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Calendar of Events

NORTEX Quarterly Meeting	02.18.24
NORTEX Quarterly Meeting	04.21.24
NORTEX Installation and Dance	06.02.24
NORTEX Quarterly Meeting	08.18.24
NORTEX Round-Up Kickoff	09.15.24
NORTEX Quarterly Meeting	11.03.24
Callers Cavalcade	12.06.24
Round-Up 2024	12.07.24

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Hello Dancers,

We have a lot of clubs giving lessons right now. If one of those happens to be your club, make sure they have all the angels they need to bring success to these classes. Your fellow club members, as well as the students, will appreciate you for it.

The Nominating Committee met on January 21,2024. The chairman will present the names of this year's nominees at the February 18th Quarterly meeting. Who we elect to our NORTEX positions is very important. There are several interesting items on the agenda for this

meeting. Everyone is invited to attend. Come join us and get the scoop firsthand.

NTCA has installed their new crew. President, Vernon Jones, tells all the names in his monthly letter found on the next page. I hope you attended their dance and thanked both outgoing and incoming officers as they passed the baton. These folks are so important to the success of our clubs and activity. Their efforts and value cannot be overstated.

The April 21st Quarterly Meeting is going to be a lot of fun. We will be voting on our next slate of officers at that time. Following the meeting, there will be a FREE Celebration Dance. There is much to celebrate as we wrap up the current officers' agendas and prepare to help the next plans to succeed. Both the NORTEX officers and all the dancers deserve to be cheered. Mark your calendar and bring all your club members. Let's pack Swingtime out. See the flyer in this edition of the *Promenade*.

We are sharing flyers for new Demo Dances as they come available, both here and on Facebook. Generally, our Facebook page is the first place they get introduced. Here's the address: www.facebook.com/OfficialNORTEX If you don't already follow us on Facebook, like us and follow us today.

Vince Matej continues to be successful in finding interesting locations for all dancers to share our pastime. Kaye Gregory creates the flyers (Doesn't she do a magnificent job?). Be sure to sign up for the demos you intend to participate in. Do it promptly so Vince knows that he has the dancers needed to put our best foot forward. All the demo flyers include Vince's phone number. Reach out to him if you have any questions the flyers do not cover.

As you browse the following pages, you can't help but notice Valentine's Day is quickly approaching. There is simply no excuse for not appreciating your sweetheart. Many clubs are doing Valentine themed dances so you can make an evening of celebrating the love you share with that special someone in your life.

I come from a family of 9 children. Valentine's Day was so much fun at our house. 7 of those 9 children were girls. Daddy came home with a big box of candy for our mom and sweet small boxes for each one of us girls. These were always Pangburn's chocolates. Daddy would tell us—nothing but the best for my girls.

Enjoy your sweet memories and don't miss the chance to make more!

Let's Dance Like No One's Watching.

ANNIVERSARY AND DOUBLE DEAL DANCES (2 SIGNATURES)
Be sure to book Anniversary and Double Deal Dances with
Dave & Lorraine Burson
Club Coordinator
972.396.0941

FEBRUARY 2024

ANNIVERSARY DANCES
2/8/2024 DOUBLE PLUS

DOUBLE DEAL DANCES2/2/2024 TEXAS REELERS
2/17/2024 REBEL ROUSERS

MARCH 2024

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ANNIVERSARY DANCES
3/29/2024 FORT WORTH SQUARES
3/30/2024 TRAILBLAZERS

DOUBLE DEAL DANCES3/23/2024 TRI-CITY PROMENADERS



NTCA Corner

Dear Callers, Cuers & Dancers,

This is my last article for the Promenade as my term as NTCA President has come to an end.

I would like to thank all the NTCA members and especially the NTCA Board, Vice President Jan Toms, Secretary Deborah Carroll-Jones, Treasurer Charles Crockett and Past President Ray Savell.

The new NTCA board is President Toby Thomas, Vice President Charlie Robertson, Secretary Jack von der Heide, Treasurer Charles Crockett and Past President Vernon Jones.

It should be an exciting year!

Come on out and Lets Have Some Fun.

Vernon Jones NTCA President



FRIENDSHIP FUN AWARDS

	Gold Club	
150 Club	Deb Harpole	Roadrunners
	Robert Fields	Roadrunners
175 Club	Pete Abshire	Rebel Rousers
525 Club	Erika Brown	Rebel Rousers
550 Club	Richard Koch	Circle I
1050 Club	Marsha Parr	Triangle Squares
1225 Club	Ron & Donita See	Sw inging Stars
	Silver Club	
175 Club	Pete Abshire	Rebel Rousers

NORTEX CLUB VISITS AWARDS

None



Keep Visiting and Collecting Dangles Friendship Travel Officer

PLEASE turn in cards by the 15th for the next month's Promenade.

James & Carolyn Ehlinger 1400 E University Drive, Apt. 2103 Denton, TX 76209 407.797.8237 or 407.353.8237 ce2je12@gmail.com









KISSIN' KUZZINS

Baby, It's Cold Outside!



Come dance with us and warm up!!!

