

# Texas State Camping Squares

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## President's Corner

We are sad to tell you that Butch Lonidier has resigned as Treasurer of TSCS. Butch has developed an infection in her eye which is affecting her eyesight. Doctors are working to clear it but Butch can't see well enough to do the bookkeeping. Thank you Butch for all that you have done for TSCS.

Houston Area Camping Squares is hosting our Spring campout March 13-15, 2020 at Coushatta Recreation Ranch in Bellville. Reservations are not required; camping is \$26/night. They have been working hard to make it a fun weekend. Plans are being finalized for a visit to the museum at San Felipe state park on Friday and a group lunch. At the Friday night dance you are invited to wear your best "cowboy bling". Guys, wear your best "cowboy duds" — not sure you have "bling". Or just come casual. On Saturday, add those Yellow Roses of Texas to your square dance attire. We'll be celebrating Texas' Independence. There **will** be a potluck lunch on Saturday followed by the general business meeting.

We need **you** at the business meeting. We need your ideas and your help. We will be electing officers at this meeting. We will be electing a President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary. The secretary and treasurer positions are currently vacant. If you are interested in any of these positions, please let us know.

We'd like to know the dates and details of your special dances so that we can help you advertise and possibly attend.

Looking forward to seeing you in Bellville!

*Preston & Carolyn Smith*

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*Spring TSCS Campout  
Coushatta RV Ranch  
Bellville, TX  
March 13-15, 2020*

# Texas State Camping Squares Past Presidents

1970: Bill Corgan (July- Sept)

1970: Lawrence Thomasson

1971: Walter & Willie Roberts

1972: Tom & Helen Bales

1973: Glen & Joyce Pockdrus

1974: Tom & Jo Wiley

1975: Dwight & Thelma Conrad

1976: Tom & Helen Bales

1977: Len & Judy Richardson

1978: Wayne & Pat Harper

1979: Durward & Jerry Pledger

1980: Jack & Pat VanVleck

1981: Wayne & Pat Coker

1982: Shelly & Ann Smyth

1983: Lou & Barbara Quates

1984: Paul & Modell Whiteley

1985: Bill & Dorothy Decker

1986: Leneigh & Maude Spurlock

1987 - 1988: Wayne & Bettye Deaton

1989 - 1990: James & Pat Smathers

1991: Francis & Velma Strickland

1992: Fred & Wanda Porter

1993: Dean & Dee Carpenter

1994: Homer & Marilyn Roff

1995: Merle & Donna Maiden

1996 - 1997: Leon & Ada Cox

1998: Doug & Ann Pohler

1999 - 2000: Ron & Shirley Alexander

2001 - 2002: Bob & Jackie Palmer

2003 - 2004: Ted & Sharon Glowacki

2005 - 2006: Jack Isdale & Deretha Starnes

2007 - 2008: Frank & Hazel Reeves

2009 - 2010: Charles & Avis Raney

2011 - 2012: Jerry & Nanette Tucker

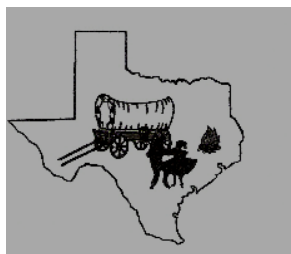
2013 -2014: Keith & Kathie Malone

2015 - 2016: Howard & Sandra Rowan

2017 - 2018: Clarence & Wanda Baker

Current Presidents:

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**Houston Area Camping Squares  
Hosts the Spring Campout/Dance  
Texas State Camping Squares  
Celebrating  
TEXAS INDEPENDENCE**



**Coushatta RV Ranch  
2812 Nelius Road  
Bellville, TX 77418  
March 13 – 15, 2020**

**No Reservations Necessary**

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Friday	11:00 AM	Local Field Trip and Lunch
	7:00 PM	Early Rounds
	7:30 PM	Dance Attire: Cowboy Bling
	9:30 PM	Games
Saturday	8:00 AM	Donuts. Coffee. Flea Market
	NOON	POT LUCK
	12:45 PM	TSCS General Meeting
	Afternoon	More Games
	7:00 PM	Early Rounds
	7:30 PM	Grand March/Opening Ceremonies
		Dance Attire: Yellow Rose of Texas
	9:45 PM	AfterParty
Sunday	7:30 AM	Breakfast in the Hall
	8:00 AM	Devotional and Good-bye



### How to get here

**Coushatte Recreation Ranch** is located in beautiful Austin County between Bellville and Sealy, Texas

**From Bellville:** Take 36 South to Coushatte Rd, at the light take a left, go over the railroad tracks, then take a Right on Coushatte Rd. go 5 miles to Nelius Rd, take a Right and go 1 mile to Campground.

**From Houston:** Take I-10 West, exit 720 Left at the light to Sealy. Go North on 36 to FM 331. Turn Right, over the railroad tracks, 5 miles to Coushatte Rd. Turn left for 1.7 to Nelius Rd., turn Left and go 1 mile to Campground entrance.



