November 02, 2026 Newsletter

Hello fellow square dancer enthusiasts.

Well, those were fun Halloween dance evenings we had last week. Thanks to Robert Milburn for bringing in decorations, to everyone who brought in treats, and to everyone dressing up for the occasion. You can see the photos by following the link https://merisquares.ca/wp/photo-and-videos/ on our Meri Squares website. Contact info@merisquares.ca for the password to access the photo page.

We are having a Square Dancing Clothing Sale on Tuesday, November 10, at the Mainstream Dulude dance class. Dancers of all levels are invited to come out and browse for square dancing clothing - both for men and women. There will be shirts, skirts, and accessories with everything going for $5 or less. This is a great opportunity to find a whole outfit or something to complete what you already have for special themed events. Patricia McLachlan (Pat) will be coordinating the clothing sale event, and we are looking for a few volunteers to help that evening. Please contact Pat (patriciamclachlan@gmail.com) if you can assist her.

Details are available in our website https://merisquares.ca/wp/calendar-2/, along with the event https://merisquares.ca/wp/wp-content/uploads/2026/10/Web-Square-Dance-Clothing-Sale-Flyer.png. Note that I've been adding special dances from other clubs in the region to the calendar, such as the Russell Royal dance on November 7, the All Day Sashay on November 14, and the Tartans & Kilts dance on November 29. Clicking on the calendar events pops up a small window with all the details. I hope this helps. Let me know what you think.

Finally, we are working out the details for the turkey catered Christmas dinner scheduled for December 10 at the Westminster Presbyterian Church. Mocktails will be available at 6 p.m. The Social Coordinators will take care of drinks (tea, coffee, punch). We will ask members whose last name starts with L to Z to bring dessert if they can. The dinner will be followed by alternating Mainstream and Plus dancing. We will have tickets for sale for $20 later this month. More information will be available in the next few weeks.

Feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

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