

Harvest Holiday News

May 2015

Note from the Chair

Thank you to everyone for a successful Mini-Fest, with special thanks to Karen & Ed Gloodt and Linda & JL Pelton for the afternoon dance teaches.

Important changes regarding the 2015 Harvest Holiday Festival and pre-Festival activities have been sent to registered dancers and posted on the Harvest Holiday website. All Festival activities, beginning with the Welcome Dance on Friday, November 27, will be at Sokol Hall Athletic Center, 7448 Greenville Avenue, Dallas, Texas. All pre-Festival activities, including impromptu teaches and evening dances, will be at Swingtime Center in Fort Worth. Hotel information is on the Harvest Holiday website. <http://harvestholiday.com/>

Our next Sunday Fun Dance is May 17, 2015, not May 10. Happy Mother's Day.

June had a second successful back surgery and is now home recuperating. Thank you to all who sent cards, messages, and good wishes.

Ken & June Gartlir

Chair, Harvest Holiday Festival 2015

Next Regular Sunday Fun Dance – May 17
Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

DANCE FROM 2:00 TO 5:00 P.M.

Mark Your Calendars – July 26, 2015

HARVEST HOLIDAY SUMMER FUN ROUNDS
PHASE II-IV DANCE FROM 2:00 TO 5:00 P.M.
Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

Sunday Fun Dance Record – April 12, 2015

Cuers: JL & Linda Pelton (Hosts), Jack & Sharie Kenny, Christine & Theron Hixson, Ron & Marilou Webb

Attendees: 32

Coffee & Refreshments: Kathy Ellis & June Gartlir

Door Greeters: Christine & Theron Hixson, June Gartlir

Clean Up of Swingtime: June Gartlir, Bill Rackley, Mollie O'Neil, Evelyn Smiles, Richard Jung, Lorraine Gonya, Christine Hixson

List of Dances Cued – April 12

JL Pelton – A Thousand Years, Capone, Boogie Bumper, Dedication, Blue Dance, Concierto de Aranjuez, Solitude City, Shadow Waltz, One Hundred & One, Senorita Tango, So What's New, Dance With the Devil, Au Revoir Paris,

Jack Kenny – Hola Amor, Coney Island IV, Hit Me With a Hot Note, Sea in Autumn, Dancing at Washington Square, Cuando Me Cha, The Human Thing to Do

Christine Hixson – Legends of the Fall, The Last Blues Song, Valentine, All I Do Is Jive, Both Sides Now, Teacher's Pet, On Days Like These, A Prayer, And I Love You So, That Happy Feeling

Ron Webb – You Deserve, I Fall in Love Again, I Wanna Be Loved by You, Almost Like Being in Love, Anticipation, How Lucky Can One Guy Be, Something Stupid, Theme from Shrek

Harvest Holiday Mini-Fest – April 26, 2015

We had a another successful Mini-Fest this year, thanks to all the dancers, instructors and the Harvest Holiday members who came out to support it. We've heard lots of compliments from the attendees, and hopefully some of them will attend the Harvest Holiday Festival in November.

Afternoon Teaches/Instructors:

Karen & Ed Glodt taught their new Phase IV+2 jive, *Baby Please Come Home*.

JL & Linda Pelton taught *Silence*, a Phase III+2 waltz by Parker, and then taught their new Phase II+1 two-step, *Daddy's Girl*.

Evening Cuers: Christine & Theron Hixson (M.C. and early rounds), Jack & Ann von der Heide, Walter & Eula Brewer, Karen & Ed Gloodt, JL & Linda Pelton, and Chris & Maria Farabaugh.

Attendees: 58

Coffee & Refreshments: Sharon Hamner and Alice Jung

Cleanup: Bill Rackley, John & Leota Porter, JL & Linda Pelton, Evelyn Smiles, Christine Hixson, Richard Jung, Bill Knight, Kathy Ellis, Steve & Alice Jung

Door Greeters: Jim & Daisy McCombs (afternoon), Theron Hixson (evening)

Early Rounds: Legends of the Fall, Amame IV, No Walls, Champagne Quickstep, Concierto de Aranjuez, Scheherazade, Carnival, Angel on My Shoulder

Evening Dance Program: Come Dance With Me, Red Roses, I'm Alive, Carolina Moon, Valentine Bolero, All Shook Up, All I Ask of You RB, Sweet Pea Lazy Swing, Noelle II, Last Night Cha III, Too Many Rivers, After Winter, Witchcraft, Kewpie Doll, Baby Please Come Home (afternoon teach), Silence (afternoon teach), Daddy's Girl (afternoon teach), Dance With the Devil, Tango Mannita, Uptown Jive, Non Dimenticar, Everyday, Angel Jive, White Sport Coat, Anna Marie, Love is Strange, You Make My Pants WTGUAD, Their Hearts Are Dancing.

