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### PAID ADVERTISING

Honorable Mention- National Chapter of Year 2013 & 2015!  
*National Chapter of the Year 2011*

District 9 (Florida) Chapter of the Year  
 2009 and 2011 and 2013 and 2015



### March 2017 Newsletter

### President's Message

Dear Members and Future Members,



A heartfelt thank you to USA Dance members Jan and Walt Ward who drove to our beautiful venue from Winter Haven to perform an elegant Viennese Waltz to Girl Crush and a very enjoyable, fun number to Timeless (Hairspray) for our members and guests on February 11. We appreciate you!

A special thank you to Sally Johnson who donated this beautiful Valentine table runner that she lovingly made which we used as a thank you gift to Jan and Walt Ward. Look for more of Sally's amazing crafts in our 50/50 raffle drawings in the weeks to come. We appreciate

you, Sally!



Place your ad here for:

1 month for \$20  
2 months for \$30  
6 months for \$60

Contact Marta at  
386-562-0590 for details.

**HEY, WHAT'S HAPPENING  
in FEBRUARY???**

**CLICK HERE TO VIEW CALENDAR**



**Thank you for renewing**

When you renew in 2017 you will receive  
thank you gifts, including dance lessons,  
totaling \$66.



Thank you once again to our Outreach Coordinators, Geoff and PaoChen Davis, and to those members of USA Dance who danced for the residents at the Daytona Beach Health and Rehabilitation Center on Thursday, January 12, 2017. You are awesome!



Thank you also to our Outreach Team for their visit to Emory Bennett Veterans Nursing Home on February 14, 2017. Geoff and PaoChen wish to extend a special thank you to our first time participants:

Gladys Amos  
Donna and Richard Burns  
Cristina D'Onofrio  
Joann Lilla  
Sam Lin



Why? Because we appreciate YOU!



**Follow us on Facebook**



**Remember you can review the  
Chapter Dance Lessons on  
YouTube**

Thanks to our videographer, Jean Bell, our chapter dance lessons, when approved by the instructor, are available for your viewing pleasure on YouTube from our website and are now categorized by Dance and Instructor. Click below to visit the website.

[Click here for YouTube videos](#)



**DVD Lending Library**  
**39 NEW VIDEOS!**

Current members of our chapter may borrow from our growing library of **DANCE VISION** dance DVDs. Leave a \$25 deposit, cash or check, per DVD and you may borrow one or two DVDs for one month. For check out or return, see Henry after announcements at our dances.

A complete list of available dance DVDs is included in our website at  
**Video Library.**



We appreciate all of our wonderful volunteers and loyal members of USA Dance!

Keep on dancing!

*Marka*

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## March Chapter Dances

**Saturday, March 11**

**Joe Mounts teaching Nightclub Two Step**

**Lesson from 7 - 8 p.m.**

**Dance from 8 - 10 p.m.**

Cost: \$10 for members of USA Dance; \$15 for non-members

\$5 for students of public schools or higher ed under age 25



**Saturday, March 25**

**Joe Mounts teaching Nightclub Two Step**

**Lesson from 7 - 8 p.m.**

**Dance from 8 - 10 p.m.**

**This dance will include pro dance hosts.**

Cost: \$10 for members of USA Dance; \$15 for non-members; \$5 for education students under age 25

**Note: To join our chapter, go to [greaterdaytonachapter.org](http://greaterdaytonachapter.org).**

Not a member? Be a member!

Only \$35 for a full 12 months as a social dancer and receive a return of \$226!

How? Check out Benefits of Membership at  
[greaterdaytonachapter.org](http://greaterdaytonachapter.org)



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Gold Star Ballroom  
Home of Greater Daytona Chapter



## PRACTICE NIGHT REMINDER !



**TUESDAY Night is  
Practice Night!**

**sponsored by the  
Greater Daytona Chapter at**

**Gold Star** ★

Join us! Get comfortable being  
on the dance floor!

Dancers helping dancers!

**TIME: 7 p m - 8:30 p m**

**Only \$5.**

\*membership not required



## WE WANT YOU!

If you are enjoying the world of  
Ballroom Dance,  
NOW is the time  
to show your support and  
reap the personal benefits of  
membership!

12 full months for only:

Social Dancer \$35.00

Ballroom Dancer \$45.00\*

3100 S. Ridgewood Avenue, South Daytona

Phone 386-315-4258

**Use 3090 S. Ridgewood as your GPS address.**

500 feet west of Ridgewood Avenue, off Venture Drive in the  
South Daytona Business Park

## Help Us Welcome Our New Member

Gladys Amos  
Karin Bigman  
Steve Carter  
Michael Schiraldi



### Monday Night Chapter-Sponsored Dance Lessons



Who: Members and Non-Members, singles and couples welcome, no  
partner needed



What: **Intermediate Rumba**

When: Mondays - March 6, 13, 20 and 27

Time: 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

Cost: \$10 per person per lesson or \$40 total  
when paid in full at the first lesson. Exact  
change is appreciated. Cash or check payable to  
USA Dance, no refunds. Thank you for  
understanding.



What: **Intermediate Quickstep**

When: Mondays - March 6, 13, 20 and 27

Time: 8:00 - 9:00 p.m.

Cost: \$10 per person per lesson or \$40  
total when paid in full at the first lesson.

Exact change is appreciated. Cash or check  
payable to USA Dance, no refunds. Thank you  
for understanding.