Friday, February 2, 2024

Caller: Mike Bramlett

Plus Workshop 7:30 pm First S/D Tip 8:00 pm

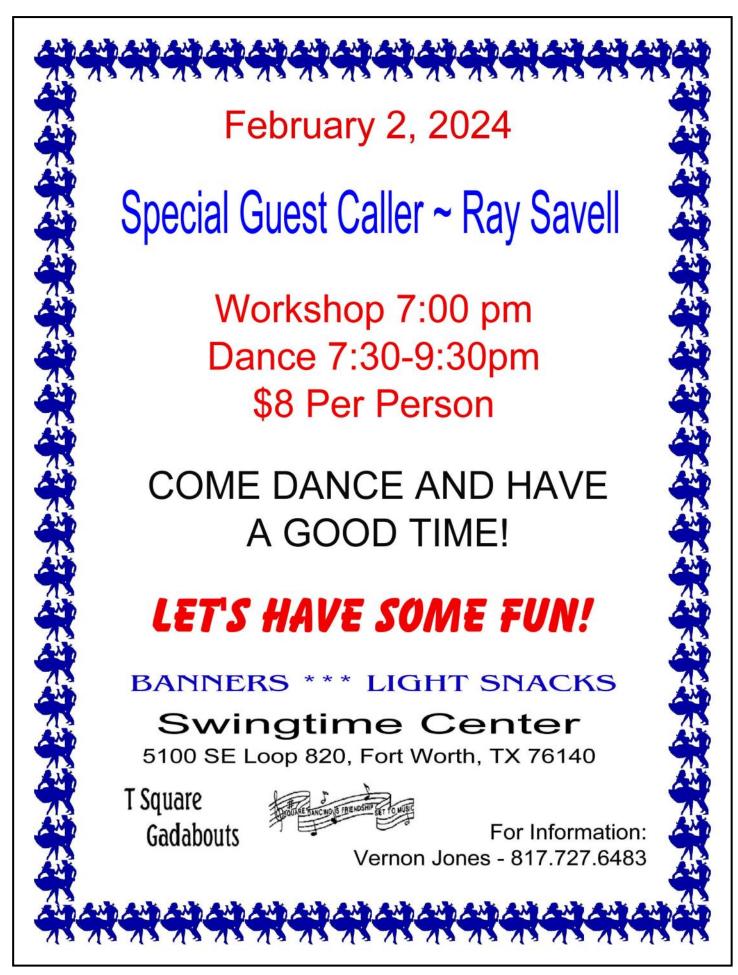
Mainstream Dance with Plus Tip.
Water and light snack! Hand Sanitizer Provided.

Banner Game...Honey Pot!!!



Network Ministries Building 1500 International Pkwy, Suite 300 Richardson, Texas 75081

Presidents: Martha & Ernest Hernandez 972-849-6939 www.kissinkuzzins.org





DANCE

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2024

ER 7:30PM GM 8:00PM

CLUB CALLERS:
DEBORAH CARROLL-JONES & JON JONES

CLUB CUERS: Chris & Maria Farabaugh

RICHARDSON SENIOR CENTER 820 W. ARAPAHO ROAD RICHARDSON, TX

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COME AND SHARE IN THE LOVE OF SQUARE DANCING WITH FRIENDS AT

TRIANGLE SQUARES DANCE CLUB

ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 2024

AND ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2024

IN CELEBRATION OF PRESIDENT'S DAY



FIRST CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

1424 STUART RD, DENTON, TEXAS

7:00-7:30 PM WORKSHOP/PLUS

7:30- 9:30 PM GRAND MARCH/SSD DANCE

CUER/CALLER: TOBY THOMASON

\$10 EACH PERSON

SNACKS AND DRINKS PROVIDED

HEARING ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE





VALENTINE'S BALL

Guest Caller: Tim Tyl



SWINGTIME CENTER * 5100 SE LOOP 820 * FT. WORTH, TX

Log Cabin Swingers Square Dance Club Oran White Civic Center, (Turn into Tool City Hall) 701 N. Tool Dr., Hwy. 274 Tool, TX 75143

1st & 3rd Sat. Club Caller: Tim Tyl Cuer: David Berling 3rd Sat.

Pres. Joyce 214-543-0834 1st V. P. Grace 817-798-5538 Grand March 7:30

2024 ScheduleSquare	Dance Workshop or Rounds @7:00
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Date	Caller	Cuer
Jan. 6	Tim Tyl	Pajamas Party Dance Square Workshop
Jan. 20	Nelda Eaton	David Berling
Feb. 3	Mike Bramlett	Square workshop
Feb. 17	Tim Tyl	David Berling
**March	2 Danny Blagg Dane	e at Corsicana Senior Activity Center **
March 16	David Toms	Jan Toms
April 6	Joey Duhamel	Square workshop
April 20	Ray Savell	David Berling
May 4	Tim Tyl Hee Haw 49	th Anniversary Dance David Berling
May 18	Dale Smith	David Berling
June 1	Mike Sikorsky After	rnoon Dance 3:30-5:30 Sq. Workshop
June 15	Jon Jones	David Berling
July 6	Tim Tyl	Square Workshop
July 20	Tim Tyl	David Berling
August 3	Glen Martin	Square workshop
August 1'	7 Gary Sanders	David Berling
Sept. 7	Toby Thomason	Square workshop
Sept. 21	Dave Vieira	50'S Dance Party Michele Vieira
Oct. 5	Danny Blagg	Square workshop
Oct. 6	Dan Nordbye Special	Sunday afternoon dance 2:30 – 4:30
Oct. 19	Deborah Carroll-Jones Hal	loween Costume Dance Party David Berling
Nov. 2	Dark City Election	Cancel Dark No Dance
Nov. 9	Mike Bramlett	Square workshop
Nov. 16	Nelda Eaton	David Berling
Dec. 7	DARK Cancel for NORT	TEX Round-Up Dark
Dec. 14	Mike Bramlett	Square workshop
Dec. 21	Tim Tyl	David Berling
Dec. 31	Scott Bennett New Year's	Eve Dance 8:00 ER David Berling
Address For Activity Center: 919 W. Park Ave. Corsicana, TX		

