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Honorable Mention

for National Chapter of the Year 2013!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

National Chapter of the Year 2011

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

Questions???

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**Greater Daytona Chapter
USA Dance #6026
April 2014**

HAPPY FEET

President's Message

Dear Members and Future Members,

HEY, WHAT'S
HAPPENING
in APRIL???

[CLICK HERE TO
VIEW CALENDAR](#)



Thank you for renewing

When you renew in
2014, you will receive
thank you gifts,
including dance lessons,
totaling \$88.
Why? Because we
appreciate YOU!



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Congratulations to the Greater Memphis Chapter who was recognized at the recent National Chapter Conference in Orange County, California, as National Chapter of the Year 2013. And, congratulations to our chapter for receiving Honorable Mention for National Chapter of the Year 2013!

Thank you to our Outreach Coordinators, Geoff and PaoChen Davis, for their successful efforts and to all those listed below for participating in our recent Outreach events. We appreciate you!

Port Orange Family Days

Geoff and PaoChen Davis
Valerie Green
Tom and Jo Sanders
Bob Sheridan
Elaine Buri
Henry Eure
Suzanne Merhige
Stephanie and Rob Kretschmar

Coquina Rehabilitation Center

Geoff and PaoChen Davis
Tess Sparhawk and Jeff Phelps
Woody Lucas
John Lynch
Vicki and Joe Fabulich
Bette Preacher
Dottie Kuhns
Debbie Converse
Tom Sanders
Jean Bell and Rich McGreevey

Carlton Shores Rehabilitation Center

Geoff and PaoChen Davis
Natalina Pascale
Nancy Perkins and John Holleman
Tom and Jo Sanders
Dottie Kuhns
Henry Eure
Hildegard Benedick
Jean Bell and Rich McGreevey
Vicki and Joe Fabulich
Debbie Converse
Suzanne Merhige
Ben Taylor
John Lynch

Dave Bennett Sextet

Tom and Jo Sanders
Carol Edwards and Bill Poole
Donna and Tony Keller
Geoff and PaoChen Davis

National Social Vice President, Jean Krupa, and I will be in Philadelphia during our



**Remember to
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. Visit the new and improved website.

[Click here for
YouTube videos](#)

See us on
You 

**DVD Lending
Library**

Current members of
our chapter may
borrow from our

April 12 dance attending the annual General Council meeting of National USA Dance I am pleased to share with you that no expense will be incurred by our chapter for our attendance at this important annual meeting.

This is an election year for our chapter. Our elections will be held in November or December. However, it is not too early to be thinking about serving on the board.

The purpose of elections is to allow chapter members the opportunity to volunteer to serve as Board Members and to allow the members to select their chapter's leadership at least every two years.

Per by-laws, the chapter shall be managed by a Board of Directors of not less than seven (7) and not more than nine (9) Voting Members of both USA Dance and the chapter consisting of at least a President, Vice President, Secretary and Treasurer and three (3) to five (5) Directors-at-Large. The Board of Directors shall elect the Chapter's officers.

The by-laws have changed in recent years. Currently, the members elect 7 - 9 Directors. The members **do not elect** the president, vice president, secretary or treasurer. Once the 7 - 9 Directors are elected, they elect the officers (president, vice president, secretary and treasurer). This is an important distinction from the by-laws of a few years ago.

Positions such as Newsletter Editor, Webmaster, Membership Chairman, etc. are not board positions. They could be attached to a board position or could be appointed by the board. But they are not board positions.

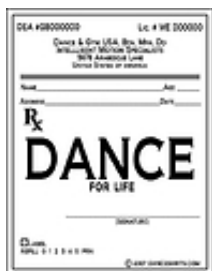
You will receive more information regarding elections in the next few months. However, it is not too early to start thinking about running for the board directors of our chapter.

growing library of 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 !



**Wednesday
Night is
PRACTICE
NIGHT**
**sponsored by the
Greater Daytona
Chapter.**

**Join Us at
Gold Star
Ballroom**

3100 S. Ridgewood Ave.
South Daytona, FL



At the National Chapter Conference in Irvine, CA
Newly Elected USA Dance National Officers

From L- R: Shawn Fisher, Senior Vice President; Greg Warner, Corporate Secretary; Jean Krupa, Social Dance Vice President; Yang (pronounced young) Chen, National President; Marta Pascale, Greater Daytona Chapter President; Michael Brocks, Corporate Treasurer

Keep on dancing!

