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NATIONAL CHAPTER OF THE YEAR 2017!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

1st Place Winner:

[National Membership Contest](#) October 2017

Honorable Mention– National Chapter of Year 2013 & 2015!

[National Chapter of the Year 2011](#)

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2009, 2011, 2013, 2015 and **2017!!!!!!!!!!**



April 2018 Newsletter



President's Message

Dear Members and Future Members,

Congratulations once again to **Bobby and Monica Wiech** for being selected as **Volunteers of the Year** for our chapter and for **District 9 (all of Florida)** for 2017. They go above and beyond in all they do and are richly deserving of this honor!



Below is **National Treasurer, Ruth Long**, presenting the **National Chapter of the Year 2017** plaque to our board and key volunteers during our March 10 chapter dance. Thank you, Ruth, for making the trip from North Carolina to be with us on this special night.

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HEY, WHAT'S HAPPENING in APRIL???

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When you renew in 2018,
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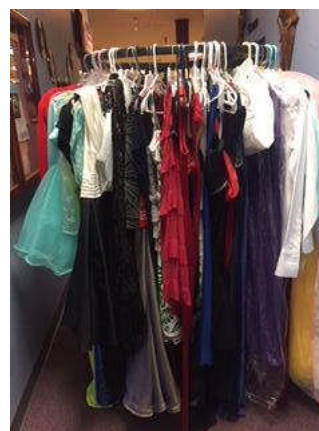


Board members and key volunteers pictured from left to right:
Ellie Bailey, Bobby Wiech, Fred Haines, Monica Wiech, Robin Robinson,
Mignon Sexton, Ruth Long, Marta Pascale Haines, Henry Eure,
Jean Krupa, Carol Edwards, and Bill Poole.

Board members and key volunteers not pictured: Clarence Pan, Geoff Davis,
PaoChen Davis, Tom Sanders, Caleb Young and Jean Bell.

**Please see Center Stage below regarding what it takes to be selected as
National Chapter of the Year.**

Thank you to **all**, including the **Orlando Chapter**, who donated prom dresses,
shoes and accessories for needy girls in Palatka. Our donations will help to
replenish stock lost as the result of their "store" being flooded.



Our Chapter will celebrate our **25th Anniversary** this September. Our board has
decided, for various reasons, to celebrate this momentous occasion on Saturday,
December 1. Please **SAVE THE DATE**; you won't want to miss this fun-filled
and action-packed night of dancing and performances. **Melanie
Sandvig** (Orlando), independent dance instructor/coach, decorated pro competitor,
and amazing performer is scheduled to **teach a Paso Doble lesson** followed by
three performances, to include Paso Doble, throughout the evening. Melanie is a
delightful lady who dances EVERY dance with passion and unbridled enthusiasm.
You won't want to miss this special evening! And, if you need a reference
regarding her dancing, Bobby and Monica Wiech have seen her dance
competitively many times. :) In the meantime...

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](#)

See us on
You Tube

DVD Lending Library More than 100 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.](#)



PRACTICE NIGHT REMINDER !



**TUESDAY Night is
Practice Night!**
sponsored by the
Greater Daytona Chapter

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

Keep on dancing!

Marla



Outreach Events

Coordinators, Geoff & PaoChen Davis

My wife, PaoChen, and I serve as the Outreach Coordinators for the Greater Daytona Chapter #6026. As such, we organize visits to nursing homes, rehabilitation centers, assisted and independent living facilities, and other venues several times each year. You might ask yourself: "What happens at an OUTREACH EVENT?"

For those venues with mostly older persons as our audience, the event normally consists of about one hour of playing music and dancing for the residents. We solicit volunteers, who must be members of USA Dance, any chapter, to join us at the event and normally 10-18 members attend.

The music includes all types of ballroom dance music, both Latin and smooth. We sometimes throw in a line dance and/or a "mini-mixer."

Volunteers need not be proficient dancers; beginners are always welcome. If volunteers are not familiar with a particular dance or just want to "sit one out," we encourage them to hold the hands of the residents and sway with the music. Many of the residents get very little physical contact and the OUTREACH EVENT is a highlight for their day or even their week.

