



# Texas Round Dance Teachers Association

## From the President

It's February already, and we're in the middle of Festival season. See our report later in the Festival Reports of this newsletter.

We also have the Houston Round Dance Festival coming up very quickly, and of course TRDTA South. Pat and I want to thank everyone who is helping put this festival on – from Registration, Facilities, Day and Night Programs, Syllabus, Teaching, Cueing, to just advertising this dance to your dancers. After all, what's a dance without dancers? We look forward to seeing everyone there.

*Hope to See You Round,  
Ron and Pat Plouch*



## TRDTA South Festival is Just a-Round the Corner

February 28-29 – La Grange, Texas

The TRDTA La Grange (South) Festival is almost here! If your dancers would like to know the programmed dances, included in this newsletter on page 2 is the tentative list. Tentative, only if there has to be a last minute change of a dance or two for some reason which rarely happens.

Teachers this year include Jan and David Toms of Richardson, Texas, who will be teaching a Phase 3 Rumba/Cha Cha mixed rhythm, Tammy and Marvin Lee of Friendswood, Texas, who will be teaching a Phase 3 Classic Waltz, and Jack and Sharie Kenny of Arlington, Texas, who will be teaching a Phase 4 Bolero of their own choreography.

Tell your dancers there are a few spots left if they would like to attend. The TRDTA La Grange Festival weekend is always a lot of fun. Tell them to call Tammy Lee at 281-482-4511 to ensure they have a spot or they can email Tammy at [tammy.lee@swbell.net](mailto:tammy.lee@swbell.net).

## Festival Reports

Festival reports can include festivals in the surrounding states if a good number of Texas dancers attend the festival or if clinicians are TRDTA members.

### January Jewel – Shreveport, Louisiana

January 17-18 – Shreveport, Louisiana

TRDTA was well represented at the January Jewel in Shreveport. Among the attendees were TRDTA members Fred and Linda Ayres (who were also the featured clinicians), Martha and Ed Koslosky, Tammy and Marvin Lee, Lucy and Jerry Pate, and Ron and Pat Plouch. Fred and Linda covered a variety of dances on Saturday teaching:

- Most People are Good, 2 TS, Goss
- When You're Gone Tomorrow, 3 RB, Schmidt
- Senorita III, 3 CH, Ayres
- I Dreamt I Dwelt, 4 WZ, Ayres
- G. I. Jive, 4 JV, Hicks



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## Tentative Dance Program for TRDTA La Grange Festival

