

Harvest Holiday News

December 2018

Note from the Chair

The 2018 Harvest Holiday Festival is done! And a great time was had by all. Dave Goss & Ulla Figwer presented 2 really nice dances, and we danced the weekend evenings away! We will present a complete report of the Festival and Pre-Festival at the January meeting, as we turn the Chaircouple reins over to Karen & Ed Gloodt. Thanks once again to ALL the Harvest Holiday folks who worked to ensure the success of the Festival!

We hope to see you all at the regular Harvest Holiday Sunday Fun Dance on December 9.

Jack & Sharie Kenny

Chaircouple, Harvest Holiday Festival 2018

Next Regular Sunday Fun Dance – December 9, 2018
Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

HARVEST HOLIDAY CHRISTMAS DANCE

**** **FREE TO ALL** ****

PHASE III-VI ALL REQUEST ROUND DANCE

FROM 2:00 TO 5:00 PM

Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

~ ~ ~ HAVE A HOLLY JOLLY CHRISTMAS ~ ~ ~

Harvest Holiday Winter Fun Rounds
Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

January 27, 2019, 2:00-5:00 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

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Sunday Fun Dance Record – November 11, 2018

Cuers: Ron & Marilou Webb (hosts), Barb Yeargan, Jack & Sharie Kenny, Christine Hixson, JL & Linda Pelton

Attendees: 33

Coffee & Refreshments: Kathy Ellis, Linda Pelton, Christine Hixson

Door Greeters: John & Leota Porter, Marilou Webb

Clean Up of Swingtime: Richard & Peggy Jung, Linda Pelton, Marilou Webb, Leota Porter, John Edstrom

List of Dances Cued – November 11, 2018

Ron Webb – Fur Elise, Save Room, Solitaire, Carnival, Beat of Your Heart, She Bangs, Nightfall, If One Day

Barb Yeargan – Am I Blue IV, Indiana Beach Swing, The Human Thing to Do, Sedalia, The Best of Life, Autumn IV

Jack Kenny – Life is A Slow Dance, Uptown Funk, Summertime, Senorita Tango, Papillon, Mi Amante, How Lucky Can One Guy Be, Coney Island

Christine Hixson – Theme From Shrek, Right Here Waiting for You, Boogie Bumper, Kindred Spirits, Why Did It Have to Be Me, Let's Get Away from It All, After Midnight Tango, Get It On, Alice Blue Gown, A Song With No Name, Kiss Me Goodbye Rumba

JL Pelton – Sam's New Pants, La Gloria, Send Her Roses, Sunflower, A Thousand Years, A Wink and a Smile, Laurann, The Sun The Sea The Sky, Stier Tango

Report on 2018 Harvest Holiday Pre-Festival and Festival

The 58th Harvest Holiday Festival was held at the Sokol Hall in Dallas, Texas, over Thanksgiving weekend (Nov 23-25). The pre-festival activities (Nov 19-22), which included evening dances Monday through Thursday, and daytime teaches (impromptus) during the day Tuesday through Thursday, were held at Swingtime Center in Fort Worth. The week and weekend were a great success, and our thanks to all who came to join in the fun. Thanksgiving week is always

a great week of dancing in the Dallas/Fort Worth area, and we enjoy the opportunity to get together with our dancing friends, both locally and from all over the country. In addition to our Texas friends, we had attendees from Maryland, Louisiana, Oklahoma, and Florida.

This year the daytime pre-festival impromptu instructors and dances taught were as follows:

JL & Linda Pelton – *A Dream of Yesteryear* (5+1+1 WZ, Pelton)
Ron & Marilou Webb – *Can't Help Falling In Love* (6 HCW, Webb)
Karen & Ed Gloodt – *The Alligator Stroll* (4+2+3 WCS, Gloodt)
Chris Jopek/Steve Davis – *42nd Street 4 You*, (4+2 QS, Rotscheid)
Jack & Sharie Kenny – *Egyptian Lady* (6 RB, Kenny)
Christine & Theron Hixson – *Warm & Willing* (5+1 WZ, Childers/Slotsve-Oldie 1995, HOF 2015)

The “official” part of the Festival (registration required) runs Friday through Sunday noon, and the clinicians were David Goss & Ulla Figwer. They did an excellent job of teaching their two newly-choreographed dances: “*Our Time*,” a beautiful Phase VI waltz, and “*Something Good*,” a fun Phase V+1 jive. Both dances were very well received by all the dancers, and we look forward to dancing them many times in the future.

Next year (November 29-December 1) the Festival clinicians will be Randy & Marie Preskitt, and we’re looking forward to another successful Harvest Holiday Festival in 2019. Mark your calendar now and make plans to join us next Thanksgiving for a great week and weekend of fun, fellowship and dancing. For information on all Harvest Holiday activities, go to:

www.harvestholiday.com.

Congratulations

Karen & Ed Gloodt’s *Kindred Spirits* (4 BL) was selected as the Roundalab Phase IV Round of the Quarter for the First Quarter of 2019.

