



Rollin' Wheels



Maple Grove Grange

3130 Youngfield Wheat Ridge, CO 80033

Website: www.rollinwheels.org

Plus 7:00 PM, Rounds 7:30 PM, SSD 8:00 PM ~ 9:30 PM

DATE	ACTIVITY	HOSTS/GREETERS	CALLER & CUER
DEC 13 2025	 WHITE CHRISTMAS	Kitchen: Open: Marith Close: Karen M.	Caller: Bear Miller Cuer: Mitchell Thompson
DEC 27 2025	NO DANCE 	Hope you stay warm and cozy with family and friends. Merry Christmas – Happy New Year – 2026!	Caller: Cuer: DARK FOR THE HOLIDAY 



**Message
from the
PRESIDENT**

By Duffy Boyle

Hey, Wheelers.

Important reminder: we have only one dance left this year, on December 13th, with Bear & Mitchell. For this dance only, we'll be dancing at the **Wheat Ridge Grange**, 3850 High Ct, Wheat Ridge. The theme (in keeping with our "musicals" theming this year): White Christmas.

Before that dance we'll have our annual Christmas party! This will be a potluck, so bring a dish to share. We'll have some revelry downstairs at the Wheat Ridge Grange, then head upstairs to dance. Doors open at 4:00, and dance (as usual) start with Plus at 7, Rounds at 7:30, and SSD from 8.

It's been a really dry late 2025... we're pursuing the record for latest first snow around here (though perhaps that's changed since going to press with the newsletter). While we need the moisture, the silver lining is that weather hasn't inconvenienced anybody coming to our dances. Looking forward to seeing you at our December party and dance!

Duffy

SUNSHINE AND SHADOWS



Wishing everyone a safe, healthy, and happy holiday.

Sally Hodge had a mini-stroke but is now back home recovering. We hope she feels better soon!

COUNCIL NEWS

by Mary Ann Forman 303-885-0549 or maswenson2@aol.com

The minutes from the council meeting in November have been forwarded to you. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me. It's not too late to start thinking and planning for the Rollin' Wheels' turn to provide refreshments for the council meeting in 2026. The month is March; I wonder what kind of green items we may come up with? It is only once a year, and a good time to attend the meeting and learn what goes on there, as well as get to see friends we don't always see at dances, especially if their club dances the same night we do.

Mary Ann F.



Maple Grove Grange

NEWS

Submitted by Mary Ann Forman

We are SO appreciative of all of you who have so generously donated to the Food Drive at the Grange! After much discussion, it has been decided to deliver the food to F.I.S.H. in Broomfield. This is an organization which is a food pantry in Broomfield which serves many, many people in the area. You may be familiar with the name, as the Scootbacks have held dances to benefit this worthy organization. MANY THANKS to Duffy and Nancy for their time, and expertise in helping with decorating the Grange for the Holidays! Just when we thought the lock on the front door of the Grange was fixed, then it locked up and didn't work. At this time, it seems to be working ok, with a little wiggling. If any of you are locksmiths and would like to volunteer to work on it please let me know.

Our current President of the Grange, Marlys, is needing to retire from this position. She has had recent health issues, including eye issues, and will be stepping down soon. She is working on a list of the responsibilities and will be around to assist in transition, and may even keep one or two of the duties, just not all of them. Nancy R. has suggested that we see if this is a position we can fill by more than 1 person, and have it be a one or 2 year commitment, not a 10 to 20 year position as it seems to have been in the past. Please let me know if this is something you may wish to help out with.

Mary Ann F.

ROLLIN' WHEELS SQUARE DANCE CLASS

By Mary Ann

It's almost here! Our current class will be graduating on Monday, December 8, and we would love to have all of you who are available to come to the graduation ceremony to welcome them into the world of Square Dancing!

This has been a fun time for those of us to get to see the lights go on after working on a new dance move, and the many smiles on their faces. We won't know who will make the decision to join the club until that night, or maybe even after class is over, but we want to be sure they know they are welcome to join the "funnest club" in the area, and you can help in that area, by being there with your smiles and open arms.