Congratulations

Karen & Ed Gloodt's *Play a Simple Melody* (3+2 FT/JV) was selected as ROQ for Southern California.

Local Choreography on the International Scene

Karen & Ed Gloodt's *Danke Schoen* (IV+2 QS) was been chosen as the teaching dance of the 30th Japan Round Dance Convention held in March.

Christine & Theron Hixson's *You Make My Pants WTGUAD* (IV+2 JV) was selected as one of the teaching dances (taught by the Rotscheids) at the 47th Annual European Square & Round Dance College in Cham, Germany, in April.

Dancer News

Jim McCombs – Will be having sinus surgery on May 14. We wish him a successful and speedy recovery.

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 Shadow Waltz, 6 WZ, Childers I Wanna Be Loved By You, 4FT, Lamberty
Tuesday	
Ramblin' Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Tuesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Granger Rec Center #109, Garland	Christine and Theron Hixson Baby Please Come Home, 4 JV, Gloodt Silence, 3 WZ, Parker Tonight I Celebrate My Love III, 3 STS, Byrd Only Love Bolero, 4 BL, Barton (reviewed)
Wednesday	
Ramblin' Rounds ** (Phase 4-5-6) Wednesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Churchill Recreation Center, Dallas	Christine and Theron Hixson Someone Like You RB, 6 RB, Preskitt Kiss On My List, 5 CH, Preskitt
Rainbow Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Wednesday, 7:00-9:15 pm Swingtime Center, Fort Worth	Karen & Ed Gloodt No new teaches in regular club session – reviewed trouble spots in both recent dances and older dances as requested by club Early teach: Haunted Guitar, 5 WZ, Sheridan Solitude City, 4 FT, Gibson (reviewed)
Thursday	
Dance, Dance, Dance ** (Phase 5-6) Thursday, 6:30-9:00 pm Holford Recreation Center, Garland	Ron and Marilou Webb Over the Rainbow, 6 RB, Worlock The Masochism Tango, 6 TG, Goss
Dance Aounds (Phase 3-4-5) Thursday, 6:15-8:45 p.m. Plano Senior Center, 401 W. 16th, Plano	JL and Linda Pelton Jumptown Jive, 3 JV, Pelton Mi Vida, 4 RB, Read (reviewed) And I Love You So, 5 RB, Childers (reviewed)

** Indicates a Carousel Club

ICBDA Carousel Clubs – Most Taught Dances – March 2015

1	Hola Amor	Goss/Figwer	5 Bolero
1	Legends of the Fall	Gloodt	4 Waltz
2	Ladyhawk	Armstrong	5 Waltz
3	Buy Me a Rose	Read	4 Rumba
3	Capone	Armstrong	5 Foxtrot
3	Wedding Planner	Garza	4 Tango

Festival Reports

ORDA, 47th Annual Round Dance Festival – April 10-12 – Wagner, OK

Dances taught by Bob & Sally Nolen:

Latika's Theme – V+2 RB, Nolen

I Believe – IV+0+1 WZ, Nolen

1 + 1 Is 10 – III+1 MB, Robinson

South Texas Round Dance Festival – April 24-25 – Kerrville, TX

Dances taught by Curt & Tammy Worlock:

Peyton Place – V WZ, Lamberty

Say You Say Me – IV+1 RB, Molitoris

Please Mr. Brown – IV TG, Robinson

Lessons and Other Dance Opportunities

Rainbow Rounds – Continuing Lessons – 4-5 Catch up Teaches

Karen and Ed Gloodt

- **Wednesday nights** – May – 6:00-6:45 p.m. – Swingtime Center
Phase 4-5 catch-up teaches and reviews resume -- \$3 per person per night (no charge for members of Rainbow Rounds), partner required. Anyone is welcome to join. Evening program from 7-9 remains the same.

Waltz Lessons II – Plano – Tuesday Nights – June 9

(follow on class to Beginning Waltz I)

JL & Linda Pelton

- **Tuesday nights** – Starts June 9, 2015 – 7:15-9:15 p.m.
Carpenter Rec. Center, 6701 Coit Road, Plano 75023
For further info: Call Linda & JL at 972.897.6006 or email peltondances@gmail.com

Continuing Easy/Intermediate – Various Rhythms – Garland – Monday Nights – May 4

Christine & Theron Hixson

- **Monday nights** – Starts May 4, 2015 – 7:00-9:00 p.m. – 12 weeks (reviewing and teaching current dances at the III-IV level in various rhythms)
Granger Annex, 1302 Avenue F (Garland Rd & Ave F) Garland
For further info: Call Christine at 972.270.7292 or email hixsoncuer@earthlink.net.