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|---|---|
| A Man This Lonely, 3 BL, Seurer                   | Hope, 3 WZ, Chadd                               |
| A Thousand Years, 4 RB, Armstrong                 | I Wanna Quickstep, 3 QS, Palmquist              |
| A Wink and a Smile III, 3 FT, Gloodt              | Island Rumba, 4 RB, Pelton                      |
| Af en Af, 2 TS, Seurer                            | Jacalyn's Waltz, 2 WZ, Wilhort                  |
| All Fall Down, 3 BL, Nelson                       | Just Another Woman In Love, 3 RB, Nolen         |
| Amanda, 2 WZ, Koozer                              | Kindred Spirits, 4 BL, Gloodt                   |
| Angel Baby, 4 FT, Kurczewski                      | Last Night Cha III, 3 CH, Speranzo/Slater       |
| Any Dream Foxtrot, 3 FT, Pinks                    | Legends Of The Fall, 4 WZ, Gloodt               |
| Ascot's Rumba, 3 RB, Kennedy                      | Louisiana Saturday Night, 2 TS, Tracy           |
| Axel F, 3 CH, Mathewson                           | Maria Elena Bolero, 3 BL, Palenchar             |
| Baby You've Got What It Takes, 3 JV, Parker       | Memory Rumba, 3 RB, Molitoris                   |
| Beach Party Cha, 3 CH, Williams                   | Mi Vida, 4 RB, Read                             |
| Beat Of Your Heart, 5 STS, Preskitt               | Midnight In Moscow, 2 TS, Scott                 |
| Believer Cha, 4 CH, Lee                           | New York, New York, 2 TS, Cooper                |
| Black Horse and Cherry Tree, 3 CH, Hatrick        | Non Dimenticar, 3 RB, Rumble                    |
| Black Tie Tango, 4 TG, Moore                      | Ob-La-Di, Ob-La-Da, 3 CH, Rumble                |
| Black Velvet, 3 CH, Kilmer                        | Oh What a Night, 4 CH, Gloodt                   |
| Boys Cha, 3 CH, Molitoris                         | One Call Away, 3 RB, Drumheller                 |
| Buicks To the Moon, 2 TS, Hintz                   | Rachel's Song, 4 STS, Stairwalt                 |
| Calendar Girl, 4 JV, Rotscheid                    | Rainbow Connection, 4 WZ, Childers              |
| Candida Rumba, 3 RB, Seurer                       | Roses for Elizabeth, 3 TS, Bliss                |
| Candlelight, 5 WZ, Goss B&C                       | Sam's New Pants, 4 FT, Finch                    |
| Carnival, 4 RB, Rumble                            | Scheherazade IV, 4 WZ, Gloodt                   |
| Carolina Moon, 3 WZ, Rumble                       | Snow Blossom, 3 WZ, Rumble                      |
| Coney Island IV, 4 WZ, Gloodt                     | Spinning Wheel (Phase IV), 4 WZ, Smith          |
| Could I have This Dance, 2 WZ, Eddins             | Tango Mannita, 3 TG, Smith                      |
| Cuando Me Enamoro, 4 RB, Gloodt                   | Their Hearts are Dancing, 2 WZ, Lewis/Samborsky |
| Dance With the Devil, 4 CH, Pelton                | This is Our Dance, 3 WZ, Borengasser            |
| Dance With The One That Brought You, 2 TS, Koozer | Too Many Rivers, 4 STS, Hooper                  |
| Dream A Little Dream III, 3 FT, Pinks             | Turn Your Radio On, 2 TS, Baldwin               |
| Edelweiss, 2 WZ, Kullman                          | Valentine Bolero, 3 BL, Donaughe                |
| El Reloj, 4 BL, Trankle/Gilder                    | Watermark 4, 4 WZ, Brewer                       |
| Feed the Birds, 3 WZ, Buck                        | Welcome to New York, 3 CH, Preskitt             |
| Fur Elise, 4 WZ, Rumble                           | What a Wonderful World II, 2 WZ, Pilachowski    |
| Girl Crush, 4 STS, Ahart                          | White Sport Coat, 4 FT, Lefeavers               |
| Havana IV, 4 CH, Ayers                            | Wind Beneath My Wings, 3 RB, Buck               |
| Hideaway Tango, 3 TG, Prow                        | You Decorated My Life, 4 BL, Gloodt             |

Dances actually programmed are subject to availability of cuers and time constraints.



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## Cuing News a-Round Texas

News a-Round Texas includes all information from cuer members about their lessons and club received by the newsletter deadline, which is the 5th of February, April, June, August, October, and December.

If you are interested in attending a club in Texas, please contact the cuer for the most up-to-date information on venue and nights dancing. Many clubs might be closed on the date you want to visit as venues change and unexpected closures happen, or someone is simply not teaching that month.

See the TRDTA website at [www.trdta.org](http://www.trdta.org) for the directory information which includes the telephone numbers of all the TRDTA cuers. Email addresses are hot links on each cuer's name.

### Fred and Linda Ayres – Longview, TX

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During December we took a two week hiatus for the Christmas/New Year Holidays. We transitioned our beginner Two Step class to beginner Waltz near the end of January and are still just teaching basic figures. They've learned about a dozen so far and are progressing really well.

We were very honored to be the guest cuer/instructors at the January Jewel in Shreveport Louisiana. TRDTA members were well represented there and we appreciate their support for this phase 2-4 event! We taught the following dances at the Saturday workshops:

- Most People are Good, 2 TS, Goss
- When You're Gone Tomorrow, 3 RB, Schmidt
- Senorita III, 3 CH, Ayres
- I Dreamt I Dwelt, 4 WZ, Ayres
- G. I. Jive, 4 JV, Hicks

### Basic/Intermediate Class – Monday Nights – Longview

We continued working on Phase 4 dances with this class. We recently started some intermediate Foxtrot figures for them.

- Angel on My Shoulder, 4 FT, Gloodt
- Dance With the Devil, 4 CH, Pelton
- G.I. Jive, 4 JV, Hicks
- I Dreamt I Dwelt, 4 WZ, Ayres

### Phase 4-6 Class – Monday Nights – Longview

- Black Tie Tango, 4 TG, Moore
- Cuando Me Cha, 5 CH, Preskitt
- Love's Forgotten Bride, 5 WZ, Goss
- On Days Like These, 6 BL, Preskitt (Review)

### Beginning Two Step/Waltz – Tuesday Nights – Longview

This class just finished up Two Step in January and we transitioned to beginner Waltz. They are already making lots of progress in only a few classes.

- Baby O' Mine, 2 TS, Flyalko
- Badly Bent, 2 TS, Seurer
- Hold on Partner, 2 TS, Hixson
- Jingle Bell Rock, 2 TS, Wilder
- Winter Wonderland Country, 2 TS, Seurer



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### Intermediate Class – Tuesday Nights – Longview

We primarily worked on reviewing dances that had previously been taught but did add some new routines.

