

**The Northeast Callers School in conjunction
with the Central Sierra Callers School Present:**

The Teaching Institute

A Specialized Callers School On How to Properly Teach Dancers



Ken Ritucci

*Massachusetts
(Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach)*

**SEPTEMBER 7-10
2022**

OAKDALE, CA

Whether you are about to teach your first class, or are an experienced caller, the teaching institute will provide you with the tools to an effective and successful teacher. Ken Ritucci has 46 years of calling experience. He and his staff have the knowledge and leadership to assist you with your teaching career.



Bill Harrison

*Maryland
(Callerlab Accredited Caller Coach)*



Kip Garvey

California

PROGRAM: While the school will be centered on Teaching, it is imperative that callers/teachers also provide a well rounded experience for their dancers. Emphasis will also be placed on Smooth Dancing, Timing and Body Flow as well as utilizing Singing Calls within the class environment.

School Information

www.kenritucci.com

Cost:

\$425.00. No charge for accompanying spouse/partner. Food and lodging not included.

Program:

Starts Wednesday September 7 at 7:00 pm. School ends at conclusion of Saturday night's dance.

Lodging: A list of hotels will be sent upon registration.

Food:

Several local restaurants available with good food at reasonable prices.

Location:

Oakdale Grange, 30 Lambuth Ave, Oakdale, CA 95361

Additional Info:

To be mailed before the start of school recommending dress and essentials, including directions to the hall. A questionnaire will be sent to better understand your goals prior to the school.

ABOUT THE SCHOOL

This is a highly specialized school for callers who are currently teaching beginner classes, workshops, or those callers who are about to teach a class and want more in-depth knowledge of all aspects of teaching. This school is for those who are already calling and have had initial caller training.

THIS SCHOOL WILL CONCENTRATE ON:

- Utilizing the definitions
- Ways to become an effective teacher
- Understanding the different learning styles
- How to program your classes workshops
- Teaching for Success – what it takes to have a great class – including the six elements of great teaching
- Understanding and using teaching strategies for varying learning styles
- Self evaluation and evaluation of student progress
- Keeping classes fun and interesting
- How to ensure student success
- Analyzing how to successfully teach a call
- Develop and expand your calling skills
- Increase ability to effectively teach square dance classes for all programs
- Effective class and lesson design
- Helpful strategies for struggling students
- Ensuring student success and transfer of knowledge to the dance floor
- Adapting singing call figures through class progression

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Cost: \$425.00 per caller. For reservations, a \$100 deposit is required.

I/We have enclosed \$_____ (\$100 per caller) deposit and understand the balance is due at time of registration.

Name: _____ Spouse/Partner: _____

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email: _____

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