



Gabby the Gorilla

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Dance on the Wild Side!



Aug. 17-20, 2022

San Diego, CA



On The Road Again

We are so happy to see square dancing resume around the country! It will be great to get back on the dance floor, see old friends and meet new ones, and of course promote the 19th USA West Square Dance Convention in San Diego. Due to the pandemic, we postponed the convention to new dates: **August 17-20, 2022.**

So you have plenty of time to get ready to travel to San Diego to “Dance on the Wild Side”! Look for our table at a state festival in one of the 13 USA West states—you can pre-register for a special price! *We'll be ready for you in 2022!*

—LPaul and Sally Schmidt, General Chairmen

MISSING!!!!!!

Oscar the Koala and Zahari the Zebra, our 19th USA West travel ambassadors, are missing! They were launched from the USA West Convention in Boise in August 2019. Oscar had some early adventures and last we heard he was headed out in late Fall 2019 on a square dance cruise. Zahari went east toward Virginia and we lost track of her. If you have seen our ambassadors, please let us know and send them on their way. We need them home in August 2022!



Quincy's Corner: Caller's School Scholarships



USA West offers support to new callers by financially helping them attend a Callerlab Accredited Caller's School. Up to two scholarships may be awarded each year to applicants who have been calling for less than 18 months, have not previously attended a caller's school, and live in one of the 13 western states. Check out the guidelines at www.usawest.net/supportscholarships.html.

San Diego Spotlight: Balboa Park & Museums

Balboa Park offers 1200 acres of open space, trails, gardens, museums, theaters, and of course the San Diego Zoo. Centrally located near downtown, Balboa Park has something for everyone. Learn about San Diego history, explore different cultures, catch a concert at the Organ Pavilion, investigate hands-on exhibits at the Fleet Science Center, and much more.

www.balboapark.org

