



Harvest Holiday News

December 2012

Notes from the Chair

Harvest Holiday Festival 2012 – a great week of dancing! We started the early pre-dance “impromptu” teaches and taught a Phase V Foxtrot, Magic Moments (Pelton). Continuing on Tuesday afternoon Ed & Karen Gloodt taught a Phase V WCS, Snap Your Fingers (Gloodt). Marilou & Ron Webb taught a Phase VI Waltz, Appalachian Lullabye (Worlock) on Wednesday and Christine & Theron Hixson taught a Phase VI Classic Waltz, The Children on Thursday. Mark & Pam Prow taught two dances for Harvest Holiday this year: a Phase VI Foxtrot, Unforgettable (Prow) on Wednesday and a Phase VI Bolero, Every Day I Love You (Prow) on Thursday.

There were two host hotels this year, the Holiday Inn Express and the Sterling which worked very well. After parties for the early Monday through Thursday dances were held at the Holiday Inn with good attendance. For the actual Festival, the after parties were held on floor 6 with two parlors across the hall from each other which provided very good traffic flow.

Bill and Carol Goss did their usual wonderful job of presenting two dances. Harvest Holiday Festival was the debut location for their Anticipation Waltz taught Saturday morning. It's a very danceable phase 6 and had excellent reviews from the dancers. Their second teach was Doin' the West Coast Swing, a Phase V West Coast which they presented in the afternoon.

We are very close to finishing our term of office as Chairman for 2012. It has been a good year as well as a lot of work by many, many people. We could not have asked for better Co-chairs than Jack and Sharie Kenny. They have always been available to lend a helping hand throughout the year. During the festival they provided valuable support and help as well. Thank you so much Jack & Sharie.

This festival is put on by a very limited number of people, many of whom wear multiple hats. We can't thank those hard workers enough as they have made our job much easier. A special thank you also.

We are truly looking forward to next year's festival as Jack and Sharie take over the job of Chairman 2013 along with Steve Davis who will be their Co-Chair. Curt and Tammy Worlock will be our featured clinician for 2013. Flyers are already available on the Harvest Holiday website at www.harvestholiday.com for you.

We already have a good number of registrations from Sunday Morning's Coffee, Donuts, and Registration. If you're not one of those registrants, we're looking forward to receiving your registration in the mail soon. You won't want to miss the great teaching provided by Curt and Tammy. What has always made our festival so much fun is the camaraderie shared by all our dancer attendees. We're looking forward to seeing you next year in Dallas.

Linda and JL Pelton

Winter Fun Rounds, Phase 2-4, Jan. 20 – Swingtime Fundraiser

Mark the date on your calendar for 2:00 p.m. Sunday, January 20, 2013. This dance is Harvest Holiday's fundraiser for the benefit of Swingtime Center. For those members of Harvest Holiday who pay a yearly membership fee, this dance is not included in the Harvest Holiday annual dues as the club wishes to donate as much money as possible to Swingtime to support this wonderful dance facility.

Fun Dance Record – Nov. 11

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

Attendees: 35

Refreshments: Sharon Hamner, Marilou
Webb, Jeff & Janine Copley, and Leo &
Lorraine Gonya

Cleanup: June & Ken Gartlir, Linda & JL
Pelton, and Jack & Sharie Kenny

Door Greeters: Sharie Kenny

List of Dances Cued – Nov. 11

Christine Hixson

Remember When, Every Day I Love
You, Hit Me with a Hot Note, I'm Gonna
Getcha Good, I Am Just A Girl, Take Me to
Your Heart Again, What Do I Do With Me,
Pennsylvania Polka, The Sun The Sea and
the Sky, Send In The Clowns, Come by the
Hills

Jack Kenny

Carnival, La Gloria, Coney Island, Cuando
Me Enamoro, Forrest Gump, On Days Like
These, Beat of Your Heart

