

Harvest Holiday News

April 2024

Note from the Chair

The Sunday Fun Dance is on April 14 this month. The business meeting scheduled for that date will be delayed until Sunday, May 19.

The Spring Rounds Dance is on Sunday, April 28. Phase 2 to 4 dances will be cued, so it is a good opportunity for square dance level dancers and above. It is All Request, so bring your dance requests.

A number of our members attended the Oklahoma Round Dance Association Festival at Lake Murray State Park last weekend. The featured clinician was Tom Hicks from California.

Bill Knight and Kathy Ellis
Chair, Harvest Holiday Festival 2024

Next Regular Sunday Fun Dance April 14, 2024 - Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

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

ALL REQUESTS – PH. III-VI

Harvest Holiday Spring Fun Rounds Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

April 28, 2024, 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

*** *HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY - MAY 12* ***

SINCE MOTHER'S DAY IS THE SECOND SUNDAY IN MAY, THE
MAY REGULAR FUN DANCE HAS BEEN CHANGED TO THE THIRD
SUNDAY, MAY 19, 2024

Sunday Fun Dance Record – March 10, 2024

Cuers: Karen & Ed Gloodt (Hosts), Christine & Theron Hixson,
JL & Linda Pelton

Attendees: 21

Door Greeters: Bill Knight

Coffee and Refreshments: Kathy Ellis, Terri Seymour

Clean up of Swingtime: Ralph Hamm, Alex Nestor, Jeff Copley

List of Dances Cued – March 10, 2024

Karen Gloodt – Quickstep in the Cantina, I Like to Lead When I Dance, Right Here Waiting for You, Hey, Anything But Love Foxtrot, Irish Washerwoman, Too Ra Loo Ra, Carnival, How Long Will I Love You, Pontoon West Coast, Don't Close Your Eyes, The Girl from Ipanema, Coney Island

Christine Hixson – Photograph, Never, No Valio La Pena, Baking Day, Beat of Your Heart, Alligator Stroll, Missouri Breaks, Dream Lover, Norwegian Wood, Swan Lake III, Old Man Time, Senorita Tango, Blue Orchids, Lariat of Dreams

JL Pelton – Cowboy Blues, Cuando Me Cha, Black Tie Tango, Carrickfergus, El Reloj, Hallelujah Foxtrot, Teachers Pet, Moments Magique, Better Place, El Mismo Sol III, Boulevogue, Cuando Me Enamoro, Sam Sam

Dallas-Fort Worth Area Dance Club Reports

Tuesday	
<p>Ramblin' Rounds (Ph 3-4-5) ** Tuesday, 7:00-9:00 pm Granger Rec Center, Garland</p>	<p>Christine and Theron Hixson Don't Close Your Eyes, 5 BL, Tubbs Reviewed spots in various dances</p>
Wednesday	
<p>Ramblin' Rounds (Ph 4-5-6) ** Wednesday, 1:30-3:30 pm Granger Rec Center, Garland</p>	<p>Christine and Theron Hixson Reviewed dances for ORDA</p>
<p>Rainbow Rounds (Ph 3-4-5) ** Wednesday, 6:00-9:00 pm Swingtime Center, Fort Worth</p>	<p>Karen and Ed Gloodt Teaches and Reviews: Calendar Girl, 4 JV, Rotscheid A Lady in Red, 4 BL, Moore Don't Close Your Eyes, 5 BL Tubbs Fur Elise, 4 WZ, Rumble Manuela, 4 WZ, Rumble Quickstep in the Cantina, 4 QS, Preskitt</p>
Thursday	
<p>Dance Arounds (Ph 3-4-5) ** Thursday, 5:45-8:45 p.m. Sam Johnson Rec Center, Plano</p>	<p>JL and Linda Pelton No Valio La Pena, 4 BL, Vogt Quit Playing Games, 4 RB, Lankuttis I Call Your Name, 5 WCS/JV, Goss</p>

** Indicates a Carousel Club

Carousel Clubs – Most Taught Dances – March 2024

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No Valio La Pena (Vogt 4 BL) 2. Dance with the Enemy (Armstrong 5 TG) 2. Hey (Preskitt 4 RB) 3. Carnival (Rumble 4 RB) 3. Why Don't You Do Right (Gibson 5 FT) 4. Alley Cat Blues (Davenport 4 FT) 4. Carrickfergus (Preskitt 6 STS) 4. Donde Estas Yolanda (Parker 4 MB) 4. Eternity (Shibata 6 BL) 4. Flowers (Hicks 4 CH) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 4. I Call Your Name (Goss 5 WCS/JV) 4. If I Know Me (Cavness 4 STS) 4. Isn't It Romantic (Preskitt 4 FT) 4. Katchi Cha (Hicks 6 CH) 4. Kicking Off Your Shoes (Lobato 5 RB) 4. More Than a Woman (Garza 4 WCS) 4. Psicofonia (Davenport 6 TG) 4. Through the Dark (Oren Pepper 4 WZ) 4. With One Look (Vogt 6 RB) |
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Festival Report

