

Newsletter for May 30, 2021

Message from Presidents Doug and Jan Bergesen

Square dancing is opening up! Wouldn't it be fun if a bunch of us could go to Kissin' Kuzzens this Friday and surprise them? Hope to see you there!

Doug and Jan Bergesen

2nd VP Report From Ralph and Lucy Hamm

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
Log Cabin Swingers	5/04/2019
Dixie Chainers	12/14/2019
Texas Reelers	1/17/2020
Rebel Rousers	1/18/2020
Kissin Kuzzins	2/29/2020

Swinging Stars Banners Out

Club	Date Captured
Lone Star Solos	1/24/2020

Many NORTEX clubs have resumed dancing or will in the near future. NORTEX is maintaining a listing of clubs with their status on this web page: http://new.nortex.org/nortex/?page_id=3043

In addition, most clubs that have resumed dancing have ads in the *Promenade*. To reach the June *Promenade*, click here: <u>http://new.nortex.org/nortex/wp-content/uploads/2021-06-Promenade.pdf</u> **Note of Interest: A** notice on page 6 of the June *Promenade* indicates that the Diamond Jubileers, who danced at Swingtime, have closed.

Below are some dances you may be interested in this week. These are not Swinging Stars visitations – we will resume scheduling visitations in July.

	nemonal Day Dance (Owingtime)
Date:	May 31
Time:	7:00 – 9:30PM
Callers:	Charles Crockett, Ray Savell, Jon Jones, Deborah Carroll-Jones, Toby Thomason,
	Vernon Jones
Cuer:	Jack Von der Heide

Kissin' Kuzzins (Garland Senior Center)

Date:	June 4
Time:	7:00 – Early Rounds, 7:30 – Plus Workshop, 8:00 – Grand March
Caller:	Mike Bramlett
Cuer:	JL Pelton

54th Annual NORTEX Officer Installation and Dance (Swingtime)

Date: June 6

Time: 4:00 – Installation - 5:30, 7:30 – FREE Dance

Caller: Bobby Willis

Cuer: Jack Von der Heide

Note: Masks required except while dancing.

The NORTEX Roundup Kickoff Dance will be on Sunday, June 27 with Mike Bramlett calling and Chris Farabaugh cueing. See page 9 of the June *Promenade* for details.

Celebration of the Life of Jerry Story

Date: August 7, 2021

Where: Swingtime

Schedule: 2:00 – 4:00PM – Reception

4:00PM – Optional BarBQue (\$20 per person)

7:30 – 9:30PM – Dance featuring callers in attendance (free, advance ticket) For more information including contact information and how to get your ticket, copy and paste this link in your browser:

https://pridervresort.com/jerry/?fbclid=IwAR2cxJtZftUIW5X8BcHwkkrB5ptZdIDTfYf7o7eijMKfn Y5V_BAKk2lu9ec

* * * EVENTS FROM THE PAST WEEK * * *

None

* * * COMING EVENTS * * *

Swinging Stars will resume dancing June 11 at Grace Church!

* * * OTHER EVENTS * * *

Round Dance Lessons Schedule

JL and Linda Pelton

It's official -- we will be offering a Beginning Jive/Swing class in September.

Carpenter Recreation Center Saturdays -- 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Jive/Swing Class #38869 Start Date -- September 18 Ending Date -- November 13

Signups should start in mid-summer for the fall classes through the Plano Parks and Rec. Department.

Best regards, Linda **Round Dance Lessons** – Christine Hixson will be offering lessons June 7 through August 30 at Granger Rec Center in Garland. Lessons will begin at 7:00 with review of basic waltz and two step dances followed by beginning cha and rumba instruction from 7:30 to 9:00. See ad on page 16 of the June *Promenade* for complete details.

Sunshine information From Lucy Hamm our Sunshine Reporter

No news so just the birthdays and an anniversaries.

Special dates to put on your calendar

Friday June 11, 2021, 7:00 PM – Swinging Stars Dance – Grace Church located at 2005 Estates Parkway in Lucas.

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).

See Flyer below

Dave Burson Newsletter Editor Swinging Stars Email: <u>newsletter_editor@swingingstars.org</u> Phone: 972-396-0941





<u>New Location</u>: Grace Church: 2005 Estates Parkway, Lucas, TX 75002 (Enter around back.)

* No refreshments--Bring your own food and drinks *

For Info: 972-834-3097 or President@swingingstars.org Visit our Web Site: www.swingingstars.org

Dancers Under 18 Free When Accompanied By A Paying Adult