DOUBLE PLUS

21ST YEAR ANNIVERSARY

Two Signature

February 8

7:00 WKSHP ,Dance 7:30-9:30 SWINGTIME CENTER 5100 SE 820 LOOP/ANGLIN FORT WORTH TX

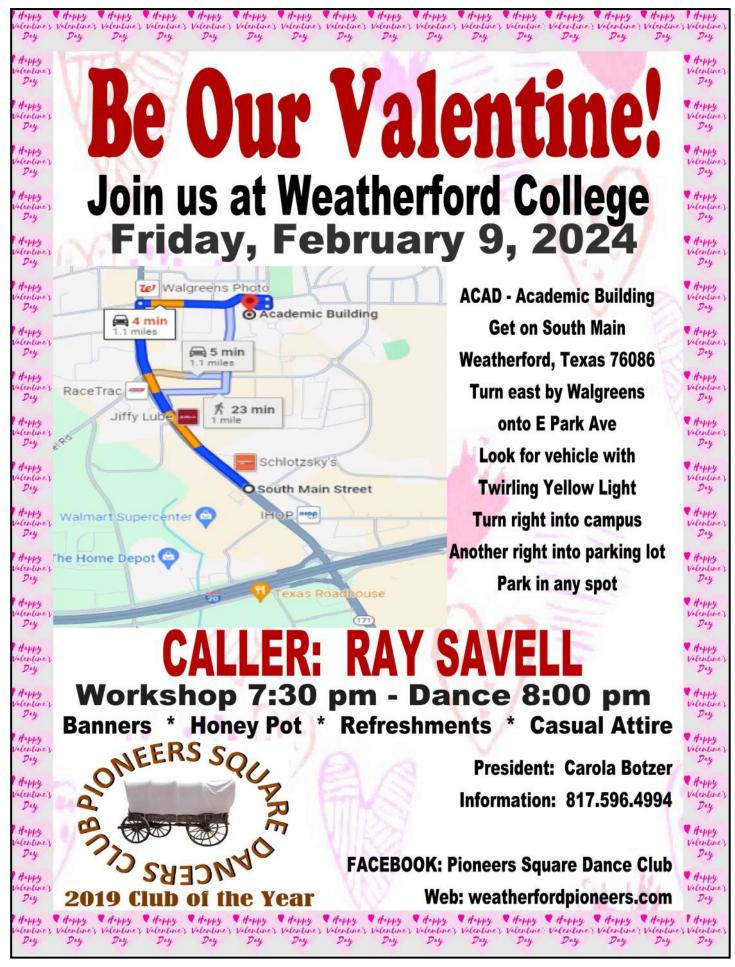




VERNON
JONES
CALLING

Contact Karen Riffle 817-991-7164





The Stone Steppers Friday, February 9th Valentine's Dance Friday, February 9th **Holy Trinity Episcopal Church** 3217 Guthrie Road, Garland Early Rounds at 7:30 PM Squares & Rounds 8:00 PM-10:00 PM Caller: Bill Hinkley Cuer: Christine Hixson **Mainstream & Announced Plus** Stonesteppers.com



Let Me Call You Sweetheart



Valentine Dance

February 9, 2024

Guest Caller: Mike Bramlett

Cuer: Chris Farabaugh

Early Rounds 7:30

Square Up: 8:00



Network Ministries Building

1500 International Pkwy Ste. 300 Richardson Tx. 75081



Dancers under 18 dance FREE with paying adults
For info: 214-675-6523 OR president@swingingstars.org
Visit our website: www.swingingstars.org



Nocona Chamber of Commerce

ardi Gras

Hocona Style 2024

Danny Blagg Caller

Saturday, February 10, 2024 2:00 pm - 2:30 pm

Downtown Nocona In Front of the Main Stage

Clay Street, Nocona, Texas 76019

Please sign up on the NORTEX website.

For more information contact Vince Matej at 817.709.7688



Web Page:

https://www.nocona.org/events/mardi_gras_nocona_style.html

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/search/top?q=mardi%20gras%20nocona%20style





HAPPY VALENTINE'S NEW DANCER DANCE

Thursday February 15, 2024

Mike Bramlett
Guest Caller

Light Snacks, Coffee, Water Provided Honey Pot, Banner Game

Swingtime Center 5100 SE Loop 820 Fort Worth, TX

Presidents
Benny & Jet Sampilo
Co-Presidents
Ed & Pam Reedy

(757) 619-9626

Roadrunners.pres@gmail.com www.roadrunnersquares.club



7:00 pm Workshop

ROADRUNIERS
1995-2014-2020 NORTEX CLUB OF THE YEAR

KISSIN' KUZZINS



BOOT SCOOTIN' BOOGIE

Put on your favorite skirt, Texas shirt, or some boots and jeans and come dance with us. YeeHaw!!

FEBRUARY 16, 2024 Caller: Mike Bramlett

Mainstream W/S 7:30 pm First S/D tip 8:00 pm



Mainstream Dance with Plus Tip.
Light snack and water provided.
Banner & Honey Pot Game!!!!

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Celebrate this season of love and our love of dance!
Friday, February 16, 2024

Richardson Senior Center 820 W. Arapaho Road, Richardson, TX

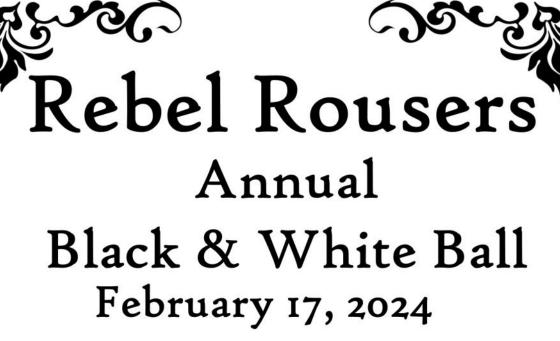
EARLY ROUNDS 7:30PM Chris & Maria Farabaugh GRAND MARCH 8:00PM
Deborah Carroll-Jones
& Jon Jones

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Featuring: The Bramlett's & Christine Hixson

