



Magnolia Ballroom Dancers' Association

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"A Non-Profit Social Dance Club"

APRIL 2007

Welcome New Members . . . Mike Bishop Patsy Patten
Bill Fortenberry Sherri Wimberly

♠ ♠ "Easter Parade" Dance & Workshops ♠ ♠

Saturday, April 14 • Forestry Auditorium

Swing Workshops with **Bryan and Catrinel Jordan**
Baton Rouge, Louisiana

6-7 **Intermediate** West Coast Swing • Knowledge of Basics Required

7-8 **Beginner** Jitterbug • Learn the Basics of Street Style Jitterbug

Members: \$5 per Hour • Guests: \$10 per Hour or Two Hours for \$15

For Privates, Contact Cheryn Baker at 601-992-7165 or cbaker@mhanet.com

Dance 8-11 • \$10 Member - \$15 Guest *

West Coast Swing & Jitterbug Exhibitions by **Bryan and Catrinel Jordan**

"*Elegantly Casual*" Spring Colors • Recorded Dance Music Program

BYOB • Price of Admission Includes Soft Drinks & Setups

Upcoming Dances

May 19 • June 16 • July 14

Forestry Auditorium at the Ag and Forestry Museum

* **Membership Drive Extended** . . . Through this month's dance on **April 14**, any member who sponsors a **NEW** member will receive a \$10 voucher which can be used for any Magnolia event. The **NEW** member signing up at a dance will receive a 15th Anniversary wine glass and free admission to the dance (or a \$10 voucher good towards any other Magnolia event).



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The Silver Anniversary Gala . . . a fundraiser to benefit the Family Support Center, will be held on Friday, May 4, at the Old Capitol Inn. A limited number of tickets --140-- to this Dinner/Dance are available. \$100 donations admit two to the Gala and include a sit-down meal. The Dinner/Ballroom Dance (music will be **PRIMARILY** ballroom, but other music will be played as well for the non-ballroom dancers) starts at 7:00, with registration and a Silent Auction at 6:00. There will be ballroom exhibitions by Jim Frechette & Valerie Miller and Robbie Greenwood & Stephanie Betts. The Family Support Center promotes the prevention of child abuse in the Jackson area. Call 601-260-3639.

"Gumbo Of Ballroom" Dance Weekend . . . This year's Louisiana DanceSport back to back competition weekend will be June 1-3 in Baton Rouge. The South Central Regional Championship is a USA Dance sanctioned all amateur competition, and the Louisiana Challenge is a pro-am/mixed proficiency competition. Information on the weekend, including registration forms, is available on the websites at www.usabdanola.org or www.gumboofballroom.org, or you may call 504-722-4800 or 985-853-0030, fax 985-853-0031, or email fliprann@aol.com.

Ballroom Boot Camp . . . Tupelo Ballroom Dance Club will have their boot camp the weekend of April 21. For more info, check out http://tupeloballroomdance.blogs.com/site/2007/03/2007_ballroom_b.html, or to register, call Betty Franks at 662-869-2380.

OTHER DANCE CLUB EVENTS

Saturday Night Ballroom in Baton Rouge presents "*Saturday Night at the Movies*" on **April 7**, featuring danceable versions of popular movie music and guest performances by Richard Stewart and Courtney Black. On **May 5**, they will have their "*Spring Fling*" dance with exhibitions by James Heath and Tammy Clark. For more information, email [snbdancer@cox.net](mailto:snb dancer@cox.net), call 225-665-5442, or check out their website at www.saturdaynightballroom.org.

Richland Community Dance Club will have a "*Fun Friday*" dance on April 13, at Richland's Community Center located off Highway 49S behind Wal-Mart. There will be a dance class at 6:30, and Roy Lunn and the Music Men will be playing for general dancing from 7:00-9:30. Refreshments will be served, and the cost is \$4 per person. For more info, call Fran Graves at 601-939-2241.

Mississippi Ballroom Dance Association in Hattiesburg will have a dance on Sunday, April 15, from 2-6 P.M. at the Jackie Dole Sherrill Community Center. The cost is \$10 per person or \$5 per person for Mississippi Ballroom members. Snacks will be provided, and the dress code is dressy casual. For more info, email Krystin Breland at kbreland80@yahoo.com.

MCWDA will have a country western dance on Saturday, April 21, from 8-11 at the Madison Square Center for the Arts in Madison. The cost is \$8 for members and \$12 for guests, and is BYOB with complimentary setups. For more info, call Sandra Plunkett at 601-613-2628 or email sksplunkett@comcast.net.

USA Dance will have a dance on Saturday, April 28, at Duo Club Dance in the Singing River Mall at Gautier, MS. The dance is from 8 til 11 pm, with snacks and exhibitions, and the cost is \$10 per person. For more info, call Dick O'Neal at 601-928-3293 (h) or 601-928-2696 (w) or visit the website at www.DanceMsCoast.com.