



Swinging Stars

Square and Round Dance Club



Newsletter for July 20, 2025

Message from the Presidents

John and Debbie Cave

Enjoyed a free Friday and took time to bake a fresh fig pie for Debbie's birthday. We enjoyed the Rebel Rousers Anniversary dance on Saturday.

We look forward to our own Ice Cream Social dance coming up next Friday. Please be sure to check in with Linda for toppings and other treats. Help with setup, serving and clean up is also needed.

Thanks again to Linda and Charlie for running the dance last weekend.

John and Debbie Cave

Message from the 1st Vice Presidents

Charlie and Linda Harris

Dear Club Members,

As we prepare for our upcoming event (club dance July 25), we want to encourage all members to come early at 7 PM to help with setup and to stay for tear down afterward.

Setup Details: During setup, we will be putting out chairs, arranging snacks, and providing water for our visitors. It's a great opportunity to connect with fellow members and ensure that everything is in place for a wonderful experience.

Please consider lending a hand, as it truly makes a difference in creating a welcoming environment for everyone. If you have any questions or need further clarification about the setup or tear down process, feel free to reach out!

MANY HANDS MAKE FOR LESS WORK!

We look forward to seeing you there!

See you in a square,

Charlie and Linda Harris – 1st VP

July 25th Ice Cream Social Volunteer Sheet. This is a **Double Deal Dance**, so we're expecting a crowd.

We have empty spots! Your support is critical to making this event a success and enjoyable for all.

Why Your Help Matters: Every pair of hands makes a difference!



Double Deal - Ice Cream Social – July 25th Dance Sign-Up Sheet



Servers

8:00pm – 8:15pm	Dave and Lorraine Burson	
8:15pm – 8:30pm	John and Debbie Cave	
8:30pm – 8:45pm		
After 8:45pm	self-serve and clean up	

Toppings (indicate which kind)

Caves – Chocolate, Strawberry, Caramel	
Burson – Pineapple, Chocolate Syrup	
Mulvin – Caramel, Strawberry	

Cookies

Charlie and Linda Harris	
Richard and Jan Covington	
Nevin and Sara Mulvin	
Chris and Merry Trujillo	

Ice Cream – Chris and Merry Trujillo

Paper Products – Charlie and Linda Harris

- Spoons
- Bowls
- Table covers
- Napkins

Thank you for signing up! We look forward to seeing you there!

3rd Quarter Dues are due starting July 1, 2025

If you normally pay for the half-year you need to pay is \$55.00 per single member and \$110.00 per couple. One quarter is \$27.50 per single member and \$55.00 per couple. So please pay your dues at the next dance in July or mail a check made out to the Swinging Stars to the treasurer:

Nevin R Mulvin
Treasurer Swinging Stars
3409 Eisenhower Ln
Plano, TX 75023-3933
972-618-0750

2nd VP Report

Ron and Donita See

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

Swinging Stars Banners Out

Club	Date Captured
Triangle Squares	05/30/25
Road Runners	05/30/25
Circle I	05/30/25

***EVENTS FROM THE PAST WEEK**

Of Interest Club Visitation

Friday, July 18 – Kissin' Kuzzins – Heatwave

Mike Bramlett called an interesting dance. He thru in some interesting combinations of calls that kept all of us paying attention what was coming next. It was a FUN TIME. There were three squares dancing all evening. There was 17 Visitors and 20 KISSIN KUZZINS members, for a total of 37 attending the dance. The only SWINGING STARS attending were Dave and Lorraine Burson.

Official Club Visitation – Anniversary Dance - Banner Retrieval

Saturday, July 19 – Rebel Rousers – Christmas in July

The Rebel Rousers Anniversary dance was a great one. The theme was Christmas in July and Gene and Diane dressed up as Mr. and Mrs. Claus. There were 11 squares for the grand March. There were 108 Visitors and 42 Rebel Rousers for a total of 150. We had three Swinging Star couples, the Bursons, the Caves and the Harrises. We recovered our banner and got two signatures toward our next Club Patch. Scott Bennett was the guest Caller. Thanks to John Cave for this report.

*** COMING EVENTS ***

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

<https://new.nortex.org/nortex/wp-content/uploads/2025-07-Promenade.pdf>

Wednesday, July 23 – Ladies Luncheon

The Ladies Luncheon for this month, hosted by Peggy Amy, is scheduled for Wednesday, July 23, at 12:30 pm. at Flying Fish. The restaurant is located at 649 Powell Lane, Plano 75075. The location is on the west side of 75 off of Plano Parkway, just West of the intersection of Alma and

Plano Parkway. The Flying Fish is a laid-back eatery serving seafood, po' boy sandwiches, also, chicken and salads. Check out their website at <https://www.flyingfishinthe.net/plano/> . Please RSVP to Peggy at amybpeggy@verizon.net or text at 972-824-5435 by July 22. Looking forward to another fun time at our July luncheon.

