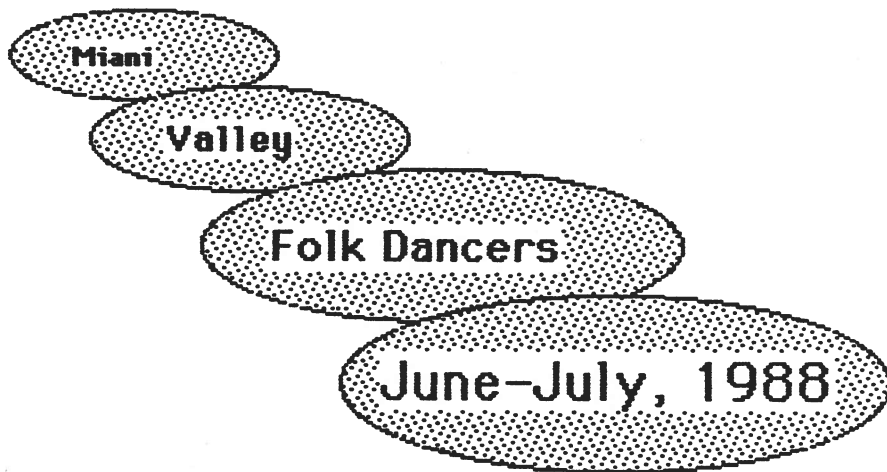


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To all the new folks that have just started coming to our group: **Welcome, we are glad you are here.**

For those of you who have not heard - **Babe Hennessey** had surgery at Kettering Memorial Hospital last week for a detached retina. Our thoughts and prayers are with Babe and Pat during this difficult time.

Some important dates coming up:

July 11 - Ethnic Sunday will be American. We have agreed to vacate Solomon Pavilion at 7:00 p.m. so another group can have a shindig that evening.

August 14 - Ethnic Sunday will be International.

September 11 - All of the Miami Valley Dance Council groups will be showing off at Carillon Park as we did last year. Since it will be an ethnic Sunday, we have requested to be allowed to show off first so we can get over to the Pavilion. Leslie Hylt will coordinate our activities.

September 29 - We will be having an open house for all folks interested in dancing.

November 12-13 - Fall Workshop - English

Joanne Dombrowski is collecting pictures of our group. If you have any pictures from old to recent times that you are willing to donate to the club, please get them to Joanne.

Trivia Contest - The purpose of the trivia contest is to get folks in our group to know more about the interesting things others are doing. I must admit most folks are secretive so much of the information is pretty trivial. If you have any information to share, please do so. We have three more months of trivia for individuals to compete for the ethnic prizes we have promised for high total points. The **July** contest will be due to me, Louise Van Vliet, on **August 4** and is in this issue. It features **Champions of the Miami Valley Folk Dancers**. A special ethnic prize will be given to the individual who gets the most correct answers.

The August contest is the idea of Roseanne Gessel. It will feature **Name that Kid**. I am requesting that you bring in pictures of yourselves as babies, or sometime before you were an adult, for members to try to guess who is who. Since many of your pictures will be valuable and I don't like to be responsible for valuable things, we will limit the August contest to one evening, **August 11**. I am suggesting the following game plan:

7:00-8:00 - You give me your pictures and I will put them into plastic protectors.

8:00-9:00 - Contestants have one hour to attempt to identify who's who.

9:00-9:30 or 10:00- Who's who identifies his/her picture by using a plastic marker so everyone can see how smart they were at guessing.

Again there will be a special ethnic prize for the individual who correctly identifies the most people.

