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Amateur Ballroom Dancers Association--Minnesota Chapter

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USABDA-MN's Dancers Nite Out

by Ver Jean

Sun. 1/1 Free 60th Anniversary Dance-Helen & Skip Hawkins, Bel Rae Ballroom, Mounds View, Dick Macko Big Band, 3:30-6:30 pm. 786-4630.

Fri. 1/13 West Coast Swing Club, B-dale Club, 2100 N. Dale St., St. Paul. Lesson 7:30 pm, Dance 8:30 pm. 731-9768.

Fri. 1/13 Paul Heffron Big Band, Shakopee Ballroom, Lesson 7:30 pm by Alice Monson, Dance 8:30 pm-12:30 am. 445-0412.

Fri. 1/13 Dinner/Dance, Withrow Ballroom, John Owen Big Band, Dinner 6:30 pm, Dance 8 pm, BYOB, Call 439-5123 for reservations.

Sat. 1/14 USABDA-MN Dance, Student Night, Cochran Lounge, Macalester College, St. Paul, Beg. lesson 7:30 pm, Dance 8 pm.

Fri. 1/20 Rochester USABDA Dance, Eagles Club, 2nd floor, Rochester. Lesson 7:30 pm-\$2, Dance 8:30-11:30 pm. \$4 members, \$5 guests. 507/288-6187.

Sat. 1/21 Silver River Ball, Capitol Ballroom, St. Paul, 8:30-11:30 pm. See ad pg. 7.

Sun. 1/22 Dance Party w/Craig Morris, Everett McClay VFW, Bloomington, 7-11 pm, \$10-dance, group class, refreshments. 561-0206.

Fri. 1/27-Sat. 1/28 Twin Cities Open ballroom dance competition, Mpls. Convention Center, 431-0936.

Fri. 1/27 West Coast Swing Club, Dance 8:30 pm.

Sat. 2/11 Valentine's Ball, Northwest Health Club. See ad pg. 7.

USABDA-MN ELECTS NEW OFFICERS/BOARD MEMBERS

Congratulations to the new officers and board members of the Minnesota Chapter of the United States Amateur Ballroom Dancers Association who were elected at the annual meeting, which was part of the December dance. They were as follows:

First Vice President -- Karen Kettler

Vice President-Editor -- Shari Akemann

Treasurer -- Mark Tepley

Four directors: Tom Crable

Jan Neugent

Judi Pankratz

Colleen Williams

Assistant Newsletter Editor Bruce Willits is also a new appointed board member.

We look forward to their involvement with USABDA-MN. They assume responsibilities for their new offices as of January 1, 1995.

Current officers who will continue in 1995 are: President--Jim Flaskerud and Secretary--Karen Voels.

Board directors who will continue in 1995 are: CR Barragan, Noel Blair, Avelyn Hooker, Peter Maki, Carol Post, Kathy Pouliot, Yvonne

CHILDREN HAD A MERRY CHRISTMAS.....

The "Toys for Tots" program benefited from our December dance as a number of us brought a toy to donate to a child for Christmas. Thanks to the following members who brought a toy: Jack Cain, Lupe Fierro, Melanie Helvig, Dorothy Jones, Pete Maki, Ed Munson, Ellen Neuman, Carol Post, Elaine Prebonich, Carolyn Roberts, Gary Stroick, Joyce Thompson, Karen Voels and Colleen Williams.

Dance Lessons

Bel Rae Ballroom: Free lesson with admission--Jim & Kay Mondo, Sun. 7:15 pm; Jim St. Jacques, Thurs. 7:30 pm.

Shakopee Ballroom: Free lesson with admission--Alice Monson, second Friday of every month, 7:30 pm.

Medina Ballroom: Free 2-hr. lesson w/admission on Sat. nights--Dean Constantine. Call 476-4044 for information.

Group classes--Craig Morris: On 42nd Ballroom, 705 42nd Ave. N., Mpls. Sat. 1/21--West Coast Swing-noon; Eastern swing-1pm; Hustle-5 pm. Sun. 1/22--Dance Party, Everett McClay VFW, Bloomington, 7-11 pm. \$10--dance, group lesson, refreshments. 561-0206.