Please bring your own drink and snacks

Early Rounds: 7 pm Plus Fun Shop: 7:30 pm

Dance: 8 pm

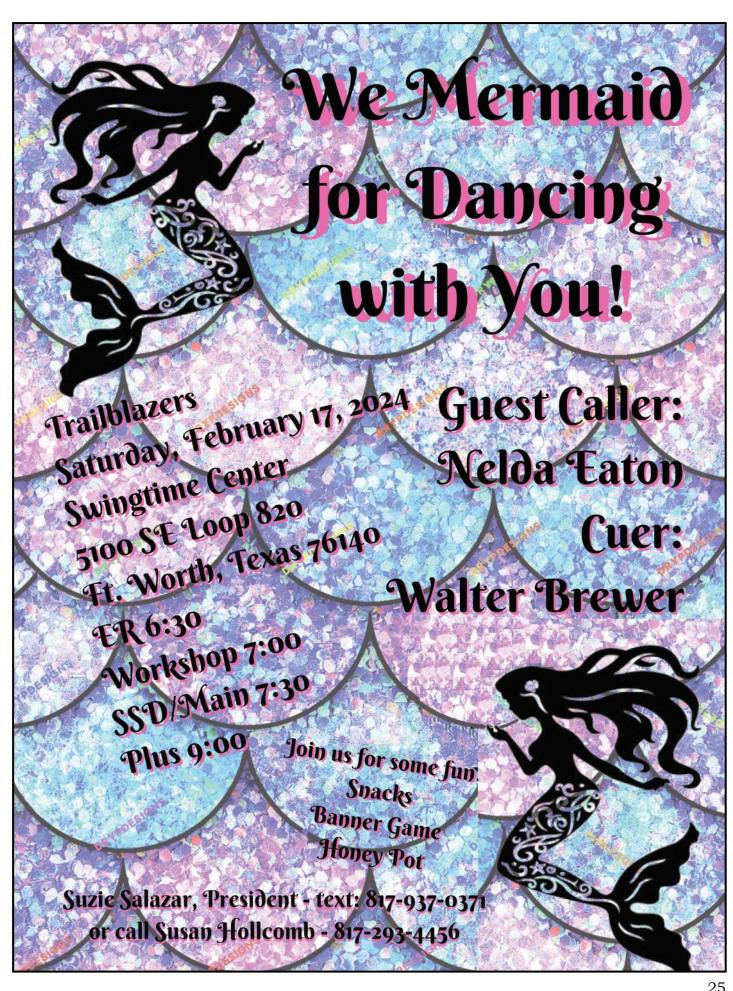
For more info: www.rebelrousersdallas.com 214-924-1950 or 972-467-3900

Double Deal

Dance location
Richardson Senior Center
820 W Arapaho Rd, Richardson, TX

All youth accompanied by a paying adult get in free.







Circle I

Presents



Free

Square Dance Lessons Social Square Dance Calls

with

Instructor: Ray Savell

on

Monday Evenings 7:00-9:00 PM

Beginning February 19, 2024 Through May 13, 2024

Location

Heritage Senior Center 200 South Jefferson St. Irving, Texas 75060 RSVP to Chris Mills ccmills@tx.rr.com

circle.org

Join Circle 8

For a night of **Plus** Dancing!

Every 4th Thursday

Caller: VERNON JONES

(Note: Circle 8 will continue with its regular 1st Saturday night dances. Check Promenade for guest callers.)



\$10 PP DONATION

7:00 Plus Workshop 7:30 – 9:30 Plus Dance (No Rounds)

> Swingtime Center 5100 SE Loop 820 Ft Worth, TX Info: 254-744-8364

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

January 25, 2024

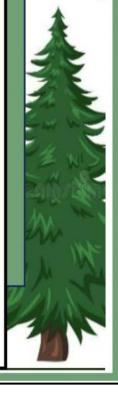
February 22, 2024

(Charlie Robertson)

March 28, 2024

April 25, 2024

May 23, 2024 (Charlie Robertson)



A Singles and Couples Square and Round Dance

Fort Worth Squares

Word of the month:

terpsichorean

Friday February 23, 2024

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

Caller: Charles Crockett
Cuer: David Berling

\$8 Honey Pot Banners

Info: 817-319-7472





7:00 Rounds 7:30 Workshop 8:00 Grand March



Honey Pot Banner Game MARDI GRAS

Solo Board

February 23, 2024

Snacks

Network Ministries Building

1500 International Pkwy Ste. 300 Richardson TX.75081

Caller Charlie Robertson Cuer Jan Toms



Early Rounds: 7:30

Square Up: 8:00

SAVE THE DATE May 10,2024
SWINGING STARS 49th ANNIVERSARY DANCE
DANCING WITH THE STARS

GUEST CALLER: JET ROBERTS

CLUB CALLER: CHARLIE ROBERTSON

CLUB CUER: JAN TOMS

Dancers under 18 dance free when accompanied by a paying adult. For Info Contact 214-675-6523 or president@Swingingstars.org
Visit our web site: www.swingingstars.org





KISSIN' KUZZINS MAD ABOUT MARCH









Friday, March 1,2024
Guest Caller: Bobby Willis

Plus Workshop 7:30 pm First S/D Tip 8:00 pm

Mainstream Dance with Plus Tip.
Water and Light Snack Provided.
Banner Game...Honey Pot!!!

NEW LOCATION

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March Campout



Club Contact 214-213-3015 CAMPER NOT REQUIRED

A Camp and Dance Weekend

Log Cabin Swingers & North Texas Camping Squares

FRIENDSHIP WEEKEND MARCH 1-3, 2024

Campout at American RV
4345 State Hwy 31W, Corsicana TX 75110
903-872-0233 Call for reservations
Caller Danny Blagg

WEAR YOUR GREEN

SQUARE DANCES @ 7:00 AT CORSICANA SENIOR CENTER 919 W. Park Ave

FRIDAY NIGHT

HOSTED BY
NORTH TEXAS CAMPING SQUARES

SATURDAY NIGHT
HOSTED BY
LOG CABIN SWINGERS



Next Campout
April 5-8, 2024
PINE GARDENS RV PARK, Tool TX

COME JOIN US



DEMO DANCE

Saturday, March 2, 2024 Noon – 1:00 pm

1008 Bailey Ranch Road, Aledo, TX 76008

Come to the Front Entrance / Cafeteria Area Inside

Please sign up on the NORTEX website.



