as twelve squares, but never less than five squares on the floor at any time.

YOU made the suggestion and HASSDA listened! We tried it and it WORKED! Thank you for your comments and ideas on how to make the HASSDA festival the very best Festival ever!

#### 2013 Festival Comments

Thanks for a wonderful HASSDA Festival 2013! This was my first "big" dance! The callers were <u>great</u>! I met so many really wonderful people and now have many more dancing friends. It was good for me to realize there are lots more single dancers so being a single wasn't lonely at all.

Thanks for the opportunity! Thanks for all yhour planning and hard work! See you at Nationals!

~Belínda Schlesener, Emporía, KS

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The recent HASSDA Festival at KSU was probably the best festival weekend I have ever attended anywhere! The facility was great! Wood floors were in superb condition! The callers were great and worked superbly together! The HASSDA staff was great! Altogether it was fantastic!

Gene Arnott, Olathe, KS Caller/Dancer

#### GETTING ELECTRONIC NEWSLETTER OR CHANGE OF ADDRESS

With the ability to post and send printed material on the Internet, many square dance organizations have gone to emailing their newsletters. HASSDA is no exception. If you would prefer to receive your newsletter by email, please notify us. By choosing to receive the newsletter by email, you will be helping us cut expenses. Also, if you are planning to move and are having the newsletter mailed to you, let us know your new address, as the US Postal Service may not forward it.

Contact Maye Wegner, 685 Newman Road, Havensville, KS 66432 by mail or by email <a href="mailto:Eslick515@gmail.com">Eslick515@gmail.com</a> or <a href="mailto:MayeWegner@gmail.com">MayeWegner@gmail.com</a>

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August 29 – September 1, 2013 Chair: Ron Holland 615-268-3797 Website: www.dar2013.ssdusa.org

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# UPCOMING SQUARE DANCE EVENTS OF INTEREST UPCOMING SQUARE DANCES

IA - 1<sup>st,</sup> 3<sup>rd &,</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Fridays - Mainstream and Plus Dance. Sponsored by Merry Mixers at IOOF Hall, 29<sup>th</sup> and Kingman, Des Moines, IA. 7:30 – 10:00pm. Website - <u>www.lowaSquareDance.org/Clubs/Central/CE\_MerryMixers.html</u> Caller:Guest Caller; Cuer Jo Saffell.

**IA** - Every Thursday – Mainstream and Plus Dance. Sponsored by Solo Steppers at Prince of Peace Lutheran Church, Davenport, IA 7:30 – 10:00pm. Website <a href="www.lowaSquareDance.org/Clubs/Quad\_Cities/QC\_Solo\_Steppers.html">www.lowaSquareDance.org/Clubs/Quad\_Cities/QC\_Solo\_Steppers.html</a>. Callers Don and Doug Sprosty and Guest Callers. Cuer Charlie Swanson.

IA - 2nd' 4th Saturdays - Mainstream and Plus Dance. Sponsored by Plaids N Dads at IOOF Hall, 29<sup>th</sup> and Kingman, Des Moines, IA. 7:30 – 10:00pm. Caller: Guest Caller; Cuer Guest Cuer

IA - 2nd' 4th Fridays - Mainstream and Plus Dance. Sponsored by Triple G Square Dance Club at Gilbert Elementary School, Gilbert, IA. Caller: Guest Caller; Cuer Guest Cuer

IA - 1st' 3rd Saturdays - Mainstream and Plus Dance. Sponsored by Squires and Dames at 1<sup>st</sup> Presbyterian Church, 703 Greene, Boone, IA. 7:30 – 10:00pm. Caller: Guest Caller; Cuer: Guest Cuer

 $KS - 1^{st}/3^{rd}$  Tuesdays – Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Lone Wranglers at Riley County Senior Center, 412 Leavenworth, Manhattan, KS. Rounds 7:30 pm Square Dancing 8:00pm. Caller Guest Callers. Cuer Joyce Juhler.

