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NEWS FROM HEARTLAND BALLROOM DANCERS, CHAPTER #2022 OF USA DANCE INC

From the Heart (President's & VP Message)

By Larry Gogel & Anna Kovalyova

Greetings, Dancers! As a reminder, starting with February, our monthly dance parties are going to be held at Riolo.

We are very lucky that our February dance party is coinciding with the actual **Valentine Day!** Bring your significant other and come celebrate this enchanting holiday with us! We encourage everyone to wear red in celebration of Valentine's Day. The Chapter will provide a cake and snacks; and Ron Wright is generously donating silk flowers for all the ladies who attend. Thank you, Ron!

Our dance lesson for the month of February will be **American Waltz**. It will be taught by professional dance instructors Scott and Yulia Shook, who have prepared a romantic routine for us.

We also have special exhibitions planned for you, including the **performance by** our very own **Rog and Amy Greenawalt!** We have secured great prizes for the **February raffle: 3 Gift Certificates to Aurelia Dance Studio.** Each certificate is worth \$120 and entitles the winner to **2 (!) 30-minute complimentary private lessons** with Aurelia instructors. We are very grateful to Gert Roslender for donating the dance certificates to us. If you were thinking of starting private lessons but were not sure if this is the right thing for you, this is your chance to find out. Remember, the more raffle tickets you buy, the better your chances of winning \odot

Everyone who attends our February dance party will also be entered in a FREE raffle for a chance to win a box of chocolate. We are looking forward to seeing all of you on February 14 at Riolo!

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On a separate note, the Chapter is contemplating on launching a kids-oriented dance program. There are several options we are considering. One option is to offer dance classes in several local schools. Such a program would require securing volunteer instructors who are able to teach after school hours. Such a program could ultimately lead to us helping kids get ready for ballroom competitions. Another option is to offer dance lessons to home-school kids. If you know home-school parents, please help us get in touch with

them. The third option would be to offer ballroom classes within an already-established kids program. In any of these options, we would want the kids to demonstrate their newly acquired skills in a showcase, and to join our adult dancers in community exhibitions. If you are interested in working with the kids or if you have any other ideas on how to introduce more children to the beautiful world of ballroom dancing, please let us know.

The Fort Wayne Chapter has had a ballroom dance program for home-schooled kids for about 10 years. Several Fort Wayne home-school kids became dance instructors as a result.



Valentine Dance

Saturday, February 14

7:30 pm – Lesson – American Waltz Instructor: Scott & Yulia Shook

Dance: 8:30 - 11:00 p.m.

Cost: \$8 Members or \$12 non-members \$4 students or \$6 non-mbr students

DJ: Rog Greenawalt

Location: Riolo Studio, 502 N Capitol 2nd Flr For more information, call 849-6373 or 759-0171

Open Monthly Dance

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January Workshop & Dance Report

by Larry & Anna

The Heartland workshop organizers would like to thank all the workshop attendees for their participation. We had a great turnout. This was our third annual workshop, and we were once again sold out!! We posted the video summaries of the workshop on our website: http://www.indyusadance.org/videos/ Check them out!

Special thanks go to our instructors, John Berry and Rauno Ilo, who did an outstanding job of breaking down complex technical aspects into an easy to understand form.

We also thank all our volunteers Anna K, Roger, Nancy, Efim, Larry, John and Gordon for helping us run both the workshop and the party smoothly.

We would love to hear from all of our workshop participants. Please send us your feedback on what went well, what needs improving, and what topics you'd like to see offered next year.

During the January raffle, we had two special prizes —one Gift certificate from IndyTango for a **complimentary 6-week group Argentine Tango class**, generously donated by Marie Roach; and another Gift certificate for a **complimentary private lesson with a Starlite** instructor of the winner's choice graciously donated by Rauno and Kristiina Ilo. The Argentine Tango gift certificate was won by **Ben Davis** and the Starlite complimentary private lesson was won by **Yana Solilova**. Congratulations, winners!

2015 Dance Schedule

Dances will be the 2nd Saturday of each month at Riolo Studio.

January 17 (at Starlite) Winter Dance Valentine Dance February 14 March 14 St. Patrick's Dance April 11 **Spring Dance** May 9 Mother's Day/500 Dance June 13 Father's Day Dance July 11 Independence Day Dance Summer Dance August 8 Sept. 12 September Dance October 10 Fall/Halloween Dance Thanksgiving Dance November 14 December 12 Christmas Pitch-in Dinner/Dance

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The Next Board Meeting is <u>Saturday</u>, <u>Feb. 21</u>, <u>2015</u> at 6 pm at Riolo. Call Larry for more information.