Group classes--Stephanie Hawley: In town from January 23-28. Call Jay Carlson at 522-8252 for class information.

Lessons/group classes--Timothy Mason & Michele Chard: Twin Cities Ballroom, St. Paul. Call 292-8463 for information.

Coliseum Ballroom: Call 722-6311 for class information.

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JANUARY EVENTS DANCING 8:30 - 12:30

Sat Jan 14, 1995; 8 - 11:30 p.m.

CONRAD JOHNS
Special Sat Night Dance

USABDA members get \$1
off ticket price when you
show a current active card.

**Sat Jan 7, Silver Memories, Public Wedding
Dance, 8:30 - 12:30**

Sun Jan 8, Topnotchmen, 2 - 6 p.m.

**Sun Jan 15, Rythym Playboys, 2 - 6 p.m. (Great
Wisconsin Band)**

Sat Jan 21, Mexican Music, 8 - 12:30 (Try it!)

**Sun Jan 22, Brian & the Mississippi Valley
Dutchmen, 2 - 6 p.m.**

Each Friday nite in January is Country Music!
Thank you for your support in 1994, and we hope to see
more of you in 1995! Happy New Year & keep Dancing!



Send local changes to Karen Voels
at address on back of this newsletter.
Please notify National USABDA
also.

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Ballroom Dancers Association--Minnesota Chapter, providing
news of ballroom dancing to chapter members and friends.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

USABDA Members: No charge

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DEADLINE

Deadline for news is the first Friday of each month.

Submit information, copy and ads to:

USABDA-MN Newsletter Editor

1020 Sumter Ave. N.

Golden Valley, MN 55427

Newsletter Editor: Shari Akemann.....612/593-0822

Asst. Editor: Bruce Willits

NOTES FROM THE BOARD

By Karen Voels

USABDA Chapter Secretary

- Treasurer's report: about \$3,700.00 in the Treasury. We made a \$500 deposit on the Tea Dance. We made \$165 on our last (benefit) dance.
- We are in need of new sound equipment. A committee will be formed to check into this and report back.
- We voted to raise the music fee (paid to music coordinator) per dance.
 - Karen Voels, chapter secretary, will act as interim membership chair.
- We will have a drawing for student attendees at the youth dance (Jan. 14th) for TCO tickets.
- Donna Buchholtz was appointed Chapter Historian.
- Sunday, February 12, will be USABDA Night at the Bel Rae Ballroom.
- The February dance is tentatively set for Saturday, February 18.
- USABDA-MN will offer its phone message service to the people who will be putting on New Year's Eve events.
- Noel Blair and Carol Post will research a "permanent" meeting location at a public facility.
- The next Board meeting will be Tuesday, January 10, 1995 tentatively at the home of Colleen Williams, 4005 Virginia Ave., Shoreview at 7 pm. 483-8998.

EDITOR'S NOTES.....

As you may have read in the newsletter, if you were not at our dance to vote in person, I elected not to run again for newsletter editor. I have served as Editor since USABDA was formed in 1991. It has been fun to see the newsletter (and the chapter) grow!

I would like to thank all of you who have helped me with the newsletter. I couldn't have done it without your contributions! A special thanks to Marilyn Ronan who has been the assistant editor the past two years.

The newsletter position will now be divided between Shari Akemann and Bruce Willits, with Shari gathering news and writing articles and Bruce doing the computer part. Please call Shari with your news or send the news to her. Her address and phone number are in the box to the left.

Shari and Bruce also need help with assembling the newsletters. Once they are printed, we have to staple, label, sort and get the newsletters to the post office. If any of you are willing to help with these "easy" tasks, please call Shari and volunteer your services! It will be appreciated!
See you dancing!

Dorothy Jones

USABDA PROFILE

FOCUS ON USABDA MEMBERS

-AVELYN HOOKER-

The Hopi Indians think there is little difference between praying and dancing--both are necessary for a long life. They say that to be a useful Hopi, one must have a quiet heart and participate in all the dances. However, the heart might pound after all that dancing, which leads to more about the benefits of dancing.