Vernon Jones
Caller



This is a Junior Class Fundraiser for Prom. Let's make a donation for the kids.

For more information contact Vince Matej at 817.709.7688

Check out their Facebook page: Aledo Spring Fling or their website at sites.google.com/view/aledo-spring-fling/home.

54th Annual Louisiana Square and Round Dance Convention

March 14 - 16, 2024

Location on March 14th and 15th: Promenade Hall - 5400 Benton Road, Benton, Louisiana
Thursday March 14th Trail-in Dance - \$10/pp 6:30 PM Pre-Rounds, 7:00 PM - 9:30 PM Dancing
Friday March 15th All Day Dancing - \$15/pp 10:00 AM - 12:00 NOON , 2:00 PM - 4:30 PM,
6:30 PM Pre-Rounds, 7:00 PM - 9:30 PM Dancing

Callers for the State Convention: Joey Duhamel and Callers/Cures friends from the ARKLATEX

Shreveport Convention Center/Hilton #11, LA3/Benton Road here. Watch for the dancers' sign.

Shreveport Convention Center/Hilton #11, LA3/Benton Road here. Watch for the dancers' sign.

Barksdale A From Size

SHREVEPORT-BOSSIER

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SHREVERORT-BOSSIE

<u>Location on March 16th</u>: Shreveport Convention Center, 400 Caddo Street, Shreveport, LA, Exhibit Hall 1
Saturday March 16th—LSDA Delegates Meeting 9:00 - 10:00 AM Education Classes 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM

Donation Dance 1:00 PM - 4:30 PM

74th NSDC Saturday Night Pre-Convention Dance <u>Free with Pre-Registration or can register at the door</u> 6:30 PM - 7:00 PM Pre-Rounds, 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM Dance



Camping for the 74th NSDC Preconvention and Convention

March 14 - 16, 2024 and June 25 - 28, 2025

Camping with over 200 sites is a convenient 4.6 miles from the Shreveport Convention Center. Parking at the convention center is \$4.00/day or for a short 5-10 minute walk, free at Sam's Town or Bally's Parking Structure. See map below with driving description.

Camping fee - \$35.00/night for either 50 Amp (first come first serve) or 35 Amp service. All camping sites are full service with water, sewer, and electric hookups. We have also included a hospitality Suite, for the Convention in 2025 only, complete with a small kitchenette and tables, giving campers an area to socialize before, during, or after a hard day of dancing. Enjoy.





To the Camping area take 20 West to exit 16A, Hearre Avenue and State Fair Grounds, 4.6 miles from the convention center. From the camping area, simply take I-20 East and exit 19A and north to Caddo Street for the Convention parking structure or right at Fanin to dead end at Clyde Fant for free parking at either Sam's Town or Bally's Casino parking.

DEMO DANCE

WESTERN DAY AT TITA

Thursday, March 21, 2024 6:00 pm - 6:45 pm

FREE PARKING In Lot F11 Wear Orange & Blue

Vernon Jones
Caller

Please sign up on the NORTEX website.



BLUEBONNET BALLROOM
300 W. 1st Street, Arlington, TX 76019

Instagram

Page:

@utaexcel

For more information contact Vince Matej at 817.709.7688



SCHEDULE

Friday, March 22					
Session 1	7:30 to 8:00pm	Early Rounds			
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Saturday, March 23					
Session 2	9:00 to 10:00am	Rounds workshop			
Session 3	10:00 to 11:30am	Plus Workshop			
	11:30am to 1:30pm	Lunch Break			
Session 4	1:30 to 2:30pm	Rounds Workshop			
Session 5	2:30 to 4:00pm	Plus Workshop			
	4:00 to 6:30pm	Dinner Break			
Session 6	6:30 to 7:00pm	Early Rounds			
Session 6	7:00 to 9:00pm	Plus with Rounds			

Cost: \$10.00 per session per person or \$45.00 per person to register for the entire weekend.

Special note! We will be using the material used during the workshops at the dance Saturday night.



email: vernonjones@prodigy.bet





JOIN US **May 5, 2024**

4:30 – 5:00 Early Rounds 5:00 - 7:00 Squares w/Rounds

Swingtime Center 5100 SE Loop 820 Ft Worth, TX

CALLERS:
VERNON JONES
CHARLIE
ROBERTSON
CUER:
JAN TOMS

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WACO, TX
2026

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Note: Ghost Riders will NOT be present at this dance.

The Texas State Federation of Square and Round Dancers® presents...

62nd Annual Texas State Square & Round Dance Festival

To Boldly Dance ... into the Future



SQUARE EM UP AT THE RED RIVER COMMUNITY HOUSE



2024 SUMMER SQUARE and ROUND DANCE SCHEDULE

Sat, Mon, Tues – July 13, 15, 16 Toby and Judy Thomason Sat, Mon, Tues – July 27, 29, 30 Ray and Linda Savell Thurs, Fri, Sat – August 8, 9, 10 Freddie and Gail McKee-Caller Jamie and Dave Sader – Round Dance Cuer

10am-Noon: Beginner, Mainstream & Plus Square Dance Lessons...All Sessions! 1:30pm-3:30pm Round Dance Beginner and Intermediate Workshop (third session only, August 8-10)

7pm-9pm: Square Dancing, Line Dancing, Two-Steppin'...All Sessions! Round Dancing (third session only, August 8-10)

Evening meal before the 2nd night of each session

Ice Cream social after the 3rd night of each session

No charge for any event, but donations are appreciated!

