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May 2016 – KK Kazette

Secretary: Mike and Pat Pediman

KP Duty

Chris & Kimberly Brow
Jesse & Carol Hooks
Roger & Kathy Lachance

May 6 - Cinco de Mayo

Host and Hostess
Mike & Joanne Patrick

Honey Pot

Jerry & Alice Galloway

May 20 - Armed Forces Celebration

Red, and Blue

Host and Hostess
Jerry & Alice Galloway

Honey Pot

Mike & Joanne Patrick

KP Duty

Larry & Mary Long
Gene Newman
Jo Krieger
Mike & Pat Pediman

(If you are wondering why "white" isn't spelled out it's because White doesn't show up against a white background, It really is spelled out, you just can't see it.)

*Please remember, the above schedule is apt to change at any given moment.
Check with Alice Galloway for KP Duty; and Shirley Currie for Host and Hostess and Honey pot*

Anniversaries

Ken and Hollis Elkins	5/6
Glen and WynEl Dodson	5/17
Palmer and Pat Dauphin	5/17
Jesse and Carol Hooks	5/22

Birthdays

Susan Cusic	5/2
Doris Cockrell	5/5
Wayne Baldwin	5/10
Howard Hess	5/12
Jo Ellis	5/14
Davene Goodman	5/17
Clyde Bailey	5/19
Laurie Owens	5/20
Brady Cox	5/21
Ruby Nell Orman	5/22
Louis Wriedt	5/24
Mildred Rounds	5/28



Always remember: Square Dancing is friendship set to Music



BANNERS

Banners Captured
Circle I
Dixie Chainers
Log Cabin Swingers
Roadrunners
Rockwall Squares
Stone Steppers
Swinging Stars

Look what happens when we
 Visit, visit and visit
 Way to go Kissin' Kuzzins



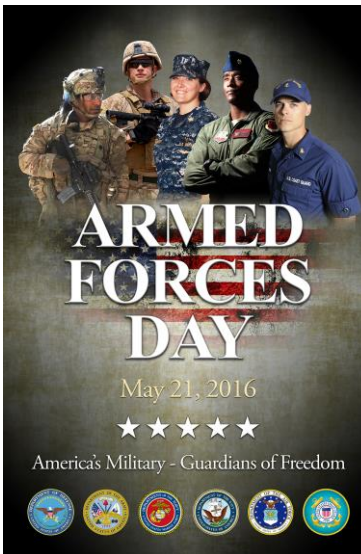
Banners Out
Rebel Rousers

CARES AND CONCERNS

- ☐ Prayers continue for Jo Ellis as she continues to improve
- ☐ Prayers continue for Jerry Rounds
- ☐ Prayers of thanks giving for Ken and Carolyn Smith.
- ☐ Prayers Mike Model for healing of Slip disc/back concerns
- ☐ Prayers Joanne Patrick with her brother's passing away
- ☐ Prayers Martha Hernandez's brother-
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Reported by Kimberly Brow. Please call Kimberly at 214-236-1294 to be listed and/or continue to be listed. Our prayers are with all our Kuzzins who are in need of healing. Praise God for the prayers answered and for guidance for those not answered.

Kuzzins Kare!



May is a month we honor all our brave men and women who have served to preserve the freedom that we all share being part of this great country, The United States of America. May 21st, Armed Forces Day, to honor the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines Corps, and Coast Guard.

May 30th - Memorial Day, as a formal holiday, is an American holiday. It is celebrated to remember military service members who have died in the line of duty. Memorial Day was originally called Decoration Day, as the holiday was centered on decorating the graves of those who had fallen in the Civil War.

Today Memorial Day is celebrated across the United States. Regardless of where it originated, it is an important holiday that remembers those that died for the country, and serves to remind people of the costly price of war.

What's Ahead
May 8 th – Mother's Day
Armed Forces Day and Memorial Day
NORTEX Installation and Dance – June 5 th
NORTEX Round-up Kickoff Dance – July 10 th
Red River Adventure – August 1 - 5
Mainstream Lessons – August 30 – December 20
Square Dance Cruise – February, 26, 2017- March 5, 2017

Bullwinkle's Korner....

We have had a good April. Our visits have been well attended with a gregarious group of dancers. Martha and I look forward to May. We will continue with an active month of visits, but first we have a great treat with our home dance on May 6th!! Plan to be there. Also, let's be sure to make visitors welcome and remember our good square dance etiquette. We had an example of this demonstrated to us at our visit to the Friendship Dance between Swinging Stars & Rockwall Squares when a couple of their members voluntarily left the square to make room for us. That was nice.

