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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!

May is the Mother's Day and Indy 500 dance. We are looking forward to another exciting party!

Our May instructors will be **Ed Godby-Schwab and Diana Miller** who will teach a lesson of **American Foxtrot**.

During the party, we will have several exciting dance exhibitions, including our guest performers from Zionsville's **Village Dance** Studio.

For our paid raffle, we will have a ticket for a free admission to the 2016 Big Ballroom Bash that will take place on Friday, July 8 at Murat Theater. We thank Ballroom Bash organizers, Roger Greenawalt and Bill Woodward, for donating a gift certificate to us.

# **April dance activities:**





Our **Spring Kids Dance Outreach** (KDO) session took place at the **Athenaeum** on Apr 5-7.

We taught 4 lessons to students from 4 IPS schools (1 ballroom lesson per school).

We had 5 amazing dance volunteers: big thanks to Jane, Teresa, Susan, Susie and Carol for their invaluable help with the lessons!

# \*\*\* Competitions \*\*\*

Two of our competitors, Ben and Alexis, represented Heartland at the USA Dance Nationals this year. Several Heartland competitors and volunteers took part in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Indianapollroom lis Open DanceSport Competition on April 15-16 at the Sheraton Indianapolis City Centre Hotel. It was an exciting 2-day event that provided great experience for all the participants

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# \*\*\* Spotlight Indy Exhibition \*\*\*

On April 18, the Heartland Chapter and Tango Indy performed at the "Spotlight Indy 2016", on the big stage of the Clowes Hall of Butler University.

The Spotlight Indy is an annual gala performance and fundraiser for The Indiana AIDS Fund.

The event brings together the central Indiana performing arts organizations featuring the best live music, dance, theater and spoken word in Indiana. For the **first time** in its history, Spotlight had **ballroom dancing** included in its program, and our performers made us proud!

The **2,000 seat theater** was filled nearly to its capacity. The **90 minute show** presented performances from **19** different art **organizations**. It was a wonderful venue for promoting ballroom dance.

The Heartland Chapter and Tango Indy presented 2 styles of tango to the Spotlight audience. **Danny Corsaro and Mario Riolo** represented **Tango Indy** with their very cute Argentine Milonga routine that was followed by International Tango routine danced by **Anna Kovalyova and John Berry** who were representing the **Heartland Chapter**. Many Heartland and Tango Indy members came to Clowes to show support for our dancers, and it was much appreciated!



This year, the Fundraising goal was set at \$170,000. At the last count, the 2016 Spotlight Indy raised more than \$210,000 for HIV testing and prevention!" Heartland is proud to have contributed to the success of the program. To view the pictures from the performances, visit Spotlight Indy's Facebook page.

# \*\*\* WTHR Health and Fitness Expo \*\*\*

On Apr 23, the Heartland dancers presented a dance exhibition program at the 5th Annual WTHR Health & Fitness Expo at the Indiana State Fairgrounds' Exposition Hall.

We showcased 10 ballroom routines followed by a Samba group lesson for the audience. We had great audience participation. A big thank you to all the performers! You rocked the stage

(aka the carpet)!!!









\*\*\* Ballare Showcase \*\*\*







Also on **April 23**, several Heartland members took part in the Best of Ballare Spring Showcase.

It was an elegant evening with many amazing performances and lots of general dancing. Big thank you to the organizers - we had a great time!









The star of the show was Danielle (played by Danny Corsaro) who danced Country 2 Step with Toby Rave.

To view more pictures from these and other Heartland performances, please visit our website:

http://www.indyusadance.org/photos/

or Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/pages/USA-Dance-Chapter-2022-Heartland-IN/494575663941501

# \*\*\* April Party \*\*\*

The Heartland's April **9** dance party went really well. We had 76 members and guests in attendance!! We had an interesting Quick Step lesson taught by professional instructors Scott and Yulia Shook. During the party, we had several exhibitions. Two of them were presented by Dance Factor kids, and the other two – by John Berry and his students Teresa and Anna. Thank you to all who came to the party - we had a great time!

