



Harvest Holiday 2008

Hello Memory

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Note from the Chair:

Greetings to all,

We hope everyone had a wonderful Holiday and will have a very prosperous New Year with good health and much happiness.

Our Harvest Holiday Festival 2007 was a great success and special thanks go to all of our Harvest Holiday dancers who pitched in to help wherever needed. You are truly appreciated and it takes all of us working together to put on such a great festival. A special thanks to the outgoing Festival Chairman, Ken and June Gartlir, and to the area cuers, Bob and Patsy Heath, Christine and Theron Hixson, and Ron and Marilou Webb for their hard work and generous donation of time to help make the Festival such a great success. A special thank you also goes to the out-of-town cuers who donated time to teach dances during the impromptu portion of the festival and shared the microphone during early rounds: Karen and Dick Fisher, Mark and Pam Prow, and Karen and Ed Gloodt,

Preparations are already underway for the 2008 Harvest Holiday Festival at the Sterling Hotel. We have our preliminary contract signed and the hotel is working with us, so we expect to have many more wonderful and exciting festivals using the Sterling Hotel's great wood ballroom. Curt and Tammy Worlock are our clinicians for 2008. They are excellent instructors and choreographers with many of your favorite dances to their credit. If you haven't already registered, login to our website at www.harvestholiday.com to download the flyer with all the registration information and secure your spot.

Linda and I are excited about another great year of dancing coming up. We look forward to seeing you somewhere at other festivals throughout this year.

JL and Linda Pelton

December Newsletter Error Correction

Bob Heath's dance, which he taught on Thursday at the 2007 Festival, was incorrectly named in the December issue of the Newsletter. Harvest Holiday regrets the error. The name of Bob Heath's Phase 5 Waltz is Serenade.

Bob's Back in the Hospital

Bob Heath is having a pacemaker put in on January 14, 2008. Our prayers for a safe and healthy return to work and dancing go with you.

Report on Dec. 9, 2007 Fun Dance

Christine Hixson, Bob Heath and Ron Webb cued for us. Forty –three dancers were present. Bob & Maycene Hopper managed the coffee and refreshments. Leo & Lorraine Gonya handled the raffle sales and greeted our guests as they arrived. Bravo! Well done. Theron Hixson won a Christmas tree snack set donated by Linda & J.L. Pelton. J.L. & Linda Pelton won a gold poinsettia arrangement donated by Aleece & Larry Collamore. Christine Hixson won two crystal dishes donated by Bob & Maycene Hopper. Margaret Henley won a golden, pinecone tree and Marilou Webb won a Santa candleholder. Both items were donated by Bill Rackley. Evelyn Smiles won a poinsettia-decorated candy dish complete with the candy, and she donated the dish herself.

Christine cued:

This is Our Dance, La Gloria, Ding Dong Mambo, Till, Nite Lites, Abrazame, Hotel Happiness, You Raise Me Up, Send in the

Clowns, Cuando Me Enamoro Moon River, Just Smile, There's a Time for Everything, Christmas Time in Texas

Bob cued:

No Walls, C'est Si Bon Cha, Why Don't Cha Do Right?, Just a Tango, Serenade, Perfidia Rumba, Boogie Time, Beach Party Cha, Dark Waltz, El Reloj, And I Love You So

Ron cued:

Last Night Cha, Sugar Sugar, Besame Mucho, Am I Blue IV, Out of My Dreams, Senorita Tango, Secret Smile, In This Life, This is the Life, Te Quiero

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Harvest Holiday Club Reports

Dance, Dance, Dance (Phase 4-5-6-)	Ron and Marilou Webb
Thursday, 6:15-9:00 pm	The Story of My Life
Timberglen Recreation Center, North Dallas	
Merry Rounders (Phase 4-5-6-)	Ron and Marilou Webb
Monday, 7:00-9:30	The Story of My Life
Arlington Senior Center	
Rainbow Rounds (Phase 3-4-5)	Bob and Patsy Heath
Wednesday, 7:00-9:15 pm	Someday Soon, Nighty Nite, Reviews: Cuando
Swingtime Center, Fort Worth	Me Enamoro, Colours Rumba, Rachel's Song
Ramblin' Rounds (Phase -3-4+)	Theron and Christine Hixson
Tuesday, 7:30-9:30 pm	Gentle Cha Reviews: Roses for Elizabeth
Bradfield Rec. Center, 1146 Castle Dr., Garland	
Ramblin' Rounds (Phase -4-5-6)	Theron and Christine Hixson
Wednesday, 7:00-9:00 pm	Serenade V, Besame Mucho
Churchill Recreation Center, Dallas	

IMPORTANT UPCOMING HARVEST HOLIDAY EVENTS

At Swingtime Center, Anglin Drive, Fort Worth

January 13, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
February 10, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
March 9, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
March 30, 2008	Fun Dance II	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
April 13, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
May 4, 2008	Minifest Teaches	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
May 4, 2008	Minifest Dance	7:00PM - 9:30 PM
May 18, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
June 8, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
July 13, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
August 10, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
September 14, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
September 28, 2008	Fun Dance II	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
October 12, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM
November 9, 2008	Fun Dance	2:00PM – 5:00 PM

At the Sterling Hotel on 1055 Regal Row in Dallas

November 24, 2008	Trail-end	7:30PM - 10:00 PM
November 25, 2008	Trail-end	7:30PM - 10:00 PM
November 26, 2008	Trail-end	7:30PM - 10:00 PM
November 27, 2008	Trail-end	7:30PM - 10:00 PM
November 28, 2008	Festival	2:00PM – ????
November 29, 2008	Festival	9:15AM – ????
November 30, 2008	Festival	8:30AM – 11:30 AM