Have you heard someone say, "I was too tired to move but went dancing and I feel so good?" When doing exercise one enjoys, the body creates *good feeling* chemicals (endorphins), thus one does feel better. Moving our body to beautiful music, executing intricate patterns and interacting with each other--what a great way to stay in shape both mentally and physically!

I have always appreciated music, but did not always dance. In college, a guy asked me to go to a dance; when I said I couldn't dance, he said "just jump", so we went and jumped--must have been jive or jitterbug! When the smooth music played, we had to observe.

Years passed and I found myself in Minnesota, determined to dance. I went to the Prom Ballroom in St. Paul, where a group lesson was in session. I saw a man practicing alone so I offered to practice with him. He showed me a table where "singles" sat. Someone offered me a complimentary lesson at Fred Astaire--and I was hooked on dancing! Later, that man, Dessie, and I taught and directed a S.A.T. (Singles All Together) dance class. For eight years--50 Monday nights a year--I assisted with instruction of that dance group. Dessie is still teaching there. For awhile, I did the lady's part with Pearl Bailey when she taught at the Prom and BelRae Ballrooms. I have also competed and danced in showcases.

Yes, there is life besides dancing! I play tennis regularly, do gardening, read (I'm interested in health and nutrition), travel, hold offices in community organizations and enjoy my 22-month old granddaughter--not often, because she lives in San Diego.

I just volunteered to do something which sounds exciting! I will be a judge for the 1995 "Odyssey of the Mind" competition. Groups of students are given problems to solve in creative and innovative ways. Some problems allow a preparation period, others might be impromptu. There's a training seminar to prepare me for judging. This ties in with my background since I was a teacher in the public schools.

PROFESSIONAL P R O F I L E

DEAN CONSTANTINE

Although Dean has been teaching dance instruction for over forty years, his enthusiasm doesn't seem to have diminished!

He started training as an instructor for a major studio chain when he was in college and needed a job. Through an introduction to a local studio manager, he taught group lessons primarily and has kept that as his focus.

Dean says he has seen a lot of similarity with new students, particularly males, who feel uncomfortable on the dance floor until they overcome the mystery of rhythm. He teaches them to master the basics of coordination, timing and movement.

Dean is a strong advocate of teaching ballroom dance to children. He teaches in 23 school districts and community centers. He feels it's important to learn an activity you can enjoy for a lifetime and would like to see that message carried to everyone interested in dancing.

A member of USABDA since it started, Dean shares the goal of promoting dancing to the general public. Although Dean spends much of his time teaching, he manages to fit in a racquetball game almost every day.

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DANCE DEMONSTRATIONS

Thanks to all the USABDA-MN members who participated in a dance exhibition at the Rochester USABDA Formal Ball on November 11. Participants were: Celia Mullen, Jeff Chinn, Colleen Williams, Doug Lusher, Monica Mohn, Bobby Tarnowski, Yvonne Riske, Bill Nunn, Theresa Kimler, Heidi Smith and Nels Petersen. Also, thanks to David Schmit who served as "MC."

Yvonne Riske received the following note from Paula Boos, the Rochester Dance Chair:

The Ballroom Dancers Association want to extend a heartfelt Thank You to you for all your planning (and re-planning) for the breaktime entertainment during our Formal Ball.

Please relay our appreciation to all the dancers who came down. They all were wonderful to watch!

It's been a pleasure getting to know/meet everyone. Thank you again! Swing-ingly yours.

THE KIDS LOVED US!!

By Yvonne Riske
Dance Demo Coordinator

On Wednesday, November 23, a group of USABDA members performed at Oakview Elementary School in Maple Grove, for an energetic group of first through sixth graders. In conjunction with the College and Youth Program, David Schmit organized the event and supplied music the kids could identify with, such as tunes from the movies, "Beauty and the Beast" and "The Little Mermaid". We also added Frank Sinatra's song, "Love and Marriage" to the repertoire; the kids, recognizing it from the TV show, "Married with Children," instantly joined in singing as we danced across the floor! Kids are great!!

