

Newsletter for October 9, 2022

Message from Presidents John and Debbie Cave

We had a nice Student Graduation on Monday at the Liberty Rec Center. All six students will be joining our club. Please give them a warm welcome when you see them. Invite them into a square to dance with you.

Final reminder: we will begin dancing at the Chapel Hills Methodist Church Fellowship Hall. Our first dance there will be on Oct 14th for our Pre-Roundup Dance with Dan Nordbye calling and David Berling cueing. The address is 12411 Templeton Trail in Farmers Branch. We will have lots of visitors, so let's make sure they all get to dance.

See you in a square.

John and Debbie Cave

4th Quarter Dues are <u>Due</u> starting October 1, 2022

One quarter is \$27.50 per single member and \$55.00 per couple. So please pay your dues at the first dance in October 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 Phone: 972-618-0750

Dance Setup & Takedown

From Bob & Janet Rodgers

Please see the setup and takedown schedule through the end of January 2023. Bob and I plans to be at each dance to help with the setup and take down.

If you are unable to do your schedule date, please find someone to trade with and let Janet know at (951) 536-7189 either by text or phone call.

We will start setting up at 7pm.

Thank you Bob and Janet Rodgers

Dance Date	Setup & Takedown Crews		Location
Oct 14, 2022	Cave	Rodgers	Chapel Hill United Methodist Church
Nov 11, 2022	Rodgers	Nestor	Chapel Hill United Methodist Church
Dec 9, 2022	Deluke	Kilejian	Chapel Hill United Methodist Church
Jan 13, 2023	Edwards	Nejdl	Chapel Hill United Methodist Church
Jan 27, 2023		Harris	Chapel Hill United Methodist Church

2nd VP Report

From 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
T Square Gadabouts	4/19/2019
Circle I	8/13/2022
Rebel Rousers	8/20/2022
Dixie Chainers	10/01/2022

Swinging Stars Banners Out

Club	Date Captured
Trailblazers	4/30/2022
Tri-City Promenaders	8/12/2022
Triangle Squares	8/26/2022

Most NORTEX clubs have resumed dancing. Most clubs that have resumed

dancing have ads in the *Promenade.* To reach the **October** *Promenade*, click here: <u>http://www.swingingstars.org/2022_10_Promenade.pdf</u>

EVENTS FROM THE PAST WEEK

Of Interest Club Visitation for Plus Dancers Wednesday, October 5 – Plus 4s – Round Up Theme

Eleven Swinging Stars showed up to the Plus Fours Pre-Roundup Theme dance. There were 28 visitors. We were very pleased to have had a good showing of our members.

There were 3 squares in the first tip, with a few couples siting out. Toby always calls a fun dance. Thank You to our plus dancer members: Peggy Amy, Bergesens, Bursons, Kilejians, Rodgers and Stewarts for supported this visitation. Being that the dance was a Pre-Roundup Theme dance we received 2 signatures toward our 1100 Club Visitation Award patch.

Official Club Visitation – Banner Retrieval

Friday, October 7 – Texas Reelers – Hillbilly Heaven/Round Up Theme

Deborah Carroll Jones always comes up with songs that are relative to their club's Theme dances, and tonight was no exception. Jon also called with Deborah a strange tune about calling the dogs and he demonstrated blowing a cow's horn that was used to call home the dogs after a Coon Hunt. Sorry, you would have had to be there to understand. At one time I counted up to 12 round dance couples dancing to Chris Farabaugh' cueing. There were 8 Squares in the Grand March. They had 47 visitors and 27 Texas Reelers for a total of 74 Dancers. The Swinging Stars had 10 members there. Thank You to: Pete Adshire, Peggy Amy, Bursons, Harrises, Kilejians, Rodgers. We also received 2 more signatures toward our 1100 Club Visitation Award patch.

