

Music For Square Dancers SSD Learning Series

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Recommended File Setup

Once the zip files are downloaded, place each one in its respective folder, either on your computer or on a thumb drive at least 256 GB in size connected to your computer system. Using a thumb drive affords portability and is the preferred method. Use a folder structure like this:

Place each downloaded 'SSD 46xx.zip' file in the respective folder for each lesson.

Open the folder. Right click on the .zip file

and select 'Extract All'.

The various files for each lesson are extracted and expanded into a sub-folder of the same name as the .zip file.

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LSN 1	12/15/2023 12:18 PM	File folder
SSD 4601	12/15/2023 12:18 PM	File folder
SSD 4601.zip	12/14/2023 12:35 PM	Compressed folder
L1-1 170907 01.mp3	11/14/2023 10:25 AM	MP3 File
L1-2 180111_0455.mp3	11/14/2023 10:30 AM	MP3 File
L1-3 170907 02.mp3	11/14/2023 10:46 AM	MP3 File
L1-4 170907 03.mp3	11/14/2023 10:52 AM	MP3 File
L1-5 180111_0456.mp3	11/14/2023 11:15 AM	MP3 File
L1-6 180111_0457.mp3	11/14/2023 11:22 AM	MP3 File
SSD 4601.html	11/14/2023 12:17 PM	Firefox HTML File

Lesson Plan

What follows is the lesson plan for the

entire 12 session series for Social Square Dancing (SSD.) The teaching order is that which is currently outlined by CALLERLAB as of this writing. If you need definitions for the calls, you can download the SSD Teaching Guide from the CALLERLAB website in the Social Square Dancing page

(<https://callerlab.org/download/social-square-dancing-teaching-guide/?wpdmdl=5025&refresh=657cb71e1333b1702672158>)

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SSD 50 CALLS

Lsn		Call	Lsn		Call	Lsn		Call	Lsn		Call	
1	1	Circle Left/Right <i>- fractional</i>	2	13	1/2 Sashay/Roll Away/Lad Cntr <i>Men Sash</i>	7	26	Circle To A Line	10	38	Centers In	
	2	Forward/Back	3	14	California Twirl		27	Separate Around One/Two		39	Cast Off 3/4	
	3	DosaDo		15	Bend The Line		28	Split Two Around One/Two		40	Ferris Wheel	
	4	Swing		16	U-Turn Back		29	Wheel And Deal		41	Trade By	
	5	Promenade	4	17	Dive Thru		8	30	Double Pass Thru	11	42	Box the Gnat
		<i>fractional/wrong way/single</i>		18	Square Thru			31	First Left/Next Right		43	Hinge/Cples Hinge
	6	Allemande Left/Arm Turns	5	19	Grand Square			32	Ocean Waves (Dosado/Step 2 a Wave/Single Circle 2 a Wave)		44	Touch 1/4
	7	Right & Left Grand/Weave		20	Lead Right/Left	33		Run/Cross Run	45		Circulate (from waves)	
	8	Stars (Right/Left)		21	Veer Left/Right	34		Swing Thru/Alamo Style	46		Tag The Line	
	9	Ladies Chain		22	Couples Circulate/ <i>Centers Trade, Ends</i>	9	35	Pass The Ocean	12	47	Half Tag	
	10	Pass Thru	6	23	Right & Left Thru		36	Extend (1/4 tag only)		48	Fold/Cross Fold	
11	Wheel Around	24		Flutter Wheel/Reverse Flutter Wheel	37		Zoom	49		Scoot Back		
2	12	Star Thru/ <i>Slide Thru</i>	25	Sweep A Quarter	50	Recycle						

** Calls in **BOLD** are in the Mainstream dance program as well as SSD

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The CALLERLAB Social Square Dance program (SSD) is designed as a stand-alone dance program of 50 basic calls. In this series, the calls are spread over a 12-session dance package. Each session is a separate lesson. Using the SSD teaching order and calls as an entry dance program is also feasible, which leads to other dance programs for more experienced dancers. If so, it is recommended that SSD dancers dance SSD for a minimum of one year before moving on to another dance program. The **Music For Square Dancers** website makes the entire SSD learning series available in 12 separate lesson bundles, each containing 4 to 6 learning and dancing tips, including singing calls, or approximately 2 hours of dancing.

All dance files are recorded live with new dancers who are learning the calls for the first time. This results in a high probability of success, and new dancers having fun. There are very few walkthrus in the dance files, so you need someone who can show new dancers how the calls are done.

Support

If you need assistance with use of these files or the SSD program, please contact me.

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