Thanks to the following dancers for their efforts in getting off work to participate and inspiring these young minds toward the love of dancing by your example: Sanae Storey, David Schmit, Bill Nunn, Karen Voels, Jeff Chinn, Lori Kozicky, Bobby Tarnowski, Nancy Behrens and Arthur Hellmann. Thanks too to Rene Krumwiede of Oakview Elementary School for organizing this event and the school's donation to USABDA.

USABDA HOTLINE

612/480-0581

Call for information on dance events.

Leave a message for membership information.

UPCOMING DANCE DEMONSTRATIONS

January 20 -- Maplewood Best Western for the Downtown Wise Men's Club's 70th Anniversary Party and Victory Dinner, 7 pm.

February 2 -- Centennial Lakes/Edinborough Park, Edina for the residents, 7 pm.

April 4 -- St. Anthony/New Brighton Community Services, St. Anthony for the Senior Citizens Variety Show, 1:30 pm.

May 4 -- Centennial Lakes/Edinborough Park, Edina, 7 pm.

If you would like to dance in any of the dance demonstrations coming up, please call Yvonne Riske at 672-3243 or 525-8933. It's a great opportunity to have some fun with attentive audiences!

WANTED

MUSIC--CDs and TAPES

Pete Maki is out new music coordinator for the dances.

If you have any music that would be ideal for dancing, would you mind loaning it to Pete so he can make a copy of it to play at the dances? Leave a message on the hotline and Pete will call you back.

COMPUTER

Do you have an IBM/compatible computer or CPU that you could donate or borrow to USABDA? Must be able to accommodate Word Perfect. Call Karen Voels at: w) 591-7051 or h) 493-3372.

WHAT IS USABDA? WHO ARE WE?

USABDA stands for the United States Amateur Ballroom Dancers Association, a non-profit organization formed to preserve and promote ballroom dancing not only as an art but as a healthy sport. Minnesota's chapter was started in 1991.

Membership in USABDA is open to ballroom dancers of all levels. There are membership categories for all dancers: Social, Competitive, Junior (17 and under), College students and Associate (professional/instructors).

USABDA sponsors a monthly dance and other special dance events. Membership includes both national and local dues. Membership entitles you to discounts on our monthly dances, a monthly newsletter and a great network for meeting other dancers.

You'll have fun dancing and meet many new friends! For more information, call the USABDA Hotline number.

1994



MINNESOTA SHINES AT PRESTIGIOUS OHIO STAR BALL

We can again be very proud of Minnesota's showing at the Ohio Star Ball, which was held in Columbus, Ohio from November 16-20. Both amateur and professional dancers came back with outstanding awards and honors. Congratulations to everyone!

Here is a list of placings:

PRO/AM

Robert Foster/Gretchen Zachel

Finalist, Int. Bronze: swing--4th place

Semi-finalist, Int. Bronze: foxtrot, waltz, rumba, cha cha, tango

Finalist, Full Bronze: cha cha, rumba, foxtrot

Semi-finalist, Full Bronze: swing, tango

Robert Foster/Lisa Hamilton

Int. Bronze: 3rd in Am. Rhythm--swing

Paul Botes/Lisa Erickson

Finalist, Am. Smooth 4-Dance Scholarship, Ladies A

Semi-finalist, Am. Rhythm Scholarship, Ladies A

Mark Weiss/Jeanie LaFavor

Finalist, Am. Rhythm, 4-Dance Open--6th place

Mark Weiss/Pat Kingston

Finalist, Int'l Latin Pre-silver Freestyle: samba, rumba, jive

Mark Weiss/Joan Portner

Semi-finalist, Pre-Bronze: rumba, jive

Jeff Nehrbass/Ellen Neuman

Am. Smooth, Pre-bronze--2nd place in all dances

Am Smooth, Full Bronze--2nd place in all dances

Semi-finalist, Am. Smooth Scholarship

Jeff Nehrbass/Ann Fjellman

Semi-finalist, Am. Bronze Smooth Freestyle

Jeff Nehrbass/Sandra Burke

Finalist, Int'l Modern & Am. Smooth Freestyle

Scott Anderson/Pat Kingston

Am. Smooth, Silver Freestyle--1st place in all dances

Int'l Gold Smooth Freestyle --1st place

Scott Anderson/Carol Post

Am. Smooth, Individual Dances, Ladies B: waltz, tango, foxtrot, Viennese waltz--1st place in all dances

