



Harvest Holiday



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♪ NOTES FROM OUR CHAIR ♪

At 1:00 p.m. on Sunday, August 8, we will have our quarterly meeting prior to the dance (which will begin at 2:00 p.m.). Members- please plan on attending. Also on Sunday will be the election of the 2011 Chaircouple. Our activity cannot exist without the participation and dedication of its dancers. Harvest Holiday is one of the oldest Round Dance Festivals thanks to the continued support and enthusiasm of the Dallas Fort Worth area dancers. We invite new dancers to participate and promote our activity. Membership is open to all that enjoy round dancing. Our monthly dances are phase 4-6 with quarterly dances for phases 2-4. During our week long festival we have "Trail In" dances Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, which are free for all to attend and usually all phases are called during an evening. Please encourage any level of dancer to attend these early dances – free! If the 50th Festival will be your first....you are in for a treat! Can you survive a Die Hard on Friday late night and/or a Die Easy late night Saturday?????? Have you had your Chicken Dance this year??????

*Happy Dancing,
Arlene and Leon Wallace*

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Harvest Holiday Festival SPOTLIGHT



The 50th Harvest Holiday Festival is coming!

Visit [http:// harvestholiday.com](http://harvestholiday.com) for registration forms, current information and schedule of events.

The HH Festival has survived since inception in 1961 from Pete Peterman's idea and the support of the area clubs (at that time) Redondo's, Round-a-le'res, Belles and Beaus, and Star Stepper. Attended by approximately 60 couples in 1961 and 215 couples at the 25th anniversary dance.....can you be counted to attend and continue the traditions?

Our Silver Anniversary was a wonderful extravaganza! We were gifted with so many choices of Round Dance clubs in our area in 1985. Did you ever have the opportunity of dancing with:

Tu-Nite Dancers; Out Of Rounds; Merry Rounders; Rhythm Rounds; Round Rockers; Rhapsody Rounds; Car-Mel Dancers; Roundaliers; DFW Carousels; Light Fantastic; Belles and Beaus; Twi-lighters of Ft Worth; Another Round; Wandering Rounds; Winters Circle; Dancing Shadows; Coterie Rounds; Rounds of Applause; Circle Chase...all these clubs were listed as clubs of our "Area Leaders". If I missed a club, I apologize.

A most interesting item I noticed in the 25th Anniversary directorythe Mini-Fest Instructors: Mel & Carolee Neuman, **Melton & Sue Luttrell**, Jim & Janet Green. Melton Luttrell is a member of the Square Dance Hall of Fame and still calling in Fort Worth. I never knew he was

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also a Cuer!

The Guest Instructors were Bob and Mary Ann Rother from Portland Oregon and Mesa, Arizona. Their choreography at that time listed: Fortuosity, Pepito, Kiss Me Honey, Spanish Eyes, Years May Come, Man In Love, Are You Lonesome Tonight, Moonlight Magic, In A Little Spanish Town, Somebody Loves Me, Hello My Baby and Hallelujah Jive.

The 25th Anniversary Dance Directory was sponsored by many area businesses as well Round Dance oriented- just to name a few: Jay Guillory, Sate Farm; C-S Round Dance Apparel; Reeves Records; Procter's Engraving; Recycle & More Square Dance Apparel; Crane Dancewear; Bunnee Beauty Salon; Dealer's Choice Auto Care; Grand Bank; KC & Co Dancewear; Lee Long Travel & Tours; JL Watt, Jr & Co, CPA; The YellowRock Shoppe. Many of the area clubs, cuers and dancers also placed ads.....a book of memories of another time. Did you know that ALL the dance directories are available to view during the festival? The tables beneath the Honor Row of Past Chairmen hold all the collected books and dance pictures from our past - a wonderful history!

The 25th Anniversary Festival was held at the "largest Dance Floor in the Southwest- Dallas, Texas....11,200 square feet or hardwood parquet dance floor" Ramada Hotels.

The years have brought many changes but we are seeing an increase in new dancers so progress is ours for the taking! For our 50th Festival Dance we are fortunate enough to have the opportunity to again dance on this lovely wood floor. Yes, The Ramada is now The Sterling Hotel! And you can help maintain our access to wood floor dancing by STAYING at the Sterling as well as registering for the 50th TODAY! Don't loose another floor, club or dance opportunity!

 **Support Our Activity** 

HARVEST HOLIDAY

NEXT FUN DANCE:

Sunday ~ August 8th

Elect our 2011 Chaircouple- Be There!

