

Contra 2025-2026

Beginners are welcome/No lesson needed
(The Dancing Fish, Melrose, FL)



🎃 Friday Oct 31st - Halloween Costume Ball 🎃 and more dancing on Saturday...

Oct 31-Nov 1, 2025 Caller: Terry Doyle (Halloween Costume Ball Fri: 7-10PM, Sat: Noon-3PM + 6-9PM)
with Playing with Fyre: George Paul, Rob Zisette, Steve Kemble (PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

Nov 15, 2025 Caller: John Rogers (Sat: 6-9PM)
with The Runaway Biscuits: Bobby Lolley, Andy Thomas, Howard Pardue, Caitlin Murphy, Drew Thomas

Dec 5-7, 2025 Callers: Dereck Kalish and Janine Smith (Fri 6-10PM, Sat Noon-4PM + 6-10PM, Sun 11AM-3PM)
with Thunderwing: Amy Englesberg, Cedar Stanistreet, Benjamin Foss (PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)
and Eden, Sam and Pokey: Eden MacAdam-Somer, Sam Bartlett, Pokey

Dec 20, 2025 Caller: Joe De Paolo (Sat: 6-9PM)
with Flathead String Band: Haden Macbeth, Chris Matechik, Bronwyn Chelette

Jan 2-3, 2026 Caller: Mary Wesley (Fri: 7-10PM, Sat: Noon-3PM + 6-9PM)
with Stomp Rocket: Bethany Waikman, Glen Loper, Dave Langford (PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

Jan 17, 2026 Caller: Katie Zanders (Sat: 6-9PM)
with Jenny and The Stray Dogs: Ron Gilbert, Clay Black, Jenny James

Feb 6-7, 2026 Caller: Hannah Chamberlain (Fri: 7-10PM, Sat: Noon-3PM + 6-9PM)
with Larry Unger, Emily Troll, Eric Boodman (PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

Feb 21, 2026 Caller: Drew Thomas (Sat: 6-9PM)
with Loco-Motion: Kathie Aagaard, Sarah Mitchell, Sherry Mattos, Joe De Paolo

Mar 6-7, 2026 Caller: Will Mentor (Fri: 7-10PM, Sat: Noon-3PM + 6-9PM)
with Jet Bridge: Sam Bartlett, Abby Ladon, Sami Braman, Paula Bradley (PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

Mar 21, 2026 Caller: Vicki Morrison (Sat: 6-9PM)
with In Cahoots: Andrea Stanley, Steve Hodges, Laura Gayle Green

Apr 3-4, 2026 Caller: Diane Silver (Fri: 7-10PM, Sat: Noon-3PM + 6-9PM)
with Hot Coffee Breakdown: Tom Cunningham, Kate Sanders, Luis de Leon (PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

Apr 17-19, 2026 Caller: George Marshal (Fri 7-10PM, Sat Noon-3PM + 6-9PM, Sun Noon-3PM)
with Wild Asparagus: Becky Tracy, Ann Percival, David Cantini, Mark Murphy (PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

Suggested Donation (No need to register or pay in advance)

Adults: 1st weekends: \$15-30 per dance session, \$30-60 for weekend pass
3rd Saturdays: \$10-20
Under 26: 1st weekends: \$7.50-15 per dance session, \$15-30 for weekend pass
3rd Saturdays: \$5-10
Under 16: Admitted free when accompanied by an adult

All donations go to pay for musicians, callers and sound tech. (No hall rental fee.)

NOTE: The dance barn is on Private Residential Property
Please respect the wishes of the homeowner and neighbors

(No over-night RVs/Tents, without emailed permission)

For more info on dances, propane grills, picnicking, pot-luck dinners, camping, kayaking, dining, housing, etc.

email: JoeRushMD@iCloud.com

<https://dancingfish.dance>



Scan this QR code
to make your
online donation

May 1-2, 2026 Caller: XXX
with Lift Ticket: Rex Blazer, Jeff Spero, TJ Crow

(Fri: 7-10PM, Sat: Noon-3PM + 6-9PM)
(PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

May 16, 2026 Caller: Joey Norton
with Mystic Gorillas: Roger Eudy, Buz Sibley, Lloyd Baldwin

(Sat: 6-9PM)

June 6-7, 2026 Caller: Seth Tepher
with Potent Brew: George Paul, Brad Battey, Al White, Steve Kemble

