



Newsletter

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July 2015

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Don't miss our Quickstep Workshops
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President's Corner by Pamela Levi

President Pam is right in the middle of moving but will have an update in the August issue.



Pam Levi and DJ Dennis Romano, USO Dance

Birthdays

Virginia KeithJuly 3
Ledlie D Bell.....July 5
Kathleen M. Stringer.....July 5
John Redant.....July 6
Debbie Hanrahan.....July 7
Dennis Romano.....July 9
Pat Benzien.....July 11
Robert M Hyatt.....July 14

Special Events

Ice Cream Social Dance Party

Friday, July 3, 2015

7:30pm - Shag by Normandie Updyke

8:30pm - Dance Party

DJ: Bob Hyatt

Reception: Connie Vance

Hosts: Adele and Irv Fisher

The club will furnish the ice cream, please bring your favorite topping or pie.

Robert B Ramey.....July 14
Kathryn Cox.....July 15
Kenneth Ty Henson.....July 21
Debbie Housand.....July 22
Carol Ann Bly.....July 23
Jocelyn Aluague.....July 24
Wanda Floyd.....July 25
Ashley Jones.....July 27
Russell Barber.....July 29
Ilona Goltman.....July 30
Brett May.....July 31
Clarissa Strange.....July 31

Beginner Quickstep Workshop

Saturday, July 11; 10:00am - 12:00pm

Instructor, by David Roland

An Evening in Paris Party (All things French in honor of Bastille Day)

Saturday, July 18, 2015

7:30pm-Tango by Monica and Jamie

Emerine

8:30pm - Dance Party

DJ: Allen Vance

Reception: Steve Montague-Pollock

Hosts: Connie Vance and Carol Ann Bly

Intermediate Quickstep Workshop

Saturday, July 25; 10:00am - 12:00pm

Instructor, David Roland

Board Meeting

Sunday, July 19, Calhoun Library 2:00pm

Membership Renewal Information

All BDC memberships expire May 31 and starting July 1 all members who have not renewed will be charged the guest price for current classes and parties (\$5 more for each event). The board voted in May to not increase fees so they are still \$45 a year.

Also, starting July 1 USA Dance membership fees will be \$35 and should be paid on your anniversary date when they bill you. But, if yours is due now, we will be happy to submit that for you.

[Click here](#) to learn more about the benefits of membership.

Special Notice:

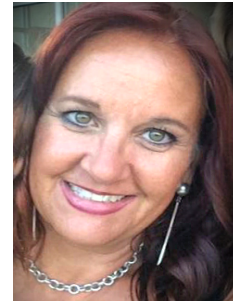
There will **not** be a dance party on Saturday, July 4, 2015. Please have a safe and happy July 4th. Enjoy your family, friends and great fireworks!

July Class and Instructor Profiles

Please [click here](#) for the complete Class and Instructor Profiles for July

Spotlight on New Members

Tamara Ballou - please welcome Tamara to BDC. Tamara's work as an analyst brought her to Charleston. She is originally from Denver, CO but has lived in many different places including Spain, Italy, Hawaii, Colorado, California, New York and Maryland. We are happy her work brought her to Charleston and our ballroom. Tamara's first dance experiences were with tap, jazz and ballet. She loves to collect art, sharks teeth and Lucite handbags. We all hope to see you dancing.



New Board Policy

The Board of Directors gratefully acknowledges the many contributions (financial, talent/time and materials), made by the membership. In order to ensure that all members' donations are acknowledged to prevent any misunderstanding, the Board of BDC has instituted the following policy:

All contributions, of any kind, will be accepted by a Board member and the member will receive a letter of appreciation from the Secretary. Members wishing to "loan" items to BDC shall make the this intention clear and will collect the item(s) being loaned at the end of the event for which it is loaned. No items on "loan" are to be stored at BDC without written documentation and this documentation will clearly state the length of time the item may be at BDC.

The needs of BDC change with time, items donated but no longer needed, will be sold and the profits used to support the needs of BDC.

Parties and Videos

Please [click here](#) to see all Parties and Videos