Wesley UMC was ablaze with patriotic colors for the Tri- Cities Chapter July 4th celebration dance. There was lots of Red, White, and Blue to be seen between the dancers, the decorations, and the refreshments. Gwendolyn Glenn taught a very technical and informative Hustle lesson which included a lot of use-of-the-hand tips to help the frequent turns go smoother. She started with the basic step and moved on to turns in different directions and finally a twizzle combo. The lively group were attentive students, drank up the new moves, and continued to use them throughout the evening at the open dance. We gave hearty welcome to new member Dave Martin.







Rod Meade and Gwen entertained at our break with a Hustle demonstration.

We will continue our Hustle adventures at the August 13th dance with another lesson and Disco Party! Drag out your bell bottoms and coolest outfit and join us for the end of

summer fun!" It all starts at 7:00 P.M.







As you see, we specialize in having a good time, but we could use a few more helping hands for dance nights. We are a small chapter and have a small board. Volunteer once in a while to either come a half hour early to our dance nights to help set up, or stay a little while afterwards to help put things away would really help. Many hands make for light work! Please contact Chapter President Carol Antonius at 804-920-2198 or email at

C.antonius@verizon.net



A member of the Chapter's Board of Directors is stepping down in September. The current Board has been putting on dances with three members which is two less than the five to make it a full Board according to USA Dance Bylaws. Board members serve the chapter by helping to set up before the dance and put things away after the dance. Board members attend a once-a-month meeting on the Thursday prior to the second Saturday dance. Attendance at meetings can be in person or remotely. The Board meets at 5:30pm at the Colonial Heights Library and the meetings usually last 30-45 minutes. If you can help your Chapter by serving, please contact a current Board member at a chapter dance, or Carol Antonius at 804-920-2198, Rod Meade at 540-840-9006 or Erica Lawler at 804-338-6269.

A rainy Saturday night did not keep these folks from coming out to experience the joy of dancing.

Wesley UMC 3701 Conduit Rd Colonial Heights, Virginia

2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday Each month 7:00-9:30 PM



