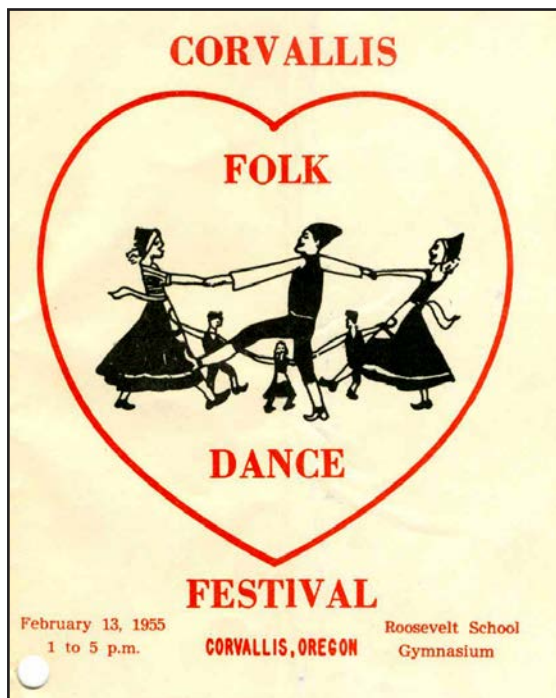


Information from the Benton County Historical Society

Found by Kathy Sandstrom

The program below is older than the 1957 one in the Eugene memory books - this one is the Valentine's Festival held on February 13, 1955. The Corvallis Folk Dancers were sponsored by then Corvallis Recreation Commission. Irene Butts was President and Mrs. Rice was Secretary.

The pictures were all taken February 15, 1959 and donated by Preston and Connie Onstad in 1982.



Walter Reager, M.C., Portland	
1. Danish Family Circle (P)	Danish
2. Cotton-Eyed Joe	American
3. Espunyolet	Catalan
4. At the Inn	German
5. Gerakina	Greek
6. Russian Waltz	Russian
7. Baglaens Contrasjere (S)	Danish
8. Bridge of Athlone	Irish
9. Nebesco Kolo	Yugoslavian
10. Swedish Family Waltz (P)	Swedish
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Corvallis Folk Dancers are members of the Oregon Folk Dance Federation. They are sponsored by Corvallis Recreation Commission and meet the second and fourth Wednesdays at Franklin school gym. and alternating Mondays in Episcopal church parish house.	
OFFICERS	
Irene Butts	President
Gerald Ruby	Vice-President
Charles Bayles	Treasurer
Hildred Rice	Secretary
We extend our appreciation to Mr. Haddock principal of Roosevelt School and to the Corvallis School Board for permission to use this gym.	

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Miss Madeline Green of S.F. Calif.
Program

Merle Dougherty, M.C., Richland, Wn.	
1. Castel Ter Sol	Catalan
2. Kritikos (Turkish record)	Greek
3. Corrido	Mexican
4. Ranchera	Argentine
5. Neapolitan Tarantella (southern)	Italian
6. Waltz of the Bells	American
7. Kanafaska (S)	Moravian
8. Macedonka	Serbo-Macedonian
9. Meitschi Putz Di	Swiss
10. Canadian Barn Dance (P)	English

Squares—Chet Held, Portland
Tim Garrett, O.S.C.

Pirkko Roecker, M.C., Eugene

Special—Weggis Dance (children only)		Swiss
1. Dreisteyrer		Austrian
2. Country Two Step		American
3. Mazur		Polish
4. Seljancica Kolo		Yugoslavian
5. Croatian Waltz		Croatian
6. Windmeuller (S)		German
7. Zillertaler		Austrian
8. "Pork Chops"		Slovenian
9. Mayim		Israeli
10. To Tur (P)		Danish

Contra—Miss Erma Weir, O.S.C.
Square—Dennis Beinap, Corvallis

EXHIBITIONS (to be announced)

International Folk Dancers, Richland
Glacier Gliders, Enumclaw, Washington.
Folklanders, Seattle, Washington
Peasant Folk Dancers, Portland, Oregon
Eugene Folk Dancers, Eugene, Oregon
International Folk Dancers, Portland, Oregon

George Murton, M.C., Redwood City, Calif.

1. Hambo	Scandinavian
2. Fascination Tango	English
3. Dodi Li	Israeli
4. Schuplattler	Austrian
5. Kastrianos Syrtos	Greek
6. Gustav's Skoal (S)	Swedish
7. Blue Pacific	American
8. "George's" Kolo	Yugoslavian
9. King Sailor (Calypso)	Trinidad
10. Roberts (P)	Scotch

SQUARES—Rod Shultis, Eugene



Hildred Rice speaking on mic



*Hildred Rice on right side.
Mrs Dick on left?*



