



Sep 2011 No. 2

## President's Corner

### Membership News

Diane Hursey's Dad, Edward Thomas, died Thursday. Please keep Diane and family in your thoughts and prayers.

### Put Your Dancing Shoes On

We have 3 **Banner Raids** scheduled, plus PLUS 4's is having their Reveille dance.

And, if that weren't enough, many of us are going to DeGray State Park in Arkansas for the weekend to dance with Jerry Story, Tony Oxendine and Sonny Ezelle

~Our Reveille Dance is Friday Sep 23~

### Chili and Dessert Cook-off

Ken Bullock will be spearheading our Chili and Dessert Cook-off for our November dance this year. Break out those recipes and get ready to cook and bake.

### General Meeting ...

Spring Creek Barbeque  
270 N. Central Expressway  
Richardson  
972-669-0505  
Sun. Nov. 20, 2011 ...3 PM  
[www.springcreekbarbeque.com](http://www.springcreekbarbeque.com)

### Christmas Party 2011

Friday December 2nd, 2011

Haggard Party Barn

Mark your calendar

# ROUNDUP is just around the corner

Get your tickets at our next dance. Get Callers' Cavalcade tickets from Wayne.

## ~Our Reveille Dance on Sep 23~

**Sat Oct 1**

**Bus Trip — Log Cabin Swingers 36<sup>th</sup> Anniversary AND Reveille Dance**

**This will be a bus load of fun! You gotta go.** We leave early enough to enjoy a sit-down salad supper at 6:30 and begin early rounds at 7:30. There will also be a Tin-can auction.

Only \$20 per person + \$8.00 Dance admission . We would like to know by the 9th of September if you are planning to ride the bus. To have a confirmed seat you will need to have a **paid reservations** by the 15th of September (\$20 per person). Pay Dave and Lorraine Burson. Make check payable to: **Swinging Stars**

We need at least 38 people paying to ride the bus. In the event that we don't have 38 paid reservations after the 9th we will open the reservations to other clubs to see if anyone from another club would like to ride with us.

To alleviate having to all stand in line upon arrival at Log Cabin Swingers, we will have you sign in on the sign up sheet and collect the admission to the dance on the bus. Please try to have the correct amount so we won't have to make change on the bus.

We will be leaving from the northeast corner of the Wal-Mart parking lot located at Spring Creek and Central Expressway. The bus will leave promptly at 5:00 PM. The bus will be making 1 quick stop at the Dart Park and Ride at Skillman Station at about 5:15 PM. If you are planning to catch the bus at Skillman Station please let us know so we won't look for you at Wal-Mart.

**Be sure to view our Swinging Stars Website at:**

<http://swingingstars.org>

**Our web master is Dave Burson.**

**LOOK NOW and LOOK OFTEN.**

## **ALL SQUARE and ROUND DANCERS**

### **Past Week's Events and News ...**

**Fri Sep 9**

**Swinging Stars with Wayne Baldwin Calling and John Brewer Cueing**

Texoma Squares	2
Kissin' Kuzzins	20 (They got our banner)
Model A's	2
<b>Total Visitors</b>	<b>24</b>
Swinging Stars	76
Students	2
<b>Total Attendance</b>	<b>102</b>

### **Dignitaries in attendance:**

John and Shirley Currie – NORTEX Secretary

Mike and Pat Pediman – Kissin' Kuzzins President

**Banner Raid (We didn't get it)**

**Sat Sep 10**

**Diamond Jubileers and The Red Hats... "Salute the Troops" Reveille Dance**

**Stars included Brewer, Duncan, Evanto, Larry/Rosemary, Wolfe**

**Mon Sep 12 – Of Interest...**

**"A Night of Dancing**

**Caller - Jerry Jestin – (National/International caller).**

**Stars included P. Amy, Dennison, J. Duncan, Evanto, Feldman, Larry/Rosemary, Mary/John, Perrott, Pharr, Ross, Whipple, Wheaton**

**Coming up next ...**

**BANNER RAID**

**Thu Sep 15**

**Yellow Rockers Reveille Dance with Ray Stenger calling and Chris Farabaugh Cueing**

Early Rounds 7:00, Grand March 7:30.

Chapel Hill United Methodist Church

1241 Templeton Trail, Farmers Branch

**September Promenade P 12**

**BANNER RAID**

**Fri Sep 16**

**Kissin' Kuzzins Support the Troops Reveille Dance with Jay Miller and JL Pelton**

Early Rounds 7:00, Grand March 8:00

Garland Senior Activity Center, 600 Ave A, Garland

**August Promenade P 33**

**BANNER RAID**

**Mon Sep 19**

**Rockwall Squares Anchors Away 6<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance with Deborah Carroll – Jones calling and Michelle Viera Cueing**

**C-Food Buffet**

Early Rounds 7:15, Grand March 7:45

The Center, 108 E. Washington (at Goliad), Rockwall

**Wed Sep 21**

**Plus 4's Salute the Troops Reveille Dance with Darryl Lipscomb Calling (PLUS DANCE)**

No Rounds, Grand March 7:30

Chapel Hill United Methodist Church, 12411 Templeton Tr., Farmers Branch

**Tue Sep 20**

**MAINSTREAM LESSONS**

**Carpenter Rec Center, 6701 Coit Rd.**

**7:00 to 9:00 PM**

## Other Stuff ...

### LADIES ONLY

**Next Luncheon**

**Sip & Savor**

**Wed Sept. 21**

**11:30 AM**

**3921 Coit Rd.**

**Plano**

[www.sipsavor.com](http://www.sipsavor.com)

