

Harvest Holiday News

January 2017

Note from the Chair

Happy New Year and best wishes for a healthy and prosperous 2017. Big thanks to Kathy Ellis and Bill Knight, Harvest Holiday chairs in 2016. Also big thanks to the cuers and spouses who make our dances so successful, and to members and friends who help with the kitchen, clean up, and other duties throughout the year. Our first dance of 2017 is Sunday, January 8. Remember to come at 1:00 for an important quarterly business meeting and plan to renew your membership (\$50/person) then. On Sunday, January 22, Harvest Holiday will sponsor our Winter Fun Rounds with dances cued at phase 2-4. We hope you will encourage new and intermediate round dancers to attend and bring their requests. Please bring your ideas and suggestions to your club officers. We want to ensure we have another great year of dancing!

John and Barrie Edstrom,
Chair, Harvest Holiday Festival 2017

Next Meeting and Regular Sunday Fun Dance January 8 – Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

***** MEETING AT 1:00 P.M. *****

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

Harvest Holiday Winter Fun Rounds Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

January 22, 2017, 2:00-4:30 p.m.

PH. II-IV All Request Rounds

Cued by Area Cuers.

Info: JL & Linda Pelton - 972.822.1926 or
peltondances@gmail.com or www.harvestholiday.com

FUNDRAISER FOR SWINGTIME CENTER

Sunday Fun Dance Record – December 11, 2016

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

Attendees: 48

Coffee & Refreshments: John & Barrie Edstrom

Door Greeters: Linda Pelton

Clean Up of Swingtime:

List of Dances Cued – December 11, 2016

JL Pelton – A Guy is A Guy, Lover's Dance, Fur Elise, Tango Around the World, Eso Beso, Witchcraft, The Other Side, Dance With the Devil

Barb Yeargan – Serenade V, Cuando Me Enamoro, The Human Thing to Do, Amistad

Ron Webb – Uptown Funk, The Last Blues Song, Hit Me With a Hot Note, Slow Down Boogie, Oh Chihuahua, Moonlight Memories

Karen Gloodt – Carnival, Legends of the Fall, You Decorated My Life, Cuando Me Cha, Forrest Gump, Beat of Your Heart, Solitude City, Scheherazade

Jack Kenny – El Reloj, Ami I Blue 4, Hot Rumba, Anticipation, Colours, Autumn 4

Christine Hixson – I Want a Hippopotamus for Christmas, Girl Crush, Diamonds QS, Take Me to Your Heart Again, That Happy Feeling, Home, Feliz Navidad, Save Your Love

New Choreography by Local Instructors

Teacher's Pet IV, 4+1 JV, Christine & Theron Hixson -

http://www.roundalab.org/CuesheetsDL2/Teacher%27s%20Pet%20IV%2C%20Hixson%2C%20C%26T__4%2B1.pdf

Wanda Sorvala Update

For the many dancers who know Wanda and Marv Sorvala, Wanda underwent surgery on January 4. Below are two Facebook postings by Marv and their daughter at approximately 8:00 p.m. on January 4:

From Marv: *Wanda got through the surgery well and they didn't have remove any colon. Thank God. Thanks for your prayers.*

From Jenny Meinert (daughter): *Thank you all for your prayers! My mom's surgery went well. Unfortunately, they weren't able to eliminate all of the tumor, so she will have to do more chemotherapy. She is in recovery now. I know that God is taking care of every step of this journey, but I am so thankful and blessed for all the support you all have given to my mom and my family*

