

# Harvest Holiday News

May 2020

## Note from the Chair

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Once again our monthly dance has been cancelled. Swingtime Center is closed pursuant to a City of Forest Hills Order. The good news is that the Order expires June 13, which is the day before our regularly scheduled June dance. Hopefully, nothing will happen between now and then to delay the opening back up. Please check our website: [www.harvestholiday.com](http://www.harvestholiday.com) for up-to-date information.

Enjoy this Mother's Day weekend and stay safe and healthy so we can soon be dancing together again.

Christine & Theron Hixson  
2020 Harvest Holiday Chair Couple

**Next Regular Sunday Fun Dance – June 14, 2020**  
**Swingtime Center, Fort Worth**

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**\*\*\* SHORT MEETING AT 1:30 P.M. \*\*\***

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

**ALL REQUESTS – PH. III-VI**

~~~~~HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY~~~~~

## Harvest Holiday Summer Fun Rounds Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

**July 26, 2020, 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](mailto:peltondances@gmail.com) or [www.harvestholiday.com](http://www.harvestholiday.com)

## Dallas-Fort Worth Area Dance Club Status

| Monday                                                                                                    |                                                                                                    |
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| <b>Merry Rounders ** (Phase 4-5-6)</b><br>Monday, 6-8 pm<br>Eunice Senior Center, Arlington               | <b>Jack and Sharie Kenny</b><br><br>Center closed. Anticipate resuming dancing on June 1.          |
| Tuesday                                                                                                   |                                                                                                    |
| <b>Ramblin' Rounds (Phase 3-4-5)</b><br>Tuesday, 7:00-9:00 pm<br>Granger Rec Center Annex, Garland        | <b>Christine and Theron Hixson</b><br><br>Center closed through May. Scheduled to resume June 2.   |
| Wednesday                                                                                                 |                                                                                                    |
| <b>Ramblin' Rounds ** (Phase 4-5-6)</b><br>Wednesday, 7:00-9:00 pm<br>Churchill Recreation Center, Dallas | <b>Christine and Theron Hixson</b><br><br>Center closed. Anticipate resuming dancing June 3.       |
| <b>Rainbow Rounds (Phase 3-4-5)</b><br>Wednesday, 6:00-9:00 pm<br>Swingtime Center, Fort Worth            | <b>Karen and Ed Gloodt</b><br>Swingtime closed until June 13. Anticipate resuming dancing June 17. |
| Thursday                                                                                                  |                                                                                                    |
| <b>Dance, Dance, Dance ** (Phase 5-6)</b><br>Thursday, 6:45-9:00 pm<br>Holford Recreation Center, Garland | <b>Jack and Sharie Kenny</b><br><br>Center closed through May. Hope to resume June 4.              |
| <b>Dance Arouds (Phase 3-4-5)</b><br>Thursday*, 5:45:15-8:45 p.m.<br>Sam Johnson Recreation Center, Plano | <b>JL and Linda Pelton</b><br><br>Center closed – No dancing in May or June.                       |

\*\* Indicates a Carousel Club

## Carousel Club Reports – Note from Glen & Helen Arceneaux

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Dear friends,

There will be no Carousel Club reports for teaches and favorites during the months of April and May. We are assuming that all clubs are following COVID-19 guidelines of stay-at-home and not assembling in groups. We will resume sending out Carousel Club reminders (and reports) when COVID-19 is under control and we are able to meet in groups to dance once again.

We pray that you and all your dancers are safe and well.

Glen & Helen

## Dancer-Related News

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**Martha & Ed Koslosky** – Ed has had some health problems recently, and below is an e-mail Martha sent out on Friday, May 1:

