



Newsletter for July 11, 2021

Message from Presidents

Doug and Jan Bergesen

What a great dance we had Friday night! We had almost as many visitors as Swinging Stars members! In fact, Rebel Rousers had so many in attendance, they got their banner back. Let's go steal it again this Saturday! See you there!

Doug and Jan Bergesen

Treasurer Report

From Nevin and Sara Mulvin

Third Quarter Dues are due, but most members have already paid their dues. If you paid for six months or the full year of 2020 you have already paid your third quarter dues.

I have rolled all paid dues into the third quarter. If you paid for six months of 2020 the third quarter of 2021 is paid. If you paid for the full year of 2020, the third and fourth quarter of 2021 and the first quarter of 2022 are paid. Only members that pay quarterly will have third quarter dues due and most have already done so.

Bob & Janet Rodgers joined the Swinging Stars at Friday night dance; Gary Amy has also joined the Swinging Stars.

Hope this helps,
Nevin & Sara Mulvin
Treasurer Swinging Stars

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

Swinging Stars Banners Out

Club	Date Captured

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 July *Promenade*, click here: <http://new.nortex.org/nortex/wp-content/uploads/2021-07-Promenade.pdf>

*** * * EVENTS FROM THE PAST WEEK * * ***

*** * * COMING EVENTS * * ***

Friday, July 16: Kissin' Kuzzins Visitation (Of Interest)

When: 7:00 Early Rounds, 7:30 Workshop, 8:00 Grand March

Caller: Bill Hinkley

Cuer: JL Pelton

Where: Garland Senior Activity Center, 600 Avenue A

Theme: Beach Days; Casual

Saturday, July 17: Rebel Rousers Visitation (Official)

When: 7:00 Early Rounds, 7:30 Grand March

Caller: Mike Bramlett

Cuer: Christine Hixson

Where: Richardson Senior Center, 820 W. Arapaho Rd

Theme: Dust Off the Cobwebs; Casual

Thursday, July 22: Lone Star Solos Visitation (Of Interest)

When: 7:00 Rounds Work Shop, 7:30 Plus Fun Shop, 8:00 Grand March

Caller: **Jan Bergesen**

Cuer: David Berling

Where: Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, 3217 Guthrie Rd, Garland

Friday, July 30: Texas Reelers Visitation (Official)

When: 7:30 Early Rounds, 8:00 Grand March

Caller: Deborah Carroll-Jones & Jon Jones

Cuer: Chris Farabaugh

Where: Richardson Senior Center, 820 W. Arapaho Rd

Theme: Stand Up for the USA

Thursday – Saturday, September 2 – 4: 25th Annual Evening in Paris plus weekend at Love Civic Center in Paris, TX

If you plan to go, be sure to let Lorraine Burson know (lorraine@bursons.us) by July 15 – help our club earn \$50 (2 squares attending) or \$100 (3 squares attending)! The list of callers for this event is a who's who of square dance calling in America.

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

Round Dance Lessons Schedule

JL and Linda Pelton

JL and Linda will be offering two classes starting in September: Jive on Saturdays in the middle of the day and Rumba on Tuesday evenings. Classes will be held at Carpenter Recreation Center, 6701 Coit Road, Plano in the downstairs multi-purpose room.

Here are the start dates of each class along with the course # needed to sign up.

- **Beginning Jive – Saturday Mornings**
Starts Saturday, September 18
11:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m.
Course #38869
- **Beginning Rumba – Tuesday Evenings**
Starts Tuesday, September 21
7:30 to 9:30 p.m.
Course #40597

You can sign up through the Plano Parks and Recreation Catalog online, or you can register by calling the center at 972-208-8087.

Both classes finish in mid-November before the Thanksgiving holidays.

Sunshine information

From Lucy Hamm our Sunshine Reporter

It was nice to see Mary Hardin during a visit to Swinging Stars dance Friday night. Our thoughts and prayers continue to be with her.

Debbie and Jim Reid were also dancing with us. Debbie will have reverse shoulder replacement surgery on July 16. She will have one night in the hospital and home the next day. She will wear a sling for 3 weeks afterwards. Prayers and kind thoughts to Debbie and Jim for a successful surgery and a smooth rehabilitation.

A sincere welcome from all of us to Bob and Janet Rodgers who are from Anna. They officially joined the Swinging Stars club at Friday's dance.

Special dates to put on your calendar

Friday October 29, 2021 – NTCA 2021 Caller's Cavalcade

Saturday October 30, 2021 – NORTEX 2021 Round-Up

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 Flyer below





Swinging Stars



Caller:
Bobby Willis

Cuer:
JL Pelton

Hawaiian Dances!



**New Location: Grace Church: 2005 Estates Parkway,
Lucas, TX 75002 (Enter around back.)**

Friday, Aug. 13 & Friday, Aug 27, 2021

Early Rounds	7:00
Squares Refresher	7:30
Grand March	8:00



** Casual summer attire-
Shorts are fine.**
** Please bring your own
food and drinks.**

For Info: 972-964-5979
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Visit our Web Site:
www.swingingstars.org

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When Accompanied
By A Paying Adult