April 5-7, 2024 – Lake Murray Resort/Lodge, Ardmore, Oklahoma

ORDA (Oklahoma Round Dance) Festival – Phase III-VI - Featuring Tom Hicks

Dances taught:

Stompin' At The Savoy, 5+2 FT, Hicks

Texas Hold Em, 2+1 TS, Hicks

Cold Cold Heart, 4+2+1 WCS, Ho

Butterflies in Havana, 3+1 BL, Hicks

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.

Beyond Basic Rounds – Continuing Lessons – Plano - Wednesday Afternoons

JL & Linda Pelton

- **Wednesday afternoons** – 1:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Sam Johnson Recreation Center, 401 W 16th Street, Plano, TX 75075

Info: call Linda at 972-897-6006, or email peltondances@gmail.com

Links to Other Festival and Dance Opportunities

July 10-13, 2024 – Madison, Wisconsin

ICBDA Convention 48 – Featuring cuers and clinicians throughout the United States

See: www.icbda.com for a flyer and more information

August 18-22, 2024 – Eureka Springs, Arkansas

Eureka Springs Round Dance Vacation – Phase III-VI

Featuring Pamela & Jeff Johnson and Stefan & Illona Lankuttis

Dance Sunday evening, teaches and evening dances Monday through Thursday

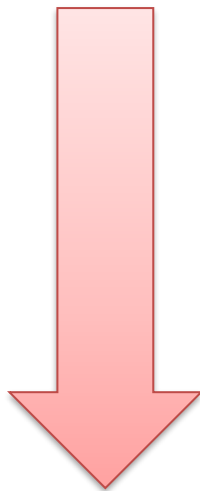
Flyer: www.trdta.org/pdfs/2024-EurekaSprings.pdf

Or contact Pamela & Jeff at 218-256-1873 or rapidballroom@gmail.com

Oct. 11-13, 2024 – La Grange, Texas – Randolph Rec. Center, 653 E. Pearl Street
Centex 34th Round Dance Festival - PH. III-V – Featuring Randy & Marie Preskitt
Programmed dance Friday & Saturday night - Teaches Saturday morning and afternoon.
Includes a Sunday morning review session
Info: Linda Pelton – 972-897-6006; peltondances@gmail.com
Flyer: <https://peltondances.com/pdfs/2024-CentexFlyer.pdf>

November 8-10, 2024 – Swingtime Center, 5100 SE Loop 820, Fort Worth, Texas
64th Annual Harvest Holiday Festival – PH. IV-VI – Featuring Randy & Marie Preskitt
Info: www.harvestholiday.com See Flyer Below.

~ **2024 HARVEST HOLIDAY FLYER BELOW** *~*



64th Annual Harvest Holiday Festival Friday-Sunday – November 8-10, 2024 Fort Worth, Texas

Teaches and Dancing at Phases 4-6
See the Harvest Holiday website at: www.harvestholiday.com
for the most up-to-date information on host hotel and schedules for the festival.

New Date
2nd Weekend in November
New Location
Swingtime Center
5100 SE Loop 820, Fort Worth, TX



Randy and Marie Preskitt

– **Registration** –

\$150 per couple until September 1, 2024 – \$180 per couple after September 1, 2024
Single registration is half of the couple rate.
Full refund if cancellation is received by October 15, 2024

– **For Further Information, Contact** –

Bill Knight (Co-Chair) – 469-260-8786 – wknight8@verizon.net
Kathy Ellis (Co-Chair) – 972-897-2079 – csmkathyellis@gmail.com
Kathy Ellis (Registration) – 972-897-2079 – csmkathyellis@gmail.com

Make checks payable to: **Harvest Holiday** Please note “HH 2024” on check
Mail to: Kathy Ellis, 401 Wildbriar Drive, Garland, TX 75043

Name (Last) _____ His _____ Hers _____
 Address _____
 City _____ State ____ Zip _____ Phone _____
 Email _____
 Amount enclosed: \$ _____

2023 HARVEST HOLIDAY FESTIVAL TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

Friday	Nov. 8	2:00-4:00 pm	Festival Trail-End Dance
		7:00 pm-12:00 am	Evening Ball + Die Hard
Saturday	Nov. 9	9:15 am-12:00 pm	Festival Teach
		1:30-4:00 pm	Festival Teach
		7:00 pm-12:00 am	Evening Ball + Die Easy
Sunday	Nov. 10	9:00-9:30 am	Coffee & Donuts
		9:30-11:30 am	Review of Teaches

