

Harvest Holiday News

February 2014

Notes from the Chair

Our New Year is off to a great start with two really good dances in January – our regular Sunday Fun Dance and our Phase II-IV Winter Fun Rounds

The Winter Fun Rounds is a fundraiser for the benefit of Swingtime Center and this year we raised over \$700. Thanks to all the cuers, dancers, and Harvest Holiday members who came out to support this event. We hope to see all of you at the annual Harvest Holiday Phase II-IV Mini-Fest on March 30th.

Come on out and join us for the next regular Fun Dance on February 9 – I'm looking forward to seeing you there.

Steve Davis

Chairman, Harvest Holiday Festival 2014

Regular Sunday Fun Dance – February 9

Reminder: Our Sunday Fun Dance is February 9.
Dance is 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.

Harvest Holiday Mini-Fest – March 30

Phase II-IV Level

Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

Afternoon Teaches ~ 2:00-5:00 p.m.

Presented by Jack & Sharie Kenny and Christine & Theron Hixson

Early Rounds – 6:30-7:00 p.m.

Evening Programmed Dance ~ 7:00-9:30 p.m.

Flyer is on Harvest Holiday website at www.harvestholiday.com.

Sunday Fun Dance Record – January 12

Cuers: Karen & Ed Gloodt (Host), Jack & Sharie Kenny, JL & Linda Pelton, Ron & Marilou Webb, Christine & Theron Hixson

Attendees: 31

Coffee & Refreshments: Steve Davis

Cleanup: Ron & Marilou Webb, Leo & Lorraine Gonya, Leon & Arlene Wallace

Door Greeters: Steve Davis

List of Dances Cued – January 12

Karen Gloodt – Black Satin, Scheherazade, Dance With the Devil, After All These Years, I Wanta Quickstep, Carnival, That's Life, Michele, Cuando Me Cha, Dancing at Washington Square, Sleeping Beauty

Jack Kenny – Coney Island IV, Chapel By The Sea, Adios Amor 4, Sea in Autumn

JL Pelton – I Feel Lucky, Concierto de Aranjuez, You Say You Will, My Sweet Catherine, Sway 4 Me, Island Rumba, Donde Estas Yolanda, Hope III, Kiss Me Goodbye Rumba, Tango Mannita

Ron Webb – Hit Me With a Hot Note, Beat of Your Heart, She's the One, Every day I Love You, Send in the Clowns, How Lucky Can One Guy Be

Christine Hixson – Feelin' Waltz, Remember When, Sunflower, Spanish Eyes, Champagne Quickstep, Red Petticoats, A Prayer

Winter Fun Rounds Fun Dance Record – January 26 Fundraiser for Swingtime Center

We had a good turnout for this fundraiser and a great time was had by all who attended. Because of the generosity of the dancers, the cuers who donated their time and talents, and the Harvest Holiday members who hosted the dance and furnished the refreshments, Swingtime Center will benefit to the tune of \$708.00. Grady Blount was the winner of the split-the-pot, and he donated his winnings to the fundraiser. Many thanks to all who supported this fundraiser.

Cuers: Christine & Theron Hixson (Chair for Fundraiser), Jack & Sharie Kenny, Chris & Maria Farabaugh, Walter & Eula Brewer, Jack & Ann von der Heide, Karen & Ed Gloodt; JL & Linda Pelton

Attendees: 84

Coffee & Refreshments: Sharon Alexander, Steve Davis

Door Greeters: Ken & June Gartlir

Split-the-Pot Raffle: Theron Hixson and Pecan

List of Dances Cued – January 26

Jack Kenny – Dancing Queen, Since I Don't Have You, Love Someone Like Me, Candida, You Make My Pants Want To Get Up and Dance, Valentine Bolero

Chris Farabaugh – Angel Jive, Just Another Woman in Love III, St. Louis Blues, Amanda, Some Broken Hearts

Walter Brewer – Hideaway Tango, Non Dimenticar, Sweet Pea Lazy Swing, Black Horse & Cherry Tree, Watermark IV

Jack von der Heide – A White Sport Coat, Fascination, Milica, The Poet & I, Tango Mannita

Karen Gloodt – Boogie Time, Scheherazade, I Wanna Quickstep, Play a Simple Melody, Carnival, Tennessee Waltz

JL Pelton – Island Rumba, So What's New, Dance with the Devil, Rachel's Song, Chicago, Their Hearts are Dancing

Christine Hixson – Champagne Quickstep, Street Fair, A Prayer, Islands in the Stream, Last Cheaters Waltz

Dancer News

Sharon Hamner – Had back surgery on January 15. Recovery is going well, but it will be sometime before she is back dancing. Sharon's Address is: 1521 Gailbrook, Dallas, TX 75228.

Royce Wheaton – Passed from our world on January 20, 2014. He and Betty have been a big part of Harvest Holiday for over 30 years, and we will surely miss him. We were so glad he was able to come and visit during the Festival. RIP dear Friend. A Celebration of his Life will be held on February 1 at Pecan Grove Community Center, 5830 Main, Rowlett, TX, from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. Betty's address is: 6102 Lakeshore Drive, Rowlett, TX 75089.