- $KS 1^{st}/3^{rd}/5^{th}$  Tuesdays Mainstream and Plus Dance. Sponsored by Swingin' Singles at Town Hall, 11600 Johnson Dr, Shawnee KS. Casual attire. Line Dances between tips. 7:30pm 9:45pm. Caller Jay Krebs. Cuer Pam Young. Website <a href="https://www.Swingin-Singles.org">www.Swingin-Singles.org</a>
- **KS** One Friday a month Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Shawnee Swingers at Croco Hall, 6115 SE Hwy 40, Tecumseh, KS (just east of Topeka). Guest Callers. Cuer: Lalla Steenbock. 7:30 10:00 pm. Website <a href="www.topekasquares.com">www.topekasquares.com</a> or call Carolyn Thomason at (785) 232-6125.
- **KS** 2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Sundays Mainstream Dance Sponsored by Circle 8 Square Dance Club at Chisholm Middle School, Newton, KS, Caller -- Guest Caller Cuer -- Guest Cuer. Pre-rounds 7:00 Squares 7:30 9:30 pm Website <a href="www.Circle8SquareDance.com">www.Circle8SquareDance.com</a> or call Bob or Sandy McVey at (620) 983-2929 email <a href="mailto:sandymcvey@hotmail.com">sandymcvey@hotmail.com</a>
- **KS** 2<sup>nd</sup>/4th Fridays Mainstream Dance Sponsored by Good Time Squares at Dawson United Methodist Church Wichita, Ks Caller -- Guest Callers Cuer Joe Dawley .Contact Marcie Myers (316) 990-4549
- **KS** 1<sup>st,</sup> 3<sup>rd &</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> Friday Mainstream Dance with plus tips Sponsored by Wichita Solo's Square Dance Club, Wichita, KS, dances at 7:00 p.m. Southwest Presbyterian Church, 1511 West 27th St. South, Wichita. Guest callers, rounds by Frank Morrell
- **KS** Every Tuesday Mainstream Workshop Sponsored by Good Time Squares at Dawson United Methodist Church Wichita, Ks Caller -- David Myers, Barbara Whitehead Cuer Joe Dawley .Contact Marcie Myers (316) 990-4549
- **MO** 2nd Tuesdays IAGSDC Dance (Plus and A-2). Sponsored by Gateway Squares, IAGSDC club, at St Louis Senior Center, 5602 Arsenal St, St Louis MO. Casual attire. No rounds. 7:15pm 9:00pm. Singles, same-sex couples and opposite-sex couples all welcome. Callers Guest Callers. Website <a href="https://www.GatewaySquares.com">www.GatewaySquares.com</a>
- $MO 1^{st}/3^{rd}$  Fridays Mainstream and Plus Continuous Dancing. Sponsored by St. Joe Squares at St. Peter Lutheran Church, 3524 St. Joseph Avenue, St. Joseph, MO. Casual attire. Chris Wildhagen Caller. 7:30pm 10:00pm Contact Bill and Marilyn Robinson (816) 233-9096
- MO 4<sup>th</sup> Fridays Mainstream and Plus Dance. Sponsored by Single Promenaders at Ivanhoe United Church of Christ, 6512 Woodson Rd, KC (Raytown) MO. Line Dances between tips. 7:30pm 10:00pm. Caller Al Block. Lines Jim Windhausen. Check www.Promenaders.WeSquareDance.com or call Novella Mehrer 816-246-1225
- **MO** Alternating Saturdays Plus-Level Dance. Sponsored by Singles and Doubles at Webster Groves Christian Church, 1320 Lockwood Ave, Webster Groves MO. 730pm 1000pm. Caller: Guest Callers. Cuers: Gene and Del McGinty.. Check www.Singles.SquareDanceMissouri.com or call Dan Kramme 636-225-5378
- **NE** 1<sup>st</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> Tuesdays Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Single Wheelers Squares at Pufahl's Barn in Norfolk NE duringsummer months (Norfolk Jr High School on Aug 30. 800pm 1030pm. Website <a href="https://www.SquareDanceNE.org/clubs/swheelers">www.SquareDanceNE.org/clubs/swheelers</a> or call Gerry and Janet Mansfield (402-565-4247
- **NE** Alternating Tuesdays Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Heartland Singles Square Dance Club at Rockbrook Methodist Church, 9855 West Center Rd, Omaha NE. 7:30 10:00pm. Website <a href="www.SquareDanceNE.org/clubs/heartland">www.SquareDanceNE.org/clubs/heartland</a> or call Diane Krebs at 402-734-4761.
- **NE** Alternation Fridays(Sept thru May) Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Belles N Beaus at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, 4117 Terrace Dr., Omaha, NE. 8:00 10:30pm. Call Jim & Cathy Bellinger 402-393-4194 or 402-639-9228.
- **NE** Alternating Saturdays Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Amazing 8's at Rockbrook Methodist Church, 9855 West Center Rd, Omaha NE. 8:00 10:30pm. call Bob Welshinger at 402-339-5405.
- **NE** 2nd Saturdays Mainstream Dance. Sponsored by Pressey Promenaders at Veterans Memorial Building, 416 S. 1<sup>st</sup> Ave., Broken Bow NE. Callers: Guest callers. 7:30 10:00pm. Website www.SquareDanceNE.org/clubs/pressey or call Duane Romans at 308-848-2554.
- **OK** 1<sup>st</sup>/3rd Fridays Mainstream and Plus Dance. Sponsored by Single Squares at Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, 700 N. Air Depot, Midwest City, OK. Rounds 7pm, Workshop 7:30pm and Grand March 8pm. Callers Jeff and Niecy Holley. Cuers Jim & Georgianne Couey. Website www.cdsda.com or call John Martindale 405-306-1957.
- **OK** 2<sup>nd</sup>/4th Fridays Mainstream and Plus Dance. Sponsored by Metro Singles of OKC at Westside Lions Hall, 4135 NW 10<sup>th</sup> St, Oklahoma City OK. Pre-Rounds 7pm and square dancing starts 730pm. 3<sup>rd</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> tips are Plus and Advanced will be called after regular dancing ends. Caller Danny Payne. Cuer JC Johnson. Website <a href="https://www.SquareDancing.com/metrokc">www.SquareDancing.com/metrokc</a>

