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Al & Nancy Naylor

George & Hazel Nelson

Host & Hostess

Maurice & Doris Cockrell

Honey Pot

Jimmy & Glenda Stewart

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Ken & Carolyn Smith

Dan & Nelda Roberts

Jerry & Mildred Rounds

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Ken & Hollis Elkins

Honey Pot

Maurice & Doris Cockrell

## July Visitations



7/19

Yellow Rockers-Retrieve our banner



## "Special KK Dates-Mark your Calendar"

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| 8/17/12  | New Dancers Dance   |
| 9/7/12   | KK Pre Round-up Dance- <a href="#"><u>Paul &amp; Quida Bellows &amp; Jimmy &amp; Glenda Stewart</u></a> |
| 10/13/12 | KK Picnic at Brady Cox House- <a href="#"><u>\$10.00 a person</u></a>                                   |
| 10/26/12 | Callers Cavalcade-Sterling Hotel-Dallas 7PM   |
| 10/27/12 | Nortex 2012 Round-Up---Have A Ball---Sterling Hotel-Dallas-Hunter Keller Caller                         |
| 4/19/13  | KK 40 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance— <a href="#"><u>Jeff &amp; Tammy Holcomb</u></a>                  |



### Happy Birthday

7/1 Rose Marie Wellott  
 7/5 Billy Merriman  
 7/6 Kathie Malone  
 7/9 Bob Campbell  
 7/13 Gene Crawford  
 7/14 Jerry Malone  
 7/19 Nancy Naylor  
 7/26 Glen Arden

### Happy Anniversary

7/12 Chris & Kimberly Brow  
 7/14 JL & Linda Pelton



2012 London Olympics July 27-August 12



## Presidential Address



Hello Kuzzins,

The Kuzzins have had an exciting couple of months with our Anniversary Dance followed by the Friendship Dance with the Texas Reelers.

They both turned out to be quite successful for our club. We had approximately 280 guests for the 2ne quarter and the best part of all was that everyone seemed to have a really good time dancing and socializing. Thanks to all of you for the work that went into making these dances the success they were.

Our quarterly meeting was held Friday, July 15<sup>th</sup>. A date change for next year's 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dance was announced, the dance will be held on Friday, April 19<sup>th</sup>. We also discussed the Kuzzin's annual picnic. Brady Cox once again, said the club was welcome to have the picnic at his house. It will be on Saturday, October 13<sup>th</sup> at 2 PM. The cost will be \$10.00 a person which will cover the cost of the barbeque dinner. Nelda Roberts has agreed to coordinate the activities again this year and will be calling for assistance as needed.

It was decided to pursue student lessons for September and Paul and Quida Bellows will be following up with more details as they are available.

We are going to hold a New Dancer's Dance on August 17<sup>th</sup>, which is our regular dance night and I will be sending information to all club presidents to invite their clubs and new dancers and the date has been entered on the Nortex calendar.

We visited the Rockwall Squares on the 22<sup>nd</sup>. We had 23 people visit and we retrieved our banner and captured theirs. Great job Kuzzins! On Saturday, June 30<sup>th</sup>, the Texas Reelers are hosting their 37<sup>th</sup> Anniversary and Happy USA Dance. It should be a great time to revisit our friends, so mark your calendar, wear your **RED**, **WHITE**, and **BLUE** colors and join their celebration. The callers will be Mike Bramlett and Joey Duhamel and the cuer will be Jack Von der Heide.

Our only scheduled visitation for July will be Thursday, July 19<sup>th</sup> to the Yellow Rockers. They have had our banner for about 2 years, so let's all plan to attend.

Again, we thank you all for your work, your support and friendship.

