

The RSCDS-SF Branch invites you to
SCOTTISH COUNTRY DANCE
MONTHLY PARTIES

**FIRST
SATURDAYS
7:30 PM**

\$10
RSCDS members
\$15 non-members
\$2 new dancers
(with coupon)
Spectators Free



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- Great live music
- popular dances
- social and fun

Spring Monthly Parties will be held on
April 3, May 1, and June 5. Save the dates!

Dance programs are available at class, in the R & S,
and at <http://www.rscds-sf.org/parties.html>

Winter 2010 Schedule

- January 9** (2nd Sat) Party hosted by: The Berkeley Classes
Musicians: Janet Kurnick-fiddle, Susan Worland-fiddle, Andy Imbrie-piano,
David Mostardi-accordion (band leader)
Alameda Masonic Temple, 2312 Alameda Avenue, Alameda (see back)
- February 20** (3rd Sat) The San Francisco Branch Annual Valentines Ball, "for The Love of Dance"
No Monthly Party in February. See separate flyer for ball at www.rscds-sf.org
Musicians: *Reel of Seven*: Deby Benton Grosjean-fiddle, Janet Kurnick-fiddle,
Patty Van Winkle-fiddle, Susan Worland-fiddle, Renata Bratt-cello,
Sherryl Fawx-records, Andy Imbrie-piano (band leader),
Gary Campus-percussion
Scottish Rite Center, 1547 Lakeside Drive, Oakland (See flyer for ball)
- March 6** Party hosted by: The Santa Rosa Class and The Dunsmuir Scottish Dancers
Musicians: *Hood, Wink & Swagger*: Ron Wallace-records (co-band leader),
Steve Wyrick-fiddle, Gary Thomas-piano (co-band leader)
San Rafael Masonic Hall, Lootens Place at 4th Street, San Rafael (see back)

Refreshments served after the dance

How To Get There

January Monthly Party:

Alameda Masonic Hall, 2312 Alameda Avenue, Alameda

DIRECTIONS: From the North: Take 880 S, exit at 23rd Avenue exit. Continue going south on Kennedy Street to the bridge at 29th Street and turn right. Upon crossing the bridge going west, you will be on Park Street. Continue on Park to Alameda and turn right.

From the South: Take 880 N, exit at High Street and drive west across the High Street bridge into Alameda. Continue on High Street for about 6 blocks and turn right onto Central Avenue. Go for another 10 blocks to Park Street. Turn left on Park, go 1 block and turn right on Alameda.

Park on the street or in the free parking lot across the street from the hall. It can be entered from Alameda or from Central. The dance floor is on the top floor. Walk up or take the elevator.

February:

No February Monthly Party!

Instead, go to **The San Francisco Branch Valentines Ball** on February 20 at the Scottish Rite Center, 1547 Lakeside Drive, Oakland

DIRECTIONS: See separate flyer available at classes, parties and at www.rscds-sf.org

March Monthly Party:

San Rafael Masonic Hall, Lootens Place at 4th Street, San Rafael

DIRECTIONS: From 101 Northbound, take the "Central San Rafael" exit. Continue straight on Irwin Street (a short frontage road parallel to freeway). Turn left onto 4th Street. Turn Right onto Lootens Place.

From 101 Southbound take the "Central San Rafael" exit. Stay straight on Hetherton Street (a short frontage road parallel to freeway). Turn Right onto 4th Street. Turn Right onto Lootens Place.

Lootens Place ends across from a public parking lot. Nearby street parking is also available.

Public Transit Directions (Thanks to Donald Robertson):

Take Golden Gate Transit Bus 70 or 80 from the Transbay Terminal at 1st & Mission in San Francisco, to San Rafael Transit Center at 3rd and Hetherton. Walk 4 blocks to Lootens Place, turn right, and walk one block to 4th.

Public Transit

Exact directions from any given cross street in the Bay Area may be found at: <http://transit.511.org/>. Contact Donald Robertson for help using public transit: donaldfr@DonaldFRobertson.com, or 415-621-2113.

Carpools

Try setting up carpools or transit travel groups. They make going to a party more social, save gas money, make parking easier, and help the environment!

A NOTE ABOUT FRAGRANCES (From the SF Branch Members' Handbook):

Please be aware that you will be in close contact with others who may have allergies and sensitivities. For their sakes, please consider using only unscented products before a dance event. Thank you.

ANOTHER ETIQUETTE NOTE:

Please refrain from chewing gum or tablets while dancing. Chewing emits odors, is unsightly, and is distracting to other dancers. Thank you.