June 5, 2016: It should be marked on your calendar. That is the 49th NORTEX Officer Installation Dance. John and Shirley Currie are the chairman for this big event and they need our help. We need as many of the club membership as possible to attend and help. There will be sandwiches and cookies to be made. There will be many jobs we need to help with. Be watching for information soon!!! Get ready to circle up!! Ernest and Martha

Note: The NORTEX Installation of Officers and Dance is hosted by 6 Clubs. The Kissin' Kuzzins is one of the Host Clubs. John and Shirley will be giving us more information as the time gets closer. Plan to attend this event. It will be held at Swingtime Center in Irving, so carpooling is a great way to go. Not only are we responsible to bring refreshments (Shirley will let us know and Martha will be handling the sign-up) but we will also be greeting all who attend this event. So practice your best smile (you don't need to practice too much, you all have great smiles).

President Ernest Hernandez is distributing tickets for the Round-up grand prize – 7 night Caribbean Cruise for 2 with a Balcony Stateroom and Pre-Paid Gratuities aboard the Carnival Breeze- February 26 – March 5, 2017. We sell the tickets for \$1.00 each – the club gets back 50 cents; NORTEX gets 50 cents. The more tickets we sell, the more money we get, plus a chance for someone to win a cruise. Come prepared to grab some tickets from Ernest and then sell, sell, sell – or buy, buy buy!!

Looking Back On April 2016

Friendship Dance - Rockwall Squares and Swinging Stars

Kissin' Kuzzins snatched the Rockwall Squares Banner.



April 8th

Carol & Jesse Hooks; Louis & Mary Wriedt; Ernest & Martha Hernandez; Jerry & Terri Johnson; Howard & Glenda Hess; Mike & Pat Pediman

Dixie Chainers - 55th Annual Hawaiian Luau

Kissin' Kuzzins snatched the Dixie Chainers Banner.



April 9th

Pat Pediman, Ernest & Martha Hernandez, Wyn El & Glen Dodson. Linda & Bob Campbell, Donna & Fred Bolanz, Jesss & Carol Hooks, Terri & Jerry Johnson, Kathy & Roger Lachance, Jim Cusic, Mike & Joanne Patrick, Howard & Glenda Hess, Susan Cusic, Shirley & John Currie.

Stone Steppers - 58th Anniversary Dance



Kissin' Kuzzins snatched the Stone Steppers Banner.

April 22nd

John & Shirley Currie, Jerry & Terri Johnson, Roger & Cathy Lachance,
Fred & Donna Bolanz, Ernest & Martha Hernandez, Ken & Betty Hoffman,
Mike & Pat Pediman, Larry & Mary Long

Cotton Pickin' Squares - 22nd Anniversary Dance



April 23

Jerry & Terri Johnson, Mike & Joanne Patrick, Fred & Donna Bolanz,
John & Shirley Currie, Ernest & Martha Hernandez

Wylie Senior Center - Exhibition Dance



April 25th

John & Shirley Currie, Ken & Betty Johnson, Mike & Pat Pediman,
Jerry & Alice Galloway, Glen & WynEl Dodson, Chris & Kimberly
Brow, Mike & Joanne Patrick, Martha Hernandez, Howard &
Glenda Hess, Paul & Quida Bellows



Prospecting for new
dancers to take lessons

Caller - Ray Savell
Doing what comes
naturally

Circle I



April 29th

Roger & Cathy Lachance, Ernest & Martha Hernandez, Shirley & John
Currie, Fred & Donna Bolanz, Mike & Pat Pediman, Linda & Bob Campbell,
Jerry & Terri Johnson, Mike & Joanne Patrick

Kissin' Kuzzins snatched
Circle I Banner.

I have been with this club a number of years and don't remember a time when we visited so often. Our new members have truly given our club a much need boost of energy. With our seasoned members and our new members, The Kissin' Kuzzins is a club on the move. New dance lessons start in August, start promoting square dancing wherever you go. You know we are having fun, let them come join us and have fun with us.

We need to challenge the clubs to come get their banner back and see how long it takes us to recapture.

Roadrunners 45th Anniversary Dance

Kissin' Kuzzins snatched the Roadrunners Banner.



April 30th

Chris & Kimberly Brow, Howard & Glenda Hess, Fred & Donna Bolanz, John & Shirley Currie, Paul & Quida Bellows, Glen & WynEl Dodson, Mike & Joanne Patrick



Do you ladies know about the Kissin' Kuzzins once a month luncheon? It's a Birthday Luncheon. On the 2nd Friday of every month, the ladies who belong to the lunch bunch, receive a card. Everyone who belongs to the club puts a \$1.00 in each birthday card. When it's your birthday, you get a card with money inside. It all evens out. You put money in cards and in turn they put money in your card. Now comes the fun part, whoever has a birthday during the given month gets to choose the restaurant in which the luncheon will be held.

Joe Ellis has been making arrangements, but due to her illness Doris Cockrell has TEMPORARILY taken on the responsibilities. Doris is not really up to continuing with heading up the luncheons and would like to see someone step forward and take over the duties. If you want to join the lunch bunch, call Doris at 972-495-6636. If you feel the calling to take over the duties, please give Doris a call today!

The luncheons are fun; you get to renew friendships; and you get to eat out and on your birthday month, you get money.