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NEWSLETTER

April 12, 2026

Practice Schedule

Tuesday, April 14, 2026 –

Tamarac Elementary School Cafeteria

6:00 – 6:45 – **Beginner/Transition Class**

Warm Up Routine, Forever & Ever Amen, Popcorn, East Bound & Down, Walking Shoes, I'm Walkin, Cripple Creek, Down at PaPa Joes

New Teach – Rompin Stompin

It's A Miracle

6:45 -7:30 – Transition Routines

7:30– 8:00 – Demo Routines

Competition Team – Sunday, April 19 – No practice

Board Meeting – There will be no April board meeting. Next meeting will be the Annual Board Meeting on Tuesday, May 12 at 6:00 pm in the elementary cafeteria at Tamarac

PAST DEMOS/EVENTS:

April 9 -11, 2026 – Northeast Clogging Competition & Convention (NECC) –Congratulations to Hill Country CRU members Emily, Julia, Taylor, Andrew and Jessica. Listed below are the results for CRU:

Emily 3rd place acapella solo freestyle

Julia 2nd place choreographed solo and Miss Northeast Princess

Acapella Team (Emily, Julia, Taylor, Andrew, Jessica) 1st place in age division and overall high score

UPCOMING DEMOS/EVENTS:

Monday, April 13, 2026 –2:00 pm – The Eliot at Troy, 2902 Tibbits Ave, Troy 12180, Outfit #15, Routines: I'm Walking, Cripple Creek, Walkin Shoes, Popcorn, Lonesome Without You, Auctioneer, It's A Miracle, Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy, Beer Barrel Polka, Forever & Ever Amen


April 16 – 18, 2026 – Nickel City Clogging Convention – Marriot Buffalo Niagara, 1340 Millersport Highway, Buffalo, NY

Wednesday, April 22, 2026 – 2:30 pm – Home of the Good Shepherd Malta, 26 Rockrose Way #231, Malta 12020, Outfit # 8, Routines: Music Music Music, Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy, It's a Miracle, Cripple Creek, Lonesome Without You, Auctioneer, Glen Miller Medley, It's Gonna Be A Beautiful Day, Forever & Ever Amen, YMCA

Thursday, April 30, 2026 – 2:00 pm - Eddy Village Green at Cohoes, 421 Columbia Street, Cohoes 12047, Outfit & Routines TBA

Monday, May 11, 2026 – 6:30 pm – Van Rensselaer Manor, 85 Bloomingrove Drive, Troy 12180, Outfit & Routines TBA


Tuesday, May 12, 2026 – 6:00 pm – Annual Board Meeting, Tamarac Elementary Cafeteria

 **Thursday, June 11, 2026** – 2:30 pm – Ghent Assisted Living Facility, 30 Whittier Way, Ghent 12075, Outfit & Routines TBA

Sunday, July 19, 2026 – noon – 5:00 – **HCC Annual Family Picnic** - Brunswick Town Beach – Fun day with music, dancing, swimming, fishing and socializing ☺ We will be dancing on concrete so you may want to wear sneakers. Bring your own picnic lunch and beverage. Dessert will be provided by HCC.

Saturday, July 25, 2026 – 1:00 and 3:00 – Saratoga County Fair, 162 Prospect Street, Ballston Spa 12020

Saturday, August 29, 2026 – 11:30 am - Washington County Fair (Blue Bird Stage), 392 Old Schuylerville Road, Greenwich 12834 **FLOOR NEEDED**

 **Saturday, September 12, 2026** – approx time noon or 1:00 – Town of Grafton Festival, Route 2, Grafton 12082, FLOOR NEEDED, Outfit & Routines TBA

 **Saturday, October 3, 2026** – 2:00 pm – Grafton Baptist Church Harvest Festival, 11 Owens Road, Grafton 12082, FLOOR NEEDED, Outfit & Routines TBA

Sunday, December 13, 2026 – **HCC Christmas Party** – Hilton Garden Inn, Troy – more details to follow.

STIPENDS for CONVENTIONS

The Board approved a **\$60.00** stipend. Attendees must provide the treasurer with a copy of the registration form and proof of payment **no later than 14 days after the convention**. Registration sheets with canceled checks or paid receipts from the Internet will be accepted. Handwritten letters will not be accepted.

