

# M.V.D.C. Honor Couple/Person(s) Nomination

Nominating Club Miami Valley Folk Dancers

Name Address & Phone No. Of Couple/Person(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Ed Anderson

725 Larkwood Ave

Dayton, OH 45429

Number Of Years Dancing ≈ 24

Club Elected Positions And Years Held (Pres., VP, Sec., etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Council - Member-at-Large and Representative to the

Miami Valley Dance Council 1996, 1997, 2001, 2002

Club Appointed Positions And Years Held (Kitchen Chairperson, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Program Committee - 1984, 1987, 1994, 1999

Tape Committee - 1995 - 1997

MVDC Pavilion Support Committee Representative - 2020, 2001, 2002

Service At Club Level (Kitchen, Greeters, Clean-up, Decorate, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Serviced equipment, updated dance listings, reviewed dances

Number Of Raids And Retrievals \_\_\_\_\_

Special Activities (Demos, Weekend & Week Long Workshops, Special Dances, Parades, Parades, World A' Fair, State Fair, Festivals, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Participated in numerous demos - schools, nursing homes, festivals, World A' Fair

M.V.D.C. Positions And Years Held (Pres., VP, Treasurer, Trustee, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

State & National Positions and Years Held (State Corp, State & National Convention Positions, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

State & National Conventions Attended 2001 State Convention - led a session on folk dancing

Attach a Write Up (Include all information about applicant that might be of importance to the Selection Committee)

**MUST BE TURNED IN TO THE COUNCIL SECRETARY AT THE NOVEMBER COUNCIL MEETING!**

## **MVFD Honor Dancer Nomination for 2003**

### **Ed Anderson**

The Miami Valley Folk Dancers are pleased to nominate Ed Anderson as the Honor Dancer for the year 2003. Ed Anderson has been a dedicated and supportive member of the Miami Valley Folk Dancers since 1978. He has demonstrated leadership within the group through his service on various appointed and elected committees, including the Program Committee and the Council, and he is outstanding in his willingness to lend a hand when needed.

Ed Anderson was appointed to the Program Committee in 1984, and again in 1987, 1994 and 1999, twice serving as chair of this committee and once as co-chair. He has also been elected to multiple terms on the MVFD Council, assuming the position of Member-at-Large and serving as the Representative to the Miami Valley Dance Council. This is the position he currently holds.

For many years Ed Anderson served on the tape committee which was responsible for the music collection, and the gradual transition from records to tapes. During these years he also worked on maintaining and updating the MVFD dance listings. More recently he served on the Recording and Equipment Committee which researched and recommended the current CD system.

But Ed's contributions far exceed his committee work. He is always willing to lend a hand, to transport equipment to the picnic or the New Year's Eve party, or to provide a ride to Thursday evening folk dancing. He has participated in many demonstrations, and even organized a few, most recently at Monticello School in February, 2002. He has reviewed many dances on Thursday evenings and Ethnic Sundays, and in May 2001 led a session on folk dancing at the State Dance Convention. He has served on the Pavilion Support Committee and volunteered many times to help with work on the pavilion. He is always kind and encouraging to new dancers. Over the years he frequently stayed late on Thursday evenings to help close the pavilion and make certain that everyone left safely. He is definitely a valuable member of the group.

In recognition of his years of service, and in appreciation of his supportiveness, the Miami Valley Folk Dancers nominate Ed Anderson as the Honor Dancer for 2003.