

DANCING IN THE SQUARE 2017

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DATE	PERFORMANCE	INSTRUCTION	OTHER
June 2	Pittsburgh Ballroom Youth Club Dancers, Woodland Hills Intermediate School		Ballroom & Line Dancing
June 9	Yes, You Can Dance! Performance Troupe	Chris Roth Steel City Ballroom Line Dancing	Ballroom Dancing
June 16		Krystyna Pawlowski, Los Sabrosos Co. Swing	Ballroom & Line Dancing
June 23	Arthur Murray Instructors	David Geidel, Carlos Lopez Salsa	Ballroom & Line Dancing

John Siefken will be the DJ for all events.

2017 HIGHLIGHTS

Pittsburgh Ballroom Youth Club is a ballroom dance program for 6th graders in the Woodland Hills Intermediate School. This year, students learned meringue, foxtrot and cha cha from Amanda Wolf, a professional at Absolute Ballroom and volunteers from Pittsburgh Ballroom. They will perform the three dances on June 2.

Yes, You Can Dance! was founded by Rebecca Stern in 2011 to share the joy of ballroom dancing with people who might not have the opportunity due to an intellectual, developmental and/or physical disability. Its Special Needs Ballroom program is led by Chris Roth, owner of Steel City Ballroom in Mt. Lebanon. The Yes, You Can Dance! Troupe performs throughout the region.

See Yes, You Can Dance! website for a video of last year's performance in Market Square.

Originally from Poland, Krystyna Pawlowski, Ballroom Dance Instructor, at Los Sabrosos Dance Co. in Lawrenceville, trained and taught ballroom dancing in Chicago and competed as a professional on a national level for ten years, taking home many championships. She joined her daughter Nicollette to develop the ballroom division of Los Sabrosos Dance Co.

David Geidel, Arthur Murray Franchise Dance Studio owner (including South Hills, Downtown and Monroeville) since 1989 and Carlos Lopez, Manager, Arthur Murray South Hills are former competitors and current instructors and performers in the Pittsburgh area. They will teach Salsa and instructors will perform routines developed for a recent Arthur Murray Ballroom Dance Showcase.