(Fri: 7-10PM, Sat: Noon-3PM + 6-9PM)
(PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

June 20, 2026 Caller: Bronwyn Chelette
with The Kumquats: Sarah Mitchell, Rich Crew, Bill Dudley

(Sat: 6-9PM)

July 3-5, 2026 Callers: XXX and XXX
with Kingfisher: Cecilia Vacanti, Jeff Kaufman
and Crossover: Alex Cumming, Carol Bittenson, Len Bittenson

(Fri 6-10PM, Sat Noon-4PM + 6-10PM, Sun 11AM-3PM)
(PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

July 18, 2026 Caller: John Rogers
with Contrafusion: Darren Burgess, Diane Schulbach, Roger Reep, Andrew Driscoll

(Sat: 6-9PM)

Sept , 2026 - Labor Day Weekend Caller: XXX
with Howe and Company

(Fri 7-10PM, Sat 6-9PM, Sun Noon-3PM)
(PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

Sept 19, 2026 Caller: Andy Kane
with Bunny Bread: Carrie Hamby, Aidan Collins, Ben Green, Erice Shepard, Neil Jones, Howard Pardue, Kirill Litvak, Liz Sparks

(Sat: 6-9PM)

Oct 2-3, 2026 Caller: XXX
with XXX: XXX

(Fri: 7-10PM, Sat: Noon-3PM + 6-9PM)
(PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

Oct 17, 2026 Caller: XXX
with XXX: XXX

(Sat: 6-9PM)



Saturday Oct 31st - Halloween Costume Ball



Oct 31, 2026 Caller: XXX
with XXX: XXX

(Sat: 6-9PM)

Nov 6-7, 2026 Caller: Steve Zakon-Anderson
with Dam Beavers: Ben Schreiber, Scotty Leach, Ness Smith-Savedoff

(Fri: 7-10PM, Sat: Noon-3PM + 6-9PM)
(PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

Nov 21, 2026 Caller: XXX
with XXX: XXX

(Sat: 6-9PM)

Dec 4-5, 2026 Caller: Bob Isaacs
with Eden, Sam and Pokey: Eden MacAdam-Somer, Sam Bartlett, Pokey

(Fri 6-10PM, Sat Noon-4PM + 6-10PM, Sun 11AM-3PM)
(PotLuck Dinner, Sat: 4:30 PM)

Dec 19, 2026 Caller: XXX
with XXX: XXX

(Sat: 6-9PM)

Order Now (size, color + style) by email: JoeRushMD@iCloud.com (pay later on delivery)

NOTE: You can order a selection of colors/sizes/styles, and then pick and choose when they arrive.

T-shirts and Tanktops...\$20 each

Choose type: Historic Melrose; Dancing Fish; Wild Asparagus

Choose size: S, M, L, XL, 2XL

Dancing Fish and Wild Asparagus purchases...

Choose style: T-shirt

or

Racerback Tanktop

Choose color: from attached spec sheets



Historic Melrose purchases light blue only and T-shirt style only



Gildan Adult Ultra Cotton® T-Shirt

Features

- Tear away label
- Double-needle sleeve and bottom hem
- Seamless double-needle 7/8" collar
- Taped neck and shoulders
- Safety Green is compliant with ANSI / ISEA 107 high-visibility standards
- Gildan's manufacturing process utilizes 45% renewable energy
- Gildan's Community Investment Program supports education, the environment, humanitarian aid and active living in the communities we do business in

Fabric

- 6 oz., 100% USA cotton
- Heathers and Safety colors are 50/50
- Ash Grey is 99/1; Sport Grey & Antiques are 90/10
- Made with sustainably and fairly grown USA cotton

Sizes

- S - 5XL



61 Available Colors



Product Specifications

	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL
BODY LENGTH	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35
BODY WIDTH	18	20	22	24	26	28	30	32
FULL BODY LENGTH	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35
SLEEVE LENGTH	15.62	17	18.5	20	21.5	22.87	24.25	23.37

Next Level Tanktop

Features

- Tear away label
- Sustainable Style
- Side seams

Fabric

- 4 oz/yd, 60/40 combed ring-spun
- Fabric laundered

Sizes

- XS-2XL



Colors



Finished Measurements

	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL
Body Length	27	27 1/2	28	28 1/2	29	29 1/2
Body Length Tolerance	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
Chest Tolerance	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2	1/2
Chest Width (Laid Flat)	14	15	16	17	18	19