



Swinging Stars

Square and Round Dance Club

Newsletter for June 11, 2023

Message from the Presidents

John and Debbie Cave

We had a great "Hot fun in the Summertime" dance on Friday. We had 27 Swinging Stars and 26 visitors in attendance. Charlie brought a new caller, Jonathan, to the dance. Jonathan joined him on one of the singing calls and was very light-footed on the dance floor.

Jan did a great job cueing the round dancers and tried to teach some of us to do a line dance. It is great to see the round dancers enjoying the dance.

This was the last dance at the Chapel Hills UMC, as the board has found a new location for the club to use beginning in July. It is in Richardson at the Network Ministries Building, so will be closer for many and will have more room and a better arrangement for the club. The address is 1500 International Parkway, at the corner of Collins and International Parkway. We will be dancing there on July 14th.

We will be dark on June 23rd for Nationals, so don't drive over as no one will be at the church.

Lessons started last Monday. We are off to a good start and we will need angels to help with the students. Please let Lorraine know if you will be available.

See you in a Square,
John and Debbie Cave

Message from the 1st Vice Presidents

Dave and Lorraine Burson

Message to the Swinging Stars about Square Dance Lessons.

Yea! The class made.

We had our 1st Square Dance lesson on Monday June 5th. The lessons are every Monday from 7:15 to 9:15 for 16 weeks. We have 10 Students signed up to take the lessons. So, we have the required number to have the class. We had 13 Swing Star members Angeling. Thank you to all of the Swinging Star Members that have signed up to be Angels for the lessons. We are looking forward to having a wonderful class this time around. We have some very energetic students taking lessons so it will be fun. Some of the 13 Angles that were at the first lessons on June 5th will not be able to help this week. Hope any one that is available will come and help Angel. Please Come!

Double Deal Dance/Ice Cream Social

If you read last week's newsletter you know we will be having our Double Deal Dance/Ice Cream Social on July 28. Being that it is July and very hot weather, and hopefully will have a large crowd with having places to set down and enjoy eating ice cream at our new venue. The New venue is the NETWORK MINESTRIES building located at 1500 International Pkwy Suite #300, Richardson TX.78081. Click on the following link for a map to the new venue:

<https://goo.gl/maps/4SYVpEMv9EuJt75a6>

We will get the Ice Cream and we will have the necessary supplies such as bowls, spoons, cups for coffee and water. Friday night at our dance, I had sign-up sheet for signing up to help with the **Set-up Committee**: No-one has signed for this. **Ice Cream Servers**: One couple has signed up for this we could use a couple more. **Bringing Toppings for Ice Cream**: 2 couples have signed up to help with this, we need more. **Bringing Cookies**: only one couple has volunteered to bring cookies. We will need more **Decorations Committee**: Debbie Reid has volunteered for this, but she will need help. **Greeters**: The Caves have signed up for the 7:15 to 7:45. We need More to help at 7:45 to 8:00 I know we had several members that were not at the dance on Friday, so I am very hopeful that all club members will be willing to help with this special dance. Our club is small but we can be mighty. I will have the sign-up sheets at the Dance on July 14th. Don't wait till then, call me or email me and let me know how you can help. lorraine@bursons.us or 972-396-0941 Thank you, I will be waiting to hear from you. Please let me know how you will help make our square dance club what it once was.

Dance Setup & Cleanup for regular dance nights.

A big Thank you to everyone that helped with the setup and cleanup. All your work helping is greatly appreciated. It has not yet been decided if we will be having a set up and clean up Committees at our new place. I will get back to all of you about that when I know more.

Thank you,
Dave and Lorraine Burson
1st Vice Presidents

Dance Date	Setup	Clean up	Location
July 14, 2023	Miramontes/ Masala	Amy	Network of Community Ministries
July 28, 2023	D/D committees	All clean up	Network of Community Ministries
August 11, 2023			Network of Community Ministries
August 25, 2023			Network of Community Ministries

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
Kissin' Kuzzins	04/21/2023

Swinging Stars Banners Out

Club	Date Captured
Triangle Squares	03/31/2023
Log Cabin Swingers	03/31/2023
Rebel Rousers	03/31/2023
Roadrunners	04/14/2023
Circle I	05/26/2023
Texas Reelers	05/26/2023

EVENTS FROM THE PAST WEEK

Sunday, June 4 – NORTEX Installation and Dance

Mike Bramlett did a wonderful job of calling. He had people in stitches. Christine Hixson had the round dancers smiling. Many dancers expressed how much they enjoyed the 2023 Installation and Dance. Swinging Stars in attendance were Pete Abshire, the Bursons, and the Harris.

Of Interest Club Visitation for Plus Dancers

Wednesday, June 7 – Plus 4s

Plus 4s had their monthly dance Wednesday evening featuring guest caller Ray Savell. There were three squares on the dance floor to enjoy Ray's calling. Swinging Stars in attendance were the Bursons, Kilejians, and Sees.