*Ed had a successful defibrillator implant done today and everything is good so far. The bomber vest is off and being sent back. He can't raise his left arm above shoulder height for a month and he is wearing a restraint so he won't forget. He assured me that he can still use his right arm to point out things that I still have not finished. We will slowly start doing things again to see how much we can handle. Your thoughts and prayers and cards have truly helped get us through this ordeal. We love you and miss seeing everyone. Hopefully Texas can reopen all the way soon.*

*Martha and Ed*

(Address: 8082 Sandy Point Rd, Bryan, TX 77807)

**Curt & Tammy Worlock** – Thoughts and prayers for Curt & Tammy and family as they deal with the unexpected loss of their son-in-law Justus Wacaser on April 25. He leaves behind his wife, Kasey, and 20-month-old son James. Cards may be sent to Curt & Tammy at: 3613 Citrus Tree Court, Plant City, FL 33566. FYI, Tammy has set up a GoFundMe page for Kasey and James to help with expenses.

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## Swingtime Center Fundraiser

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A fundraiser (Non-Dance Covid-10 Dance Donations) was set up by Becky Page of T Square Gadabouts to raise funds to offset the loss of rentals sustained by Swingtime Center during the Covid-19 shutdown. We are happy to report that as of May 6 over \$3,200.00 has been collected.

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## Local Lessons and Other Dance Opportunities

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Rainbow Rounds – Continuing Lessons – 4-5 Catch-Up Teaches when regular club dancing resumes

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### 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.

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### Beginning Waltz – Garland – Monday Nights – June 1, 2020

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#### Christine & Theron Hixson

- **Monday nights** – Basic Waltz – June 1 to August 17, 2020 – 7:00-9:00 p.m.  
Granger Rec Center Annex, 1302 W. Ave F, Garland 75040  
For further info: Call Christine at 972.270.7292 or email [hixsoncuer@earthlink.net](mailto:hixsoncuer@earthlink.net)

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### Intermediate Waltz – Plano – Saturday Mornings – September 12

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#### JL & Linda Pelton

- **Saturday Mornings** – Intermediate Waltz – September 12, 2020 – 11:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m.  
Carpenter Recreation Center, 6701 Coit Road, Plano, TX – Class # is 30820  
Sign up by Calling Carpenter Rec Center at 972-208-8087; or call Linda at 972-897-6006, or email [peltondances@gmail.com](mailto:peltondances@gmail.com)

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## Links to Other Festival and Dance Opportunities

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**July 8-11, 2020 – Atlantis Casino Resort Spa, 3800 S. Virginia St., Reno, NV**

**44th ICBDA Convention – Phase III-VI – STATUS PENDING**

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 Ph. 5-6 teaches

Info: [https://www.icbda.com/wp-content/pdf/danceflyers/2020\\_ICBDA\\_Reno.pdf](https://www.icbda.com/wp-content/pdf/danceflyers/2020_ICBDA_Reno.pdf)

**Sept 18-19, 2020 – Promenade Hall, 5400 Benton Road, Bossier City, LA  
Louisiana Round Dance Association Weekend – Phase II-IV**

Featuring Louisiana cuers and teachers

Programmed dances Friday & Saturday nights; teaches Saturday morning and afternoon

Info: Doris Philyaw – 318.393.5150; e-mail: [philyawdg@att.net](mailto:philyawdg@att.net)

Flyer: <http://peltondances.com/pdfs/2020-LouisianaRDA.pdf>

**Oct. 9-11, 2020 – La Grange, Texas – Randolph Rec. Center, 653 E. Pearl Street**

**Centex 33rd Round Dance Festival - PH. III-V** – Featuring T.J. & Bruce Chadd

Contact: For more information contact: Martha Koslosky (979)-966-2358 [martha@koslosky.com](mailto:martha@koslosky.com)

Flyer: <http://peltondances.com/pdfs/2020CentexFlyer.pdf>

**November 25-25 – Swingtime Center, Fort Worth - Harvest Holiday Pre-Festival Activities**

Featuring local Harvest Holiday instructors – See Flyer at end of Newsletter

Info: [www.harvestholiday.com](http://www.harvestholiday.com)

**November 27-29, 2020 – Sokol Hall, Dallas – 60<sup>th</sup> Annual Harvest Holiday Festival**

Featuring Curt & Tammy Worlock – See Flyer at end of Newsletter

Info: [www.harvestholiday.com](http://www.harvestholiday.com)

**January 22-23, 2021 – Shreveport, LA – Phase II-IV, Christ UMC, Church, 1204 Crabapple Dr.**

**30th Annual January Jewel** – Featuring Karen & Ed Gloodt

Info: Martin & Doris Philyaw - [Philyawdg@att.net](mailto:Philyawdg@att.net); 318.938.7639

Flyer: <http://peltondances.com/pdfs/2021-January-Jewel.pdf>