Marla

Dance Instructors for April

April 12

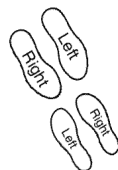
Quickstep Basic

Step Number: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8

Musical Count: 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 &
S - Q Q S - S - Q Q S -

Line of Dance →

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READY?

Viorel Ionita teaching Quickstep from 7 - 8 p.m.

Dance from 8 - 10:00 p.m.

This dance will NOT include our "Dance With a Pro" host program.

Cost

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

\$5 for students of public schools or higher

education under age 25

Not a member? Be a member!

Come join us!
Members helping
members!

7:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m.

\$6 members of

USA Dance

\$8 non-members of

USA Dance

Don't practice until you
get it right. Practice until
you can't get it wrong.



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

Social Dancer \$25.00
Ballroom Dancer \$35.00

Click here to
Join Now!

**Only \$25 for a full 12 months as a social dancer and
receive a return of \$283!**

**How? Check out Benefits of Membership at
greaterdaytonachapter.org**

April 26

Viorel Ionita teaching Quickstep from 7 - 8 p.m.

Dance from 8 - 10 p.m.

**We WILL have a "pro host" program
at this dance.**

**\$3 per dance in addition to door entry
fees. Sales begin at 6:30 p.m. and end
at 8:30 p.m.**



Cost

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\$15 for non-members

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**Both at Gold Star Ballroom
Home of Greater Daytona Chapter**
3100 S. Ridgewood Avenue, South Daytona
500 feet west of Ridgewood off Venture Drive
at the South Daytona Business Park

Be sure to welcome our new members!

Janice and Carl Abdalian
Jennifer and Lance Krupa
Ann Burnham
Felix Solis
Annie Hawkins
Greg Strickland
James and Rosaura Acampara
Naomi Hardy
Stephanie Salas





French E. Johnson
Cynthia McDonald
Jack Hazen

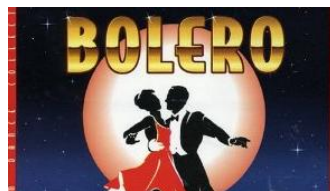
The extra \$10.00 goes to the Archie Hazelwood Fund to support national chapter projects.



Our chapter programs are sponsored in part by the Cultural Council of Volusia County.

Greater Daytona Chapter-Sponsored Dance Lessons

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



What: ***Beginning Bolero**

It is not often that Bolero is offered as a beginning lesson, especially at only \$6 per person per lesson. Don't miss this very affordable opportunity to learn this beautiful, romantic, slow, Latin dance.

When: **Tuesdays - April 1, 8, 15, 22**

Time: **6:30 - 7:15 pm**

Cost: \$6 per person per lesson;
\$24 total paid at first lesson please, exact change is appreciated.
Cash or check payable to USA Dance

What: **Intermediate East Coast Swing (part 2)**

We will be adding more steps to this fun, versatile dance. :)

When: **Tuesdays - April 1, 8, 15, 22**

Time: **7:30 - 8:15 pm**

Cost: \$10 per person per lesson
\$40 total paid at the first lesson please, exact change is appreciated.

Cash or check payable to USA Dance



***Gold Star Ballroom is partnering with USA Dance Chapter #6026 by offering free admission to Wednesday Night Practice to the students of Beginning Bolero for the month of April, when paying for all 4 lessons at lesson #1. Thank you, Gold Star Ballroom!**

Where: Gold Star Ballroom

3100 S. Ridgewood Avenue, South Daytona
500 feet west of S. Ridgewood from Venture Drive;
look for Sandy Point and a sign for the South Daytona Business Park on the corner; use 3090 S. Ridgewood as your GPS address.
Questions?



Contact Marta at martausadance@cfl.rr.com or
386-562-0590.

CENTER STAGE

Check back next month.

Dance Quote of the Month



Dance is therapy.
I would rather pay for
dance lessons than doctors' bills.

DANCE SCHEDULE FOR ORLANDO USA Dance #6002 www.orlando-usadance.com

Third Friday at Bahia Shrine Ballroom
2300 Pembroke Drive, Orlando
All ages, all levels, singles & couples
7:30 - 8 p.m. group lesson included in price of admission;
8 - 11 p.m. General Ballroom Dancing
Regular admission is \$6 for USA Dance Members
\$10 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 beginning April 7. Admission is \$6
members; \$10 non-members; \$3 students. The dance begins at 5:30
p.m. with a 30-minute dance lesson included in the price of

admission. General dancing is from 6 p.m. until 8:30 p.m. For information, call 386-259-4074.



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