### Pictures from the April Party:











Our April raffle for 1 free admission to **Ballare April 23 showcase** was won by **Ben Davis**. We thank Ballare owners for donating the gift certificate to us. Our free door prizes for **Spotlight Indy** tickets were won by **Ashley Piper and Robert Lewis**. Congratulations to the winners!









Thanks to all of our volunteers: Dennis, Anna, Larry, Dorit, Efim, Amy, Roger for helping us with the party' preparations and clean up, and with running the party smoothly.

#### **Instructor Bio:**

### Ed Godby-Schwab's bio:

Ed owns "The Center" dance studio in Lapel, Indiana, just north of Interstate 69, on your way to Anderson. Ed has been dancing jazz, ballet, modern dance and some stage work for almost 40 years. Ed took part and won Dancing With Our Stars fundraiser for Hamilton's county Meals On Wheels, as well as Dancing Like the Stars fundraiser in Paramount Theater, Anderson, IN. Ed is also an instructor at IUPUI and Ballare Ballroom.





April 9 - May Mother's Day/500 Dance

Lesson: American Fox Trot7:30 pm

Instructor: Ed Gody-Schwab & Diana Miller

Dance: 8:30 – 11 pm Exhibition: Village Dance

Cost: \$8 members; \$12 guests

**DJ: Larry Gogel** 

Location: Riolo Studio, 502 N. Capitol Ave,

2<sup>nd</sup> FI

**Open Monthly Dance** 

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

Except for January:

#### 2015 Board of Directors

President Larry Gogel 759-0171

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#### **Board of Directors:**

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The Next Board Meeting is Thursday, May 26, 2016 at 6:00 pm—Virtual (call in) Call Larr y for more information.

#### 2016 Committees (See web site)

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 5/1/16, Heartland Chapter had 132 members, with 2 new (Olympia Mejia-Harris and Jerry Sentman) and 0 delinquent. All competitor memberships (adult and collegiate) expire at year end. Several competitors renewed memberships.

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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 all the other local dance clubs. We are classified a 501-3(c) non-profit organization.

### Competitor's Corner

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

To view pictures of our competitors on line, please visit Heartland Facebook:

https://www.facebook.com/pages/USA-Dance-Chapter-2022-Heartland-IN/494575663941501



Continental Club Dance
Schedule for May
Dance Lesson 5:45 - 6:45 pm
Dancing 7:15 - 10:00 pm
DANCE Lesson – Rumba
LARGE BALLROOM
BEGINNER LESSON: 5:45-6:45 pm
Beginner Lesson – Rumba
SMALL BALLROOM

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|         | MAY               |
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| May 1   | Brass & Ivory     |
| May 8   | Larry Meecham     |
| May 15  | Blue Notes        |
| May 22  | Mike McCarty Trio |
| May 29  | DJ Rog Greenawalt |
|         | JUNE              |
| June 5  | Mike McCarty Trio |
| June 12 | Blue Notes        |
| June 19 | Sundown           |
| June 26 | Dave Lowe         |
|         |                   |

#### **Member Classifieds**

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.

July Lesson – TBD Continental Dance Club

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.

#### **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 update yourself online.

Don't forget to let us both know.

#### **Dress Code Reminder**

Please remember that appropriate dress for our chapter dances includes: slacks/skirts, nice shirts/blouses, dresses and dance shoes. Please do not dance in 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.

#### **Web Sites of Interest**

(see our web site www.indyusadance.org/local-resources)



# Wear your race theme black & white and bring snacks to share





#### FIRST LESSON

For new students we offer one Free 30-minute dance lesson and dance consultation. Use your lesson solo or share it with a partner!