- A Thousand Years, 4 RB, Armstrong (Review)
- Dance With the Devil, 4 CH, Pelton
- Memory Rumba, 3 RB, Molitoris
- Senorita III, 3 CH, Ayres
- When You're Gone Tomorrow, 3 RB, Schmidt

### Karen and Ed Gloodt – Ardmore, OK

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### Fort Worth, TX

Taught these dances:

- New York, New York (Taylor) FT 4
- Alladin (Kincaid) RB 4
- Tango Roma (Gloodt) TG 4

Reviewed these dances:

- La Gloria (Moore) BL 6
- On Days Like There (Preskitt) BL 6
- Black Tie Tango (Moore) TG 4

### Ardmore, OK

Taught these dances:

- Beat of Your Heart (Preskitt) STS 5
- Just a Tango (Childers) TG 5
- Thoroughly Modern Milly (Preskitt) QS 4

### Christine and Theron Hixson – Garland, TX

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### Ramblin' Rounds – Tuesdays – Phases 3-4-5 – Garland, TX

Because of the holidays, we were dark for two weeks.

- PA6-5000, 5 FT/JV/MX, Glover
- You Look Wonderful Tonight, 5 BL, Pelton
- Breaking Up Jive, 4 JV, Croft/de Zordo
- I Will Love You, 3 WZ, Preskitt
- My Foolish Heart IV, 4 BL, Preskitt

We also worked on some Phase 5 Foxtrot and Bolero figures for the club.



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### **Ramblin' Rounds – Carousel Club 342 – Wednesday – Phases 4-5-6 – Dallas, TX**

This is a short list because of the holidays as we were dark for two weeks. Then we had several members traveling during February, so we have decided to take a short break and stay dark on Wednesday nights the month of February.

- Winter Light, 6 BL, Preskitt
- Can't Take My Eyes Off You, 5 CH, Preskitt

### **Lessons – Monday – Cha/Rumba – Garland, TX**

We will start a new set of beginning waltz lessons starting on Monday, March 2, 2020.

### **George and Pamela Hurd – Gilmer, TX**

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Things here in Mesa have been really busy so far. And like our busy editor, we are wandering where January went! Here's our teaching plan for February. You still have a little time to plan a visit here! Weather is sunny although a little cooler than normal! Perfect indoors though! In the meantime – stay healthy and keep dancing!

- Adios Muchachos (Worlock) TG 6
- Bamboozled by You (Hurd) VW 4
- Blues in '42 (Garza) TG 4
- Come Closer to Me (Shibata) RB 6
- Don't Let the Old Man In (Davis) BL 6
- Grace Kelly Redux (Goss/Figwer) JV 5
- I'll Never Love Again (Hicks) STS 5
- Jesse (Shibata) WZ 5
- Lost (Preskitt) STS 6
- Please Mr Brown (Davis) TG 6
- Smoke Gets in Your Eyes (Rumble) FT 6
- St Michael's Quickstep (Casey) QS 6
- Wedding Planner (Garza) TG 4
- Wounded Heart (Worlock) 5 BL
- You Raise Me Up (Read) 6 STS

### **Gloria Jackson – Beaumont, TX**

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- That Happy Feeling, 2 TS, Tennent
- Boys Cha, 3 CH, Molitoris
- Black Velvet, 3 CH, Kilmer
- Groovy Foxtrot, 5 FT, Worlock
- Los Rayos del Sol, 5 RB, Moore



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### Jack and Sharie Kenny – Arlington, TX

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We were delighted to receive the December, 2019, Phase 3 Round of the Month certificate for our Rumba, Night Waves, from the Round Dance Teachers Association of Southern California (RDTA of SoCal).

#### Merry Rounders – Carousel Club 206 – Mondays – 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. – Arlington, TX

- Forever and a Day 5 RB, Kenny
- Norma La De Guadalajara, 5 CH, Garza
- Winter Light 6 BL, Preskitt

#### Dance, Dance, Dance, – Carousel Club 235 – Thursdays – 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. – Garland, TX

- Winter Light, 6 BL, Preskitt
- Can't Take My Eyes Off You, 5 CH, Preskitt
- One More Time, 5 FT, Shibata
- Para Toda La Vida, 5 RB, Hagiwara
- The Promise, 6 WZ, Worlock
- Norma La De Guadalajara, 5 CH, Garza

### Martha and Ed Koslosky – Bryan, TX

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#### Trending Travelers – Tomball, Texas