Peggy A. hosting

### Round Corner

**Sun Sept 25**

**Harvest Holiday Reveille Round Dance**

**2:00 to 5:00 PM**

**Phase 2-3-4**

**Swingtime Center, Anglin Drive,**

**Sept. Promenade p 26**

### Refreshment Schedule – thru December

Lead couple is first name on the list below. This couple should contact all members on the team to be sure they know the following: be at dance by 7:00 pm; refreshments shut down at 9:30 pm (no earlier). Repack bags in a Tidy Manner. If you take home a refreshment bag check that it has all the items listed on the Fluorescent Hang Tag in the bag. If you are missing any items please purchase (use guide which is inside each refreshment bag for list of preferred items to buy). Club will reimburse you for the supplies on the list that you purchased.

Thank you all for serving on our Refreshment Team.

September 23 **Giaudrone/Benedetto**, , Ross, Whipple, NejdI, Smith/Hardin, Bullock, Piziali  
(note: 8 couples will be serving at this dance)

October 14 **Starrett**, Jimison, Duncan, Reid

November 11 **Feldman**, Cowdin, McGuire, Wolfe

November 25 Dance Cancelled due to Thanksgiving holiday

December 9 **Putnam/Heintz**, Tysver, Perrott, Trujillo

December 23 Dance cancelled due to Christmas Holiday

### **Refreshment Duty Reminders:**

1. If you have a conflict with the Refreshment Schedule please contact someone on the refreshment list to sub for you. Notify the refreshment schedulers: Jeff & Anne Stuart at 972-699-1317 or email: [jwstuart@flash.net](mailto:jwstuart@flash.net) with the names of your subs.
2. Attend the dance prior to your turn for refreshments to pick up the three bags. Check Refreshment Bags for the info regarding "Refreshment Duty Tips" and "List of Items Supplied by the Club." Contact Tim & Rita Putnam Heintz for supplies prior to purchase at 972-699-3616 or [timheintz@att.net](mailto:timheintz@att.net) or [ritajp@att.net](mailto:ritajp@att.net) Monday prior to dance.

**Swinging Stars Banners out** (go retrieve one if you can - it only takes one square)  
**Kissin' Kuzzins**

### **Banners on hand (Do not accept one if you visit these clubs)**

Dublin Cloverleaves, Duncanville Cliff Dwellers, Buttons and Bows, Lone Star Solos, T Square Gadabouts, Log Cabin Swingers, Solitaires, Rebel Rousers, Dixie Chainers, Rockwall Squares, Texas Reelers, Texoma Squares.

### **Link: Reveille dances**

[http://nortex.org/2011RU\\_schedule.html](http://nortex.org/2011RU_schedule.html)

### **This Month**

#### **Fri Sep 23**

Swinging Stars Salute the Troops Reveille dance.

### **Oct. and Nov.**

#### **Sat Oct 1**

**Bus Trip — Log Cabin Swingers 36<sup>th</sup> Anniversary AND Reveille Dance**  
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#### **Fri Oct 14**

Swinging Stars Halloween Dance.

#### **Fri Oct 28**

Callers Cavalcade - Beginning the North Texas annual celebration.

#### **Sat Oct 29**

Roundup - Best bargain in town. All day with 3 halls going at all times.

#### **Fri Nov 11**

Swinging Stars Chili Cook-off

## **PLUS AND ADVANCED DANCERS**

### **Plus Weekends**

Plus weekends offer Plus dancing at it's best. Not only do you get lots of floor time in a short period of time, but also great workshops that improve your Plus dancing.

In the link below are weekends that we know some Swinging Stars are registered for. Talk it over and pick one or two. Thanks to Dave Burson!

Check the link below for more info.

**Sept. 16-17** Square Round the Lake  
**DeGray Lake Resort Lodge**  
**Arkadelphia, AR**

[http://www.swingingstars.org/Weekends\\_Of\\_Intrest.html](http://www.swingingstars.org/Weekends_Of_Intrest.html)

### **Plus and Advanced Clubs**

#### **Plus 4s – Caller “Quiz”**

Every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wed from 7:30 - 9:30.

Chapel Hill United Methodist Church –  
12411 Templeton Tr. Farmers Branch.

Early enough to get home and get some sleep. Even Gary can do this one and make it to work the next day. Email Peggy to be put on the reminder list for these dances. [amybpeggy@verizon.net](mailto:amybpeggy@verizon.net)

#### **ADD Plus Club (New NORTEX Club)**

**NOT** a place to “brush up” on your plus. Experienced plus dancers will benefit from this “All position” plus calling by Mike Bramlett. 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5<sup>th</sup> Mondays at Richardson Senior Center. Club membership or \$9 per person at the door. Good to attend to warm up for the Texas Stampede.

#### **Friendship Plus Club (Non-NORTEX Club)**

A place to “brush up” on your plus. 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Monday Nights 7:00 – 9:00 PM. Richardson Senior Center. Mike Bramlett calling.

#### **Model A's (Advanced Dancers)**

Every Thu 7:00 - 9:00. A-1 -- A-2. calling by Wayne. They've moved to Walnut Hill Recreation Center in Dallas. Wayne Baldwin. Info: 972-562-2174

***-Gary and Peggy-***