Dallas/Fort Worth Area Dance Club Reports

Monday	
Merry Rounders ** (Phase 4-5-6) Monday, 6-8 pm Eunice Senior Center, Arlington	Jack and Sharie Kenny No Report
Tuesday	
Ramblin' Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Tuesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Granger Rec Center #109, Garland	Christine and Theron Hixson All The Way Home, 4 WZ, Hixson Christmas Party & dancing
Wednesday	
Ramblin' Rounds ** (Phase 4-5-6) Wednesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Churchill Recreation Center, Dallas	Christine and Theron Hixson Oh, Chihuahua, 4 MB, Worlock Christmas Party and Dancing
Rainbow Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Wednesday, 6:00-9:00 pm Swingtime Center, Fort Worth	Karen & Ed Gloodt Hit Me With a Hot Note, 5 WCS, Goss (reviewed) Colours, 4 RB, Read (reviewed) Send Her Roses, 4 FT, Palmquist (reviewed) Christmas Party and Dancing
Thursday	
Dance, Dance, Dance ** (Phase 5-6) Thursday, 6:30-9:00 pm Holford Recreation Center, Garland	Ron and Marilou Webb Moonlight Memories, 6 FT, Worlock (reviewed) Oh, Chihuahua, 4 MB, Worlock (reviewed) (Dark for two weeks for Christmas Holiday)
Dance Arounds (Phase 3-4-5) Thursday, 6:15-8:45 p.m. Plano Senior Center, 401 W 16th, Plano	JL and Linda Pelton The Other Side, 4 STS, Gloodt (reviewed) Christmas Party and Dancing

** Indicates a Carousel Club

ICBDA Carousel Clubs – Most Taught Dances – November 2016

1 Alhambra	(Shibata 5 Waltz)	4 Fur Elise	(Rumble 4 Waltz)
1 I Can Love You Like That	(Johnson 5 Bolero)	4 La Gloria	(Moore 6 Bolero)
1 Summertime	(Rotscheid 6 Foxtrot)	4 Mariana Mambo	(Goss D/Figwer 4 Mambo)
2 Monsters Inc.	(Preskitt 5 Q/S)	4 Moonlight Memories	(Worlock 6 Foxtrot)
3 A Guy Is A Guy	(Preskitt 5 Jive)	4 Oh, Chihuahua!	(Worlock 4 Mambo)
3 Right Here Waiting For You	(Preskitt 5 Rumba)	4 Wounded Heart	(Worlock 5 Bolero)
4 At This Moment	(Goss D/Figwer 6 Waltz)	4 You're My World	(Prow 6 Waltz)
4 Ex's & Oh's	(Worlock 6 Jive)		

Local Lessons and Other Dance Opportunities

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

Karen and Ed Gloodt

- **Wednesday nights** – 6:00-6:45 p.m. – Swingtime Center
Phase 5 catch-up teaches and reviews, partner required. Anyone is welcome to join.
Evening program from 7-9 remains the same.

Beginning Bolero – Plano – Tuesday Nights – January 10 2017

JL & Linda Pelton

- **Tuesday nights** – January 10 through February 28 – Class #187430 – 7:15-9:15 p.m.
Carpenter Rec. Center, 6701 Coit Road, Plano 75023; to register call: 972.208.8087
For further info: Call Linda & JL at 972.897.6006 or email peltondances@gmail.com

Beginning Basic Two-Step – Garland–Monday Nights – January 23 2017

Christine & Theron Hixson

- **Monday nights** – January 23 through April 24, 2017 – 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.

Beginning Jive – Plano – Tuesday Nights – March 21 2017

JL & Linda Pelton

- **Tuesday nights** – March 21 through May 9, 2017 – Class #187431 – 7:15-9:15 p.m.
Carpenter Rec. Center, 6701 Coit Road, Plano 75023; to register call: 972.208.8087
For further info: Call Linda & JL at 972.897.6006 or email peltondances@gmail.com

Beginning Waltz – Garland–Monday Nights – May 1 2017

Christine & Theron Hixson

- **Monday nights** – May 1, 2017 through July 24, 2017 – 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.

Links to Other Festival and Dance Opportunities

January 20-21, 2017 –Shreveport, LA – Phase II-IV, Christ United Methodist Church

January Jewel – Featuring Mark & Pam Prow

Info: Martin & Doris Philyaw - Philyawdg@att.net; 318.938.7639

February 17-18, 2017 – Houston Texas - Knights of Columbus Lodge 2917
Houston Round Dance Festival, Phase IV-VI – featuring David Goss & Ulla Figwer
Info: Pam Prow - pam@mpprow.com; <http://mpprow.com/PDF/2017%20HRDF.pdf>

February 24-26, 2017 – 34th Annual Texas Stampede, Paris, Texas
Plus Square & Round Dance Weekend – Featuring Christine & Theron Hixson on Rounds
Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story on squares
Info: Charlotte Ezelle – 903.734.7481; Hixson – 972.270.7292 or hixsoncuer@earthlink.net