JL Pelton

Wounded Heart, Pink Panther, No Walls,
Boogie Time, Sleeping Beauty, Laurann

Ron Webb

May Each Day, Till, The Best You Can,
Papillion, Boulavogue

Karen Gloodt

Bilitis, Dance to the Heartbeat, Kiss Me
Goodbye Rumba, Just a Tango, Younger
Than Spring Time; Scheherazade

Round Dance Lessons 2013

Christine & Theron Hixson

- **January 7, 2013** – Granger Annex,
Garland – Series of basic lessons
Monday nights from 7:00-9:00 pm.
Starts with Beginning Two Step,
followed by Waltz/Foxtrot on April 1,
and Rumba/Cha Cha on July 1. For
further info call Christine at 972-270-
7292 or email hixsoncuer@earthlink.net.

JL & Linda Pelton

- **March 19, 2013** – Carter Rec. Center,
Plano – Beginning Rumba and Cha Cha
class starts March 19, 7:00-9:00 p.m.

New Year's Eve Dances 2012

There are two New Year's Eve Dances available to attend this year with great rounds. In Dallas, Rebel Rouser's New Year's Eve dance is at the Richardson Senior Center and features Christine and Theron Hixson on the Rounds with Mike Bramlett calling.

In Fort Worth, Roadrunners New Year's Eve Dance is at Swingtime Center and features Karen and Ed Gloodt on the Rounds with Wayne Baldwin and Rick Smith sharing the calling.

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 Pink Panther (FT 5) Gray Every Day I Love You (BL 5) Prow
Classic Rounds Workshops Monday, 7:00-9:00 pm Granger Annex, Ave. F, Garland	Theron and Christine Hixson Latino Luna (RB 4) Hoffman, It Must Be True (FT 4) Slater, Exactly Like You (FT 4) Slater
Tuesday	
Ramblin' Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Tuesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Granger Rec Center #109, Garland	Theron and Christine Hixson Latino Luna (RB 4) Hoffman, My Heart Will Go On (BL 4) Vogt
The Round Side (Phase 2-3-4) Tuesday, 7:00-9:15 p.m. Swingtime Center, Fort Worth	Charles and Tanya Crockett Reviewing Phase 3 Waltz figures.
Wednesday	
Ramblin' Rounds ** (Phase 4-5-6) Wednesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Churchill Recreation Center, Dallas	Theron and Christine Hixson Pink Panther (FT 5) Gray Reviewed dances for Harvest Holiday Festival
Rainbow Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Wednesday, 7:00-9:15 pm Swingtime Center, Fort Worth	Karen & Ed Gloodt Reviewed: Dance to the Heartbeat (MB 4) Shibata, Neville's Waltz (WZ 3) Parker, You Decorated My Life (BL 4) Gloodt, I've Got a Rock and Roll Heart (CH 4) Gloodt
Thursday	
Dance, Dance, Dance ** (Phase 5-6) Thursday, 6:30-9:00 pm Holford Recreation Center, Garland	Ron and Marilou Webb Doin' the West Coast Swing (WCS 5) Goss, Easy Money (WCS 5) Goss/Figwer, Anticipation (WZ 6) Goss, Appalachian Lullabye (WZ 6) Worlock
Dance Arounds (Phase 3-4) Thursday, 6:15-8:45 p.m. Plano Senior Center, 401 W. 16th, Plano	JL and Linda Pelton Slow Two Step Basic Figures Raining in My Heart (STS 4) Gloodt

** Indicates a Carousel Club

ICBDA Carousel Clubs – Most Taught Dances October 2012

1	I Am Just a Girl	Worlock 5 Foxtrot	3	Trickle Trickle	Shibata 6 Jive
2	You've Got a Friend in Me	Preskitt 6 Foxtrot	4	Appalachian Lullabye	Worlock 6 Waltz
3	Conquest of Heaven	Hurd 6 Foxtrot	4	Haunted Guitar 5	Sheridan 5 Waltz
3	Pink Panther	Gray JM 5 Foxtrot	4	Up!	Worlock 6 WCS