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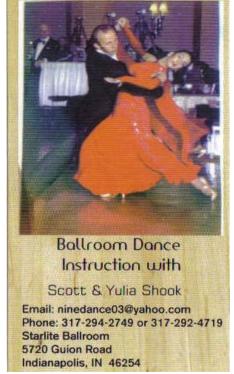
USA Dance 500 Dance 5/14 7:30 -11:00 p.m.



www.riolodance.com

317-490-6739 Check out our Full Calendar on Web Site 502 N. Capitol Avenue (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor)





# Naptown Stomp (Lindy Hop Society)

#### Monthly Schedule



### Thursday night Lessons:

<u>Intro</u> to Swing and <u>Beyond Basics</u> 4-Week Lesson Series both start at the beginning of the month. Pre-registration \$45 for nonmembers (membership is \$25/person, and is good for 12 months). 7 - 8PM at Grove Haus in Fountain Square.

#### Stomping Grounds:

Every Thursday night after our lessons, we host an open dance. Come try out those new moves you learned or just enjoy a chance to dance away the mid-week blues to some hep tunes being spun by our local DJs. When: Thursday, 8:00-10pm. Cost: \$5 (\$3 with membership). Where: Grove Haus, 1001 Hosbrook St., Indianapolis, IN 46203

#### The Red Room:

Every first Tuesday of the month, The Red Room and Naptown Stomp host a swingin' party!

Doors open at 8:00 pm for drinks and food, a free 30 min beginner lesson at 8:30pm. Social dancing to DJ music: 9:00-11:30pm. Admission: \$5. Must be 21 to enter!

Where: The Red Room, 6335 Guilford Ave., Indianapolis, IN 46220

#### Fountain Square:

A bi-monthly live band dance every 2nd & 4th Friday 8:30-11:30pm (Lessons: 7:30-8:30pm).

If you're looking for an opportunity to enjoy great live jazz and a vibrant social dance scene, this is the place to be!

Although dances at the Fountain Square Theatre are not run by Naptown Stomp, we are proud supporters and provide the beginner lesson beforehand at 7:30pm. This drop-in lesson is the perfect way to check out swing dance before committing to one of our lesson series.

Admission: \$10 (\$12 with lesson).

Where: Fountain Square Theatre, 1105 Prospect Street, Indianapolis, IN 46203

# Heartland Ballroom Dancers' June Dance Saturday, June 11, 2016



8:30 PM - 11:00 PM at Riolo Dance
502 N. Capitol Avenue
Samba Lesson with
Xavier Medina of Riolo Dance at 7:30 PM

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



<u>USA Dance Members</u>: \$8 (Student: \$6) <u>Non-members</u>: \$12 (Student: \$8)

For more information:

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

# RON'S SUNDAY NIGHT DANCE



at the

# ATRIUM 3143 East Thompson Road., Indianapolis



# 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of each month

Dates are listed below.
\*Please note date changes for January and February\*

# SINGLES & COUPLES ALL WELCOME

Doors Open: 5:45 p.m.

Dancing: 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

ADMISSION \$10.00

Dress Code – Casual (No tank tops or shorts, please)

Cash Bar Open: 6:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

(All beverages must be purchased at the Atrium)

MUST BE 21 OR OVER TO ATTEND

BRING YOUR OWN TABLE SNACKS . Chips and Pretzels will be furnished

#### Mix of Music by DJ Ron Fentz

East Coast Swing, Cha-Cha, Free Style, Waltz, Fox Trot, Line Dances (Single & Couples), Jitterbug, West Coast Swing, Night Club 2, Love Songs

# **2016 SUNDAY DANCE DATES**

January 17(3rd Sunday) & 31 (5<sup>th</sup> Sunday) May 1 & 15
February 14 (2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday) & 21

March 6 & 20

April 3 & 17

August 7 & 21

May 1 & 15 September 4 & 18

June 5 & 19 October (T.B.A.)

July 3 & 17 November (T.B.A.)

August 7 & 21 December (T.B.A.)