## Houston Area Camping Square

We're looking forward to hosting this year's Spring TSCS Camp-out. We'll be celebrating Texas Independence. We'll have a Cowboy good time all weekend. Wear your Cowboy and Cowgirl finest duds for our Friday night dance and be prepared to sing around the campfire on Saturday night.

Come back again in April when we will be celebrating our 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary on the 4th at Coushatta RV Ranch in Bellville. There will be a Baked Potato Dinner at 6 pm, early Rounds at 7 pm and our guest callers will start at 7:30. We will have Coffee Kitty for fun. The rest of the weekend we'll have our regular fun of card games, Saturday potluck lunch, Sunday Devotional and friendship.

Following that we will have Traylor Walker in May followed by Dan Clairmont in June. We will see everyone in June at the State Festival June 11-14.

Our Friday callers are Steven Blankinship, Keith Klix and Carol Teal. Saturday night we have guest callers. Terry Pimm is our club cuer and is with us both nights.

Happy Camping,  
Carol Teal  
President, Houston Area Camping Squares

Keep up with us on our website:  
[houstoncampingsquares.com](http://houstoncampingsquares.com)



## Camping Squares of East Texas

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## Heart of Texas Camping Squares

Heart of Texas Camping Squares Dance  
Second and Fourth Saturday's  
Allemande Hall in Speegelville.  
106 Westlake, Waco  
Dale Smith is our caller.

In November we held the graduation dance for our Teens and Tweens, and they have formed a new youth group under the sponsorship of Camping Squares and Texas Independent Plus Squares. They have organized as Lone Star Youth and will be holding their dances in conjunction with our Saturday dances. We are very pleased to be instrumental in getting one of the very few Youth Clubs in Texas get off the ground.

Also, in November we held our Anniversary Dance with Dan Clairmont as our caller. In March, we co-sponsored our annual Mardi Gras Dance with TIPS. Dave and Michelle Vieira were MCs and installed the new King and Queen.

On March 26<sup>th</sup>, we will have Steve Blankenship as our guest caller. Our second and fourth Saturday dances with line dancing have been successful, and we expect them to continue to grow as more dancers become aware that Saturday dances are available on a regular basis.

Diana Cazares  
President,  
Heart of Texas Camping Squares



***Square Thru the Roses***

## North Texas Camping Squares

We'd like to thank all of you that came to help us put on the TFSRDC President's dance for Kathie and Keith Malone. We've enclosed pictures from the State Photographers. Since we've seen you last fall, we had our Anniversary Dance the following month back in Glen Rose. We'd like to invite you to one of our future dances if you are in the area. April 17-19 we'll travel to American RV Park in Corsicana and then May 8-10 we'll be in Athens at a "new to us" place...Lake Athens RV Park, right on the lake.

Charles & Laura Wright  
North Texas Camping Squares



Keith & Kathie Malone  
President

Richard & Diane Doyle  
Vice President

Rod & Rena Gibson  
Treasurer

Everett & Tina Kelly  
Secretary



*The State Officers wish to send you a big Thank You for your hospitality during othe recent TSFSRD Presidents Meeting in Glen Rose. We enjoyed the dancing, socializing and visiting with our extended square dance family and friends. The work and dedication of Texas State Camping Squares is greatly appreciated by the entire TSFSRD Executive Board. It was a great weekend in Glen Rose.*

*Sincerely,*  
*Tina & Everett Kelly*  
**Tina and Everett Kelly**  
2019-2020 TSFSRD Secretary



Dear Texas State Camping Squares,  
Thank you for hosting the  
President's meeting! We had a  
great time dancing to all the  
callers and dancers! Thank  
you for everything!

Yellow Rocks,  
Richard & Diane Dofe  
TSFSRD Vice Presidents



Mark Your Calendars

**WHEEL-N-DEALS**



**SAN MARCOS, TEXAS**

**49 TH ANNIVERSARY DANCE**

**WITH AUSTIN EAGLES**

**GARY BIBLE**

**APRIL 25<sup>TH</sup> 6:30-10 PM**

**BRAD CALDWELL**



**FRED GOYNES**

**\$10**

**CHET MILES**



**LUCY & JERRY**

**Singles  
Encouraged**



**Pre Rounds 6:30  
MS/Plus 7:00  
Rounds between**

**SAN MARCOS ACADEMY**

**2801 Ranch Road 12**

**San Marcos, Texas 78666**





**The Alamo Area Square &  
Round Dance Association**

Invites you to

***DANCE WITH THE KINGS***

***FIESTA DANCE***



**Caller / Cuer  
Wayne Weston**



No Pre-Rounds

Squares & Rounds begin at 7:00 pm  
2 + 2 Dance with announced Plus

Location  
3233 N. St. Marys Street  
San Antonio Texas

Friday  
April 24 2020  
7:00 pm – 10:00 pm

**Highlight: Visitation by Fiesta Royalty and  
Texas State Federation Official Visit**



Square Dance Attire Requested  
Non- Dancing Visitors Welcome  
Guest are Free  
Dancers - \$5.00 Donation

