



Swinging Stars

Square and Round Dance Club



Newsletter for September 21, 2025

Message from the Presidents

John and Debbie Cave

The Caves will be in Mexico for vacation. We leave you in the hands of the capable board members and hope you enjoy the Round Up theme dance on September 26. We will not be submitting President's reports for the September 21 and 28 newsletters. See you again in October.

John & Debbie Cave

Message from the 1st Vice Presidents

Charlie and Linda Harris

Dear Members,

Our next 'BIG' event will be September 26th (**Round Up Themed Dance "BARN DANCE" and Double Signature** Tim Tyl and Chris Farabaugh).

We need to arrive early (**6:45**) for extra setup and decorations. Our fabulous decorator, (Debbie Reid) is preparing something special for the night. We are so happy to hear that she and Jim will be back to dancing that night.

This is a "**Significant fund raiser**" for the club and we'll need all of your support, helping with **refreshments**, setup and tear down. We'll setup as we did for the anniversary dance with the food in the lobby.

Below are suggestions for what to bring, but whatever you decide is great as all refreshment support is welcome! Let me know what you plan to bring!! The below is not a form. Please send me an email or call to let me know what you can bring.



Finger Sandwiches and Chips	Name
2 loaves Sandwiches	Charlie and Linda Harris
2 loaves Sandwiches	Nevin and Sara Mulvin
Sandwiches and Chips	Richard and Jan Covington
Chicken Salad Sandwiches	Chris and Merry Trujillo

Veggie or Fruit Tray	Name
Veggie Tray	Harry and Zari Kilejian
Fruit Tray	Peggy Amy

Chips and Dips	Name
Chips and Dip	Dave and Lorraine Burson

Dessert	Name
Peanut Clusters	Charlie and Linda Harris
Dessert	Peggy Amy

Provided plates, napkins, table covers and forks.

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

Charlie and Linda Harris

2nd VP Report

Ron 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
Kissin' Kuzzins	09/05/25

Swinging Stars Banners Out

Club	Date Captured

***EVENTS FROM THE PAST WEEK**

Official Visitation – Round-Up Dance

Friday, September 19 – Texas Reelers – Queen's Quadrille

The Texas Reelers held a special dance Friday evening which celebrated old time dancing for their Pre-Round-Up Dance. Club callers Deborah Carroll-Jones and Jon Jones were joined by cuer Jan Toms who did a great job handling the rounds. The event was started by spending about 25 minutes as a meet and greet with Officer Wendling and the police dog Hondo to whom the club donated a protective vest. Most of the rest of the evening was spent as a workshop learning star formations and ending with the quadrille that was used in square dancing many years ago. There was a total of 64 dancers attending with 5 Swinging Stars: the Harrises, Kilejians, and Ron See.

Of Interest Visitation

Saturday, September 20 – Rebel Rousers – Back to School

The Rebel Rousers held their "Back to School" dance on Saturday evening. Club caller Mike Bramlett was joined by club cuer Christine Hixson. Mike had a pop quiz composed of 5th grade questions before every tip - the person who raised their hand and answered the question correctly got a piece of candy. Mike also played "mikey says" (Mike's version of "Simon Says") with the dancers. If the dancer does a call and Mike didn't say "Mikey says" before that call then that dancer is out. The last dancers standing win. All in all it was a fun-filled evening for up to 4 squares of dancers. The Swinging Stars in attendance were the Covingtons, Kilejians, and Ron See.

*** COMING EVENTS ***

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

<https://new.nortex.org/nortex/wp-content/uploads/2025-09-Promenade.pdf>

Friday, September 26 – Swinging Stars – Round-Up Barn Dance

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

Caller: Tim Tyl

Cuer: Jan Toms

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

Note: See page 36 of the **September Promenade** for more information.

* * * OTHER EVENTS * * *

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Sunshine information

From Peggy Amy and Nina Lassiter our Sunshine Reporters

Sara Mulvin had a fall at home and was hospitalized with a fractured leg on Friday. She will be moved to a rehab facility sometimes this weekend or Monday. When I spoke to Nevin, it was not yet decided which rehab facility she would be going.

Please keep Sara and Nevin in your thoughts and prayers! Sara loves sending cards to express her love, care and support. I'm thinking she would enjoy hearing from us. We will miss her!

Address: 3409 Eisenhower Ln.

Plano, TX 75023

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, 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, December 12, 2025 (6:30 PM) **Swinging Stars Holiday Party** at **Little Rome Restaurant**,
2707 W 15th, Plano, TX
www.thelittlerome.com

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@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

Roundup Theme Dance

Come to our Barn Dance



Two Signature Dance

Friday September 26, 2025

*Caller: Tim Tyl
Cuer: Jan Toms*

*Early Rounds 7:30
Square up 8:00*

*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



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Friday October 10, 2025

Caller: Mike Bramlett

Early Rounds 7:30

Cuer: Chris Farabaugh

Square up: 8:00



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