**Where: Gold Star Ballroom**

3100 S. Ridgewood Avenue, South Daytona

**Use 3090 S. Ridgewood as your GPS address.**

**Gold Star** ★

500 feet west of Ridgewood Avenue off Venture Drive;  
look for Sandy Point Progressive Sports and a sign for the South  
Daytona Business Park on the corner. Questions? Contact Marta at  
[martausadance@cfl.rr.com](mailto:martausadance@cfl.rr.com) or call 386-562-0590.



\*The extra \$10.00 goes to the Archie Hazelwood Fund to support national social dance projects.



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**We do appreciate your help!**



**Please do your part; clear your table and discard your cups and napkins in the trash receptacles as you exit the ballroom.  
Thank you.**

**It's So Easy.....**

**to support local arts organizations**

When you choose Florida's "State of the Arts" license tag for your vehicle, all of the proceeds fund visual and performing arts programs (like ours)

## All She Wants To Do Is Dance Dance!

by Tom Sanders



I entitled this month's Center Stage "All She Wants To Do Is Dance Dance" because the lyrics to that song describe the star of this article to a tee. Her name is Dolores Sanchez and she is a loyal USA Dance member who loves to dance in all USA Dance events and more.

This dedicated dancer originally hails from Los Angeles, but it was not until she moved to South Florida that she began to dance.

She thanks her friend Mona who took her from the couch to a Polish American dance where a whole new world opened up for her. She began learning ballroom via group lessons and then took it upon herself to improve her dancing skills. She frequented every ballroom within driving distance to enjoy her new found passion. In an effort to economize, she chose to learn from tapes and practiced with her household broom.



From South Florida, she relocated to Edgewater and soon found the ballroom at City Island in Daytona Beach and joined the Greater Daytona Chapter #6026 of USA Dance. Her association with USA Dance not only fulfilled her desire to dance but resulted in her growing relationships with many fine dancers and friends. She says that her favorite dances are those that some dancers shy away from. She likes to Tango, Viennese Waltz, Quickstep, and Paso Doble. However, if you are reading this and want your chance to dance with this lovely lady, don't worry, she dances all the Latin and smooth dances as well.

Dolores freely admits that she is still learning and thanks all of her teachers who add styling and grace to her movement. When I asked her what her dance forté was, she informed me she follows very well. She developed that skill from the beginning of her dancing because she was afraid she might fall down or get stepped on. Her friendships and kind nature have Dolores always ready and willing to give back. Dolores almost always brings a homemade treat to the dances she attends and you will find her at the USA Dance outreach events and supporting her dance friends in dance events.

Her friendship with Natalina Pascale last year led her to the Senior Ballroom Competition as Natalina's moral support. It was there that she became my dance partner as she substituted and competed in her first dance competition at Natalina's request.

The USA Dance family is a very special entity and Dolores epitomizes its heart and soul. Look for her at Tuesday night's practice sessions and at the single's table at the Saturday night dances. However, this popular lady may be dancing and you might just have to wait your turn.



right here in Volusia County.

### How much does it cost?

The first-time cost of a State of the Arts plate is \$32 in addition to your vehicle's normal registration fee at time of renewal.

Of that, \$20 is tax deductible. Future renewals are only \$22 each year in addition to the normal registration fee with \$20 again being tax deductible.



### March Quote of the Month

You've got to be a beginner before you can be anything else.

### To re-order:

At renewal, simply state you would like a "State of the Arts" plate and include a check for \$32 along with your renewal notice.

or ...

Visit your local tag office, turn in your current plate and receive your new "Arts Plate" on the spot for \$32. Gift certificates for State of the Arts plates are also available at your local tag office and make great gifts that also help our community.

**It's a great way to be a  
Driving Force for the Arts!**



***Our chapter programs are  
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in part by the  
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County.***

**DANCE SCHEDULE:**  
**ORLANDO USA Dance #6002**  
[www.orlando-usadance.com](http://www.orlando-usadance.com)



**Dances are held on the 2nd Saturday**  
Maitland Presbyterian Church Family Life Center

**341 N. Orlando Ave (Rte. 17-92), Maitland**

**All ages, all levels, singles & couples**

**TIME: 7:30 - 8 p.m. group lesson included in price of admission; General dancing is from 8 until 11 p.m.**

**Admission is \$8 for USA Dance Members; \$12 -non-Members**

**INFO: 407-831 3680**



### DANCE SCHEDULE:

**BLUE SPRINGS USA Dance #6086 ~ ~ ~**

Dances are held on the **first or second Sunday** at the **Chisholm Center**, 520 South Clara Avenue, Deland.

**TIME: 5:30 p.m. group lesson included in price of admission.**

**General dancing is from 6 p.m. until 8:30 p.m.**

**Admission is \$8 for USA Dance members;**

**\$12 non-members; \$3 students.**

**INFO: 386-259-4074.**

### DANCE SPREE WEEKEND

[Dance Spree Flyer](#)

SAVE THE DATE

APRIL 28 & 29

FOR THE DANCE SPREE WEEKEND

TENTATIVE Weekend Schedule of Events for

Friday, April 28

5:30 pm - Registration desk opens

6:00 pm - Group lesson with Viorel and Angela

7:00 pm - Barbecue Dinner

8:00 pm - Welcome and Introductions

8:15 pm - Chapter Parade - Team Match

9:30 pm - Jack and Jill Contest

9:45 pm - General dancing resumes until 11 pm

Saturday, April 29

Various workshops 9am - 4pm with lunch

5:00 - 7:00 pm - FREE TIME- Rest and get ready for ...

7:00 PM- Buffet Dinner

7:00 pm - Semi-Formal "BALL" Dinner Dance

8:00 pm-Exhibitions, mixers, general dancing



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