2014 Committee Chairs

Bylaws & Policies	Nancy Dew
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National Ballroom Dance Week	Anna Kovalyova & ???
Newsletter	Nancy Dew
Nominations	Need Volunteer Now
Penrod	Marvin Bechtel & Helen Wright
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Facebook	Efim Kolesnikov/Ron Wright
Workshops/Special Events	Anna Kovalyova
Youth Outreach	Larry Gogel/Anna Kovalyova

Your chapter needs your help! We need chairmen in several areas. Remember a chairman coordinates the activity but does not necessarily perform all the duties! If you would like to work on any of these committees, please call Larry at (317) 759-0171.

We can always use volunteers at the dances. If you are interested in performing for our chapter dances or have an instructor suggestion, please email Anna K. Want to earn Free Admission? If you work the door or do the food set-up, your admission is free.

Member News

Please notify the editor of member events, accomplishments and/or special recognition. We can't print information if we don't know about it! We don't want to overlook anyone!

As of 2/5/15, Heartland Chapter had 87 members; 0 new & 9 delinquent. All competitor memberships (adult and collegiate) expire at year end.

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THE CHAPTER DOES NOT GET TO KEEP any of your dues money—it all goes to Central Office. We operate based on what we make on dances, competitions, etc. and advertising funds our newsletter. This is different from <u>all the other local dance clubs</u>. We are classified a 501-3(c) non-profit organization.

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Competitor's Corner

To share your results email Rog Greenawalt at bolerogreen@juno.com.

Area/Region News

Fort Wayne, IN – The web site for Fort Wayne is www.fwdancesport.org.

Indiana Lakeshore Chapter – has disbanned.

Chicagoland Chapter dances are held the 3rd Saturday of the month. For information call (847) 426-7978.

Cincinnati Chapter dances are at Greek Orthodox Church, 7000 Winton Rd, Cincy on the 3rd Saturday. Call (513) 769-3088 for information or check www.dancecincinnati.org.

Dayton Area Ballroom Clubs generally meet the 1st, 2nd, and 4th Saturdays. For information on 76 Club, call 937-833-4301; Dance-Tonians call 937-675-2910; and Swing 'N' Sway call 937-667-1420.

Louisville KY Chapter dances are **last Saturday** of each month at St. Andrews Episcopal Church, 2233 Woodbourne Avenue, Louisville, KY 40205. Call 502-451- 6433 for info. Web site: www.usadancelouisville.org

Bluegrass KY Chapter – (859) 223-2047.

Lexington KY Dance Club – (859) 257-1947.

St. Louis Ballroom Dancers have a busy schedule of dances. For information, call 314-382-8297.

South Bend Chapter usually meets on 3rd Sunday each month at BK Club, Corner of West & 9th in Mishawaka, IN. For information call 574-289-1093.

Member Classifieds

Heartland Ballroom Dancers does not endorse any particular studio or instructor but recognizes that good instruction is available from a variety of people throughout Central Indiana.

E-mail of personal information for members and non-members is confidential and for the exclusive use of USA Dance officials and designees and may not be shared, sold, or rented without the prior approval of the USA Dance Governing Council.

Newsletter Deadline

The *Heart and Sole* submission deadline is the <u>20th of the month</u>. Call Nancy at 317-849-6373 to be included

Please keep your addresses up-to-date. It is very important that you keep your e-mail address up-to-date with your chapter Newsletter Editor and Membership Chairman. Send changes to the editor who will forward them to National Membership or send yourself. Don't forget to let us both know.

