



Are You Ready for 75th National Square Dance Convention[®]?

Do you love the excitement of a big celebration? Then you don't want to miss the Opening and Closing Ceremonies of the 75th National Square Dance Convention[®] in the Waco Convention Center. The year 2026 marks the Diamond Jubilee of the National Square Dance Convention[®] and the 250th Birthday of the United States of America. You know Texas likes to do things bigger, the Opening and Closing Ceremonies will be unlike anything you have seen or heard yet at a NSDC.

OPENING CEREMONY - JUNE 24

The Opening Ceremony will be held Wednesday, June 24. Seating will begin at 6:30 p.m. in Chisolm Hall. A cartoon video will begin at approximately 6:55 p.m. (dependent on the end of the Malpass Brothers show.) The Opening is scheduled to begin promptly at 7 p.m. Special music and video effects will open the ceremony, followed by the *National Anthem* performed by Jerry Morris, presentation of the Colors by the Ft. Cavazos 36th Engineer Brigade, the National Executive Committee and special remarks. Get ready for the biggest NSDC kickoff you have ever seen!

CLOSING CEREMONY - JUNE 27

The Closing Ceremony will be held Saturday, June 27, in Chisolm Hall. The Parade of States line up and seating will begin at 5 p.m. with the Parade starting at 5:30 p.m. After the Pledge and Prayer, Alexia Foster will sing the *National Anthem*. Be prepared for an exciting conclusion of the Diamond Jubilee in the Closing Ceremony, followed by final dances and After Parties.

Entertainment for both events is still evolving. More details to follow.

You can find convention information at <https://75nsdctx.com>. To sign up, click "Register" on the home page to complete and submit your form or scan QR Code.



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