The next class will start on Feb. 23, 2026, and it isn't too early to start encouraging friends, family, hair dressers, co-workers, etc, etc, to try it out. If you have a place where we can do a demo and get folks to try it out, please let the officers &/or Bear know so we can put together a group to go there.

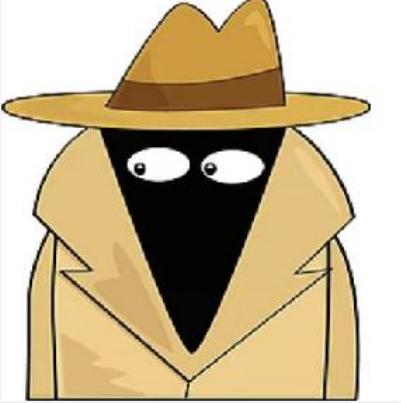
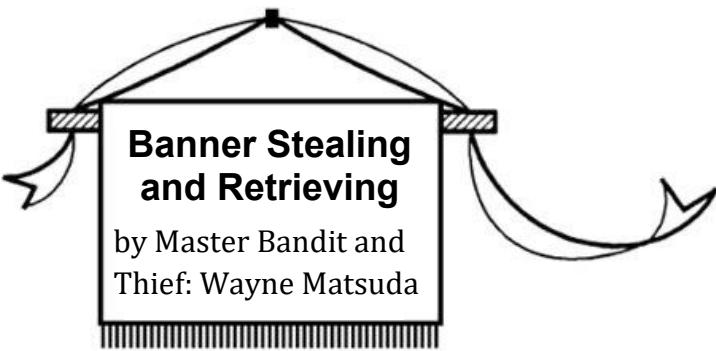
Mary Ann F



CONGRATULATIONS, NEW GRADUATES!

GRADUATION DAY

DECEMBER 8, 2025



Rollin', Rollin' Rollin' Keep
them Rollin'
Wheels 🚨 🚨 🚨 Turning.....
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Hi Wheelers! It's The
Master Bandit & Thief
!! 🎭 😎 🎩 The Month of
November is already
over! Hope everyone had
a fantastic Thanksgiving
Holiday spending time
with friends and family
and having a lot of turkey!

Talking at ya from that Cold,
Snowy, Peaceful, Bandit
Hideout, Saloon, & Sheriff's
Office on the High Plains of
Eastern Colorado in that Rip
Roaring Cowboy Town of
Elizabeth. 🌟 ❤️ 🎩 ☺️ 🎉 🎩 🎪

Well ROLLIN" WHEELS Band
of
Bandits 🚨 🚨 🚨 🎩 🎩 🎩

In the month of November,
many Wheelers were out on
trips or attending family get-
togethers or attending an
eventful Thanksgiving
Holiday Meal. During
the busy month, Wheeler
Thieves were successful
with ONE steal attempt at
Mountaineers 🏔 🏔 on Nov
29 and ONE Retrieval at the
Mountaineers 🏔 🏔 on Nov
15 We had 2 Successful
Dances, our Great South
Pacific Dance on Nov 8
(6 Squares) where the

Mountaineers  **Stole our Banner and our Fantastic Cats**
the Musical Dance on Nov 22 (8 Squares) where the Square
Halos  **Swiped our Banner. Many thanks and yellow**
rocks to all the Wheelers that were able to attend them
dances.

So far this season, our Wheeler Bandits have retrieved 2 times
(at Scootbacks  **and at Mountaineers**  **) and have**
been successful at stealing in 3 out of 5 attempts (at Sunflower
Squares  **, at Mountaineers**  **2 times but Lost the**
steal at Mountaineers once and at Square Halos once) . So
Currently, We have in our STEAL Strongbox, the
Council  **Banner (Since Mar 2) and the Kilowatt**
8's  **Cardboard Banner (Since Aug 29) and We need to**
Retrieve our Banner at Square Halos  **We have a lot**
of newer members and newer dancers in our club. Many have
attended the dances and have helped steal or retrieve. A New
graduating class will be in December on the 15th, with
hopefully additional new members. Many thanks and yellow
rocks to all them new and current dancers
attending! 

