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Secretary: Mike and Pat Pediman

July 3, 2015

Holiday Celebration – July 4th Center Closed – No Dance

<u>July 17, 2015</u> Theme: Red, White, and Blue

Host & Hostess

Travis & Karen Summers



Honey Pot Ken & Betty Hoffman

Paul & Quida Bellows
Mike & Pat Pediman
David & Nancy Worden

BIRTHDAYS ANNIVERSARIES

Rose Wellott 7/1 Chris and Kimberly Brow 7/12

Billy Merriman 7/5 JL and Linda Pelton 7/14

Bob Campbell 7/9

Jerry Malone 7/14

Travis Summers 7/28

Where's Waldo? Waldo has returned. Check out our Web Page and find "Waldo" and follow directions.

Announcement of winner will be held at our on July 17th dance.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- ☐ July 3rd Activity Center closed for holiday. We will not be dancing July 3rd. We will dance on the July 17th. Don't forget about Waldo! Visit our website.
- Red River Some Kuzzins will be leaving Saturday, July 25, 2015 staying overnight in Amarillo. Continue to Red River on Sunday, July 26, 2015 Some Kuzzins' will be staying at the Best Western. See page 25 in the April Promenade. Should be a fun time for all. Hope to see you there!
- ☐ Mainstream lessons starting August 25th. Ray Savell will be teaching the lessons. Everyone in the club needs to be dedicated to helping get students to these lessons. Get prospective students names and info to John and Shirley Curie. Lessons will not happen unless all of us promote our Club.

JULY VISITATIONS

☐ July 3rd – Texas Reelers – Yankee Doodle Theme – Page 6th July Promenade

Several couples are continuing to visit Plus Fours on 1^{st} and 3^{rd} Wednesday nights from 7:30 – 9:30 pm. Come join the fun and keep your plus calls fresh. Charles Quisenberry makes the night enjoyable and helps us all feel comfortable.

CARES AND CONCERNS

- ♦ Brenda Merriman will begin therapy on her right shoulder 2 days a week for 6 weeks. The doctors believe this will help her shoulder improve and gain strength.
- Nippy McManus had her 4th and last chemo treatment last week and is feeling good. The doctors will watch her counts in the future.
- Jerry Rounds continues to feel good after his procedure. The doctor will retest in 4 months.

Reported by Kimberly Brow. Please call Kimberly at 214-236-1294 to share your cares and concerns. Kuzzins care!

BANNERS

Banners In

Log Cabin Swingers
Dixie Chainers
Rebel Rousers
Stone Steppers

Banners Out

Fly our Flag on July 4th -



President's Ponderings

We have reached our first milestone as your Board, the first quarter. As noted at the meeting, we have increased our visitation and met some moderate success in the banner game (retrieved all our banners and captured two). Nominally we have 9 couples who visit with us, averaging 5 couples per outing. Thanks to previous efforts of the Bellows and Pedimans during their administrations, we have completed the Nortex club visit requirement for our first two groups of 20 and have begun work on our 60 visit patch. The only downside is that we have not given our banners to visiting clubs, but they will come because we visit them.

We thank Martha and Ernest Hernandez for filling in this quarter while we were away at two weekend festivals in Fredericksburg and Waco. We also thank Martha for stepping up to chair our 43rd anniversary dance next March, along with Quida Bellows who offered to help Martha plan the event. We know they will do a fine job!

We are happy that John and Shirley Currie are able to devote more time to the Kuzzins, having completed their term with Nortex, both as Presidents Pro Tem and Vice Presidents for our area. We welcome Steve and Marti

Matz as our new Nortex VPs and look forward to seeing them at our dances. As you are aware, John and Shirley are serving as our Marketing Coordinators and also our Lessons Chair. They have challenged each member couple in the club to identify at least 5 potential students to provide them a base of 150 contacts from which to recruit new dancers. They are providing recruiting materials and are seeking your ideas and your support: We need to make this "Job 1" this quarter. Talk it up with your friends, your neighbors, shopping buddies, bridge clubs, tennis clubs, golfing buddies, church groups, etc. Collect materials on your smart phones, and include them in your social media postings; there are an abundant number of short video clips on YouTube and Flikr; be prepared to link folks to KissinKuzzins.org! We will be actively posting materials and events to help you. We especially challenge the 11 couples going to Red River to brainstorm the task around the game table or dinner table. We pray that they will travel safely and return with renewed enthusiasm and energy.

Howard & Glenda

Please remember, this newsletter is YOUR newsletter. If you are having special memories with your family, have pictures you wish to share or any other type of announcements to share, please let me (Pat Pediman) know. Send all to my e-mail address (pmped3@gmail.com) and I will get your article in the newsletter. Red River outing is just around the corner and I hope to be able to download some photos for the August Newsletter.

Looking Back on June

Visitations

No photos available at this time. This secretary is having a difficult time with her new computer. So Sorry!

<u>Rebel Rousers</u> – June 20th – 26th Anniversary Dance – Dreaming of a White Christmas Kissin' Kuzzins attending this dance – John & Shirley Currie; Ernest & Martha Hernandez; Howard & Glenda Hess; Larry & Mary Long; Mike & Joanne Patrick; JL & Linda Pelton; and Mike & Pat Pediman.

Stone Steppers – June 26th – Hot Summer Nights

As usual, the Stone Steppers had a great spread of refreshments and the desserts were great.

Kissin' Kuzzins attending this dance – Clyde & Dee Gee Bailey; Bob & Linda Campbell; Howard & Glenda Hess; Ken & Betty Hoffman; Mike & Joanne Patrick; Mike & Pat Pediman; and Barbara Reese.