Friday, July 25 – Swinging Stars – Double Deal Dance – Ice Cream Social

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

Caller: Charlie Robertson

Cuer: Chris Farabaugh

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

Note: See page 41 of the **July** Promenade for more information.

Of Interest Club Visitation

Sunday, August 24 – NTCA Benefit Dance for Flood Victims

Callers: NTCA Callers

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Where: Swingtime Center – 5100 SE Loop 820, Ft. Worth, TX

Time: 4:00 - 6:00 PM

Note: See flyer at the end of this Newsletter for more information.

*** * * OTHER EVENTS * * ***

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Sunshine information

From Peggy Amy and Nina Lassiter our Sunshine Reporters

From Ron See:

Donita See is with the Lord now. She was given a life-ending diagnosis when she entered the hospital and she passed away early Wednesday morning.

She has been a big part of my life as I have known her for almost 60 years and been married to her for almost 55 years.

Thank you so much for all of the prayers and virtual hugs. It comforts me to know she is no longer suffering and is in a much better place. I know she will be greatly missed by all who knew her. Knowing my precious soulmate is with her Savior and that one day we will be reunited is a great comfort to me. My 2 sons and their families have provided much support, comfort, and food during this ordeal.

The memorial service will be a family-only event but sympathy cards can be sent to my home.

Ron See

2005 Macao Place

Plano, TX 75075

So sorry to hear about Donita. We're sending a heartfelt hug and many prayers.

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, July 25, 2025 **Swinging Stars Double Deal** Dance

Friday, September 26, 2025 **Swinging Stars Round up Theme** Dance

Friday, October 24, 2025 **NTCA Callers Cavalcade**

Saturday, October 25, 2025 **NORTEX 2025 Round-Up**

Friday, April 24, 2026 **Swinging Stars 51st Anniversary** 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@swingingsstars.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

Email: newsletter_editor@swingingsstars.org

Phone: 972-396-0941

See Flyers below



Swinging Stars

Double Deal Dance

Ice Cream Social

Two Signature Dance

Friday July 25, 2025

Caller: Charlie Robertson Cues: Chris Farabaugh

Network Community of Ministries

1500 International Pkwy Ste 300 Richardson, TX 75081

Banners, Honey Pot, Singles Board, Lite Snacks

Dancers under 18 dance for free when accompanied by a paying adult.

For info: 972-836-3201 or president@swingingstars.org

Visit our Web page: www.swingingstars.org



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Network Ministries Benefit Dance

Benefiting the Network Communities Ministries.

**A group of Churches in Richardson that support people
in their community with staples for life. Currently we are
Asking for school supplies**

Suggested Donations:

Paper, Folders, Crayons, Pens, Markers, Glue Sticks



August 8, 2025

NETWORK OF COMMUNITY MINISTRIES

1500 International Pkwy Ste 300

Richardson, TX 75081

Caller: Charlie Robertson

Early Rounds: 7:30

Cuer: Jan Toms

Square up: 8:00

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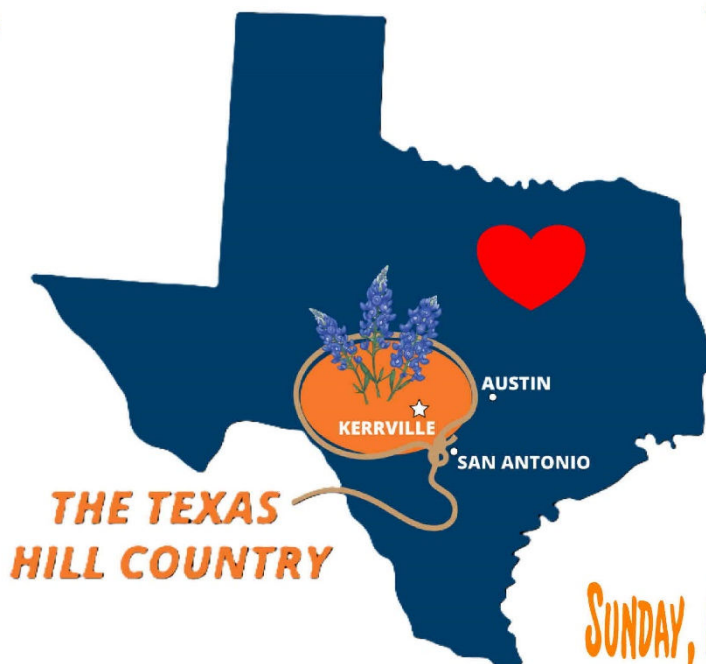
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LET'S HELP OUR HILL COUNTRY NEIGHBORS



NTCA CALLERS AND CUERS

SUNDAY, AUGUST 24, 2025
4:00 - 6:00 PM

COME HELP OUR TEXAS FAMILIES
WHO ARE IN A DESPERATE SITUATION!

YOUR GENEROUS DONATIONS WOULD BE MUCH APPRECIATED.

Swingtime Center

5100 SE Loop 820, Fort Worth, TX 76140

For Information:

Vernon Jones - 817.727.6483