Come dance and experience everything Red River has to offer... Fishing, hiking, shopping, fine dining, horseback rides, chair lift rides and more!

Go to <u>www.redrivercommunityhouse.org</u> for the 2024 schedule of events for the entire family! 116 Main Street, Red River, New Mexico 87558

Email <u>redrivercommunityhouse1940@gmail.com</u> Phone: 575-754-2349 Visit <u>www.redriver.org</u> for lodging, restaurants, and adventure activities.



Square Dance

Second & Fourth Sundays



2nd and 4th Sundays, 2 - 4pm Mainstream & Plus Dancing

Grace United Methodist Church 4105 Junius St., Dallas, TX 75246

LGBTQ Friendly, Casual Attire, Singles Welcome, Various Callers

Visit us at PegasusSquares.com

First & Third Thursdays

ROADRUNNERS

Swingtime Center, 5100 SE Loop 820, FW Corner of 820 & Anglin Dr.

Presidents:

Benny & Jet Sampilo

Co-Presidents: Guest Ed & Pam Reedy Callers

(757) 619-9626

First and Third Thursdays of Every Month BEEP

Us On Facebook

7:00 pm Workshop 7:30 pm Grand March

www.roadrunnersquares.club - roadrunners.pres@gmail.com

First, Third & Fifth Mondays



Plus 6-8pm

820 W Arapaho Road Richardson, TX 75080

Caller Mike Bramlett info: 214-402-8540 Casual Attire

mlett SqDncClr@aol.com \$10 per person

First Wednesdays



PLUS FOURS
All Plus Dancing
No Rounds

1st Wednesday

7:00-9:00pm Plus Chapel Hill United Methodist Church 12411 Templeton Tr., Farmers Branch Caller: Toby Thomason

214-543-1468

President Ed Ferguson 972-795-2324

Thursdays



ADVANCED (A1-A2) THURSDAYS 7-9 PM

Plano Elks Lodge 1111 Jupiter Rd #105b, Plano, TX GLENN MARTIN caller Info 972-822-1739



Every Thursday

Plus WS: 6:30 PM – 7:00 PM

Plus Dancing: 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Goodbar Recreation Center

3000 Concord Drive, Mesquite

Caller: Bill Hinkley

214-498-7424

billhinkley@sbcglobal.net

Second Thursdays



2nd Thursday

Guest Callers Swingtime Center



7:00 to 9:30

All Plus Dancing - Light Refreshments
For more information contact:

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Square Dance

First & Third Fridays



KissinKuzzins.org



1st Friday 7pm Early Rounds / 7:30 pm Plus Workshop 3rd Friday 7pm Early Rounds / 7:30 pm Mainstream Workshop Both Fridays 8pm GM - Mainstream, Plus, & Rounds - Banners Caller - Mike Bramlett Cuer - JL Pelton

Network Ministries Building - 1500 International Pkwy, Suite 300 - Richardson, Texas 75081

Ernest & Martha Hernandez 972.849.6939

T Square Gadabouts





HONEY POT BANNERS

1ST AND 3RD FRIDAYS at Swingtime Center 5100 S 820. Fort Worth

Caller: Vernon Jones Cuer: Karen Gloodt



For information, call or text to Vernon Jones, President 817.727.6483



Club Callers:

1st and 3rd Fridays

Early Rounds at 7:30pm Grand March at 8:00pm

Daniel & Miki Olesiak 469-381-0753



President@TexasReelers.org



Richardson Senior Center 810W. Arapaho Road Richardson, TX

Cumberland Presbyterian Church 1424 Stuart Road Denton, TX

President: Donna Miller (817) 909-2394



Coffee, Water, **Light Snacks**

Sustainable Square Dancing 7:00-9:00

> Caller/Cuer: Toby Thomason

trianglesquaresdanceclub.com



Second Fridays

Mainstream & Announced Plus

The Stone Steppers

Second Friday of Each Month ER at 7:30 p.m. GM at 8:00 p.m.

Holy Trinity Episcopal Church 3217 Guthrie Road Garland, TX 75043

> Caller: Bill Hinkley Cuer: Christine Hixson

Phone: 214-498-7424 stonesteppers.com

Second & Fourth Fridays



Fourth Fridays

FORT WORTH SQUARES

7:00 Early Rounds 7:30 Workshop 8:00 Grand March

Fort Worth, TX 76140

A Singles and Couples Club 4th Friday dancing

Charles Crockett, Caller David Berling, Cuer

Swingtime Center 5100 S.E. Loop 820 Anglin Exit

Co-Presidents Barrie Alguire, 817-319-7472 Duane & Teresa Lovejoy, 503-550-9946

Banners Honey pot

FORT WORTH SQUARES - What the heck does terpsichorean mean? How do you dress for a theme like that? Well, dress any way you want to. You may figure it out before you arrive or just be surprised. Each month a different word to tickle your brain. Come dance with the Fort Worth Squares - especially in March when Jerry Gilbreath is guest caller at our 48th anniversary dance. Date is Friday, March 29.

new.nortex.org/fortworthsquares

LOG CABIN SWINGERS - We are very happy with our new dance place. It has a great kitchen, nice big restrooms and a great dance floor. We are back to having our after parties from 9:30 - 11:30. Remember to turn into Tool City Hall. If you go by the new Valero Wine and Beer Store on the right, you've gone too far! Notice we have one dance in Corsicana in March, due to city elections. Come dance with us!