- Wolves of the Night, 4 WZ, Collins
- Dancing With a Stranger, 4 RB, Ahart

We really enjoyed attending January Jewel. There was a nice group of Houston area dancers that also attended the festival and we all enjoyed sharing the fun and friendship that always occurs. Unfortunately, the attendance at January Jewel and many other festivals is dwindling, mostly due to age and long term illnesses. It is sad to watch this decline, and soon the clubs that sponsor these festivals will no longer be able to bear the financial burden. We as cuers need to encourage dancers who are able to travel to attend these festivals and go with them if possible to enjoy the fun. Karen and Ed Gloodt will be featured at next year's January Jewel and we have already registered to attend. Maybe some more of you can attend with us next year.

### Kay and Bob Kurczewski – Liberty Hill, TX

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#### Phase 3 Intro 4 – Learning Phase 4 Foxtrot Figures

- Anything Goes with Foxtrot (3 FT) Toth
- Any Dream Foxtrot (3 FT) Pinks
- La Vie en Rose (3 FT) Molitoris
- Mi Vida (4 RB) Read
- A Thousand Years (4 RB) Armstrong



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### Phase 4 Intro 5

- Touched by You (5 BL) Gloodt
- It's Always New to Me (4 FT) Goss/Figwer
- Better Place (5 RB) Johnson
- Los Rayos del Sol (5 RB) Moore
- Perfidia in Brazil (5 RB) Hurd

### Phase 5/6

- Mr. Success (5 FT) Goss B&C
- It's Always New to Me (4 FT) Goss/Figwer
- Groovy Foxtrot (5 FT) Worlock
- Valentine (6 BL) Worlock
- Stier Tango (5 TG) Worlock

As you can tell from the above list we have been preparing for the Houston Festival coming up. We will be also preparing for the TRDTA festival in the coming weeks. These are two of the round dance specials that we hope everyone has on their list to attend. We strongly encourage all round dancers in the state to support these activities. Without your support these activities can very easily no longer exist because of the lack of attendance. There are many more strictly round dance weekends that we encourage our family of round dancers to attend.

Another special we encourage all to attend is the "Texas State Square and Round Dance Convention" coming up June 11-14 in Tyler, TX. There will be round dance teaches and a dance program in a hall strictly dedicated to round dancing all day Saturday, with rounds between tips in the Mainstream Square Dance hall. This is an opportunity for round dancers to show all their talents to prospective new dancers within the square dance community and for the cuers from all over the state to become familiar to these dancers, in hopes to promote their upcoming classes. Let's all get registered for this event and show the square dance world how great we round dancers are!!! We are the Vice Chairpersons for the round dance portion of this weekend and encourage all teachers to help us provide the very best program possible. We also would like dancers who will be joining us to send us the dances you would like to see programmed for the weekend and we will do our best to include them on the program.

Carousel Club 340 will also be sponsoring a "Valentine Special" on the 13th of February at our regular weekly round dance. It will be held at the VFW hall in Liberty Hill, TX, with a Phase 2-4 program from 1:30 to 3:15 p.m. and a 4-6 program from 3:15 to 4:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome, so come and see what special surprises we have scheduled for those attending. For more information, you can e-mail us or call: 956-460-7520.

Until next time, enjoy your dancing and hope to see you on the dance floor.

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## Tammy and Marvin Lee – Friendswood, TX

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### **Gulf Coast Rounds – Phase 2-4 Club – Houston – Wednesday afternoons - 1:00 to 3:00 p.m.**

- Carnival, 4 RB, Rumble
- Senorita III, 3 CH, Ayres
- All To Myself, 4 FT, Couey
- Wonder of You, 4 ST, Nelson
- Great Googa Mooga, 4 JV, Byrd
- One, 3 TS/FT, Wulf
- La Media Rumba, 3 RB, Molitoris/Firstenburg
- Dancing With a Stranger, IV RB, Ahart

### **Gulf Coast Rounds - Phase 3-5 - Friendswood – Wednesday evenings - 7:00 to 9:00pm**

- I Dreamt I Dwelt, IV WZ Ayres
- Sleeping Beauty, V BO, Moore
- Rumba Del Corazon, 4 RB, Gloodt
- Forrest Gump, 5 WZ, Moore
- Let's Get Away From It All, 4 FT, Johnson
- Molly Maguire's Waltz, 4 WZ, Lamberty
- Candlelight, 5 WZ, Goss

On New Year's Eve, several Houston couples traveled to Fort Worth's Swingtime Center to welcome the new decade in Roaring 20's style. Karen Gloodt cued early rounds for 2 hours, then cued again between K. O. Jeanes' tips for two and a half more hours. That woman has stamina! And it was great to see Ed Gloodt dancing nearly every dance.