\*\* Please note these date changes - January and February \*\*

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For more information, contact Ron Fentz at 317.881.3750 or 317.443.4462 or ronfentz@aol.com



# Coming of age...the 21st annual Big Ballroom Bash!

An evening of general dancing and great exhibitions featuring local dance clubs, studios, and independents \*Proceeds benefit Special Olympics Ballroom\*

| Tables of 10 can be reservedprevious years have sold outdon't del                        | lay! |
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| (To mail order tix, make check payable to Big Ballroom Bash [a non-profit organization], | and  |
| send request to Rog Greenawait—address, cost, and other details at right.)               |      |

| Name                      |                           |  |
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| Address, City, State, Zip |                           |  |
| # of Tix Requested        | Amount Enclosed           |  |
| Additional Donation if De | sired                     |  |
| Email                     | Phone #                   |  |
| Club/studio/person I wan  | t to sit with (optional)* |  |



Friday July 8, 2016 7:30-11:30

Murat Shrine
Arabian Room
520 N. New Jersey
Indianapolis, IN
46204

Tix \$25 before July 1
Tix \$30 on or after July 1
Heartland discount:
\$22 before July 1

Sponsorship Levels (optional): Bronze \$30, Silver \$60, Gold \$150, Platinum \$250

Ticket & other info, contact Rog Greenawalt 7538 Rogers Dr. Indianapolis, IN 46214 317-679-0752

RogGreenawalt/Igmail.com BBB Sponsors: Rog Greenawalt, Bill Woodward

#### **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.

#### 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 (121<sup>st</sup> & Cumberland) 8-10 pm. See ADAdancers.com **Fred Astaire Indy North**, 820 E. 116<sup>th</sup> & 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 317-430-5029

Web site: <a href="www.indianapolisdancelessons.com">www.indianapolisdancelessons.com</a> for more info on classes/parties, rentals.

**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: <a href="http://www.aureliadancestudio.com/">http://www.aureliadancestudio.com/</a> - 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 5:45 PM, Dance 7 - 9 PM <a href="https://www.MonicaLung.com">www.MonicaLung.com</a> (317) 590-2655

#### <u>Saturdays:</u> (selected dates – see web sites for details)

**Riolo Dance Studio** --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>Dance Indy Swing Dance Club</u> at Riolo Dance. from 2:00-6:00 pm on selected dates. See web site.

#### May 2016

| Saturday, May 14 | Fort Wayne Dancesport Dance at IPFW's Walb Memorial Ballroom. 7-11:00 pm. Call 260-485-6226 |
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| Saturday, May 14 | Heartland 500 theme Dance   |
| Saturday, May 14 | Indy Dancers Dance at East Side Moose call Dance Line 767-5665 for information              |

#### **June 2016**

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| Saturday, June 11 | Heartland Father's Day Dance at Riolo Dance Studio (see flyer)                              |
| Saturday, June 11 | Fort Wayne Dancesport Dance at IPFW's Walb Memorial Ballroom. 7-11:00 pm. Call 260-485-6226 |
| Saturday, June 18 | Indy Dancers Luau at East Side Moose call Dance Line 767-5665 for information               |

For an additional list of dancing opportunities, please visit our website at: http://www.indyusadance.org/local-resoures

#### May 9- 500 Race Theme Dance

7:30 pm - American Fox Trot

Instructor: Ed Godby Schwab & Diana Miller

Dance: 8:30 - 11 pm Exhibition: Village Dancers

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

**DJ: Larry Gogel** 

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

**Open Monthly Dance** 

#### June 11 - Father's Day Dance

Lesson: Samba 7:30 pm Instructor: Xavier Medina Dance: 8:30 – 11 pm Exhibition: TBA

Cost: \$8 members; \$12 quests

DJ: Rog Greenawalt

Location: Riolo Studio, 502 N. Capitol Ave, 2<sup>nd</sup> FI

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