First Saturdays

Square Dancing at its finest since 1947 CIRCLE EIGHT 1st SATURDAY • 817.244.7928 7:30 Early Rounds • 8:00 Grand March

Fort Worth Swingtime Center • Loop 820@Anglin

Caller: Melton Luttrell . Cuer: Jack von der Heide

Presidents: David & Kim Neff 254.744.8364

First & Third Saturdays



Oran White Civic Center, 701 N. Tool Dr. (Hwy. 274) Tool, TX (South of Promenade Hall, Turn into Tool City Hall) 1st & 3rd Sat. Club Caller Tim Tyl & Guest Club Cuer: David Berling 3rd Sat. Square Workshop or Early Rounds 7:00/Dance 7:30-9:30 PRES.: Joyce Sellers 214-543-0834 1st VP Grace: 817-798-5538

Website: www.logcabinsguaredance.club

Second Saturdays

Circle I Square and Round Dance

Heritage Senior Center 200 South Jeffedrson, Irving, Texas 75060

Caller: Ray Savell Cuer: Chris Farabaugh

2nd Saturday ER 7:00 PM, Plus 7:30, GM 8:00 PM

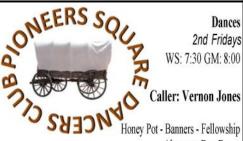
www.circlei.org

Presidents: Chris and Carolyn Mills, ccmills@tx.rr.com

Weatherford College

ACAD Building Weatherford, TX 76086 (See ad for directions)

President: Carola Botzer cbotzer@att.net 817.596.4994



Always a Fun Dance

Singles and Couples Club

fb > pioneers square dance club web > weatherfordpioneers.com



Third Saturdays



Fourth Saturdays

Early Rounds 7:00 p.m. Plus Dancing 7:30 p.m. Grand March 8:00 p.m.

Brookside Center 1244 Brookside Drive Hurst, TX 76053



4th Saturdays Info: 817-283-5233

> Caller RAY SAVELL

Cuer CHRIS FARABAUGH

Alan & Barbara Clements, Presidents

tricitypromenaders.com

Monthly



~Dancing Monthly~

Friday & Saturday Nights 7:00 PM Grand March

Light snacks, coffee & tea For Current Camp/Dance Schedule

Call 860-212-1694

Buck and Cathy Grimes, Presidents Mobile: 860-212-1694

Email: ccgrimes@yahoo.com





ROADRUNNERS - We started 2024 proudly posting our Club's 1000 visitation badge. We love to dance and are often on the road visiting other clubs. Come dance with us. We would enjoy squaring up with you! On February 1st, we will be dancing "Under the Sea" with Joey Duhamel calling. Mike Bramlett is calling our February 15th "Happy Valentines New Dancer Dance". Come show the LOVE we have for Square Dancing, with our excited students finishing Mainstream Square Dance lessons. BEEP, BEEP!

REBEL ROUSERS - We have been busy. In January we hosted the Bennett Bowl with guest Caller Scott Bennett. This too is considered a contact sport, so we made the right and left connections with all that attended. We hope that you can come and join our Double Deal Black & White Ball. We know it's cold outside but once you get here, we promise you'll warm up dancing with The Bramletts and rounds with Christine. We look forward to seeing everyone and dancing the night away. March 16th our dance will be 'Luck o' the Irish', so come test your luck with us.

CIRCLE 8 - We, like other Swingtime clubs, are making the best of the construction. We apologize to those dancers who were faced with a closed road as they tried to attend our January dance. We were given no prior warning. The back gate will be open for all Circle 8 dances, going forward. Continue south on Anglin Dr. and enter off Forest Hill Circle. Despite the construction we had a great dance with 4 squares for the afternoon plus dance and 7 squares that evening. We owe it all to you, the dancers that continue to support Circle 8 and our great callers.

DOUBLE PLUS - WOW 21 years and still going. Come out and help us celebrate our 21st Anniversary on February 8th. We will have Vernon Jones calling for us. So you know that we will have a good time. We know the construction around Swingtime can be a bit challenging, but we have been told that there should always be access from the frontage road. And the back gate will be open for the next few dances anyway. So no reason not to come out and have a good time dancing with all your friends. See you there!!!

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Round Dance Second Sunday



Tuesday

Info: Linda Pelton (972) 897-6006



RAMBLIN' ROUNDS

EVERY TUESDAY: PHASE 3-4+(W/S & Dance)
Time: 7:00-9:00 P.M.

Granger Rec. Center, 1310 W. Ave F., Garland INSTRUCTORS: CHRISTINE & THERON HIXSON

Info: 972.270.7292 or hixsoncuer@earthlink.net

Wednesday

Rainbow Rounds

Wednesday (Ph 3-5) 7:00-9:00

- Early Teach (Ph 4-5) 6:00-6:45

- Teach (Ph 3-4) 7:15-7:45

Swingtime Center, Fort Worth

Cuer: Karen & Ed Gloodt

President: Glen & Debbie McCrary 214.455.1716



RAMBLIN' ROUNDS

EVERY WEDNESDAY: PHASE 4-6 (W/S & Dance)

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Granger Rec. Center, 1310 W Avenue F, Garland, TX

INSTRUCTORS: CHRISTINE & THERON HIXSON

Info: 972.270-7292 or hixsoncuer@earthlink.net









NORTEX BUSINESS MEETING AGENDA

Sunday, February 18, 2024 Swingtime Center – 2:00 pm

Call to Order Mansell Invocation Stephens Pledge of Allegiance See Introduction of Guests Mansell Preliminary Delegate Report See Minutes of Last Meeting Matei Finance Report Clements NORTEX Membership Renewal Matei Nominating Committee 2024 Foreman North Texas Callers Association Thomason

Recess for 15 minutes

Final Delegate Report See Mansell Teen Scholarship Report Clements Lessons Grant Report Matej/Waugh Promotion and Demo NORTEX Then and Now Report Mansell Mansell Installation Chair Appointment **Budget Chair Appointment** Mansell Round-Up 2024 Johnson Promenade Pricing Hadley Growth & Financial Health of NORTEX Clubs Clements 75NSDC Request Mansell Sickness & Concerns Mansell Announcements Mansell Closing Mansell

It doesn't get easier. You just get stronger.