**February 26-27, 2020 – La Grange, Texas – Randolph Rec. Center, 653 E. Pearl Street**

**TRDTA - Texas Round Dance Teachers Association South Dance Festival** - Phase II-IV

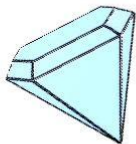
Featuring Texas cuers throughout the state teaching and cuing / teaches Saturday morning & afternoon; Phases 2-4 - Programmed dances Friday & Saturday night

Flyer: <http://peltondances.com/pdfs/2021-TRDTA-LaGrange.pdf>



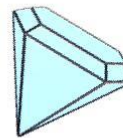
**2020 HARVEST HOLIDAY FLYER BELOW**





## 60th Annual Dallas/Fort Worth, Texas 2020 Harvest Holiday Festival

Friday-Sunday – November 27-29, 2020  
*Teaches and Dancing at Phase 4-6*



**Featuring:**  
**Curt & Tammy**  
**Worlock**



### **FESTIVAL (November 27-29, 2020)**

**Location:** Sokol Hall, 7448 Greenville Avenue, Dallas, TX 75231

**Registration:** \$140/couple (\$70/person) until Sept 1, 2020 \$160/couple (\$80/person) after Sept 1, 2020

Full refund if cancellation received by November 1, 2020

### **Festival Host Hotel:**

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

**Reservations: 1-214-361-8200– mention “Harvest Holiday”**

Harvest Holiday Festival Rate: \$79.00/night (if reserved before Nov. 1)

### **PRE-FESTIVAL (November 23-25, 2020) See information on the back**

### **For further information contact:**

Christine and Theron Hixson (Chair Couple) 214-686-3274, [hixsoncuer@earthlink.net](mailto:hixsoncuer@earthlink.net)

Jack and Sharie Kenny (Hotels) 817-917-9078 [jkenny3@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jkenny3@sbcglobal.net)

Kathy Ellis (Registration) 972-897-2079 [csmkathyeellis@gmail.com](mailto:csmkathyeellis@gmail.com)

Make checks payable to: **HARVEST HOLIDAY (Please note on check: HH 2020)**

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

Name (Last) \_\_\_\_\_ His \_\_\_\_\_ Hers \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Amount enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Festival) + \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Pre-Festival) = \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Total)



## **2020 Harvest Holiday Pre-Festival**

**Monday-Wednesday, November 23-25, 2020**

### **Dancing and Teaches**

Impromptu teaches (Ph 4-6) during the day by local and visiting instructors  
Request rounds (Ph 3-6) in the evening

**Registration: \$50/couple (\$25/person) - for ALL day and evening sessions  
or \$16/couple/session (\$8/person/session) (teach or dance)**

Note: Pre-Festival fees may be paid at the door

### **Pre-Festival Location:**

Swingtime Center, 5100 S.E. Loop 820, Fort Worth, TX 76140

### **Pre-Festival Host Hotel:**

La Quinta Inns & Suites - Fort Worth-Forest Hill  
3346 Forest Hill Circle, Fort Worth, TX (817-293-5800)

**Reservations: 1-817-293-5800 – mention "Harvest Holiday"**

Harvest Holiday Festival Rate: \$82.00/night (if reserved before Nov 4)

*For further information on hotels, contact:*

Jack and Sharie Kenny (817-917-9078) or [jkenny3@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jkenny3@sbcglobal.net)

### **Pre-Festival and Festival Event Schedule**

| Day       | Date   | Time                  | Event                                | Location         |
|-----------|--------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|
| Monday    | Nov 23 | 7:30-10:00 pm         | Request Rounds                       | Swingtime Center |
| Tuesday   | Nov 24 | 10:00 am-noon, 2-4 pm | Impromptu Teaches                    |                  |
|           |        | 7:30-10:00 pm         | Request Rounds                       |                  |
| Wednesday | Nov 25 | 10:00 am-noon, 2-4 pm | Impromptu Teaches                    |                  |
|           |        | 7:30-10:00 pm         | Request Rounds                       |                  |
| Friday    | Nov 27 | 2:00-4:00 pm          | Festival Trail-End Dance             | Sokol Hall       |
|           |        | 7:00-12:00 pm         | Evening Ball + After-Party           |                  |
| Saturday  | Nov 28 | 9:15-12:00 am         | Festival Teach                       |                  |
|           |        | 1:30-4:00 pm          | Festival Teach                       |                  |
|           |        | 7:00-12:00 pm         | Evening Ball + After-Party           |                  |
| Sunday    | Nov 29 | 9:00-9:30 am          | Coffee & Donuts<br>Register for 2021 |                  |
|           |        | 9:30-11:30 am         | Review of Teaches                    |                  |