February 24-25, 2017 – LaGrange, Texas
TRDTA South Round Dance Festival - Ph. II-IV Round Dance Weekend, Randolph Recreation
Center, 653 E. Pearl Street, La Grange, Texas – Misc. TRDTA instructors teaching. For info:
<http://www.trdta.org/pdfs/TRDTA-LaGrange-2017-FINAL.pdf> or e-mail Martha & Ed Koslosky at:
martha@koslosky.com (telephone 979-966-2358)

March 31 – April 2, 2017 – ORDA 50th Anniversary – Lake Murray Lodge, Ardmore, OK
ORDA 50th Anniversary, Phase III-VI – Featuring Bob & Sally Nolen
Contact Info: Paul & Linda Robinson – 918.371.4455; e-mail: pldance@yahoo.com

April 28-29, 2017 – Houston Texas – Phase III-V, 607 E. Whitney
Fiesta la Danza Round Dance Festival – featuring Randy & Marie Preskitt
Info: Pam Prow - pam@mpprow.com; phone: 713.705.5290; register online: www.mpprow.com

May 28-June 3, 2017 – 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
<http://www.gloodts-letsdance.com/FUN%20VALLEY%202%202017.pdf>

Harvest Holiday Wishes You
A Happy, Healthy and Prosperous New Year

57th Annual Dallas/Fort Worth, Texas
Harvest Holiday Festival
Friday–Sunday, November 24-26, 2017
Dancing and Teaches at Phase 4-6



Featuring: Jim & Bobbie Childers

Festival Location:

Sokol Hall Athletic Center, 7448 Greenville Avenue, Dallas, TX

Festival Host Hotel:

La Quinta Dallas North Central, 10001 North Central Expressway, Dallas, TX
 (214.361.8200)

Registration:

\$110/couple by September 1, 2017 – \$130/couple after September 1, 2017

Kathy Ellis (Registration Information) 972.897.2079 csmkathyellis@gmail.com

Barrie & John Edstrom (Chair Couple) 817.306.5657 bstedstrom@aol.com

Full refund if cancellation received by November 1, 2017

See www.harvestholiday.com for up-to-date information.

Please make checks payable to: **HARVEST HOLIDAY (Note: HH 2017)**

Send to: Kathy Ellis 401 Wildbriar Dr., Garland, TX 75043

Name _____ His _____ Hers _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Phone _____

Email _____

() Check if Instructor Primary Level of Dancing (circle one): Phase 3-4 Phase 4-5 Phase 5-6

Harvest Holiday Pre-Festival
Monday–Thursday, November 20-23, 2017
Dancing and Teaches at Phase 3-6

**Impromptu teaches during the day by local and visiting instructors
 Request rounds in the evening**

Free for all dancers registered for the Festival

Pre-Festival Location:

Swingtime Center, 5100 S.E. Loop 820, Fort Worth, TX

Pre-Festival Host Hotel:

La Quinta Fort Worth
 3346 Forest Hill Circle, Fort Worth, TX (817.293.5800)

Tentative Pre-Festival and Festival Event Schedule

Date	Day	Time	Event	Location
Nov 20	Monday	7:30-10:00	Request Rounds	Swingtime
Nov 21	Tuesday	10-12, 2-4	Impromptu Teaches	Swingtime
		7:30-10:00	Request Rounds	Swingtime
Nov 22	Wednesday	10-12, 2-4	Impromptu Teaches	Swingtime
		7:30-10:00	Request Rounds	Swingtime
Nov 23	Thursday	10-12, 2-4	Impromptu Teaches	Swingtime
		7:30-10:00	Request Rounds	Swingtime
Nov 24	Friday	2:00-4:00	Trail-End Dance	Sokol Hall
		7:00-12:00	Evening Ball + After Party	Sokol Hall
Nov 25	Saturday	9:15-12:00	Festival Teach	Sokol Hall
		1:30-4:00	Festival Teach	Sokol Hall
		7:00-12:00	Evening Ball + After Party	Sokol Hall
Nov 26	Sunday	9:15-12:00	Review of Teaches	Sokol Hall