



# NORTH TEXAS CALLERS ASSOCIATION

## A CALLERLAB AFFILIATE

### **Bylaws Section V. CODE OF ETHICS**

- A. When an applicant for Full, Associate, or Trainee membership is accepted, the applicant automatically pledges to accept and practice the following code of ethics. All Members of this association shall:
1. Conduct himself or herself as a gentleman or lady at all dance functions including proper square dance attire.
  2. Strive for the fullest enjoyment of each function.
  3. Promote good fellowship among callers, teachers and dancers.
  4. Discourage cliques and other factors and elements that tend to break down the fun and fellowship of dancing.
  5. Help beginner dancers and callers in every way possible.
  6. See that proper decorum and deportment are observed at all dance functions.
  7. Adhere to the association's standardized terms and nomenclature for this area.
  8. Maintain a friendly, cooperative and professional attitude towards other teachers and callers.
  9. Cooperate with the association and with other callers and teachers in the free exchange of calls, cues, dance material and helpful ideas.
  10. Maintain a good reputation for personal honesty and integrity.
  11. Make every effort to keep all scheduled engagements.
  12. Abstain completely from the use of narcotics and refrain from the use of intoxicating liquors before or during a dance function.
  13. Only perform music which has been obtained in a manner which properly and completely compensates the artists and producers responsible for its creation. I will not enable others to use copies of my music while I still retain my ownership.