# Newsletter for November 12, 2023

# Message from the Presidents John and Debbie Cave

Happy Veterans Day to you all. Debbie & I observed it with our Rotary Club Saturday morning in Melissa.

It was a fun dance on Friday with Charlie calling along with one of his friends, Jim and Dede from Oklahoma City, helping on a couple of tips. There were two more visitors with them, Don and Mary, who earned dangles for their visit (Mary is a great corner by the way). As always, Jan did a wonderful job cueing. We had 7-8 couples round dancing.

Please put the General Club Meeting on your calendar, Nov 19. We will be at the Spring Creek BBQ in Richardson, off 75. Meet at 4:00 and enjoy a meal to follow.

Please be thinking about serving on the board in the coming year. We need a first Vice President to fill out the board and we have yet to find a someone to serve. We need members to support the club so that we can keep growing and enjoying the dancing we love.

Please save the date for our Christmas party, Dec 2nd at Nina Lassiter's home. Make your payment (\$19/person) to Nevin.

See you in a square, John and Debbie Cave

# 4<sup>th</sup> Quarter Dues are <u>Past Due</u>. They started October 1, 2023

One quarter is \$27.50 per single member and \$55.00 per couple. So please pay your dues ASAP.

Nevin R Mulvin Treasurer Swinging Stars 3409 Eisenhower Ln Plano, TX 75023-3933 Phone: 972-618-0750

# Message from the 1<sup>st</sup> Vice Presidents

Charlie and Linda Harris

#### **Swinging Stars Hospitality Reminder!**

Thank you to all that showed early to support our club! Many hands help make the tasks much easier. Your participation helps our club continue to enjoy success!

Please arrive at 7:00pm and park in the back. The back door will be open for your entry.

Let me know, if you have any questions. **Send me an email if you can help.** 

#### LindaHarristx@hotmail.com

#### **Hospitality Teams**

Dance Date	Notes	
Dec 8	No Snacks Needed; Hospitality Only	
Jan 12	No Snacks Needed; Hospitality Only	
Jan 26	No Snacks Needed; Hospitality Only	

#### **Swinging Stars Holiday Party 2023**

We're looking forward to our Annual Holiday Party at Nina Lassiter's home. See attached flyer for details. We need a firm head count for the caterer. It will be BBQ and the fixins' plus peach cobbler. See you there!

Thank you for your support, Charlie and Linda Harris – 1<sup>st</sup> VP

# 2<sup>nd</sup> VP Report

#### **Dave and Lorraine Burson**

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	10/06/2023

#### **Swinging Stars Banners Out**

Club	Date Captured
Triangle Squares	3/31/2023
Circle I	5/26/2023
Tri-City Promenaders	7/14/2023
Texas Reelers	11/10/2023

## \*\*\*EVENTS FROM THE PAST WEEK\*\*\*

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

http://new.nortex.org/nortex/wp-content/uploads/2023-11-Promenade.pdf

# Official Club Visitation - Banner Retrieval Saturday, November 11 - Circle I - Veterans Day

For any of you that have not been to Circle I's venue. The Heritage Senior Center in Irving is very nice and has a good floor for dancing. Ray Savell and Chris were on top of their game with the calling and cueing. There were 6 to 8 round dance couples during the early round and 4 or 5 squares during the early Plus dancing. The Grand March had 5 squares. There were a total of 69 dancers attending, 44 visitors and 25 Circle I members.

Sorry to say Swinging Stars just had the Bursons and Sees attending our Official Club Visitation Banner Retrieval. Perhaps had you been there we might have retrieved it.

## \*\*\* COMING EVENTS \*\*\*

#### **Ladies Luncheon**

#### Wednesday, November 15, 2023 AT 11:30

Peggy Amy is the Hostess for the November Ladies Luncheon. She has chosen her favorite Restaurant the Chocolate Angel Café and Tea Room (in the High Street Antique Mall) 800 Central Expressway, Plano. Wednesday November 15 at 11:30. Please reply to Peggy by November 13, to be able to let the management know how many ladies will be attending. Contact her at <a href="mailto:amybpeggy@verizon.net">amybpeggy@verizon.net</a> or 972-824-5435. Chocolate Angel is well known for their Homemade food, exclusive teas and one of a kind desserts. Yumm! Hope to see all of you there.

# Of Interest Club Visitation - Banner Raid – Double Deal Dance Friday, November 17 – T Square Gadabouts – Annual Turkey Shoot

Where: Swingtime Center - - 5100 SE Loop 820 @ Anglin, Ft Worth, TX

Caller: Vernon Jones

**Time:** Workshop 7:00, Dance 7:30 – 9:30

**Note:** See page 29 of the November Promenade for more information

# Official Club Visitation – Banner Retrieval

#### Saturday, November 25 – Tri-City Promenaders – Pirates New Dancer Dance

Where: Calvary Lutheran Church - 7620 Baker Blvd, Richland Hills, TX 76118

Caller: Ray Savell
Cuer: Chris Farabaugh

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

Note: There is something for everyone with the Early Rounds at 7: 00, a Plus Workshop

at 7:30 and Grand March at 8:00. Please be there to help retrieve our banner. We are

counting on you! We have had their banner since July 14,2023 See page 36 of the November 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 <a href="maybeggy@verizon.net">amybeggy@verizon.net</a>

## Special dates to put on your calendar

Sunday, November 19, 2023, 4:00 PM Swinging Stars General Club meeting at Spring Creek BBQ 270 N Central Expy, Richardson, TX 75080

Saturday, December 2, 2023 Swinging Stars Holiday Party at Nina Lassiter home

Friday, May 10, 2024 Swinging Stars 49<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance

Friday, November 22, 2024 Swinging Stars Double Deal 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

Email: newsletter editor@swingingstars.org

Phone: 972-396-0941

## See Flyers below







Caller: David Toms

Cuer: Jan Toms



Early Rounds 7:30 Square up 8:00



# December 8 2023

Network Ministries Building

1500 International Pkwy Ste. 300, Richardson, TX 75081 Dancers under 18 dance for free when accompanied with a paying adult

Refreshment Banners Honey Pot Singles Board Light Snacks
For Info: 972-836-3201 or president@swingingstars.org

Visit our website: www.swingingstars.org