Lillie Doyle – Ray & Lillie Doyle were area round dance leaders and very active in Harvest Holiday until Ray died a number of years ago. Long-time round dancers know her well. Her only son "Shack" passed away recently. Lillie's address is: 946 Highland Drive, Grand Prairie, TX 75051.

Dallas/Fort Worth Area Dance Club Reports

Monday	
Merry Rounders ** (Phase 4-5-6) Monday, 6-8 pm Eunice Senior Center, Arlington	Ron and Marilou Webb Coco Beach, 6 FT, Prow (teaching)
Tuesday	
Ramblin' Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Tuesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Granger Rec Center #109, Garland	Theron and Christine Hixson It Makes No Difference, 4 FT, Preskitt So What's New, 4 MB, Dierickx
Wednesday	
Ramblin' Rounds ** (Phase 4-5-6) Wednesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Churchill Recreation Center, Dallas	Theron and Christine Hixson She's the One, 5FT, Sechrist My Friends, 4 QS, Highburger
Rainbow Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Wednesday, 7:00-9:15 pm Swingtime Center, Fort Worth	Karen & Ed Gloodt Jumpin' Jupiter, 3 QS/TS, Gloodt You're Just in Love, 3 QS/TS, Gloodt Continental Goodnight, 3 QS/TS, Murbach PA6-5000, 5 MX, Glover
Thursday	
Dance, Dance, Dance ** (Phase 5-6) Thursday, 6:30-9:00 pm Holford Recreation Center, Garland	Ron and Marilou Webb She's The One, 5 FT, Sechrist (thorough review) Red Petticoats, 5 TG, Shibata (thorough review) Wounded Heart, 5 BL, Worlock (review) Right Here Waiting, 6 BL, Goss (review) Los Rayos Del Sol, 5 RB, Moore (review)
Dance Arounds (Phase 3-4-5) Thursday, 6:15-8:45 p.m. Plano Senior Center, 401 W. 16th, Plano	JL and Linda Pelton Sunflower, 5 Jive, Tonks Jive figure work

** Indicates a Carousel Club

ICBDA Carousel Clubs – Most Taught Dances – December 2013

1	Red Petticoats	Shibata	5 Tango
1	The Phantom	Worlock	6 Tango
1	Theme from Shrek	Worlock	5 Waltz
2	She's the One	Sechrist	5 Foxtrot
3	A River Runs Through It	Goss	6 Waltz
3	Beautiful Things	Lamberty	6 Foxtrot
3	Dance the Night Away	Worlock	6 Mixed
3	Dance with the Devil	Pelton	4 Cha

Lessons and Other Dance Opportunities

Rainbow Rounds – Continuing Lessons

Karen and Ed Gloodt

- **Wednesday nights** – ongoing – 6:00-6:45 p.m. – Swingtime Center
Karen and Ed are teaching dances which newer dancers might not know and which appear regularly on festival programs, including ICBDA. These dance teaches will precede Rainbow Rounds regular dance. The charge will be \$2 per person, and anyone is welcome to join us. The evening program from 7-9 will remain the same.

Basic Two-Step Lessons – Garland – Monday Nights – February 3

Christine and Theron Hixson

- **Monday nights** – Starts February 3, 2014 – 7:00-9:00 p.m.
Granger Annex, 1302 Avenue F (Garland Rd & Ave F) Garland
For further info: Call Christine at 972-270-7292 or email hixsoncuer@earthlink.net.

Basic Two Step Lessons – Plano – Tuesday Nights – March 18th

JL and Linda Peltonn

- **Tuesday nights** – Starts March 18, 2014 – 7:15-9:15 p.m.
Carpenter Recreation Center, 6701 Coit Road, Plano – Course # 154588
For further info: Call Linda at 972-897-6006 or email peltondances@gmail.com.

Basic Rumba/Cha Lessons – Ft. Worth – Sunday Nights – April 16

Jack and Sharie Kenny

- **Sunday nights** – Starts April 6 thru June 29, 2014 – 6:00-8:00 p.m.
Swingtime Center, Anglin Drive, Ft. Worth
For further info: Call Jack at 817-654-0252 or email jkenny3@sbcglobal.net.

Waltz Boot Camp – Dallas, Texas – May 30-June 1, 2014

Curt and Tammy Worlock are coming back again to Dallas to conduct one of their famed Boot Camps. This summer the focus rhythm is Waltz. Figures and technique will be taught up through Phase 4 Waltz figures only. All day clinics will be held on Friday and Saturday May 30 & 31 with a half day clinic on Sunday June 1. There will be party dance both Friday and Saturday night.

The venue this year is the Dallas Sokol Ballroom at Sokol Athletic Center, 7448 Greenville Avenue, Dallas, Texas 75231. This is a great dance facility with an excellent floating wood floor and a great sound system used by many ballroom dance clubs in the Dallas area.