In the month of November , we had 2 steal or retrieval events
which resulted in 3 stealing and retrieving passes earned
that will be given out in early Dec. Those that earned that
pass were Chris York, Marith Reheis and Normalee
Lee! With one more steal attempt, maybe in the month of
December there are 11 Members that could earn that
pass.. Fred Elliott, Lou Ann Elliott, Mary Ann
Forman, Kathy Galegoes, Sally Hodge, Tamara Stubbs,

Adrian Swenson, Tom Sterns, Marianne Sterns, Karen Main and Sandy Herrin. Thanks to all the Wheelers and Sign Ins for attending them dances in November and helping out for the steal and retrieval efforts! 😊 😰 💥 💥 💬 💕

Well in December, Let's get on that Christmas and New Years dancing attire Bollos and Bandanas, Kick up them Heels and Boots and Let's Keep on Trying to "GET THEM BANNERS" 🎈 😰 😊 💃💃🐴🐴 **Wheelers ! Let's Have A Rip Roaring Fun Time at the many dances and Let's help out all those new dancer members (there are a lot of them)!! Plus the many new dancers from other clubs! In December, Our current class will graduate new dancers, I believe, on Monday December 15. So let's attend that graduation and welcome in some more new members! Let's get out and have fun dancin' and attending them dances.** 🎈💃💃🐴🐴 💬 💬

Rollin', Rollin' Rollin' Keep them Rollin' Wheels 🎈 🎈 🎈 **Turning.....** 💬 🎸 🎸 🎵 🎵 🎵 🎵

From the Master Bandit and Thief 😊 😊 **Let's Go Wheelers!!!** 😊 🎈

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7 Nights: February 8 - 15, 2026

Rates starting at \$784 per person

Taxes and port fees are extra at \$152 per person

ITINERARY

Day 1 - Departs Galveston 4:00 pm
Day 2 - Cruising at sea
Day 3 - Cruising at sea
Day 4 - Roatan
Day 5 - Costa Maya
Day 6 - Cozumel
Day 7 - Cruising at sea
Day 8 - Arrives Galveston 7:00 am



DEPOSIT IS \$250 PER PERSON

Final payment due November 1, 2026

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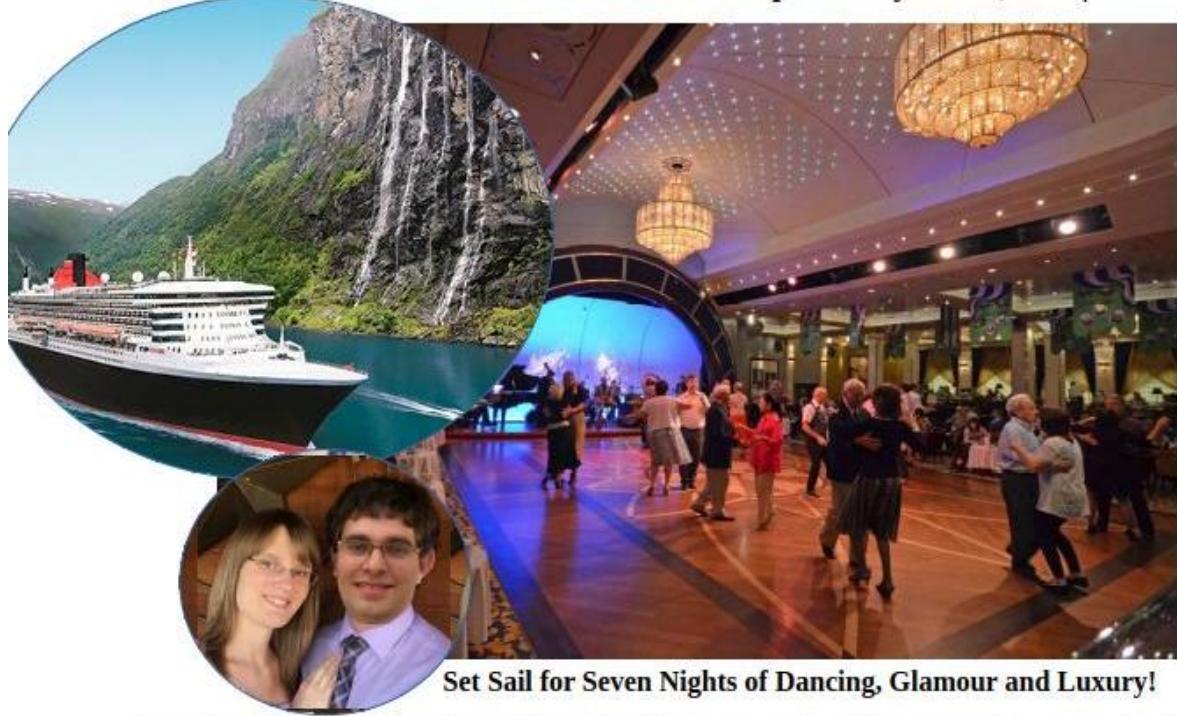
Jerry Nokes December 11