September trivia will be the final trivia exam - **please give me trivia.**

Current standing in Trivia Contest including May and June totals

	Knowledge	Tattletale	Total Points
Carole Pappas	81	6	86
John Pappas	76	2	78
Joanne Dombrowski	64		64
Leslie Hyll	60	2	62
Don Eltzroth	35	2	37
Peg Eltzroth	36		36
Peg Booher	23	8	31
Zora Krainz	15		15
Sam Ballinger	11	1	12
Ann Ballinger	11		11
Nova Sanders	6		6
Nirmal Mondal	5	1	6
Roseanne Gessel		5	5
Diok Clair		3	3

Vera Fisher	2	2
Ed Gessel	1	1
Teresa Guess	1	1
Luise Tubiel	1	1

July Trivia Contest - due August 4, I will be on vacation before then. Since I don't know the answers to these questions we will accept the closest answer submitted by the contestants.

Champions of MVFD:

1. Has the most living descendants-
2. Has the lowest golf score-
3. Has gone to more MVFD workshops than anyone else-
4. Has the oldest car-
5. Gets up the earliest in the morning, on a regular basis-
6. Stays up latest at night, on a regular basis-
7. Put most miles on car before a new engine was needed-
8. Married for 1st time later than anyone else-
9. Danced the most consecutive nights-
10. Has lived in the same house for the longest time-
11. Had the most brothers and sisters (step and half siblings can be included)-
12. Has lived in the greatest number of states-
13. Has belonged to the largest number of dance groups-
14. Obtained greatest number of athletic letters in high school-
15. Has lived in the greatest number of states-
16. Had highest G.P.A. as an undergraduate in college-
17. Speaks the largest number of foreign languages-
18. Has taught the most dances to MVFD-
19. Started folk dancing, on a regular basis, at the earliest age-
20. Worked for the same establishment for the most years-
21. Has visited the most countries-
22. Will get the highest score on this quiz-
23. Took the longest to get a Bachelor's degree, count from start of first undergraduate course until the end of last course taken-
24. Took shortest time to receive Bachelor's degree, count from start of first undergrad. course until the end of last course taken-
25. Talks the most on the telephone-
26. Writes the most letters-
27. Has taken the longest bicycle ride-
28. Volunteered the most hours this year for a single cause-
29. Had the most boyfriends or girlfriends before they were 18-







May trivia - Correct answers and percent of competing individuals who got the correct answer. Six members submitted answers.

1. Relative was the oldest living person in Kentucky- Carole Pappas- her great- great-great uncle lived to be 134 and at the time of his death had children aged 7 to 99. Many of you who know that Carole's true age is 83 wonder why she looks so young- now you know it just runs in the family (50%). Leslie Hyl also received a point for having the most original answer- "Sam Fleischer's Jewish Briar grandmother."
2. Has recently gained notoriety for her strip act.- Joanne Dobrowski has had to do a quick change of costumes for the Zivio's dance performances this year (67%)
3. Restoring a house in the Oregon District. - Jim and Eleanor Woolley and Nirmal Mondol (83%).
4. Had to go through basic training twice. - Charlie Krainz got sick at the end of his first round of basic training and was sent through again (17%).
5. A published composer. - Jeanine Yeager (100%).
6. Was a cheerleader at a major university. - Dick Clair was a cheerleader at Penn State (67%).
7. Former U.D. football star. - Pat Hennessey (50%).
8. Is having an affair with Morton Naroma. (If more than one person is having an affair with him, you'll get one point each to tell all.) - Peg Booher and Nova Sanders (33%).
9. Four members who were known to have been seagulls in another life. You need all four names to get your point. - Lee Moser, Jeanine Yeager, Peggy Booher, and Kaz Radtke were all seagulls in a Jonathan Livingston Seagull Play. (17%).
10. Signing is used as a means of communication in her family. - Wanda Burden (50%).
11. Is starting up a new International Folk Dancing group in Dayton (not Yellow Springs). - Vera Fisher has started a group for senior citizens. This test question checked to see if you've been reading your VILTIS. (50%).
12. Does laundry at 4:00 a.m. - Eleanor Woolley (50%).
13. Wasn't toilet trained until he was 8 1/2 years old. - John Pappas - how did I find out? His wife will tell any gossip just to get extra points. In all fairness to John, he had never seen a toilet until he was 8 1/2. (67%). Ed Anderson and Harry Khamis were also nominated for this honor.
14. Went to Columbus to celebrate the 25th anniversary of the folk dancing group there. You need four correct names to get a point. - Harry Khamis, Grace Wolff, Ray Gottschall, and Lou Hyl (50%).
15. Plays a gaita. - Ann Mosconi (83%).
16. Editor of a professional journal. - Marilyn Bishop and Bessie Lee Shropshire (33%).
17. Was a war widow. - Vera Fisher (33%).
18. Joining the Peace Corps this summer. Joe and Mary Letson are starting through the procedures and told me that Carole Pappas jumped the gun with that gossip. If other participants want I will kick out this question and reduce Carole's tattletale points by one. (50%).
19. What male member wants to go out for a \$100 dinner? His wife says he may go out for dinner but nothing else. Tony Van Der Sluijs (50%). John Pappas got two votes.

