

# NM 2025 Dance Festival Planning Meeting

## Date:

Saturday, June 8<sup>th</sup>, 11:00

## Attendees

- Karen Zakovec President
- Greg Tillery 1st Vice President
- Lynn Tillery Treasurer
- Jerry Gilbreath 2nd Vice President for Squares
- Bob Nolen 2nd Vice President for Rounds
- Sally Nolen 2nd Vice President for Rounds
- Lisa Miller Secretary
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## Flyers

The flyers have been printed and mailed to the Weavers and Ayres. It would cost \$300 to reprint the flyers so we plan to use them as they are.

## NMSRDA Cards

Cards are available for \$10. All members of the Board must have a current NMSRDA card.

## Schedule:

Below is the current schedule. Karen recommended that we have a color guard before the Grand March. Lynn will check with Harley to see if her ROTC group can do this. Jerry will also check with his contacts. We will consider have the National Anthem on Saturday night and discuss it during the next meeting.

### Friday, May 16th

3:00 - 5:00 PM Trail-In Dance (casual)  
5:00 - 7:00 PM DINNER ON YOUR OWN

7:00 - 7:30 PM Pre-Rounds  
7:30 - 10:30 PM Evening Dance (Square Dance attire recommended) SSD/Mainstream, Plus, Rounds

### Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup> ~ Morning and Afternoon (casual attire)

9:00 - 10:00 AM Introduction to Round Dancing – Small Hall (free, open to public)  
9:00 - 10:00 AM Introduction to Square Dancing– Large Hall (free, open to public)  
10:00 - 12:00 PM Round dance workshop - Small Hall  
10:00 - 12:00 PM Mainstream workshop - Large Hall  
12:00 - 1:30 PM DANCE HALL CLOSED FOR LUNCH | *State Business Meeting*  
1:30 - 3:30 PM High Energy Mainstream & Plus Workshop - Large Hall  
3:30 - 4:30 PM Mainstream Singing Calls - Large Hall  
4:30 - 5:30 PM Advanced dance - Large Hall

### Saturday, May 17<sup>th</sup> ~ Evening “GET YOUR SPARKLE ON”!!

7:00 - 7:40 PM Pre-Rounds  
7:40 - 8:00 PM Grand March  
8:00 - 10:30 PM Squares with Rounds between tips – Large Hall  
10:30 – Midnight After-Party with ice cream and country western dancing

### Sunday, May 18<sup>th</sup>

10:00 - 12:00 PM Trail-Out Dance – Large Hall

## Bank Account for Festival

Karen and Lynn have opened a checking account for NMSRDA Central District Festival. They deposited \$300. This is separate from the NMSRDA bank account at US Bank.

A motion was made by Karen to remove all signers on the account for NMSRDA at the US Bank except for Karen Zakovec and Joey Solis. Lynn Tillery and Lisa Miller will be added to the NMSRDA account. Bob Nolen seconded the motion. The motion passed with all in favor.

We plan to transfer \$3000 from the NMSRDA account to the NMSRDA Central District Festival account. After the festival, \$3600 will be transferred from the NMSRDA Central District Festival account back to the NMSRDA account.

## Mid-Year Meeting

The mid-year meeting will be January 18<sup>th</sup>, 2025 at 1PM. A Central District dance will be held at ASDC from 3-5:30 PM. The Nolens may need to call into the meeting.

## Outfits

Lynn found some black fabric with silver patterns at Jo Ann’s in the Heights. She will see if they have enough for 6 skirts that require 4.5 yards each. She’ll let us know next week if they are able to get enough fabric. We plan to have a gathering at the Gilbreath’s house to make the skirts. They will have 8 panels, a single black ruffle, and silver bric-a-brac. We’ll wear them with a black or silver petticoat. Sally would like her skirt to be about 23 to 25 inches.

Karen purchased several blue stretchy shirts for \$9 for the ladies. We will wear them on Saturday afternoon dances to publicize the dance. She’ll bring them to ASDC on June 18<sup>th</sup>.

## Badges

Jerry and Karen have a few State badges. Lynn is working with A1 Trophies to make new badges. If they are too expensive, we'll get an estimate from the company that is making badges for Duke City Square Dance Club. We need badges for Life Time Members and Hall of Fame Members.

#### **NMSRDA Historical Documents**

Lorrain Pratt did not have old minutes, except a few electronic ones, to pass on to Lisa. Karen will contact Shirley Swetnam to see if she knows where the historical documents are

#### **Advertising**

The Board plans to travel within the state and surrounding states to advertise the 2025 State Festival. We will make plans during the next meeting to travel in the fall when it's cooler.

#### **Next Meeting**

The next meeting will be August 11<sup>th</sup>, 3PM. Karen will set up a Zoom meeting

The meeting adjourned at 11:50AM.

Submitted by: *Lisa Miller*, NMSRDA Secretary, Date: 6/8/2024