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*Miami Valley Folk Dancers*

**The News**



**CALENDAR**

**MVFD Events**

Oct 30 **Halloween Party** - Plan those costumes now!  
 Nov 6 **Workshop Preview with Wim Bekooy**  
 Nov 8, 9 **MVFD 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Workshop – International with Wim Bekooy**  
 Dec 14 **International Sunday**  
 Dec 18 **Christmas Party**

**Other Events**

Oct 18 **Slavic Dance Workshop** w/ Zeljko Jergan, Eintracht Club (Yugoslav Club)  
 Oct 18 **Croatian Kolo Party**, Eintracht Club (Yugoslav Club)  
 Oct 31 **Dayton Community Dance**, UD (Cityfolk)  
 Nov 14 **Dayton Community Dance**, UD (Cityfolk)

**☛ From the Chair – John Puterbaugh**

We have some very exciting events coming up and you need to be a part of them. On Thurs, Oct. 30 our Halloween Party will be held giving you the opportunity to dress up in costume and join in on the fun. On Thurs, Nov. 6 a sneak workshop preview with Wim Bekooy joining us for our regular dance. Then on Nov 8 & 9 our 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Workshop featuring Wim Bekooy and International dancing. Even if you can't come to the entire workshop, be sure to come to some part of it to help us celebrate our anniversary. Also a Folk Bazaar will be held during the workshop. Sound like a lot of fun and plenty of great dancing, so come and be with us on these special occasions.

*MVFD on the World Wide Web:*

<http://www.geocities.com/Heartland/3382/mvfd.html>

## ☛ 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Workshop, Nov 8 & 9

Activities for our 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Workshop are in high gear. Wim Bekooy of the Netherlands will be teaching dances from the Balkans, Western and Central Europe, and Asia. There is something for everyone at this workshop. Wim is 6'9" of unbridled energy so this is sure to be one of the best workshops ever. Nancy Hyll is in charge of the workshop. Please let her know how you can help.

Of course the club appreciates your support of the workshop by buying the weekend package (\$34 for members), but if you can't come to everything, please consider some subset of sessions (Sat afternoon & dinner; Dinner and evening party; etc.). We want everyone to be a part of MVFD's 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!

## ☛ Halloween Party, Oct 30

The ghouls are sure to be present for this party. Louise Van Vliet is in charge of the dancing. You should come in your scariest costume. There will be a prize for best costume. There should also be a frightening display of pumpkin carving



## ☛ P. C. Ramblings

I can't believe it! What I thought would be my first and last article was in reality my first of many. So on with the show.

We'll start with Ethnic Sunday. What more can be said about the September Sunday. It was a superb event. We had four dances taught which we have all been enjoying these last several weeks at the 9:00 pm teaching. I especially want to thank Ann Ballinger, Benita Volk, Carolyn Stovall and Ed Anderson for teaching and everyone who attended for participating and putting a lot of effort into the food. Everyone cooperated with bringing in an 'S' food. Way to go. It was great fun.

The October Ethnic Sunday accented Scandinavia. I am writing this the week before the event so I can't tell you how it went. Wait a minute, yes I can. It was fantastic of course. The dancing, the music and, ah yes, the food. Supplying recipes before the event is working out very well. We are getting a nice variety of great tasting food. Hope I saw you there.

The Program Committee is meeting the end of October to lay out support for the November workshop. We will be getting

volunteers to play music before and after the teaching sessions and during breaks. Just as with the normal Thursday program we will be asking for your requests.

Now for a F.R.F.M.C. (fer-fumk, short for Friendly Reminder From Mike Clark). Don't forget to file a copy of your program in the front of the 'Red' binder. These old copies are very useful when trying to come up with a program. I personally use them a lot along with the sheets in the book from the Ethnic Sunday and 9:00 teachings. The Program Committee members have been reminded to check this out during their month as it is their responsibility to see that this is done.

OOPS there are those scissors again, so until nex✂

Yours truly, Ramblin Mike

## ☛ Vice Van Vliet's Corner

Let's welcome new members! **Marnie Squire** is a piano technician/tuner and a nationally certified piano teacher. She is a member of the Middletown Music Club and a number of professional organizations. She is a hiker, camper and avid bicyclist, riding about 2000 miles a year. Marnie lives in Middletown and

has 3 children and 4 grandchildren.

**Jim Rohal** is a self-employed graphic designer, his latest challenge is designing for the internet. He enjoys classical music, camping and bicycling and is active in the Dayton Cycling Club. He and Marnie frequently ride on their "bicycle built for two". He lives in Centerville and has 3 sons.

## ☛ Folk Bazaar at Workshop

As part of the workshop this year we will sponsor a Folk Bazaar. Louise Van Vliet will be happy to accept your clean, used, "folk" or "ethnic" items to be sold to benefit the club's treasury. Louise will accept items any Thursday (except 10/23). Please put a tag on each item with a price you think is reasonable. Remember that the bazaar is Saturday only, so items should be priced to sell quickly. We reserve the right to mark down prices to get rid of items. And you get back anything that doesn't sell, so price it accordingly!

## ☛ Quote - Agnes De Mille

"To dance is to be out of yourself. Larger, more beautiful, more powerful. This is power, it is glory on earth and it is yours for the taking."