Of Interest Club Visitation

Saturday, October 8 – Circle I – Mask Up Halloween

Fun! Fun! Fun! Dance Saturday night at Circle I. Ray Savel called a very upbeat, fast paced dance. Chris Farabaugh had the round dancers enjoying him cueing their favorite tunes. I counted 8 round dance couples dancing most of the evening. Swinging Stars had a "grand total" of 5 members attending. We enjoyed dancing together in several squares during the evening. I must say Pete Adshire has learned how to Square dance very well and with a lot of confidence. So proud that he is a Swinging Star! There were 5 squares in the Grand March. They had 26 visitors and 25 Circle I members for a total of 51 dancers. Thank you to these Swinging Stars: Pete Adshire, Bursons and the Rodgers for supporting the Club Visitation.

*** COMING EVENTS ***

LADIES LUNCHEON WEDNESDAY OCTOBER12, 2022 AT 11:30

The **October Ladies Luncheon** will be hosted by Peggy Amy. Peggy has chosen la Madeleine's (Quaint French Cafe) 520 West 15th Street Plano, 75075 The date is Wednesday October 12, at 11:30AM Please RSVP to Peggy Amy by Oct.11 so she will know how many seats to reserve. RSVP to Email <u>amybpeggy@verizon.net</u> or Text 972-824-5435 For Directions go to la Madeline's by going to lamadeleine.com <u>https://lamadeleine.com/locations/plano-collin-creek</u> and click on directions and or check out their menu. Do not reply to Lorraine. Reply to Peggy Amy.

Friday, October 14 – Swinging Stars – Round Up Theme

Where: Chapel Hill United Methodist Church - 12411 Templeton, Farmers Branch
Caller: Dan Nordbye
Cuer: David Berling
Time: Rounds 7:30, Dance 8:00
Note: See page 36 of the October Promenade for more information

Official Club Visitation

Saturday, October 15 – Rebel Rousers – Halloween Dance/Round Up Theme

Where: Richardson Senior Center - - 820 W. Arapaho Rd, Richardson
Caller: Ken Burke
Cuer: Christine Hixson
Time: Rounds 7:00, Plus Fun Shop 7:30, Dance 8:00
Note: See page 37 of the October Promenade for more information

Of Interest Club Visitation

Friday, October 21 – Kissin' Kuzzins – That 70's Show

Where: Fields Recreation Center - - 1701 Dairy Rd, Garland
Caller: Dale Smith
Cuer: JL Pelton
Time: Rounds 7:00, M/S Workshop 7:30, Grand March 8:00
Note: See page 40 of the October Promenade for more information

Official Club Visitation – Banner Retrieval Saturday, October 22 – Tri City Promenaders – Pirates Dance

Where: Brookside Center - 1244 Brookside Dr, Hurst
Caller: Ray Savell
Cuer: Chris Farabaugh
Time: Rounds 7:00, Plus 7:30, Grand March 8:00
Note: See page 43 of the October Promenade for more information

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To reach the **October** *Promenade*, click here: <u>http://www.swingingstars.org/2022</u> 10 Promenade.pdf

Sunshine information

From Lucy Hamm our Sunshine Reporter No Report.

Special dates to put on your calendar

Friday, October 14, 2022 Swinging Stars Round Up Theme Dance. Friday, October 28, 2022, NTCA Caller's Cavalcade Saturday, October 29, 2022, NORTEX 2022 Round-Up Saturday, December 3, 2022, 5:30 PM Swinging Stars Holiday Party at Elks Lodge.

Web Master Dave Burson

Be sure to check out our web page: <u>www.swingingstars.org</u> There is a lot of information about what is going on with the Swinging Stars. For information about weekend dances, go to our Web Page and click on Weekends.

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:

<u>newsletter_editor@swingingstars.org</u> 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: <u>newsletter_editor@swingingstars.org</u> Phone: 972-396-0941

See Flyer below









Dan Nordbye **David Berling Guest Caller Guest Cuer**



8:00 Square Up

ignature **Location Change! Chapel Hill Methodist Church** 7:30 Early Rounds 12411 Templeton Trail Farmers Branch TX 75234

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