Linda Matsuda December 18

Joe Carmichael December 31



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- The price for double occupancy per person is from ~\$1500 (inclusive of cabin, dining, cuer and dance floor). An upgraded cabin would cost more. We are taking a list of interested singles.
 - Non-stop round trip airfares from Denver to London are currently advertised for \$660
 - Please contact Nancy Reindl at nereindl1@gmail.com /303-908-8920, Duffy Boyle at duffyboyle@gmail.com /303-882-9361 or contact our cruise vacation planner, Tina, directly at twantig@cunard.com/1-800-728-6273 if you would like to join the fun!

Sunday Afternoon

Practice Dances

- ❑ Finished lessons and looking for more practice?
- ❑ Returning after a long absence and needing to brush up?
- ❑ Struggling with specific calls?
- ❑ Wanting to learn the opposite position?
- ❑ Looking for an extra night of casual dance?
- ❑ Interested in supporting a new caller?



If so, these practice dances are for you!

Improve your dancing and increase your confidence while having fun in a supportive environment: patient, non-judgmental, and personalized to fit your needs.

3rd SUNDAYS

2 - 4pm

OCTOBER 2025 - MAY 2026

Rose Hill Grange 4001 E 68th Ave, Commerce City

\$5 per dancer per lesson. Contact Molly B. Blaney,
720-579-5454 mollybainesblaney@gmail.com

STEALING AND RETREIVING NOVEMBER 2025



**Retrieving Wheelers
At Mountaineers
November 15, 2025
“Recognizing Our Veterans” Dance**

South Pacific Dance





Honoring Our Veterans



CATS DANCE



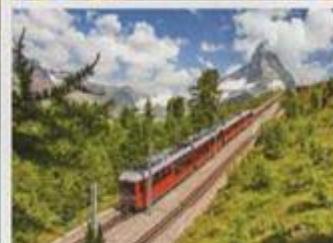




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ROCKY MOUNTAIN DANCE WEEKEND

JAN. 9-10, 2026

Benefit Dance, Friday, Jan. 9, 2026

Pre-rounds at 7 p.m. with John Herr

Squares 7:30-10 p.m. with Justin Russel from Tennessee
(1 round between tips)

Location: Embassy Suites Hotel & Conference Center,
Loveland, Colorado, Pinyon Pine Ballroom

Pre-Convention Dance, Saturday, Jan. 10, 2026

Pre-rounds at 7 p.m. with Mitchel Thompson

Squares 7:30-10 p.m. with Mountain Magic (1 round between tips)

Location: Embassy Suites Hotel & Conference Center,
Loveland, Colorado, Pinyon Pine Ballroom

Optional Buffet Dinner, Saturday, Embassy Suites in Loveland, 5-6:30 p.m.

\$25 per person, Menu: pork loin roast, tossed salad, vegetables, rolls, beverage & dessert
Reservations required, Contact Bob Peterson, rpeterson.summit@gmail.com

Visit our website at <https://76nsdc.com> to register for the
76th NSDC to be held in Loveland, CO, June 23-26, 2027

You can also register during the Benefit & Pre-Convention Dances
at the reduced rate, Prices increase on Jan. 11, 2026

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**76th National Square Dance Convention
PRE-CONVENTION REGISTRATION***



**Loveland, Colorado
January 8, 9, and 10, 2026**

Register Online at <https://76nsdc.com/>

***Deadline for registrations is December 20, 2025**

Primary Last Name: _____ First Name (1): _____

Partner's Last Name (if different): _____ First Name (2): _____

If you are part of a Future NSDC Committee, please provide the following information: NSDC# _____

