

ISDCA

ILLINOIS SQUARE DANCE CALLERS ASSOCIATION 2018 CALLER SEMINAR

With

TOM MILLER

Chest Springs, PA

- 2018 Featured Caller for the 35th Illinois Convention -

Friday, July 27, 2018

9:00AM - 4:30PM

ISDCA Members: No Fee

Non Members: \$20.00



Decatur Conference Center & Hotel
4191 US 36 West (Wyckles Rd) / Decatur, IL





Tom Miller lives with his two daughters in a small community in western Pennsylvania. He is a full time modern western square dance caller who has turned his favorite hobby into a full-time operation. Tom calls the CALLERLAB list, Mainstream through C-1. Tom has traveled throughout the United States, Canada, and Europe, averaging 50 thousand miles per year. He works locally calling for the Killbuck Squares of Patton, an A-2/C-1 club in State College, and Thinking Caps DBD group in Altoona.

Tom has recorded for Lou Mac Records, Kalox Records, Eureka Records, Hi Hat records, and is currently recording with ESP records. He is a member of CALLERLAB and serves on the Board of Governors. Tom regularly calls for party dances, demos, and high school physical education programs. He is an Accredited Caller Coach and is available for caller seminars and schools. His hobbies are hunting, fishing and camping.

Tom is regularly featured at major dance events including: Tucson, AZ Festival / Central Park Weekend, Fredericksburg, VA / WASCA Spring Festival, Washington, DC / Swing into Spring Camping Weekend, New Holland, PA / Turkey Run State Park Weekends, Marshall, IN / Cherry Ridge Campsites, Honesdale, PA / Star Spangled Banner Festival, Baltimore, MD / Appalachian Callers School, Berkeley Springs, WV / Harvest Moon Festival, Iselin, NJ along with many State & National Conventions.

When the State Council of Illinois Square Dance Associations (**SCISDA**) went to a featured caller format for the State Convention in July 2002, Tom Miller conducted a two hour seminar on Saturday afternoon. Needless to say, it was a success! Therefore, for several years after, the featured caller for the Convention would conduct a 2-3 hour seminar on Saturday.

In July 2011, the Illinois Square Dance Callers Association (**ISDCA**) hosted a seminar for callers at the State Convention which was conducted by the featured caller, Tony Oxendine.

Each year since then, ISDCA has hosted a seminar on the Friday of the State Convention, prior to the start of the event. The featured caller for the State Convention conducts the seminar which is open to anyone that is interested in attending.

If you're interested in becoming a caller, a caller in the beginning stages, want to better your skills as a caller, learn new things or you're curious about the other side of the microphone, this is something for you to attend!! Registration for the Convention is not necessary.

For more information and/or interested in attending, contact:

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