In January, ten couples from Houston went to the January Jewel in Shreveport, LA. The Red River Rounders sure know how to host a festival.

We're preparing for two upcoming festivals held during the first quarter of 2020 – TRDTA (La Grange) Feb 28-29, 2020 and Pot of Gold (Houston) March 13-14, 2020. Both festivals are still open but local hotels are almost full. Click on this link to find the flyers [www.trdta.org/upcomingevents.html](http://www.trdta.org/upcomingevents.html). Hurry!

## Jerry and Lucy Pate – Round Rock, TX

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### **9th Annual Rhythm Records Winterfest Square and Round Dance Festival in Waco, Texas**

Dances taught this weekend January 3-4, 2020 included:

- One, Foxtrot/Two-Step, Phase 3+2 (Strolling Vine, Side Stairs) by Randy and Rose Wulf from Washington, Released: Oct. 2019
- Dancing with a Stranger, Rumba, Phase 4+0+1 (Ronde Box) by Carolyn and Tony Ahart from Missouri, Released: Dec. 2019
- Blue Roses, Waltz, Phase 2, by Bill and Beth Davenport from California, Released: Oct. 2019



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### Our Round Dance Club in Georgetown (Sun City)

Beginner's Class – We just finished a Rumba class and will be starting a Phase 2 Two-Step class on Sunday, Feb. 23rd. These phase 3 Rumbas were taught and danced:

- Non Dimenticar, Rumble
- Esta Rumba, Barton
- Cui Zas III, Slater
- Angels Don't Lie, Logan
- Night Waves, Kenny
- Can You Feel the Love Tonight, Seuer
- You Are Always In My Heart, Slater

For our Phase III group in Sun City, Georgetown:

- Young Love, Healea, 3 FT
- Tango Mannita, Smith, 3 TG/TS

Phase IV Group we taught:

- Los Rayos Del Sol, 5 Rumba, Moore

We just started a new Round Dance Beginner's Class at the La Grange Road Runners Square Dance Club in La Grange, Texas. We started with 14 couples on January 23rd with Two Step, and the class will be on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays of each month.

We attended part of the January Jewel in January in Shreveport, Louisiana. Unfortunately, we were not able to stay for the whole weekend. Fred and Linda Ayers taught some really fun dances, and all the dancers had a blast. We were able, however, to attend the DanceMaster Class on Friday afternoon led by Fred Fisher, from Arkansas. He did a wonderful job introducing and discussing both the existing and the new DanceMaster software. It was very informative, and everyone benefited from the information. They are planning another DanceMaster session for later this year. Stay tuned for more details.

We are looking forward to the upcoming Houston Round Dance Festival in Houston and the February Frenzy Square and Round Festival, in Port Lavaca, Texas. Unfortunately we are not able to make the TRDTA-South Festival La Grange this year. We will be attending a memorial dance for one of our special dancers, Kathie Liboon, who passed away earlier this year.

In March, we are cueing every weekend, starting on March 6-8, 2020 with the Mardi Gras Madness Square and Round Dance weekend with Mike Bramlett, Wade Driver, and Brad Caldwell on the Squares and Lucy and Jerry Pate on the Rounds. That's being held in Tool, Texas close to Tyler and south of Dallas.

On the second weekend in March, it's the Pot-of-Gold Festival, which is the all rounds-weekend in Houston. Cuers are Ed and Martha Koslosky, Tammy and Marvin Lee, and Lucy and Jerry Pate. The other two weekends we will be cueing at the Austin Waterloo's 37th Anniversary Square and Round Dance with Art LaVigne calling the squares and Lucy and Jerry cueing the rounds. We'll finish March on the 28th at our local 33rd Annual Wildflower Dance in Marble Falls, Texas, with Joe Saltel on Squares and Lucy and Jerry Pate on Rounds. We would love to see you all at some of these dances.



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**JL and Linda Pelton – Dallas, TX**

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### **Dance Arouds – Thursdays evenings – 5:45 to 8:45 p.m. – Plano, TX**

We ended up with a busy schedule around Christmas. We were able to negotiate to have the hall available for the Thursday after Christmas Day and the Thursday after New Year's Day. It worked out great as many of the dancers were excited to have something to do. We just danced those two nights, but fun was definitely had by all, and we got to dance a lot too.

We won't be able to attend TRDTA La Grange Festival this year because the square dance club that JL cues for is having their Anniversary Dance that weekend. He's been the club cuer for over ten years and we felt it important that we be there. We will miss seeing everyone and all the great fun that we all have. We will definitely see you next year!