Am. Smooth 4-Dance Scholarship, Ladies B--2nd place

John Berry/Donna Edelstein

Am. Smooth Scholarship, Ladies B--1st place

Int'l Modern Scholarship, Ladies A--4th place

Perry Gingerich/Donna Edelstein

Int'l Latin Scholarship, Ladies B--1st place

Diana Berry/Burt Frink

Open Gold Modern--four 1st places, one 2nd place

AMATEUR/AMATEUR

Gary Stroick/Carol Post

Am. Smooth 4-Dance Individual: waltz, foxtrot, tango, Viennese waltz--1st place

Am. Smooth 4-Dance Open--2nd place

Nels Petersen/Theresa Kimler

Championship Am. Rhythm--1st place

Jeff Dagen/Lisa Erickson

Championship Am. Rhythm--3rd place

PROFESSIONAL

Mark Weiss/Tsha Jacobson

Finalist, Int'l Latin Rising Star--5th place

Everyone who attended the Ohio Star Ball said it was a wonderful experience. Sam Sodano, the organizer, states in the program--*There are no strangers at The Ohio Star Ball... only friends we have not met yet!* Maybe this helps to set the atmosphere!

Editor's Note: The Ohio Star Ball is usually televised on Channel 2 in February.

WRONG MEN'S JACKET?

Did anyone go home with the wrong jacket from the Grand Ball at the Hyatt Regency Hotel in September?

A man, who was visiting from Milwaukee, picked up the wrong jacket and didn't realize it until he got home. He would like his original jacket back and will return the one he has. If you have the jacket or any information about it, please call Jim Flaskerud at 612/483-8998.

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NATIONAL USABDA ADOPTS REBATE PROGRAM FOR CHAPTERS

The Executive Committee of USABDA will be instituting a rebate program for local chapters as a "reward" for chapters who increase and maintain membership and submit timely reports.

Adoption of this program will encourage growth of chapters. To qualify for this rebate, chapters must have been certified for a least one year as of July 1st of the 12-month period on which the rebate is based. Also, the chapters must have submitted timely and adequate semi-annual financial reports to the national Treasurer and timely and adequate Annual Reports to the national Secretary. Each chapter that meets that criteria would receive \$1 for each existing paid member as of June 30th of each year, plus \$3 for each net increase in paid membership achieved during that 12 month period. For example, a chapter increases its paid membership from 150 to 200. The chapter would receive a rebate of \$200 (\$1 for each member) plus \$150 (\$3 x 50) for the net increase in paid members—for a total rebate of \$350.

As of June 30, 1994, the total paid national membership was 10,092. As of September 30, 1994, membership had increased to 10,570. National USABDA predicts that membership will continue to grow at a rate of 15 to 20% per year. Currently, that growth is being produced by new chapters rather than by established chapters. Thus, the Executive Committee proposes this program of rewarding established chapters.

Any comments or questions should be directed to the chapter president, Jim Flaskerud.

Swaplines, cont.

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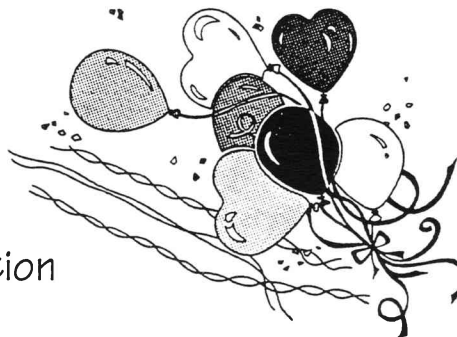
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Twin Cities Open

January 27-28, Minneapolis Convention Center, 612/431-0936

St. Louis Star Ball

March 9-12, St. Louis, MO, 913/287-3355

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SWAPLINES

Buy, Sell, Trade your dance stuff!! (Also see pg. 6)

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