

OCTOBER 1, 2016 USA Dance Chapter 6059 NEWSLETTER

BALLROOM DANCING www.usad6059.org



HAPPY HALLOWEEN TO ALL CHAPTER 6059'S MEMBERS

***October 8, Saturday 2016 at Howard Community Club, 5645 Forsyth Rd, Macon, Ga. " Halloween Monster Mash" Costumes encouraged/optional, prizes for the best costume. Man, Woman and Couple. 7:30 Bachata lesson by Debra Leathers. Social dancing 8:15 to 10:30 p.m. \$8 members, \$12 non members, \$5 students with ID. Snacks and water provided, soft drinks for \$1 donation. Music by Chester Gibbs, DJ.

***November FRIDAY 11, 2016 NOTICE A CHANGE FOR THIS MONTH We will be dancing on FRIDAY NIGHT at the Howard Community Club, 5645 Forsyth Rd. Macon , Ga. Lesson to be determined starts at 7:30, Social dancing 8:15 to 10:30 p.m. \$8 members, \$12 non members, \$5 students with ID. Snacks and water provided, soft drinks for a donation. Line dances, foxtrot mixers offered. Music by Chester Gibbs, DJ.

***December Saturday 10, 2016 Christmas Jingle Bell Dance at Howard Community Club. 5645 Forsyth Rd. Macon, Ga. FREE TO MEMBERS. \$12 for non members \$5

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Students with ID. This the chapters appreciation to members dance. Starting time 7:30 to 10:30 p.m. No Lesson, Mixers and Line dancing. Dressy Attire suggested. Everyone is asked to please bring a covered dish to share for the table. Water provided, soft drinks for \$1 donation. Music by Chester Gibbs. DJ.

*****ALL DANCES ARE SMOKE AND ALCOHOL FREE*****

SOCIAL DANCE TEACHERS for the Chapter are as follows. Paula East, paulaeastdance@yahoo.com-- Dianne Kent, dkdancelessons@gmail.com , Jim Riley, jdriley.jim@gmail.com Carl Candiano, unvcandy@yahoo.com. Debra Leathers, djsmckea@gmail.com Contact them for dance classes or private lessons, they will be happy to hear from you. They are also listed on the website. www.usad6059.org

Please continue to check the table in the foyer at the Howard Community Club. Fliers and area events and current Chapter Newsletter, and info that may be of interest to you. National provides the licensing for the music we use at our dances.

The Chapter website is a tool to be used by those searching for a home chapter and for those looking for dance instruction, or date of our monthly dance, whatever you are looking for under the name of dance this is the place to search. It is constantly being up dated by bikus.agnes@cox.net. joeypamag@cox.net You can check out your chapter officers also, and please feel free to contact any of the members that serve for you on the board.

Presidents Message: We thank all that entertained at the September 19th Chapter Dance and to the instructors and the students. Very impressive and to Ed Clark and Mary Mattman for showcasing their routine that won them the Mirror Ball Trophy for Best Dance by the judges.

The Officers are: Joanne Maguire, President, Agnes Bikus, Vice President/Treasurer, David Leathers, Secretary, Members at large are Bob Morgan, Carl Candiano and Dianne Wilhelm. We have two volunteers to add to the board, officially at our October Board Meeting. They are Chester Gibbs and Laura Thomason. We thank them for volunteering. We have a Social Dance Coordinator - Dianne Kent and Paula East assists, plans the free lessons to the members. Everyone helps when called upon to assist when necessary. We are always open for volunteers to help on any of the current committees. We need one more volunteer to bring our board members to the required number Nine, that National suggests to help spread the work load . What committee would you like to help with? Be a volunteer. www.usad6059.org

Membership. Please be responsible for keeping your membership current and all personal information up to date, like your address, email address or any name changes. National uses emails to communicate with this process, to remind you when your dues are ready to renew. You can also print 'out your own membership card. If you fail to

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renew on a timely basis your name is dropped from the National membership roster the day of expiration and you would be required to pay non member fees \$12 to attend the dances.

The Dance Chapter is what you contribute to it and you can help make it better. Thank you for your continuing support both financially and attendance. We serve on your chapter Board for all the membership as volunteers and it is nice to see our time and service is well spent when the member attend dances, free lessons, and show their appreciation for what we are all so passionate about and that is dancing and learning more. We could not do any of this without support from the chapter members. Thank you. It is every member's job to help promote ballroom dancing in the community.

Please try to arrive at 7:15. You need time to sign in, pay, and put on your dance shoes and be ready for the complimentary dance lesson at 7:30, this is included in your price of admission and we pay the instructors to provide you with this gift from the chapter. We need to start on time and we do not repeat what you may miss by being late. It is not fair to the instructor as they plan these lessons for your pleasure, and enjoyment. It is also not fair for those that choose to forego the lesson but just want to dance but we need to be considerate of all members and try and stay on time schedule.

Help spread the word that ballroom dancing is alive and well in the Middle Georgia area and surrounding community, sometimes word of mouth is the best means of getting the message out to the public, you are part of a great organization, brag about us. Check us out in the Macon Telegraph on Fridays in Out and About, and also in the Macon Dance Calendar.com. our dances are listed there with dates and times, and on our Chapter website. www.usad6059.org.

Until next month, Joanne Maguire, President joeypamag@cox.net

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organization. Known as the Greater Macon Chapter chapter continues its commitment and mission in line improve the quality and the quantity of ballroom Dance Inc. is the National Governing Body for Dance 175 chapters throughout the country is also the social and recreational ballroom and Latin dancers in who have **one thing in common - the love of dance!**
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