Flyer is available at <http://www.peltondances.com/pdfs/WaltzBootCamp.pdf>. For further information or to register contact Glen and Helen Arceneaux at 972-527-5151.

ICBDA – Waco, Texas – July 9-12, 2014

Mark the date for Waco and ICBDA. It's an absolutely fabulous four days of dancing with national clinicians providing technique clinics, dance teaches, and evening programmed dances. The flyer is available on the ICBDA website at: www.icbda.com. Check it out for all the information. You can also download the flyer directly using the following URL: http://icbda.com/2014_ICBDA_Flyer.pdf. And -- *if you register now, you get to vote on the program dances.*

All dancing is on wood floors in all three halls. The Phase 3-4 hall will have extra dances taught at both a Phase 3 and a Phase 4 level for many of the teaching slots. If you have never attended an ICBDA convention and aren't quite ready for the Phase 5 or 6 dances, the Phase 3-4 Hall is the place to be.

You don't have to stick to one hall – you can wander between halls and take whatever classes/teaches you would like to take. And you can't beat the location – Waco, Texas.

Did you know it only costs \$20 per couple to become a member of ICBDA which gives you full access to the ICBDA website? There is lots of different information available there including a Technical Dance Manual and quarterly newsletters. You also get access to the full Carousel Club report.

Note: This newsletter only prints a portion of the Carousel dance report.

Focus rhythms this year are Waltz and Quickstep. With a slogan of Waltz into Waco, one of the focus rhythms had to be Waltz. See you in Waco.



Links to Other Festival and Dance Opportunities

March 7-9, 2014 – Phase 2-4 – Joplin, Missouri

Tanglefooters 38th Annual Spring Dance Weekend featuring Karen and Ed Gloodt

http://swingtimecenter.com/pdfs/Tanglefooters_38th_Spring_Dance.pdf

April 4-6, 2014 – Phase 2-6 – Wagoner, Oklahoma

Oklahoma Round Dance Association featuring:

Jim & Georgianne Couey, Ed & Karen Gloodt, and Paul & Linda Robinson

http://swingtimecenter.com/pdfs/ORDA_2014_Spring_Flyer.pdf

May 25-30, 2014 – South Fork, Colorado

Fun Valley Round Dance Week featuring Karen & Ed Gloodt and Bob & Sally Nolen

http://swingtimecenter.com/pdfs/FUN_VALLEY_2014.pdf

Other Local Square & Round Dance Opportunities

February 21-23, 2014 – Texas Stampede Plus weekend – location changed to Paris, Texas

– Christine & Theron Hixson on rounds, Oxendine and Story on squares:

www.texas-stampede.com

February 23, 2014 – NORTEX Teen Dance Fundraiser ; 2:00 p.m., Swingtime Center;
squares/Thomason, rounds/Farabaugh and lines/Pryor:

http://www.nortex.org/flyers/NORTEX/022314_NORTEX_TeenScholarship-color02.jpg

March 29, 2014 – Rainbow Rounds Anniversary Dance, Swingtime Center – Karen & Ed

Gloodt on rounds, Deborah Carroll-Jones on squares. e-mail: egloodt@aim.com

54th Annual Dallas/Fort Worth, TX

Harvest Holiday Festival

Featuring 2 Halls – Phase 4-6 and Phase 3-4

Friday – Sunday, Nov. 28-30, 2014

\$110.00 per couple thru Sept. 15, 2014 / \$120.00 after Sept. 15

All Dancing – Sterling Hotel, Dallas, Texas

**2:00–4:00 p.m. Trail-in Dance Friday / Evening Balls 7:30–10:00 p.m. Friday and Saturday
Festival Teaches on Saturday / Sunday Morning Review**

2 Host Hotel Options – Sterling Hotel or Holiday Inn Express

Sterling Hotel, 1055 Regal Row, Dallas, TX 75247

Holiday Inn Express, 2287 W. Northwest Hwy, Dallas, 75220

See www.harvestholiday.com for up-to-date information and links for hotels



George & Pam Hurd

Phase 4-6 Hall



Karen & Ed Gloodt

Phase 3-4 Hall

Extra - Free Bonus: Pre-Festival Dances – 7:30–10:00 pm Monday-Thursday
AND: Pre-Festival Impromptu Teaches – Tuesday-Thursday by local and visiting instructors
Phase 3-4 Hall: Weekend only.

Registration Is Limited! - For Registration Information Contact:

Steve Davis (2014 Harvest Holiday Chairman) 903-463-6441 Steven0983@sbcglobal.net

Jack & Sharie Kenny 817-654-0252 jkenny3@sbcglobal.net

Full refund if cancellation received by November 1, 2014

Please make checks payable to: **HARVEST HOLIDAY**

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Send to: Jack & Sharie Kenny 2620 Crestmoor Ct. Arlington, TX 76016

Name _____ His _____ Hers _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Email _____

Check if Instructor

Primary Dance Hall (check one): Phase 4-6 _____

Phase 3-4 _____