With the new year and the start of our Beginning Bolero lessons, we had four new enthusiastic couples join our class. Because we had already scheduled an Intermediate Waltz class for the follow-on class to Bolero, we stepped up to the plate to offer two classes in April and May: Intermediate Waltz midday Saturday followed by a Beginning Jive class in the afternoon. We advertised it as Jive/Swing in the Plano Parks and Recreation Catalog, so hopefully we can get more beginning dancers for that class.

Here are our teaches for December and January at our Dance Arouds club:

- You Look Wonderful Tonight, 5 BL, Pelton
- Capone IV, 4 FT, Beck
- Autumn by the Sea, 4 RB, Pelton
- Capone, 5 FT, Armstrong
- Life is a Slow Dance, 4 WZ, Worlock

### **Reviewed:**

- Fur Elise, 4 WZ, Rumble
- How Lucky Can One Guy Be, 5 JV, Preskitt

### **Beginning Bolero – Saturdays – 11:15 a.m. to 1:15 p.m. – Plano, TX**

We've had four lessons through the end of January and have completed teaching all the Phase 3 figures and starting on the Phase 4 figures. At the end of class on February 1, the class was able to dance:

- Years Have Passed, 3 BL, Harris
- Valentine Bolero, 3+1 BL, Donoughe
- Ginney Come Lately, 3+2 BL, Heath
- Maria Elena, 3+2 BL, Palenchar
- A Man This Lonely, 3+1 BL, Seurer
- All Fall Down, 3+2 BL, Nelson



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### Ron and Pat Plouch – San Antonio, TX

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It's been a little while since we submitted our members article, but Pat and I are now moved into our temporary living quarters while we wait for our house to be completed. Unfortunately, our previous communications provider doesn't provide service within the City itself, so we've had to temporarily move to a different email provider until we move into the new house, hopefully sometime in May-June. So we're having to use our old gmail address [ronpatdance@gmail.com](mailto:ronpatdance@gmail.com) and rely on our cell phones. Our old email addresses are being forwarded to our gmail address for a few months, so we are getting your messages for now. But to ensure we continue to get your messages, please start using our gmail address for emails to us.

### Ronde Rounds – Sunday afternoons from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. – San Antonio area

Our beginning level dancers have just finished up Rumba and Cha Cha, and we will be starting Beginning Waltz this month. The final dances we covered with our beginners were:

- Black Horse and the Cherry Tree, 3 CH, Hattrick
- When You're Gone Tomorrow, 3 RB, Schmidt
- Cuando Me Enamoro, 4 RB, Gloodt
- Last Night Cha, 3 CH, Speranzo/Slater

We are beginning to transition some newer dancers to our Intermediate level while also keeping things interesting for our more experienced dancers who dance well at the intermediate level and can also do some higher level dances. I know many of you also have this same challenge. This group finished Jive, reviewed a couple of popular Phase 4s, and are starting Fox Trot. For Intermediate level we reviewed:

- A Lady In Red, 4 BO, Moore
- A Thousand Years, 4 RB, Armstrong
- Carnival, 4 RB, Rumble
- Adagio IV, 4 WZ, Lamberty

Looking forward to seeing you dancing around the state.

Hope to see you round,  
Ron and Pat

## New Choreography by TRDTA Members

If the information was included by the choreographers, the new choreography includes an active link so you can download the cuesheets. Otherwise, please search Roundalab's Index of Rounds for the cuesheet or contact the choreographer.

### JL and Linda Pelton

- [Autumn by the Sea, RB 4+2](#)



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## Texas Future Dance Events

### Featuring TRDTA Member Cuers

Flyers for these events, if available, are posted at [www.trdta.org](http://www.trdta.org) on the Dance Flyers page.

#### **9th Annual Pot-of-Gold Festival – March 13-14, 2020 – Houston, Texas**

Tammy and Marvin Lee, Martha and Ed Koslosky, and Lucy and Jerry Pate will cue rounds for the Friday and Saturday night dances and will be teaching the Saturday workshops. Plan on lots of green, maybe a wee Leprechaun or two and celebrate St. Patrick's Day with us.

#### **Hill Country Happenin' (20th Annual) – May 15-16, 2020 – Fredericksburg, TX**

Tammy and Marvin Lee are the featured cuer for this square and round dance festival.

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Send any flyers you have that you want posted to JL Pelton at [peltondances@gmail.com](mailto:peltondances@gmail.com). Festivals or weekends *must* include a round dance teaching component to be posted on the TRDTA website or in this newsletter.

