

# Cowtown Singles Square Dance Club

## For Singles and Couples

# June 2020



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# President

**Betty Lawyer**

How long have we been doing this? How much longer will we be doing this is what everyone is trying to figure out.

What we don't realize is this is our life that is passing by us so we have to make it a wonderful memory. This is something we will always remember so why not make it full of good memories. Every day try to do something that makes you feel special. Hopefully doing this will also make someone else feel special.

I have been going through all my pictures and in doing this it is like going through many many years of my life. How wonderful it has been to remember all these people and places who were so important to me at different times of my life. Even those many have passed on to a better place. Many of them were square dancers, people I worked with, friends from church and just friends I made over the years. Lots of the pictures were of my family, my children and children I had helped raise when they had lost their parents for various reasons. I started sending some of my friends and family pictures that meant a lot to me. I can't tell you how my heart felt when I got text messages from them telling me how much it made their days. I contacted one of my Grandsons that I had not had much contact with for several years and sent him several pictures of him as a baby with his Mom who had passed away. Oh my gosh was I surprised when I got the most wonderful message about how much I meant to him and how I had made him the man he is today. So even if it is hard to go through all the pictures and hurt it is so wonderful to make new connection at this hard time of my life. I just wanted to share with you that this can be a wonderful time of our lives to connect with old friends if we choose to.

Hope I didn't get too heavy because this is supposed to make you all feel better. Along with the pictures we have been working on a 2000 piece puzzle and doing lots of yard work. We now have a place out in front of our house where we can have friends come and visit. We have chairs set apart and use our face coverings to keep use safe. Come and see use sometime. We will be looking forward to dancing when it is safe.

Lots of Hugs

*Betty and Dan*



Betty and Dan At Riverwalk



Hello all,

I pray everyone is still doing their part in keeping themselves and loved one safe and entertained as we continue to shelter in place. Sounds like we're coming out of this soon. At least some restrictions are being lifted at this time.

It will be nice to hear from you all on how you kept yourselves busy when we get to meet again. I'm looking forward to that.

I sent a card out to Phil Vinokur this month he was not feeling well so I let him know we hope he is back to his usual self soon. I'm happy to say he is the only one I had to reach out to.

Just a note to our service members and families who lost someone serving our country, so sorry for your loss and thank you so very much for your service. May God continue to bless you all.

Thank you,

*Carolyn Griswold*  
[gris3woody@aol.com](mailto:gris3woody@aol.com)



Susan and I greatly miss everyone and dancing. We look forward to the day, soon, when we will all return to our regular activities.

In the meantime, we are kept quite busy with our animals. We have a foal due in a week or two and a second about a month after. The first foal and its mother are already sold!

No big surprise, there have not been any changes to our club's membership roster.

Looking forward to seeing you all in a square soon,

*Gene*



Hello club!

May was a basically pretty good month for us. We stayed home had a few socially distanced times with a few folks in driveways or porches. It was so good to see people. Check out the picture of our beautiful granddaughters at our birthday party. We were very cautious and even enjoyed the slower pace of life.

However, the pandemic became very real to us last weekend. Phil became very ill and needed to go to the hospital. He had cellulitis, which is an infection in his leg which turned septic in a very few hours. It was not covid virus, thank God! But the virus still affected us because Janet had to just stay away and trust he was being cared for which was very stressful for her. Thankfully, they did a great job of diagnosing and his care was exactly what was needed. They sent him home after two days, very improved, to continue treatments with home nurses. This should work out well. We are grateful to be together and yet still under good care. Hopefully by the time you are reading this he is all better. My advice to you all from this is to wear insect repellent. It is their guess that a bug bite or tiny scratch started this! (We don't see evidence of either one)

We hope you are well. Keep up all you are doing to stay well. And use 911 and hospitals if you must. These are real heroes who handled us well. We send love,

*Janet and Phil*

*Janet and Phil's granddaughters out for a drive by celebration. This was one stop on the girl's Candyland themed birthday. They went to several houses of family and friends and dropped off treats and gathered presents. The girl declared it*





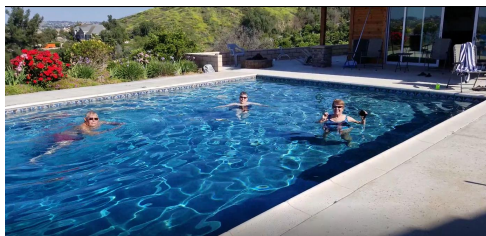
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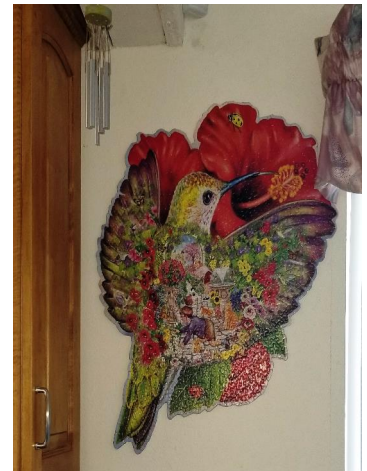
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The beginning of a flower garden



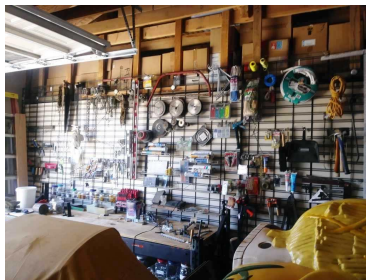
Social Distancing in the pool



Shawn's puzzle turned into a wall hanging



A ramp at the back door



A workshop transformation



Results of Teryl sorting Nuts, Bolts and Screws



Becky and her family at Riverwalk



Growing tomatoes