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 Life Is A Slow Dance, 4 WZ, Worlock Why Did It Have To Be Me, 5 JV, Preskitt
Tuesday	
Ramblin' Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Tuesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Walnut Hill Rec Center, Dallas (Temporary location change)	Christine and Theron Hixson Something Good, 5 JV, Goss/Figwer Reviewed dances for Harvest Holiday Festival
Wednesday	
Ramblin' Rounds ** (Phase 4-5-6) Wednesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Churchill Recreation Center, Dallas	Christine and Theron Hixson Something Good, 5 JV, Goss/Figwer A Dream of Yesteryear, 5 WZ, Pelton Warm & Willing, 5 WZ, Childers/Slotsve Reviewed dances on Harvest Holiday Program
Rainbow Rounds (Phase 3-4-5) Wednesday, 6:00-9:00 pm Swingtime Center, Fort Worth	Karen & Ed Gloodt The Best of Me, 4 BL, Goss How Deep is Your Love, 4 RB, Rumble Reviewed: A Song With No Name, 4 JV, Hixson Mi Vida Sin Tu Amor, 4 BL, Gloodt If One Day, 5 BL, Armstrong Our Time, 6 WZ, Goss/Figwer
Thursday*	
Dance, Dance, Dance ** (Phase 5-6) Thursday, 6:30-9:00 pm Holford Recreation Center, Garland	Ron and Marilou Webb Havana, 6 CH, Goss Can't Help Falling In Love, 6 HCW, Webb
Dance Arounds (Phase 3-4-5) Thursday*, 7:15-9:30 p.m. Carpenter Rec Center, 6701 Coit, Plano NOTE: Effective March 22, dance night will be TUESDAY thru end of year	JL and Linda Pelton Reviewed dances for Harvest Holiday Festival

** Indicates a Carousel Club

Carousel Clubs – Most Taught Dances – November 2018

1 Havana (Goss 6 Cha)	4 Chanel (Preskitt 6 Waltz)
2 Life Is A Slow Dance (Worlock 4 Waltz)	4 Get It On (Lewis/Olson 5 WCS)
3 El Choclo (Goss 5 Tango)	4 Mia Bolero (Worlock 6 Bolero)
3 How Deep Is Your Love (Rumble 4 Rumba)	4 Something Good (Goss D/Figwer 5 Jive)
3 I'm Gonna Sit Right Down (Goss 5 Foxtrot)	4 Theme From Frozen (Worlock 6 Waltz)

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.

Round Dance Basics (Beginning Waltz) – Plano – Saturday Mornings– (ongoing)

JL & Linda Pelton

- **Saturday Mornings** – Ongoing – 11:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m.
Carpenter Recreation Center, 6701 Coit Road, Plano, TX
Signup by calling Carpenter Rec Center at 972-208-8087 or call Linda or JL at 972-897-6006
or email peltondances@gmail.com

Beginning Basic Two-Step – Garland – Monday Nights – Jan. 28, 2019

Christine & Theron Hixson

- **Monday nights** – Beginning Two-Step – January 28 through April 15, 2019 – 7:00-9:00 p.m.
Gale Fields Recreation Center, 1701 Dairy Road, Garland 75040
For further info: Call Christine at 972.270.7292 or email hixsoncuer@earthlink.net

Links to Other Festival and Dance Opportunities

January 18-19, 2019 – Shreveport, LA – Phase II-IV, Christ United Methodist Church

January Jewel – Featuring Tres-Cuer-Ritas: Lucy & Jerry Pate, Martha & Ed Koslosky, and Tammy & Marvin Lee

Info: Martin & Doris Philyaw - Philyawdg@att.net; 318.938.7639 or
Nancy Tatum - Nancytatummath@gmail.com

February 1-2, 2019 – Houston Texas - Knights of Columbus Lodge 2917

Houston Round Dance Festival, Phase III-V – featuring Curt & Tammy Worlock

Info: Linda Robinson: 918.640.9831; pldance@yahoo.com

Flyer: http://www.paulandlindarobinson.com/PDF/2019_Houston_Festival.pdf

February 22-23, 2019 – 36th Annual Texas Stampede, 590 E. Center Street, Paris, Texas

Plus Square & Round Dance Weekend – Featuring Christine & Theron Hixson on Rounds

