

NEWS UPDATE FROM BDCC

Survey

The response to the facility survey has been phenomenal! We are at such an important crossroad for our club and your input is very important to the board. Out of 125 members, 87 had completed the survey as of yesterday morning but we are still hoping for a few more.

All results will be reported and there will be a special membership meeting to discuss the findings on Sunday, May 4 at 2:00 in St. Andrews Fitness Center. If anyone has an overhead projector we could borrow, that would be great. If you do, please contact Pam at 843-276-7050. We hope you will attend!

Spring Party

A BIG thanks to Shelby, Carol Ann and Susan for a really fun and beautiful Spring/Easter Party on Saturday night. A pre-party photo is posted below but Debra took more, which will be posted on the Shutterfly site soon. Thanks to Debra for taking part of her dance time for taking pictures!

Floor at St. Andrews Fitness

As of last Thursday, the hardwood flooring material was stored in the room upstairs and half of the subfloor was down. So, things still look good for the May 3 completion deadline; we will keep our fingers crossed. This will free up the dance floor considerably for classes and practice and will also allow us to get back to our normal class hours in May. Thank you for your patience during this transition period, BDC folks are the best and evidently, very flexible.

Monday 8:30 Class

This class was cancelled for April but will restart in May with Jason and Sheela teaching West Coast Swing.

Deadline for Samba Workshop on Sunday, April 27 is Friday!

This will be a fun workshop for all needing basics of the Samba couples dance whether you are a beginner or an advanced dancer. Samba is not taught very often at our club and there are many of us stumbling around with it, to say the least.

Debbie Housand has the magical ability of making the feet understand what to do! And, a workshop is a good place to get a start on any dance because it is 2 hours long (with a break in the middle). Here again, it has more repetition than a class does.

We already have 3 people pre-registered but need at least 7 more to make it happen. Please pre-register by replying to this email or by signing the sheet at the front BDC desk.

Sunday, April 27

2:00 - 4:00 Samba Couples Workshop and Break
\$25 Members/\$35 Guests

April 21, 2014

BIG Ballroom Fitness Festival Party - Saturday May 3

Our board voted to team up with MUSC, Dance FX, and St. Andrews Fitness for a fitness festival to be held the weekend of May 2 - 4. There are lots of activities planned including Zumba, Salsa, Piloxing and more! We are listed as a "Dance IS Fitness" party. See flyer below.

Our part in the festival will include a party on Saturday, May 3 with all festival participants invited.

7:30 Ballroom Dance Basics Lesson by Debbie Housand

8:00 Mini-Showcase Performances

8:30 Dance Party with lots of door prizes, line dances, and mixers to make everyone feel welcome, comfortable, and have FUN

\$5 BDC Members, \$10 BDC Guests

Free to all St. Andrews folks

Please bring a snack to share!

We also want to make this an extra-special thank you event to all St. Andrews members and staff for being welcoming to us and getting us up and running so quickly after the fire on February 23.

Please bring a snack or dessert to share with our guests and if you or your business would like to donate a door prize for this event, please reply to this email. All door prize donations will be announced.