- **Houston Round Dance Festival**, Phase 4-5, February 7-8, 2020, Houston, TX  
Curt and Tammy Worlock – Rounds only
- **TRDTA South Festival**, Phase 2-4, February 22-23, 2020, La Grange, TX  
TRDTA cuers – Rounds only
- **9th Annual Pot of Gold**, Phase 2-4, March 13-14, 2020, Houston, TX  
Jerry and Lucy Pate, Martha and Ed Koslosky, and Tammy and Marvin Lee – Rounds only
- **ORDA (Oklahoma Round Dance Association) Festival**, Phase 2-6, Lake Murray Lodge, OK  
Deb and Tim Vogt – Rounds only
- **Hill Country Happenin' (20th Annual)**, May 15-16, 2020, Fredericksburg, TX  
Tammy and Marvin Lee – Squares and Rounds
- **Ozark Round Dance Vacation 2020**– 2 sessions – Eureka Springs, AR  
Kristine and Bruce Nelson and Susie and Gert-Jan Rotscheid – Rounds only
  - August 16-19, Phase 3, 4, 5
  - August 23-26, Phase 4, 5, 5+
- **60th Annual Harvest Holiday Festival**, Phase 4-6, November 27-29, 2020, Dallas, TX  
Curt and Tammy Worlock – Rounds only  
Pre-Festival dances and teaches, November 23-25, Swingtime Center, Ft. Worth, TX  
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# Texas Round Dance Teachers Association

## Membership in TRDTA

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## List of Dances Taught in Beginning Lessons

This is a compiled list of dances teachers have taught during beginning lessons. Finding good dances that fit a beginning curriculum is often difficult. This list includes dances taught by various TRDTA members in beginning lessons.

### **Bolero**

- A Man This Lonely, 3 BL, Seurer
- All Fall Down, 3 BL, Nelson, A&L
- Valentine Bolero, 3 BL, Donoghue

### **Cha Cha**

- Axel F, CH, 3, Matthewson
- Baby's Blue Jeans Cha, 3 CH, McGuire
- Beach Party Cha, 3 CH, Williams
- Black Horse and the Cherry Tree, 3 CH, Hattrick
- Boogie Shoes Cha, 3 CH, Seurer
- Candida Rumba, 3 CH, Seurer
- Chattanooga Cha Cha, 3 CH, Seurer
- Fire It Up, 3 CH, Parker/Healea
- I'll Be the One, 3 CH, Jabour
- Irish Washerwoman, 3 CH, Buckmaster/Reigel
- Kokomo, 3 CH, Filardo
- Last Night, 3 CH, Speranzo/Slater
- Love is Strange, 3 CH, Filardo
- One Hundred and Two, 4 CH, Krueger
- Sugar Sugar in my Life, 3 CH, Kenny
- Please Answer Me, 3 CH, Nelson

### **Foxtrot**

- First Foxtrot, 3 FT, Clark
- Let's Get Away From It All, 4 FT, Johnson

### **Jive**

- Baby You've Got What it Takes, 3 JV, Parker
- Boogie Time, 4 JV, Gloodt
- Boot Scootin' Boogie, 3 JV, Koozer
- Breaking Up Jive, 4 JV, DeZordo
- Calendar Girl, 4 JV, Rotscheid
- Crush on You, 3 JV, Parker
- Green Door, 3 TS/JV, Proctor
- Little Duece Coupe, 3 JV, Koozer
- Night Train, 3 JV, Lawson
- One Foot in the Bayou, 3 JV, Woolcock
- The Big One, 3 JV, Koozer
- Uptown III, 3 JV, Gloodt
- Why Did It Have to be Me, 3 JV, Callen



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### Rumba

- Ascots Rumba, 3 RB, Kennedy
- Candida, 3 RB, Seurer
- Do You Remember, 3 RB, Langer
- Don't Want to Lose You, 3 RB, Pinks
- Esta Rumba, 3 RB, Barton
- Guantanamera, 3 RB, Preskitt
- I Don't Know Why I Love You, 4 RB, Plouch
- I Just Want to Dance With You, 3 RB, Healea
- Islands in the Stream, 3 RB, Armstrong
- Just Another Woman in Love, 3 RB, Nolen
- Little Café Rumba, 3 RB, Seurer
- My Maria, 3 RB, Seurer
- On Blue Bayou, 3 RB, Kennedy
- One Call Away, 3 RB, Drumheller
- Pretty Blue Eyes Rumba, 3 RB, Meyer
- Rise, 3 RB, Prow
- Rumba Erotica, 3 RB, Grahm
- Sacred Lovers Rumba, 3 RB, Brown/Cooley
- South of Sante Fe, 3 RB, Seurer
- South of Sante Fe Rumba, 3 RB, Koslosky
- Sound of Silence, 3 RB, Buckmaster/Reigel
- Spanish Eyes, 3 RB, Aoyama
- Susie Darlin', 3 RB, Sanders
- Tears in Your Eyes, 3 RB, Molitoris
- The Great El Tigre, 3 RB, Woolcock
- Two Souls Rumba, 3 RB, Jabour
- When You're Gone Tomorrow, 3 RB, Schmidt
- You'll Always Be Loved by Me, 3 RB, Baldwin