Ken & Betty Hoffman



## Banners

In

Out

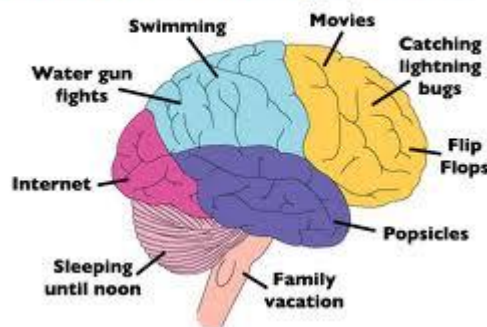
Yellow Rockers-**Retrieve in July**

Rebel Rousers

Swing Stars

Pioneers-**Retrieve in Sept**

## **This Is Your Brain On Summer**



## Let's support our caller & cuer !

This is JL's schedule of dances for the month of July:

Solitaires--1<sup>st</sup> Saturday-Chapel Hill United Methodist, Farmer's Branch - ER 7:00 PM, GM 7:45 PM  
Kuzzins Dances--1st and 3rd Fridays---workshop 1<sup>st</sup> Friday 7:00 PM---3<sup>rd</sup> Friday 7:30 PM GM 8:00 PM  
Dance Arounds-- Thursdays, 3-4 Level Rounds, Plano Senior Center-6:15-8:45 PM  
Harvest Holiday-2nd Sundays, Cueing Phases 3-6, Swingtime Center, Ft Worth-2-5 PM  
Harvest Holiday — Phase 2-4 Dances-Swingtime Center, 5100 SE Loop 820, Ft. Worth, TX 76140  
Autumn Rounds - Sunday - September 30, 2012 - 2:00-5:00 p.m.  
Winter Rounds - Sunday - January 27, 2013- 2:00-5:00 p.m.  
BEGINNING CHA CHA & RUMBA LESSONS START -- JULY 17  
Tuesdays -- Plaza Arts, 1114 5th Street, Carrollton, 6:30-8:30 p.m.

This is Wayne's schedule of dances for the month of July:

Swinging Stars—Basic Mainstream lessons—Beginning Sept 5<sup>th</sup> 7:00 PM  
Model A's--advance A-2--Every Thursday  
Kuzzins Dances--1st and 3rd Fridays---workshop 3<sup>rd</sup> Friday 7:30 PM  
Swinging Stars --2nd and 4th Fridays---workshop 4<sup>th</sup> Friday 7:30 PM

## **What's Happin Kuzzin Kuzzins !**

Jeff and Tammy Holcomb have volunteered to chair the 40th Anniversary Dance. They are thinking about themes already and they will be putting together a committee later this year. A big thank you, for doing this.

Summer is upon us and things are already happening with the Kuzzins. Some are going to Red River again this year and some are going on an Alaska Cruise. Word is a Mystery Trip for Spring 2013 is in the planning, as well as a trip to Branson in December 2013. We are a busy group. Let us know where you are going and some pictures to share with everybody. We love to hear the obsequies and embarrassments as well as fun of your trips.

The date for the KK Picnic has been set for October the 13<sup>th</sup>. There will be games and bar-b-que. This year the Mike & Pat Pediman have offered to cook the meat. There will be beans and salads and relishes. The cost will be \$10.00 per person. This must be paid in advance and Mike & Pat will let the club know when they will start collecting the money. Please mark your calendar.

Do any Kuzzins know of a location we could check for Monday nights (7-9 pm) for mainstream lessons starting in September for 18-20 weeks?

Room needs to be tile or wood floor and accommodate 32-40 persons (up to 4 squares of space)

Locations such as:

Office Building

Church

School

Gym Recreation Center

Elks Club

Eastern Star

Country Club or any other organization or room you might know of.

Ideally the space would be in the Garland, Murphy, Wylie, Rowlett or Sasche area.

If you have any ideas or suggestions, please contact Paul and Quida Bellows or Ken and Betty Hoffman.

Paul & Quida Bellows and Jimmy & Glenda Stewart have come to our rescue again by volunteering to co-chair the Pre Round Up Dance for the Kuzzins on September 7<sup>th</sup>. They are going to need the help of the club for food and serving, so be there for them when they call. Thank you for your generosity Paul & Quida and Jimmy & Glenda.