**MEETING @ 1PM
DANCE @ 2PM**



**Swingtime Center
2 PM- 5PM**

July 18th Dance Recap



Hosts: Christine & Theron Hixson

Greeters: Royce & Betty Wheaton

Refreshments: Marilou Webb

Attendance: 46

Clean Up: all club members

Cuers: Christine & Theron Hixson- Host
Ron & Marilou Webb
JL & Linda Pelton
Jack & Sharie Kenny
Chris & Maria Farabaugh

Christine cued:

Scheherazade
Beat of Your Heart
A Moment Lost
Younger Than Springtime
Angelina
You Needed Me
Lady Marmalade
The Best of Me
Island Rumba
Jumpin Jupiter
Big Blonde & Beautiful
Beautiful Dreamer
Have I Told You Lately

Ron cued:

Dancing in September
Caress
Me & My sister
Black Horse
Back Where I Belong
And I Love You So
Dark Waltz

JL cued:

Coney Island
Patricia Quatro
My First My Last My Everything
Milica
Kids of the Baby Boom
Tango Mannita
Cuando Me Enamoro

Chris cued:

No Walls
Dancing at Washington Square
I Need to Know
Guitarra Romantica
Run for the Roses

Jack cued:

My Sweet Catherine
Forrest Gump
Carnival
La Gloria
Senorita Tango

DFW Area Carousel Club Reports

Dance, Dance, Dance Thursday, 6:30-9:00 pm Holford Recreation Center, Garland	Ron and Marilou Webb <i>Caress</i> - Ph 6 Bolero - Kenji & Nobuko Shibata <i>I'm On Your Side</i> - Ph 6 West Coast Swing - Bill & Carol Goss
Merry Rounders Monday, 7:00-9:30 Eunice Senior Center, Arlington	Ron and Marilou Webb <i>Caress</i> - Ph 6 Bolero - Kenji & Nobuko Shibata
Ramblin' Rounds Tuesday, 7:30-9:30 pm Granger Rec Center #109, Garland	Theron and Christine Hixson <i>Best Of Me</i> - 4+1 BL – Goss/Figwer <i>Why Don't We Just Dance</i> – 4 JV – Townsend
Ramblin' Rounds Wednesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Churchill Recreation Center, Dallas	Theron and Christine Hixson <i>My First, My Last, My Everything</i> - 6 FT - Preskitt <i>What A Difference</i> - 4+2 RB - Slater

DFW Area Club Reports

Dance Arouds (Phase 2-3-4) Thursday, 6:15-8:45 p.m. Plano Sr. Center, Plano	JL and Linda Pelton <i>A Time For Love III</i> (Waltz III+2, Rotscheid) Reviewed: <i>Island Rumba, Jumpin Jupiter</i>
Rainbow Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Wednesday, 7:00-9:15 pm Swingtime Center, Fort Worth	Karen & Ed Gloodt <i>You'll Be In My Heart</i> - 4BL- Gloodt ; <i>Sleeping Beauty</i> -V BL- Moore; <i>von de Heide</i> taught: <i>Dream Awile; Autumn Leaves</i>
The Round Side (Phase 2-3-4) Tuesday, 7:00-9:30 p.m. Swingtime Center, Fort Worth	Charles and Tanya Crockett <i>Not Available</i>

****FOR CAROUSEL CLUB REPORT, visit member section of <http://ICBDA.com>****

Additional Area Round Dancing Opportunities

August 22 Sunday Afternoon Round Dance: **Cuer: Christine & Theron Hixson**
 2:00-5:00 pm Phase 2-4 sponsored by Cotton Pickin Squares, L3 Systems, Greenville
 Email: hixsoncuer@earthlink.net

August 29th Blue Moon Over Madill (a few spots available)
Karen & Ed Gloodt Bob & Patsy Heath
 Email: egloodt@aim.com

September 26-Harvest Holiday Autumn Rounds–A Nortex Preview Dance
2-5 PM Phases 2-3-4 All Request Rounds by area cuers
Swingtime Center, Ft Worth

HARVEST HOLIDAY 50th Anniversary Festival
November 26-28 Sterling Hotel, Dallas details: harvestholiday.com

Any round dance event may be listed (according to available space) please submit information to harvestholidaynews@att.net and include contact person if clarification is needed.

Notes

Glen & Helen Arceneaux maintain a website with videos of many current dances and other round dance information. They generously share this info with dancers. For more information see their webpage:
<http://glenandhelen.com>

Congratulations on your ICBDA award

Peach Pound Cake

1 ½ c. cooking oil
2 c. sugar
3 eggs
2 tsp. vanilla
3 c. self rising flour
2 c. diced fresh peaches
1 c. chopped pecans (or other nut)
1 c. coconut

Mix in order given. Bake 1 hour at 350 degrees in tube pan. Cool ten minutes in pan then completely cool on rake.

FROSTING

1 3oz pkg cream cheese (at room temp)
6 tsp peach puree (1 peach pureed in blender)
1 c. confectioners sugar

Mix and frost cooled cake

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"A smile is the light in the window of your face that tells people you're at home."

Author unknown...

Start each day with a smile... then pass it on!

THIS & THAT....

UPCOMING LESSONS:

JIVE – Beginning October 4th- Monday 7-9pm
Instructors: Christine & Theron Hixson
Granger Annex, Garland TX 972-270-7292
Limited to 20 couples- 12 weeks \$80. per couple
Register early

Submit articles for newsletter to
harvestholidaynews@att.net

Support Our Activity

Room for YOUR question, comment....right here!

Getting tired of one point of view- PARTICIPATE!

*Today's mighty oak is just
yesterday's nut that held its
ground*

Harvest Holiday Presents: AUTUMN ROUNDS

-- A NORTEX PREVIEW DANCE --

September 26, 2010

2:00-5:00 p.m.

Phase 2-4 All Request Rounds

Cued by Area Cuers

Swingtime Center, Anglin Drive,
Fort Worth