### Slow Two Step

- Can't Help Falling, 3 STS, Hamilton
- Girl Crush, 4 STS, Ahart
- I Do, 3 STS, Mouser
- Perfect, 3 STS, Townsend-Manning
- Rachel's Song, 4 STS, Stairwalt
- Raining in My Heart, 4 STS, Gloodt
- Summer Place, 3 STS, Buck
- The Other Side, 4 STS, Gloodt
- Too Many Rivers, 4 STS, Hooper
- Wonderful Rain, 3 STS, Young

### Two Step

- Aleena, 2 TS, Bond
- All Shook Up, 2 TS, Becker
- Baby O' Mine, 2 TS, Fiyalko
- Badly Bent, 2 TS, Seurer
- Buicks to the Moon, 2 TS, Hintz
- Cab Driver, 2 TS, Donath
- Chili Sauce, TS 2, Hickman (record)
- Crystal Chandeliers, 2 TS, Paul
- Dance w/the One That Brought You 2, TS, Koozer
- Don't Rock the Jukebox, 2 TS, Cohan
- Fiddlestepper Polka, 2 TS, Brown
- Frenchy Brown, TS 2, Tetzlaff
- Hold On Partner, 2 TS, Hixson
- Honey I'm Home, 2 TS, Kline
- Houston, 2 TS, Smith
- Hush, 2 TS, Croft/de Zordo
- If I Could Bottle This Up, 2 TS, Houser
- Just a Little Talk with Jesus, 2 TS, Hilton
- King of the Road, 2 TS, MacDougall and Cohen
- Lessons Learned, 2 TS, Speranzo
- Little White Moon, TS 2, Wilder
- Neon Rainbow, 2 TS, Krueger
- Patricia, 2 TS, Walkinshaw/Goss
- Pink Shoe Laces, 2 TS, Reid
- San Francisco, TS 2, Jordan
- Turn Your Radio On, 2 TS, Baldwin
- Where Am I Going to Live, 2 TS, Pfister
- Very Smooth, 2 TS, Wiese



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### List of Dances Taught in Beginning Lessons (continued)

#### Waltz

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Adagio, 3 WZ, Speranzo</li><li>■ All Night, 2 WZ, Jaeb</li><li>■ Amanda, 2 WZ, Koozer</li><li>■ A Million Tomorrows, 2 WZ, Wonson</li><li>■ Anna Marie II, 2 WZ, Paull</li><li>■ Answer Me, 3 WZ, Palmquist</li><li>■ Are You Lonesome Tonight, 2 WZ, Walstra</li><li>■ Could I Have This Dance, 2 WZ, Eddins</li><li>■ Cruisin' Down the River, 2 WZ, Heath</li><li>■ Dreams Come True, 2 WZ, Cooksey</li><li>■ Edelweiss, 2 WZ, Kellman</li><li>■ I'd Fall in Love Tonight, 2 WZ, Speranzo</li><li>■ Jacalyn's Waltz, 2 WZ, Wilhoit</li><li>■ Just for You, 2 WZ, Seurer</li><li>■ Lady Lay Down, 2 WZ, Parker</li><li>■ Lay Down Beside Me, 2 WZ, Labau</li><li>■ Manuela II, 2 WZ, Sabola</li><li>■ Mission Bell Waltz, 2 WZ, Metzger</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>■ Sandy's Waltz, 2 WZ, Porter</li><li>■ Stars are the Windows of Heaven, 2 WZ, Clark</li><li>■ Steal Away, 2 WZ, Spence</li><li>■ Sweet Melody, 2 WZ, Hixson</li><li>■ Their Hearts are Dancing, 2 WZ, Lewis/<br/>Samborsky</li><li>■ Tips of My Fingers, 2 WZ, Palmquist</li><li>■ Try to Remember, 2 WZ, Paull</li><li>■ Until It's Time II, 2 WZ, Betzelberger</li><li>■ Waltz Across Texas, 2 WZ, Peavy</li><li>■ What a Wonderful World, 2 WZ, Pilachowski</li><li>■ With You My Love, 2 WZ, Jobe</li></ul> |
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