

Swinging Stars

Square and Round Dance Club

Newsletter for June 23, 2024

Message from the Presidents

Richard and Jan Covington

Buenos días amigos. tuvimos una semana maravillosa en Cozumel. Esperamos que todos hayan tenido una buena semana y esperamos verlos a todos en el baile de este viernes. (translation: Good morning friends. We had a wonderful week in Cozumel. We hope you all had a good week as well and we look forward to seeing you all at the dance this Friday.)

Regarding the rental contract renewal, I am waiting for a revision to separate our Friday night dances from the Tuesday night lessons starting in September. The purpose, of course, is that in case lessons don't make we can cancel the Tuesday night rental independently.

I will see you in a square, soon.

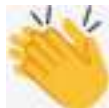
Richard C

Message from the 1st Vice Presidents

Charlie and Linda Harris



John and Debbie Cave provided snacks for the upcoming dance.



“Thanks to all” for showing up early to help with setup and stay for tear down.

See you in a square,
Charlie and Linda Harris – 1st VP

2nd VP Report

Dave and Lorraine Burson

The current Swinging Star Banner inventory is shown below. If you visit a club whose banner we have, please don't bring home one more.

Banners Captured by the Swinging Stars

Club	Date Captured
Pegasus	3/24/2024
Log Cabin Swingers	5/04/2024
Texas Reelers	6/21/2024

Swinging Stars Banners Out

Club	Date Captured
Tri-City Promenaders	7/14/2023
Triangle Squares	2/23/2024
Circle I	5/10/2024
Kissing Kuzzins	5/24/2024

EVENTS FROM THE PAST WEEK

Official Club Visitation – Banner Retrieval – 49th Anniversary Dance Friday, June 21 – Texas Reelers – **Black & White Ball**

I must say the Texas Reelers 49th Anniversary dance was a wonderful success, with 11 couples dancing in the Early Rounds. The Grand March had 11 or 12 squares. There were 8 couples dancing after the 1st tip. There were 80 visitors, 45 Texas Reelers for a total of 125 attending the dance. Guest Caller, KO Jeans along with Club Caller Deborah Carroll Jones and Jon Jones started off the first tip with the three of them calling to a swift up beat getting every one whirling and twirling having a wonderful time. Later in the evening KO did the calling alone. During the 5th tip Deborah Carroll and Jon Jones called with KO. Chris Farabaugh, did his usual great job cueing the favorite rhythms that the Round dancers love. Thank you to these 13 Swinging Stars: Bursons, Ha Loi, Sees, Harris, Caves, Trujillos, Peggy Amy and our newest member, Brenda Statham, for supporting our Official Club Visitation, and yes with 13 members we retrieved our banner, captured the Texas Reelers banner and also collected 2 signatures toward another Club Visitation Patch Award. You all made Dave and myself so happy to have supported this week's Official Club Visitation.

*** COMING EVENTS ***

To reach the **June Promenade**, click here:

<https://new.nortex.org/nortex/wp-content/uploads/2024-06-Promenade.pdf>

Of Interest Club Visitation for Round Dancers – Double Deal Dance Sunday, June 23 – Harvest Holiday – Summer Fun Rounds

Where: Swingtime Center -- 5100 SE Loop 820, Fort Worth, TX

Cuer: Area Instructors

Time: Rounds 2:00 – 5:30 PM

Note: Phases 2, 3, and 4

See page 30 of the June Promenade for more information

Friday, June 28 – Swinging Stars – Boot Scootin' Hoedown – New Dancer Dance

Where: Network Ministries – 1500 International Pkwy #300, Richardson, TX

Caller: David Toms

Cuer: Jan Toms

Time: Early Rounds 7:30, Square up 8:00

Note: See page 33 of the June Promenade for more information

Official Club Visitation – Banner Retrieval – 64th Anniversary Dance Saturday, June 29 – Tri-City Promenaders – Hawaiian Nights

Where: Swingtime Center -- 5100 SE Loop 820, Fort Worth, TX 76140

Guest Caller: Joey Duhamel

Caller: Ray Savell

Cuer: Chris Farabaugh

Time: Rounds 7:00, Plus 7:30, Grand March 8:00

Note: See page 35 of the June Promenade for more information

Sunshine information

From Peggy Amy and Nina Lassiter our Sunshine Reporters

No Sunshine news this week.

Let's keep in touch by sharing news in our Newsletter.

You can email Nina Lassiter Sunshine or Rain, at your convenience. ninalassiter@gmail.com

Or you may call or text 214-769-6032. She always needs any reports (good or bad), by Friday in order to get the report to Dave and Lorraine in a timely manner.

Special dates to put on your calendar

Friday, October 11, 2024 **Swinging Stars Round up Theme** Dance

Friday, November 22, 2024 **Swinging Stars Double Deal** Dance

Web Master Dave Burson

Be sure to check out our web page: www.swingingstars.org

There is a lot of information about what is going on with the Swinging Stars.

Message from Newsletter Editor

Thank you for making it this far down the newsletter. As we streamlining the newsletter, if we remove something or change something that you liked the way it was, or have any suggestions, please send your comments and suggestions to: newsletter_editor@swingingstars.org Anything sent to that email address will go to the **President of the Swinging Stars** and to the **Newsletter Editor** (Dave Burson).

Dave Burson

Newsletter Editor

Swinging Stars

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See Flyers below



SWINGING STARS



Ya'll come down to
A Rootin' Tootin'
Hollerin' Hootin'



BOOT SCOOTIN' SQUARE DANCIN' HOEDOWN

“New Dancer Dance”



June 28, 2024



Caller:
David Toms

Cuer:
Jan Toms

Early Rounds: 7:30 Square Up: 8:00



Network Ministries Building
1500 International Pkwy Ste. 300
Richardson TX.75081



Please feel free to wear Western or Square Dance Attire

Dancers under 18 free when accompanied by Paying adults

Info:214-675-6523 OR president@swingingstars.org.

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Banners Honey Pot Fun Food Fellowship



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Happy Birthday

AMERICA

Show Your American Pride By Wearing Red, White & Blue!



Friday, July 12, 2024

Caller: Mike Bramlett
Cuer: David Berling



Banners Honey Pot
Fun Food

Early Rounds 7:30
Square Dance 8:00

Dancers Under 18 Dance Free With Paying Adults

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ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Friday July 26, 2024

I scream, you scream,
we all scream for Ice Cream



**Network of Ministries
Building**

**1500 International Pkwy Ste 300,
Richardson, TX 75081**

Caller: Charlie Robertson

Early Rounds: 7:30

Cuer: Chris Farabaugh

Grand March: 8:00

Dancers Under 18 dance free when accompanied by a paying adult.



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