Tony Oxendine and Jerry Story on squares

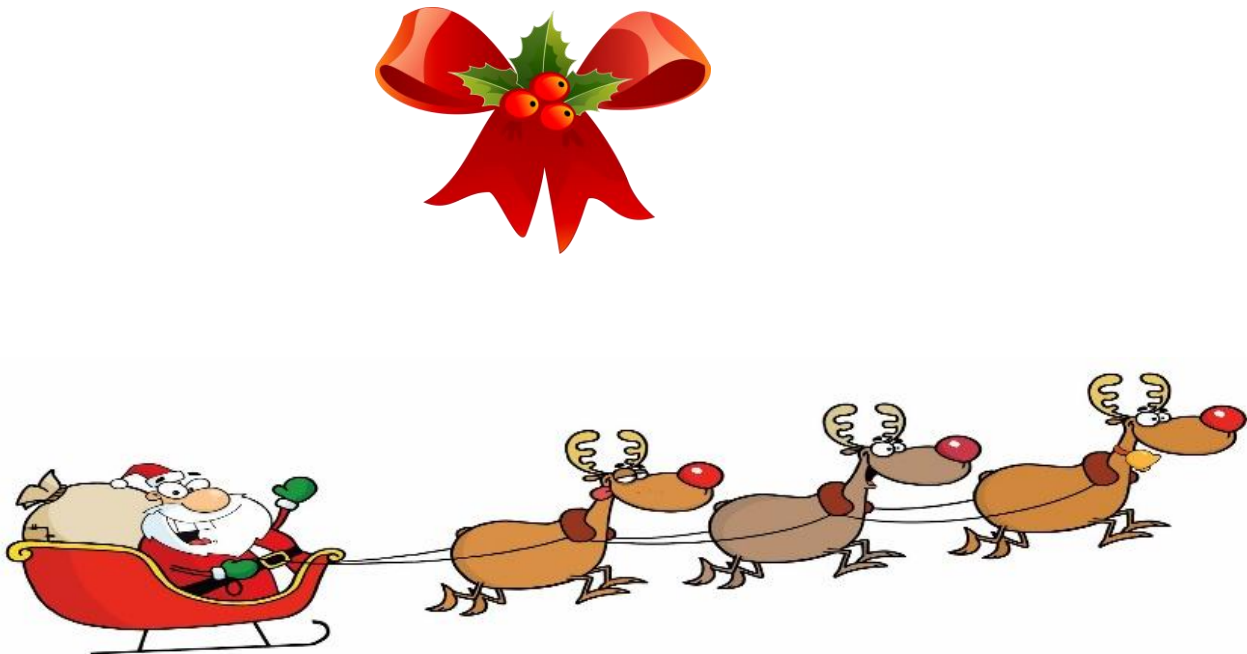
Info: Charlotte Ezelle – 903.734.7481; Hixson – 972.270.7292 or hixsoncuer@earthlink.net

February 22-23, 2019 – La Grange, Texas – Randolph Rec. Center, 653 E. Pearl Street
TRDTA - Texas Round Dance Teachers Association South Dance Festival - Phase II-IV
Featuring Texas cuers throughout the state teaching and cuing / teaches Saturday morning & afternoon; Phases 2-4 - Programmed dance Friday & Saturday night;
Info: <http://peltondances.com/pdfs/TRDTA-LaGrange-2019.pdf>

March 1-2, 2019 – Carthage, Missouri – Memorial Hall, 407 S. Garrison Ave
Tanglefooters 43rd Annual Spring Dance Weekend, Ph. II-IV – Featuring Karen & Ed Gloodt
Info: Kathy Stammer, PO Box 1051, Joplin, MO 64802; Phone: 417.439.2699;
Email: kstamdance@gmail.com

April 5-7, 2019 – Sequoyah Lodge, Wagoner, Oklahoma
ORDA (Oklahoma Round Dance) Festival – Phase III-VI
Featuring Pat & Joe Hilton in the main hall morning and afternoon
Phase III-IV workshop taught by Jim & Georgianne Couey in the morning in a second hall
Info: Paul & Linda Robinson – 918.371.4455; pldance@yahoo.com

May 3-5, 2019 – Swing Into Spring, 1000 Edwards Street North, Prescott, Ontario, Canada
Squares and Rounds – Featuring clinicians JL & Linda Pelton on rounds
Bill Harrison & Ken Ritucci on Squares; Friday night dance with rounds between tips; Saturday square dance workshops and round dance teaches in three halls during the day; Saturday night squares in two halls and an intermediate round dance in a third hall; Sunday morning square dance workshop, an introduction to rounds, and a Sunday afternoon dance

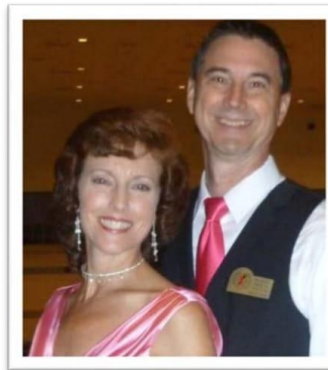


59th Annual Dallas/Fort Worth, Texas
2019 Harvest Holiday Festival

Friday-Sunday – November 29-December 1, 2019
Teaches and Dancing at Phase 4-6

Check www.harvestholiday.com for up-to-date information on venues, hotels and schedules for festival and pre-festival.

**Featuring:
Randy and Marie
Preskitt**



FESTIVAL (November 29-December 1, 2019)

Location: Sokol Hall, 7448 Greenville Avenue, Dallas, TX 75231
Registration: \$130/couple until September 1, 2019 \$150/couple after September 1, 2019
Full refund if cancellation received by November 1, 2019

Festival Host Hotel

La Quinta Inns & Suites - Dallas North Central, 10001 N. Central Expressway, Dallas, TX 75231 (214-361-8200)

Reservations: 1-866-527-1498 - Opt 1 (Confirmation # 0706729 – “Harvest Holiday”)
Harvest Holiday Festival Rate: \$79.00/night (if reserved before Nov. 1)

PRE-FESTIVAL: TBD – see www.harvestholiday.com for details

For further information contact:

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