

# SANTA BARBARA CONTRA DANCES

AT THE CARRILLO BALLROOM

100 E. CARRILLO, DOWNTOWN SANTA BARBARA

EVERY SUNDAY, USUALLY 6:30 TO 9:30 PM

INTRODUCTORY LESSON AT 6:00 PM

**SBCDS MEMBERS \$8/NON-MEMBERS \$10**

EXCEPT WHEN IT'S MORE. OR A LOT LESS. SEE REVERSE FOR MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION.

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805.682.5523

## MARCH 2011

DATE CALLER/BAND

- 6 DONNALYN KARPELES & SHENANIGANS \$8
- 13 SUSAN MICHAELS & CELTIC SPRING  
*SPECIAL DANCE \$12*
- 20 WARREN BLIER & AVANT GARDENERS WITH RICHARD SCHER \$8
- 27 JEAN GORRINDO & KUFFEL CREEK  
*FREE DANCE!*

## APRIL 2011

DATE CALLER/BAND

- 3 FRANNIE MARR & TRIPLE JUNCTION
- 10 JON SOUTHARD & GROWLING OLD GEEZERS
- 17 JOHN ROGERS & MICHAEL'S MIXED NUTS
- 23 SPRUNG FLOOR CONTRA DANCE FESTIVAL**  
*(See reverse for exciting details!)*
- 24 JOYCE MILLER & LIFT TICKET  
*ZESTY DANCE 6:30-10:00 \$15*

## MAY 2011

DATE CALLER/BAND

- 1 SUSAN PETRICK & FIDDLE RATS  
*SPECIAL DANCE \$10/\$12*
- 8 SUSAN PETRICK & SYNCOPATHS  
*SPECIAL DANCE \$13/\$15*
- 15 GARY SHAPIRO & CHOPPED LIVER
- 22 FRANNIE MARR & COIS FARRAIGE
- 29 DOUBLE DANCE**  
*(See reverse for exciting details!)*

## ENGLISH COUNTRY DANCING

www.sbcds.org/ecd/ 805.682.5523

### Ventura \$5

Listed Sundays, 2:00-4:30 PM  
House of Dance  
3007 Bunsen Ave. Ste E, Ventura  
Mar 6, 20 - Apr 3, 17 - May 1, 15

### Santa Barbara \$3

Every Wednesday, 7:30-9:30 PM  
Westside Community Center  
423 W. Victoria St., Santa Barbara

### FREE ECD In Memory of Patsy Bolt

Saturday, April 16 2:00-6:00 PM  
First Presbyterian Church, SB  
(corner of State & Constance)  
Calling by Sharon Green; Music by The Glory of the West.  
*Sponsored by Fred Perner*

## SLO CONTRA DANCES

ODD FELLOWS' HALL, 520 DANA ST.

7:30-10:30 PM

(INTRO AT 7:00 PM)

\$8 MEMBERS/\$9 NON-MEMBERS

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### DATE CALLER/BAND

- MAR JEAN GORRINDO & MICHAEL GUTIN BAND
- 12
- APR LYNN ACKERSON & THE GROWLING OLD GEEZERS
- 9
- APR JEAN GORRINDO & KUFFEL CREEK  
*ZESTY DANCE 7:30-11:00 \$10*
- 30
- MAY WARREN BLIER & THE CRABAPPLES
- 14

## OJAI CONTRA DANCE

113 S. MONTGOMERY STREET

7:30 PM

(LESSONS AT 7:00 PM)

\$8 ART CENTER MEMBERS/  
\$9 NON-MEMBERS/\$5 TEENS

SATURDAY, MAY 14  
BAND & CALLER TBA

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805-933-0660

## Scandinavian Dancing

First Sunday of each month - \$6

Instruction 4:30- 5:00 PM  
Social Dancing 5:00 - 6:00 PM

Gustafson Dance Studio  
2285 Las Positas Road  
(behind Mobil Station)

<http://tinyurl.com/SB-Scandia>

# santa barbara country dance society

# dance star

## Door Prices & SBCDS Membership

Rent at the Carrillo Ballroom has gone up significantly over the past year and it's about to go up again in June. Most of our regular dances now actually *lose* hundreds of dollars. We've been offering more special dances with out-of-the-area talent and doing more outreach to boost attendance, but to minimize losses we still need to raise door prices as of April 2011.

**But fear not—you can lock-in current prices by becoming a member of SBCDS!** We are instituting a membership in April, which will allow Member's discounts as well as help to create a greater sense of community for our dance family. Membership will be \$24 per calendar year, and will be pro-rated, so in April, membership for the rest of 2011 will be only \$18. Look for Membership forms at a dance or on our website: [www.sbcds.org](http://www.sbcds.org).

Effective April 3, the regular dance price will be \$10 while zesty and special dances may cost up to \$15, but Members will receive a \$2 discount. If you attend at least one dance a month, you'll save money by becoming a Member! Students to age 24 with ID are admitted for half that night's non-member price (\$5 for a regular dance). There will be no member discount at special events such as the Sprung Floor Contra Dance Festival, the Memorial Day Double Dance, & the Harvest Moon Dance Festival.

Your inability to pay should not prevent you from dancing, so please contact us if you find yourself in this situation and it will be evaluated on a case-by-case basis. Likewise, anyone who can afford more is encouraged to contribute—please inquire about SBCDS Lifetime Membership opportunities!

# Sprung Floor

## Contra Dance Festival

### Saturday, April 23, Noon to Midnight

Featuring:

## Lift Ticket & Joyce Miller Celtic Spring & Susan Michaels The Crabapples & Warren Blier

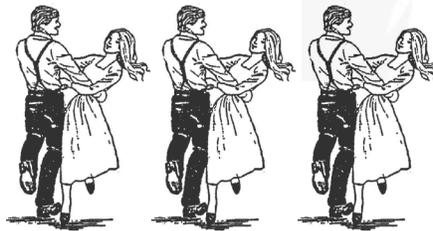
Three great bands, three great callers, one low price: **\$35**

### Carrillo Ballroom

**Food:** Please bring an easy-to-eat dish that can stand sitting out for several hours for the all-day finger-food potluck. No meal breaks are scheduled, but if you want a real meal there are a number of good restaurants near the hall. Coffee/tea & water will be provided throughout the day.

**Proceeds:** All proceeds from this special event will go toward the purchase of a piano for the hall!

**For more information visit [www.sbcds.org](http://www.sbcds.org) or call 805.682.8248**



## Memorial Day Double Dance

Carrillo Ballroom - Sunday, May 29, 2011 - \$20

2:00 - 5:00 CONTRA DANCE -- Jean Gorrindo & the Rosin Doctors

5:00 - 6:00 POTLUCK -- Please bring a dish to share & your own washable tableware.

6:30 - 10:00 CONTRA DANCE -- Susan Michaels & Bonfire

Proceeds from this special dance will go toward the purchase of a piano for the hall!

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and letters to the Dance Star should be  
sent to: [dancestar@sbcds.org](mailto:dancestar@sbcds.org) or mailed to  
the address above.

All schedule information is subject to change.