Wendy & Steve

Wedding Shower

Hosted by Charlie Doran & Betheny Jones

Saturday, March 2, 2024
St. Paul United Methodist Church

852 W Bedford Euless Rd Hurst, TX 76053 2pm to 4pm Come and meet the happy couple.

Please RSVP to Charlie Doran





bit.ly/Doran-Shower-RSVP

Pampered Chef Registry



bit.ly/doran-armbruster

Registry Wedding



bit.ly/Wendy-Steve





We're Getting Married Square Dance



SATURDAY & MARCH 30, 2024

ALLEMANDE HALL
106 WESTLAKE DRIVE, WACO, TX 76712

Waco, Home of Nationals 2026

DEMO FOR BEGINNERS – **6:30PM**DANCE STARTS WITH GRAND MARCH – **7PM**END TIME IF WE ARE TIRED! – **9PM-ISH**

Earn a Wedding Dangle from the happy couple

DONATION AT THE DOOR FOR THE HAPPY COUPLE

CALLER: TIM TYL

Please call Wendy or Steve for Information or directions

817-502-2097, WENDY 512-956-6761, STEVE



COMFORT INN 2700 LaSalle Ave Waco, TX 76706

Hotel Block – \$135 Price valid thru 3/1/24





Square Dance Lessons	Square Dance Lessons
Monday	Tuesday (Continued)
Circle I 972.849.0966	Triangle Squares 214.850.2162
Begin: 2/19/2024 7:00pm	Begin: 1/9/2024 7:00pm
Graduate: 5/13/2024	Graduate: 3/26/2024
SSD	SSD
Heritage Senior Center	First Cumberland Presbyterian Church
200 South Jefferson Street	1424 Stuart Road
rving, Texas 75060	Denton, Texas 76209
Pioneers 817.596.4994	Wednesday
Begin: 1/15/2024 7:00pm	Log Cabin Swingers 214.543.0834
Graduate: 4/15/2024	Begin: 9/13/2023 7:30pm
Basic/Mainstream	Graduate: Ongoing
Weatherford College	Basic/Mainstream
E W Mince Building	Oran White Civic Center (Behind Tool City Hall)
225 College Park Drive	700 N Tool Drive Hwy 274
Weatherford, Texas 76086	Tool, Texas 75143
Swinging Stars 214.534.7632	Friday
Begin: 1/29/2024 7:15pm	Stone Steppers 214.498.7424
Graduate: 5/13/2024	Begin: 1/26/2024 7:00pm
Basic/Mainstream	Graduate: 5/31/2024
Liberty Recreation Center	Basic/Mainstream
2601 Glencliff Drive	Holy Trinity Episcopal Church
Plano, Texas 75075	3217 Guthrie Road
1stvp@swingingstars.org	Garland, Texas 75043
Tuesday	Saturday
Tri-City Promenaders 817.223.6097	Roadrunners 817.296.3865
Begin: 1/23/2024 7:30pm	Begin: 1/13/2024 9:00am
Graduate: 4/16/2024	Graduate: 2/17/2024
SSD	Basic/Mainstream
Brookside Center	Swingtime Dance Center
1244 Brookside Drive	5100 SE Loop 820
Hurst, Texas 76053	Fort Worth, Texas 76140
Trailblazers 817.293.4456	Swingtime Plus
Begin: 2/13/2024 7:00pm	Begin: 4/6/2024 9:00am
Graduate: 5/14/2024	Graduate: 5/11/2024
SSD	Plus
Swingtime Dance Center	Swingtime Dance Center
5100 SE Loop 820	5100 SE Loop 820
Fort Worth, Texas 76140	Fort Worth, Texas 76140

Future Annual Dances				
Date Club Dance				
03/29/24	Fort Worth Squares	48th Anniversary		
04/19/24	Kissin' Kuzzins	51st Anniversary		
05/04/24	Log Cabin Swingers	49th Anniversary		
05/10/24 Swinging Stars		49th Anniversary		
05/31/24	Circle 8	77th Anniversary		
06/21/24 Texas Reelers		Anniversary		
08/31/24	Roadrunners	53rd Anniversary		
Cancellations				
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None

Vendor Ads					
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Location Change

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02/24/24	Tri-City Promenaders	American Legion Hall
		2817 Carson Street
		Fort Worth 76117
03/02/24	Log Cabin Swingers	Corsicana Activity Center
		919 W Park Ave
		Corsicana, TX

Guest Callers & Cuers				
Date	Club	Caller/Cuer		
02/01/24	Roadrunners	Joey Duhamel		
02/02/24	T Square Gadabouts	Ray Savell		
02/03/24	Circle 8	Tim Tyl		
02/03/24	Log Cabin Swingers	Mike Bramlett		
02/08/24	Double Plus	Vernon Jones		
02/09/24	Pioneers	Ray Savell		
02/09/24	Swinging Stars	Mike Bramlett/Chris Farabaugh		
02/16/24	T Square Gadabouts	Ken Rettuci		
02/17/24	Trailblazers	Nelda Eaton/Walter Brewer		
03/01/24	Kissin' Kuzzins	Bobby Willis		
03/02/24	Circle 8	Charlie Robertson		
03/02/24	Log Cabin Swingers	Danny Blagg/David&Jan Toms		
03/14/24	Double Plus	Charlie Robertson		
04/06/24	Circle 8	Darryl Lipscomb		
04/11/24	Double Plus	Scott Bennett		
05/10/24	Swinging Stars	Jet Roberts		
05/31/24	Circle 8	Tony Oxendine		
06/21/24	Texas Reelers	KO Jeanes		
08/31/24	Roadrunners	Brad Caldwell		



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NORTEX Past Presidents *Active in NORTEX **Deceased

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February

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