Web Sites of Interest

USA Dance National: usadance.org

USA Dance Heartland Chapter: indyusadance.org

andersonparamount.org

ballareballroom.com

ballroomdancers.com

ballroomdancedayton.org - Dayton Ballroom Dance

brickyardboogiedancers.org

continentaldanceclub-indy.com

danceCincinnati.org - USA Dance Cincinnati Chapter

dancerdesigns.net/designs.html

dancescape.com

danceshoesofatlanta.com

DanceShoesOnline.com

dancesportexchange.com

dancesportbycapezio.com

danceterrehaute.com

dancevision.com

dancingart.com

dancingdates.com/hoosierdancecalendar.htm

dcdancenet.com

donandjean.com

fredastairesouthindy.com

fwdancesport.org - USA Dance Fort Wayne Chapter

indiana.edu/~dance

intosalsa.com

indyarthurmurray.com

indyballroom.com

indydancers.com

indyswing.org

ledanseballroom.com

melodiecarr.com - Dance Lessons in Muncie

purdueballroom.org

riolodance.com

starlitedanceindy.com

tangoindy.com

<u>usadancesb.tripod.com</u> – USA Dance South Bend

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<u>usadancechicago.org</u> – USA Dance Chicagoland Chapter



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A demo during the Heartland workshop, January 2015



Breaking Member NEWS – Rog & Amy Greenawalt are the new Continental Club Ambassadors (formerly called King & Queen)





DANCE STUDIO

3198 St Rd 32 Westfield, IN 46074

www.aureliadancestudio.com Tel: 317-496-5254

Heartland Ballroom Dancers' March Dance Saturday, March 14, 2015



8:30 PM – 11:00 PM at Riolo Dance 502 N. Capitol Ave.



Rumba Lesson
With Olga Cansino
at 7:30 PM

Dancers of all ages and skill levels welcome. Refreshments provided.



USA Dance Members: \$8 (Student: \$4) Non-members: \$12 (Student: \$6)

For more information:

call: 317-759-0171 email: lgogel@gmail.com website: www.indyusadance.org



JOIN US FOR FRIDAY NIGHT OPEN DANCES

Every Friday night: \$10/person 7:30-8:30 Group Lesson 8:30-10:30 Open Dance

We offer group lessons almost every night of the week. There's something for everyone! We invite you to come check it out.

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USA Dance 2/14 7:30 - 11:00



www.riolodance.com

317-490- 6739 Check out our Full Calendar on Web Site 502 N. Capitol Avenue (2nd Floor) Continental Club Dance
Schedule for February/March
Dance Lesson 5:45 - 6:45 pm
Dancing 7:15 - 10:00 pm
DANCE Lesson – Cha Cha
LARGE BALLROOM
BEGINNER LESSON: 5:45-6:45 pm
Beginner Lesson - Rumba
SMALL BALLROOM

FEBRUARY

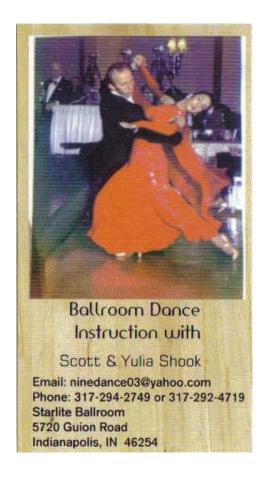
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February 8 Dave Lowe
February 15 Blue Notes
February 22 Rod Hodnett

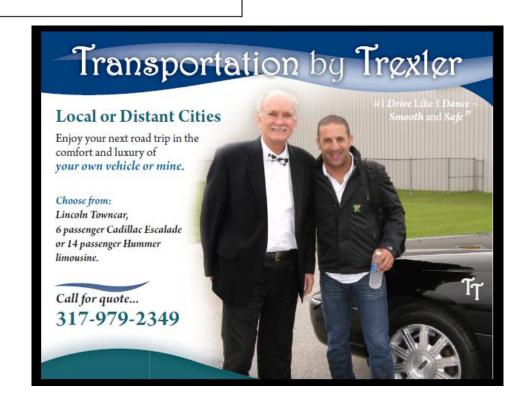
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March 8 Dave Lowe
March 15 Blue Notes
March 22 Sundown
March 29 Rod Hodnett

March Lesson - TBA

Continental Dance Club





BOOGIE BEAT

A Listing of Places to Dance in Central Indiana. Call to see if the events listed are being held before going.

Tuesdays:

Tango Indy meets every week at <u>Riolo Dance</u> for Argentine Tango lessons and practica – See <u>www.tangoindy.com</u> for details. *Indy Dancers* meet at various locations. Call Dance Line 767-5665 for information.

Wednesdays

IS Dances (formerly Indianapolis Senior Center Dances) - Riolo Dance Studio, 2nd Floor (w/elevator): Wednesdays-Group Lesson 11 AM, Dance 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM; Fridays, Group Lesson 5:00 PM, Dance Party 6:15 PM-8:15 PM. www.MonicaLung.com (317) 590-2655

Thursdays

Tango Indy meets every week at <u>Riolo Dance</u> for Argentine Tango lessons and practica – See <u>www.tangoindy.com</u> for details.