Official Club Visitation – Banner Retrieval

Saturday, June 10 – Circle I – A Hot Time

No report submitted.

*** COMING EVENTS ***

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

<http://new.nortex.org/nortex/wp-content/uploads/2023-06-Promenade.pdf>

Official Club Visitation – Banner Retrieval

Saturday, June 10 – Circle I – A Hot Time

Where: Heritage Senior Center - - 200 S. Jefferson St, Irving

Caller: Ray Savell

Cuer: Chris Farabaugh

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

Note: See page 19 of the June Promenade for more information

Ladies Luncheon

Wednesday, June 14, 2023 AT 11:30

The June Ladies Luncheon will be hosted by Debbie Cave. All Swinging Stars Ladies are invited to join us for lunch at the Corner Bakery Cafe, 7615 Campbell Rd #106, Dallas 75248 (near Coit & Campbell) on the Northwest corner of Campbell and Coit, next to Marshalls Dept. Store. Corner Bakery Cafe is an American chain of cafes that specialize in pastries, breads, breakfast dishes, gourmet sandwiches, homemade soups, salads, and pasta. They have a variety menu. You may look over the menu at www.cornerbakerycafe.com/menu. Hope to see you there.

Please let Debbie Cave know that you will attend by June 13 at 972-623-7524 or dacave2016@gmail.com.

Official Club Visitation - Banner Retrieval

Friday, June 16 – Texas Reelers – Favorite T-shirt Dance

Where: Richardson Senior Center - - 820 W. Arapaho Rd, Richardson

Caller: Deborah Carroll Jones, Jon Jones

Cuer: Chris Farabaugh

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

Note: See page 24 of the June Promenade for more information

Official Club Visitation – Banner Retrieval

Saturday, June 17 – Rebel Rousers – Take me out to the Ballgame

Where: Richardson Senior Center - - 820 W. Arapaho Rd, Richardson

Caller: Deborah Carroll Jones

Cuer: Christine Hixson

Time: Rounds 7:00, Plus FunShop 7:30, Dance 8:00

Note: See page 28 of the June Promenade for more information

Of Interest Club Visitation – Double Deal

Friday, June 30 – Circle 8 – Weekend Dance

Where: Swingtime Center - - 5100 S.E. Loop 820 @ Anglin, Ft Worth

Callers: Tony Oxendine, Melton Luttrell

Time: Mainstream Workshop 7:00, Mainstream 7:30, Plus 9:30

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

* * * OTHER EVENTS * * *

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Sunshine information

From Peggy Amy our Sunshine Reporter

No news to report.

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

Please send to Peggy Amy amybpeggy@verizon.net

Special dates to put on your calendar

Friday, July 28, 2023 **Swinging Stars Double Deal** Dance.

Friday, October 13, 2023 **Swinging Stars Pre Roundup** 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.

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:

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



Try something new in 2023

Come out and Learn to

SQUARE DANCE

Connect with other fun People

Dance to some of your favorite music

Its fun engaging and relaxing

Fun couple date night activity

Less than \$5.00 pre night per person

Modern Square Dance (Beg) #54239

Location: Liberty Recreation Center
2601 Glencliff Dr., Plano Tex.75075

Phone 972-769-4234

June 5, 2023 to September 18, 2023

Monday 7:15 PM - 9:15 PM

Instructor: David Toms

Fee Per Person

Plano Resident \$75.00

Non Resident \$79.00

10% Discount for 60 or more years old

Registration Starts

Plano Residents May 6, 2023 at 8:00 AM

Non Plano Residents May 8 at 5:00 AM

Number of sessions 16

First session June 5 is FREE, however, after your first lesson on June 5, if you think this is fun and you decide that you would like to take the lessons, you must register that evening after the lesson is over.

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For more information call:

Lorraine Burson 972-396-0941 or Email: 1stvp@swingingstars.org

See website: www.swingingstars.org

SWINGING STARS

Casual Dress



July 14th

Banners
Honey Pot
Singles Board



Club Caller

Charlie Robertson

Guest Cues

Chris Farabaugh

**DOG DAYS
of SUMMER!**

Location Change



Network of Community Ministries

1500 International Parkway #300

Richardson, TX 75081

Early Rounds 7:30
Square Up 8:00

For Info: (972) 836-3201 or President@swingingstars.org
Visit our Web Site: www.swingingstars.org



Swinging Stars

Square and Round Dance Club

DOUBLE DEAL ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Friday July 28, 2023

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

New Venue

Network Ministries Building

1500 International Pkwy Ste 300,

Richardson, TX 75081

Caller: Tim Tyl

Early Rounds: 7:30

Cuer: Jan Toms

Grand March: 8:00

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

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

Visit our Website: www.swingingstars.org



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