**Hey! Kuzzins: Want to experience great musical entertainment with your Kuzzins?** Most of you haven't been aware that many Kuzzins have been attending the McKinney Community Concert for several years and enjoying dinner beforehand. Since we always like to share in our fun, eating, and fellowship, we'd like you to join us for the upcoming 2012-12 season that we're so excited about. There are seven concerts, including top-notch entertainers – one a month – September through March. Some of these performers are well known (i.e., past entertainers have been groups like the -Dallas Brass, Texas Tenors, etc.); others have not been as well known, but all professional. See for yourself at <http://mckinneycommunityconcerts.org/performances.htm>, or call us at 214-785-3927 for more information. The cost for seven concerts is \$95.00 per person. Won't you join us?

Mike & Joanne Patrick



## KK Anniversary Dance Chairman's (over the top) Trophy

### "KK Travel Trophy"

Some of the Kuzzins are not familiar with the story of "KK Anniversary Dance Chairman's (over the top) Trophy" or as originally names the "Traveling Trophy."

For a couple of years our club made a trip to Pine Bluff Arkansas (Arkansas should tell you enough) to an all Plus Dance Weekend. In 1994 on one of these trips Gene & Barbara Newman and Joanne Anderson (pre Mike) and Paul Zimmerebner (current KK Presidents) decided to go and do some antique shopping at an antique warehouse they had seen on their way into Pine Bluff . In this warehouse there were many independent vendors. One in particular was named "Delaney's." It was so crowded with any piece of junk you could imagine to the point that if you bent over to look at something, no matter the size of your back side, you were going to knock things off the shelves. As they moseyed through all this worthless merchandise they noticed a sign hung on the wall stating "NO CHILDRENS ALLOWED." Naturally knowing this group they made quite a ruckus over the fact that children did not need an "S" on the end (again Arkansas). After they were able to compose themselves again they moved further into this maze of valuable merchandise until they came upon this very large thing standing in a far back corner. Gene was so taken with its beauty that he just had to buy it. Mind you it had a sister one too, but Gene felt one would be enough. The Trophy originally stood over 6 feet tall.

Now the four of them are standing in the parking lot of the unique establishment scratching their heads because the trophy is longer than the car they drove. With a little disassembly of a couple sections, is now in the car. The base is in the front passenger floor with Barbara's feet and the top is in the rear window between Paul & Joanne, with two sections in the trunk. Now they have to ride back to Dallas with this monster between them. Since at the time Paul & Joanne were the current Presidents it was decided that this would be a perfect gift for the annual anniversary dance chairman.

In 1994 we celebrated our 21<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Dance and after the dance everyone went to Bob & Linda Campbell's house for the after party. It was there that the first presentation was made by Gene Newman to John & Judy Hancock. It was taller than they were. One of the rules to being a proud holder of this trophy, is you must display it in a place of honor in your home for the next years for all who enter your home to see. You must proudly tell how humbled you are to have such a prestigious item on display and shed a tear when you must relinquish it to the next disserving chairman.

Yes it has shrank a little in all the years due to being taken apart a few times to transport it. But it is still a thing of beauty.

These are the lucky couples who over the years have been the proud recipients of this trophy.

1994	John & Judy Hancock
1995	Paul Zimmerebner & Joanne Anderson
1996	Jerry & Sally Malone
1997	Gene & Barbara Newman
1998	Bob & Rose Marie Wellott
1999	Gene & Barbara Newman
2000	Jones & Mary McConnell
2001	Harry & Ruby Nell Ormon
2002	Norman & Linda Lentenbrink
2003	Bill & Jeanne Dunn
2004	John & Georgia Goodrum
2005	Bob & Linda Campbell
2006	Mike & Joanne Patrick
2007	Keith & Kathie Malone
2008	Jerry & Virginia McGrew
2009	David & Janet Borg
2010	Glen & Wyn El Dodson
2011	Jimmy Stewart & Glenda Clark
2012	Paul & Quida Bellows