Your Committee: _____ Your Position: _____

**Note: If you need hearing assistance for any part of the Pre-Convention, please bring your own.
Hearing assistance devices will not be provided at the Pre-Convention.**

HOUSING

All housing will be made at the Embassy Suites Hotel where Pre-Convention activities will occur. If you have any questions, please visit the 76th NSDC website: <https://76nsdc.com/>, or contact Bob Peterson @ 214.604.7310. The hotel has free breakfast and free self-parking for registered guests and must be booked by December 20, 2025. If you choose to make your reservation by phone, be sure to state you are with the 76th NSDC to get the rate listed below.

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\$159 + taxes & fees per Night Wednesday-Saturday

Includes free parking, free breakfast, and manager's evening reception

Check-in Time: 4:00 p.m. MST Check-out Time: 12:00 p.m. MST

Make Hotel Reservations at: [NATIONAL SQUARE DANCE PRE-CONVENTION](https://76nsdc.com/)

Airport Shuttle: Groome Transportation: groometransportation.com, 928.350.8466

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Culinary Selections

Note: All meals will be served in the Embassy Suites facility.

FRIDAY

1. Lunch

Soup du Jour + Salad + Sandwich Bar and Beverage

\$25.00 per person x ____ = \$ ____

2. Counterpart Dinner

Baked Chicken Parmesan, Tossed Salad w/Dressing, Garlic Toast, Beverage, and Dessert

\$35.00 per person x ____ = \$ ____

SATURDAY

3. Counterpart Working Lunch

Southwest Taco Bar: Seasoned Ground Beef, Soft or Hard Shell, Fixins', and Beverage

\$25.00 per person x ____ = \$ ____

4. Final Dinner (before dance)

Savory Pork Loin, Tossed Salad w/Dressing, Dinner Roll, Beverage, and Dessert

\$35.00 per person x ____ = \$ ____

Please note any special dietary needs: _____

Total Due for Meals Above = \$ _____

Check Enclosed Check # ____ Make check payable to 76NSDC.

Credit Card: Type _____ Card# _____

Expiration Date: _____ Security Code: _____ Name on Card: _____

Authorized Card Signature: _____

Breakout Sessions:

Indicate who will attend each session by entering 1 or 2 or B (both)

____ Auxiliary Services/Security	____ Legal
____ Bid Session	____ Org. Round Table/Archives>Showcase
____ Ceremonies	____ Program Book
____ Clinics & Exhibitions	____ Publicity & Media Recognition
____ Computer Coordinator/Website	____ Registration
____ Contra/Lines/Clogging	____ Round Dance
____ Education Sessions & LCP	____ RV/Camping
____ E-Squares Magazine	____ Secretary
____ Facilities/Sound	____ Sew & Save
____ Fashion Show	____ Squares/Solo/Youth
____ Finance/Purchasing/Auditing	____ Transportation
____ Hospitality/Special Events	____ Vendors
____ Housing	____ Ways & Means

IF REGISTERING BY MAIL: 76 NSDC

358 Blue River Pkwy. Unit E-307

Silverthorne, CO 80498



Registration # _____
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Pre – Registration
76th National Square Dance Convention®
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This form expires on January 11, 2026

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY

Primary Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Email Address: _____

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Email Address (if different): _____

Youth Names & DOB: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Country: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ Alt Number: (_____) _____

Check if you want to opt out of email sharing. Email addresses shared only with the NEC for upcoming National Square Dance Convention® information.

Pre-Registration Prices (US currency only) \$70 each x _____ until 1/11/2026 = \$_____

Youth born after June 27, 2010 \$30.00 each x _____ = \$_____

Sub Total: \$_____

Credit Card Processing Fee \$3.00 \$_____

Total Due: \$_____

Cash Received \$_____ Check # _____ (**Payable to 76NSDC Inc**)

Credit Card Type: _____ Credit Card #: _____

Expiration Date: _____ / _____ Security Code: _____ Name of Cardholder: _____

Statement Mailing Address (if different): _____

Authorized Card Signature: _____

If Registering by Mail: 76 NSDC
358 Blue River Pkwy Unit E-307, Silverthorne, CO 80498
Or Email to: registration@76nsdc.com

PLEASE HELP US PLAN!