Beginning Basic Two-Step – Garland – Monday Nights – August 3

Christine & Theron Hixson

- **Monday nights** – Starts August 3, 2015 – 7:00-9:00 p.m. – 12 weeks
Granger Annex, 1302 Avenue F (Garland Rd & Ave F) Garland
For further info: Call Christine at 972.270.7292 or email hixsoncuer@earthlink.net.

Miscellaneous Local Round Dance Opportunities

July 26, 2015 (2:00-5:00) – Harvest Holiday Autumn Rounds – Ph. 2-4 all requests cued by local area cuers. Swingtime Center, 5100 S.E. Loop 820, Ft. Worth, TX.

www.harvestholiday.com or e-mail: hixsoncuer@earthlink.net

August 2, 2015 (2:00-5:00) – Sunday All Rounds Afternoon – cued by Christine & Theron Hixson, Ph. 2-4 all requests, L-3 Recreation Hall, Greenville; sponsored by Cotton Pickin' Squares. e-mail: hixsoncuer@earthlink.net

August 28-29, 2015 – TRDTA North Ph. 2-4 Round Dance Weekend at Swingtime Center, Fort Worth – Misc. TRDTA instructors teaching.

<http://www.trdta.org/pdfs/TRDTA-North-2014.pdf> or e-mail: peltondances@gmail.com.

September 27, 2015 (2:00-5:00) – Harvest Holiday Autumn Rounds – Ph. 2-4 all requests cued by local area cuers. Swingtime Center, 5100 S.E. Loop 820, Ft. Worth, TX.

www.harvestholiday.com or e-mail: hixsoncuer@earthlink.net

October 30-31, 2015 – Squares and rounds - NTCA Callers Cavalcade (NTCA callers and cuers), and NORTEX Round-up. <http://www.roundup2015.com/>

Links to Other Festival and Dance Opportunities

May 28-31, 2015 – Swingtime Center, Fort Worth, Texas

Tango Boot Camp – Featuring Curt & Tammy Worlock

flyer: <http://peltondances.com/pdfs/Tango%20Boot%20Camp-2015.pdf>

May 31-June 6, 2015 – South Fork, Colorado

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

Info: Ed & Karen Gloodt - 580-226-0445(H), 480-677-0666(C) or egloodt@netscape.net

July 8-11, 2015 – Greensboro, North Carolina

ICBDA – flyer: http://icbda.com/wp-content/uploads/2014/07/2015_ICBDA_Flyer.pdf.

PH. III-VI – learning from and dancing with renowned national and international clinicians and cuers. Three dance halls (Ph. 3-4, 4-5 & 5-6); 8 Ph. 3-4 teaches, and 8 5-6 teaches

**55th Annual Dallas/Fort Worth, TX
Harvest Holiday Festival**

**Featuring 2 Halls – Phase 4-6 and Phase 3-4
Friday – Sunday, Nov. 27-29, 2015**

\$110.00 per couple thru Sept. 1, 2015 / \$130.00 after Sept. 1

Sokol Hall (Athletic Center), 7448 Greenville Ave., Dallas, Texas

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

**Host Hotel – La Quinta (Dallas North) 10001 North Central Expressway, Dallas, TX
214-361-8200 To get the event rate of \$79, you must make reservations on or before Nov. 5, 2015.**

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



**Randy & Marie Preskitt
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

Monday - Thursday dancing will be at Swingtime Center in Ft. Worth, Texas.

Host Hotel for Monday-Thursday: La Quinta Fort Worth-Forest Hill, 3346 Forest Hill Circle, Fort Worth, TX
817-293-5800 To get the event rate of \$79, you must make reservations on or before Nov. 2, 2015.

Phase 3-4 Hall: Weekend only.

Registration Is Limited! - For Registration Information Contact:

Steve Davis (Registration) 903-463-6441 Steven0983@sbcglobal.net

Ken & June Gartlir (Chaircouple) 214-874-0810 jkgartlir@mindspring.com

Full refund if cancellation received by November 1, 2015

Please make checks payable to: **HARVEST HOLIDAY**
Send to: Steve Davis 1724 South Fannin Avenue, Denison, TX 75020

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

Phase 3-4