<u>Fridays:</u> (selected dates unless noted–see web sites for exact dates)

Dean & Company @Academy of Dance Arts (121st & Cumberland) 8-10 pm. See ADAdancers.com

Fred Astaire Indy North, 820 E. 116th & Guilford 317-207-9191: Open dance 9-11 pm \$10; drinks & snacks free.

Starlite Ballroom, 5720 Guion Rd., Open Dance 7:30-10pm, \$10/person including lesson & snacks. Info call 299-4740

Ballare Ballroom, 111 Medical Drive, Carmel 46032, 7:30-10:30pm, \$10 incl lesson & snacks, 317-698-8535

Aurelia Dance Studio (Roslender), 3198 E. State Road 32, Westfield, IN 46074.Website: http://www.aureliadancestudio.com/
- tel. 317-496-5254 Open dances on selected Friday nights. Call for schedule.

Any Swing Goes dances will be on selected Friday nights; Contact Charlotte Heiney at 317-445-5224 for more info IS Dances (formerly Indianapolis Senior Center Dances) - Riolo Dance Studio, 2nd Floor (w/elevator): Fridays - Lesson 5:00 PM, Dance 6:15 PM - 8:15 PM www.MonicaLung.com (317) 590-2655

Brickyard Boogie Dancers meet at Riolo & Starlite; check their web site for details. DJ Ron Fentz, \$7 members with card and \$12 non-members and members without card. Lessons each week at 6pm; dancing from 7-10 pm.

Saturdays: (selected dates – see web sites for details)

<u>Riolo Dance Studio</u> --502 N. Capitol (second floor) for more info, call 317-490-6739 or check <u>www.riolodance.com</u> *E.O,M Dance* – Starlite Ballroom, Cancelled until further notice.

Sundays:

<u>Continental Dance Club</u> weekly dance at Starlite Ballroom. Lesson 5:45-6:45 pm; Dance 7:15-10 pm. Info: call 767-4040. <u>Indy Swing Dance Club</u> meets twice a month at Madam Walker Theater. For more info, call 691-1239 or check <u>indyswing.org</u> <u>Indiana Rebels Swing Dance Club</u> at Riolo Dance. from 5:00-9:00 pm on selected dates. See web site.

Feb, 2015

| Saturday, Feb. 14 | Heartland Valentine Dance at Riolo Dance Studio., |
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| Saturday, Feb. 14 | Fort Wayne Dancesport Dance at IPFW's Walb Memorial Ballroom. 7-11:00 pm. Call 260-485-6226 |
| Saturday, Feb. 21 | <u>Indy Dancers</u> February Dance call Dance Line 767-5665 for information |
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| March, 2015
Saturday, Mar. 10 | Fort Wayne Dancesport Dance at IPFW's Walb Memorial Ballroom, 7-11:00 pm, Call 260-485-6226 |

Saturday, Mar. 14 Heartland St. Patrick's Dance at Riolo Dance Studio (see flyer)

Indy Dancers at Anniversary Dance at Serendipity in Plainfield call Dance Line 767-5665 for information

Dancers are reminded of Dress Code

Please remember that appropriate dress for our chapter dances includes: slacks/skirts, nice shirts/blouses, dresses and dance shoes. Please do not dance in jeans, shorts, or bare feet. On occasion we modify the dress code for special theme dances but when we do so, we will announce it in our newsletter and on the web site.

February 14 – Valentine Dance

7:30 pm – Lesson – American Waltz Instructor: Scott & Yulia Shook

Dance: 8:30 - 11 pm Exhibition: Greenawalt's

Cost: \$8 members; \$4 member students; \$12 non-mbers; \$6 non-mbr students

DJ: Rog Greenawalt

Location: Riolo Studio, 502 N. Capitol Ave, 2nd FI For more information, call 849-6373 or 759-0171

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March 14 - St. Patrick's Dance

7:30 pm – Lesson – Rumba Instructor: Olga Cansino

Exhibition: TBA

Cost: \$8 members; \$4 member students; \$12 non-mbers; \$6 non-mbr students

DJ: Rog Greenawalt

Location: Riolo Studio, 502 N. Capitol Ave, 2nd FI For more information, call 849-6373 or 759-0171

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