Please CIRCLE all that apply.

Dancers: SSD Only, Mainstream, Plus, Advanced, Challenge, Contra, Lines, Rounds , Handicapable, SOLO
Leaders: Squares, Contra, Lines, Rounds, Education Presenter topic: _____

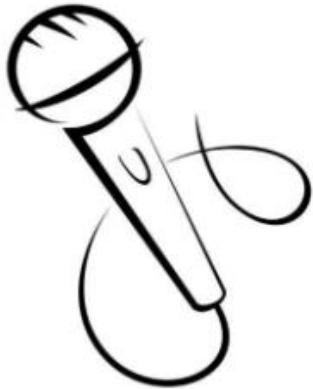
\$10.00 cancellation fee per registration. No refunds after April 30, 2027. **This form and registration rate is void after Jan 11, 2026.** Registration Long Forms will be mailed in November 2025 for selection of hotel or RV park and additional items. Early registration gives you free admittance to the Pre-Convention Kick Off Dance on Jan 11, 2026.

DANCE IN THE HEART OF THE ROCKIES

(Internal Use Only) Accepted by: _____ Date: _____ Registration Location: _____

Receipt Sent: _____ Date Sent: _____

May 2024



CALLER PRACTICE SESSIONS

Come out and have fun dancing
as local callers practice.

Dancer input is highly valued!

No cost, casual dress, bring your own water bottle.

Sundays, 2 - 4:30pm

2026

2025	January 11 + 25
September 14 + 28	February 8 + 22
October 12 + 26	March 8 + 22
November 9 + 23	April 12 + 26
December 14	

*Rose Hill Grange
4001 E. 68th Ave.
Commerce City, CO*

For more info:

Molly Blaney t.720-579-5454, mollybainesblaney@gmail.com

www.SquareDanceEtc.com/calendar

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REGISTRATION FORM (please print)

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FIRST NAME _____ YOUTH

MAILING ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

PHONE _____ COUNCIL _____

EMAIL _____

Are you a: CALLER CUER SOLO

Your highest dance level is: Squares _____ Rounds _____

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION # _____ @ \$60 = _____
(June 12, 2025 through August 2025)

PRE-REGISTRATION # _____ @ \$65 = _____

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YOUTH (Under 18) # _____ @ \$30 = _____

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Thursday Friday Saturday

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MEAL PACKAGE: Fri. dinner, Sat. breakfast, lunch & dinner

_____ @ \$60 = _____

State Festival Badge # _____ @ \$10= _____

State Festival Dangle # _____ @ \$ 2= _____

GRAND TOTAL \$ _____

Checks payable to: Colorado State Square Dance Festival

Mail to: Beth Scott, Registrar, CO State Square Dance Festival
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Expiration date: _____ CVV# _____

Signature: _____
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Let's get signed up!



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Vice-Presidents:

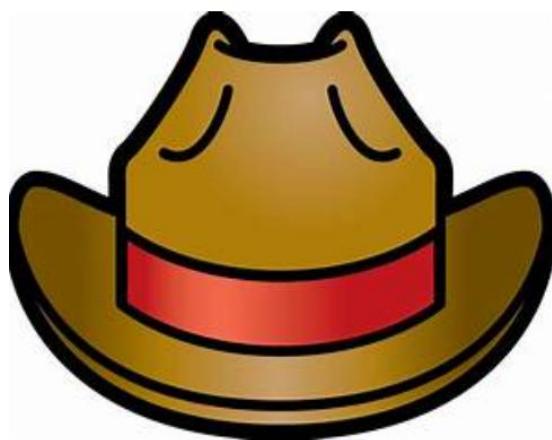
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Our Rollin' Wheel Big Hat Team!
Please feel free to reach out to the above
Rollin' Wheelers for questions, suggestions,
any problems or concerns



WISHING EVERYONE A SAFE AND MERRY
CHRISTMAS AND HAPPY NEW YEAR – 2026!!

HAPPY DANCING!