Our next Outreach event is scheduled for Wednesday, April 11, at 2:00 PM at Daytona Beach Health and Rehabilitation Center. For additional information or if you would like to be on our mailing list for future events, please send an E-MAIL to either of us or give us a call. We always welcome more members for our OUTREACH VOLUNTEER TEAM.

See you on the dance floor soon. Best regards,

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Thank you to our amazing Outreach Team for visiting Emory Bennett Veterans Nursing Home on February 22, 2018. We sincerely appreciate each and every one of you. :)



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



April Chapter Dances

Saturday, April 14



TBD teaching Hustle
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, April 28

No lesson due to the Dance Spree (see info below)
Dance from 8- 10 p.m.

Cost: \$15 for members of USA Dance; \$20 for non-members;

Note: To join our chapter, go to greaterdaytonachapter.org.

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April 27-28

Full weekend price \$149 -

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FLYER

(Meals/workshops and 2 evening dances included in full wknd price)

ALA CARTE PRICES:

Friday night Dinner/Dance- \$30.

Dance only- \$15.

Saturday only \$129.(inc all below)(Pick up flyer at Gold Star-exclusive for Daytona Chapter members)

Ala Carte Workshops \$15 each, 3 or more

@ \$12 each;

Lunch @\$15.

Dinner / Dance only - \$40 ~ Dance Only - \$15

Friday evening and all day Saturday -APRIL 27 & 28

Weekend Schedule of Events:

Friday, April 27

5:00 pm - Registration desk opens

6:00 pm - Group lesson with Tom Sanders- Salsa

7:00 pm - Mexican Buffet

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 28 - Workshops - ALL LEVELS!

9:00 am: Foxtrot - Angela / Quickstep -Viorel

10:00 pm: Tango - Angela / Foxtrot -Viorel

11:00 pm:-Waltz-Angela / Viennese Waltz -Viorel

12 Lunch - Sandwiches from Arby's

1:00 pm: Night Club 2-Joe / Bossa Nova-Bonnie

2:00 pm: West Coast- Joe / EC Swing - Caleb

3:00 pm: Bachata -Joe / Cha Cha - Caleb

7:00 pm: Semi-Formal Dinner Dance -(Prime Rib & Salmon)

8:00 - 11:00 pm: Welcome and Mixer-

Theme "Fun Time Fiesta"

Dance, Exhibitions + Dance Mixers, Lady's Choice ...

8:25 pm - First Exhibition ... General dancing resumes until 11 pm with exhibitions interspersed throughout the evening

We would love to have our members join us for this fun weekend event.



Ease on over to the Dance Spree

Monday Night Chapter-Sponsored Dance Lessons



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



What: **Beginning Cha Cha**

When: Mondays - April 2, 9, 16, and 23

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

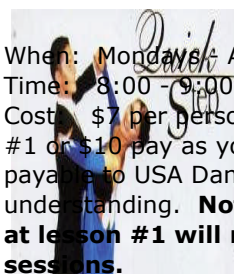
Cost: \$7 per person per lesson when paying for all 4 lessons at lesson #1 or \$10 pay as you go. Exact change is appreciated. Cash or check payable to USA Dance, no refunds. Thank you for understanding. **Note: Those who pay for**

all 4 beginning lessons at lesson #1 will receive free entry to Tuesday night practice sessions.

VOLUNTEERS MAKE A DIFFERENCE.

Friends, remember we are an all volunteer organization and we welcome your help to set up and clean up after the dances . . .

Thanking you in advance for bringing something to share... we always welcome the great treats brought by our members!



What: **Beginning Quickstep**

When: Mondays - April 2, 9, 16, and 23

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

Cost: \$7 per person per lesson when paying for all 4 lessons at lesson #1 or \$10 pay as you go. Exact change is appreciated. Cash or check payable to USA Dance, no refunds. Thank you for understanding. **Note: Those who pay for all 4 beginning lessons at lesson #1 will receive free entry to Tuesday night practice sessions.**



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