#### **UPCOMING SQUARE DANCE WEEKENDS**

**KS** – May 31 - June 1, 2013 – 61<sup>st</sup> Kansas State Square Dance Convention, BiCentennial Center, Kenwood Park, Salina, KS. Tim Marriner featured Caller, Karen & Ed Gloodt, Cuer. <a href="https://www.kansassquaredance.com">www.kansassquaredance.com</a> for more information.

MO – August 29 – September 1, 2013 – 43nd National Singles Dance-A-Rama at Renaissance St. Louis Airport Hotel, 9801 Natuarl Bridge Road, St. Louis, MO 63134 Website: dar2013.ssdusa.org MO – May 8-10, 2014 – 34<sup>th</sup> HASSDA Spring Festival – Joplin Holiday Inn Hotel and Convention Center, 3615 Range Line Road, Joplin, MO 64804

Trail-In Dance with Van Greenwood, Jay Wright, Grant Roth, and Mary Castleberry Festival Callers are Shane Greer, Nick Hartley, Tim Tyl and Tony and Carolyn Ahart, Cuer Mainstream, Plus and "A" Level dancing all weekend long!

Website www.HASSDAFestival.WeSquareDance.com or call Maye Wegner 785-806-8314

**NE** – May 11, 2013 Lincoln Council 72<sup>nd</sup> Annual Festival, Lincoln North Star High School, 5801 N. 33<sup>rd</sup> St, Lincoln, NE - Caller: Nasser Shukayr. Cuer: Jim & Carol Tucker Website: www.squaredancene.org/feds/state/specials.shtml

**NE** – May 25-26, 2013 Single Wheelers Memorial Weekend Square Dance, Gymnasium at Ponca Tribe of NE, 1800 Syracuse Ave, Norfolk, NE – Callers Jerry Junck and Mike Hogan with Pat and Mike Schrant Cuers. Contact Mary (402) 371-9276 or <a href="mailto:danceofk@hotmail.com">danceofk@hotmail.com</a> for more information

# DON'T LOOK ANY FURTHER!







THE PLACE TO BE ON FRIDAY NIGHT, JUNE 28, 2013

# IS IN EXHIBIT HALL "D" AT THE HASSDA AFTER-PARTY!

Dancing starts immediately following the close of the scheduled dancing and goes until ???

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