Carole Pappas won this round hands down with 17 points, John Pappas and Peggy Booher came in second with 12 points each, Leslie Hyl had 11 points, Nirmal Mondol had 5, and Joanne Dombrowski must have been busy practicing her strip act as she only had 4 points.

Please let me know if I have not given credit for correct responses.

Meaning of words used in June trivia and names of members on June list who were found to be acceptable answers for the words.

1. Aardappel (Dutch) - potato
2. Abigeus (English) - cattle rustler
3. Abscotchalater (English) - one hiding from police
4. Amanuensis (English) - secretary - Joanne Dombrowski is sec. of MYFD
5. Drukker (Dutch) - printer - Len Molnar
6. Dzo (English) - cross between a yak and a domestic cow
7. Emgalla (English) - South African wart hog
8. Enceinte (English) - pregnant or a wall to a fortress - Doris Rowland built a stone wall fence.
9. ГЛУМНА (Serbian) - actress - Virginia Garcia
10. Gongoozler (English) - someone who stares for hours at anything out of the ordinary.
11. Hazadar (English) - treasurer - Sam Bollinger is Treas. of MYFD
12.  - Hawaii - Pat Hennessey is from Hawaii, Gitta Reck visited Hawaii, Joanne said that Joe Birkemeier visited Hawaii also.
13.  - Hiker - Alta Balduf, Gitta Reck, and Doris Rowland.
14. Hospita (Dutch) - landlady - Lee Moser
15. Langlaufer (English) - cross country skier - Charlie and Zora Krainz
16. Lerares (Dutch) - female teacher - Carolyn Stovall
17. ЛЕЖАТИ (Serbian) - lie down - when I made up the quiz Zora was still flat on her back following surgery.
18. НЕЖЕЊА (Serbian) - bachelor - Harry Khamis or Ted Eltzroth
19. Orzivorous (English) - rice eater - Doris Rowland
20.  - pianist - Gladys Tobin and Ted Eltzroth
21. Pools (Dutch) - Polish - Joanne Dombrowski
22. Pysanky (English) - Ukraine Easter eggs - Carol Culbertson and Ann Mosconi have been decorating eggs for several years and this year Joanne Dombrowski has taken it up.
23.  - Shaker - Bessie Lee Shropshire is our resident expert on Shakers.
24.  - Singer - Joe Birkemeier is a former opera singer. Ted Eltzroth was also an acceptable answer.
25. СЛУКАР (Serbian) - artist - Adele Nellis
26. ТУРЦИ (Serbian) - Turk - Harry Khamis
27.  - Youth Hostel - Tony Van Der Sluijs was a former youth hostel warden in the Netherlands.

Carole Pappas was penalized one point for her multiple insults to her folk dancing colleagues. Not only did she call two of her friends names, i.e. an emgalla and a dzo, she even accused one of her best friends of being an abscothalater. Needless to say, even with her penalty, Carole still came out on top with 12 points, John Pappas had 11, and Joanne Dombrowski had 10.