



USA DANCE

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President's Message by Nancy Welch

Some of you responded to my appeals for help, and I thank you so much!

With assistance from Board Member **Rich Moss**, **Gail Spear** is now our **Membership Chair**.

In order to be Administrator of our **Facebook** page, **Gail** traded places with **Ian Forestier**, and is now our Board **Vice President**. **Many thanks to Gail, Ian, Rich!**

Susie Howell, who brings pizza to every dance, is now helping me with the **Pro Host program**.

Marjorie Reynolds, assisted by **Wayne Meier**, is arranging our August 2nd **Outreach Program** at Tierra Pines Nursing Home. Help is **needed to contact venues** for more Outreach programs.

Election of nine candidates for our Board of Directors will take place at our November 30th Dance

All members are encouraged to **run for office** by filling out the Candidate Confirmation form on page three. This form can then be given to a Nominating Committee

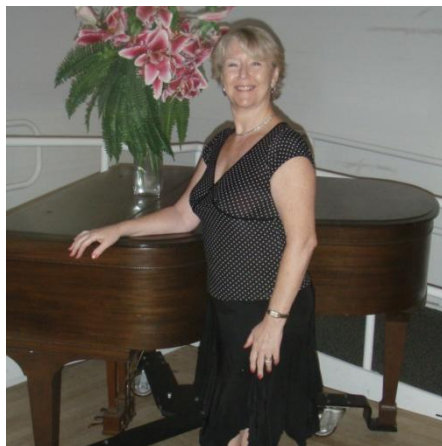
member: **Ann Beaman**, **Doris Shearer**, **Pat McSmith**.

Please do this by **September 9th** so the **Ballot** can be printed in our Oct/Nov newsletter.


Candidate Confirmation forms will also be available at our **July** and **August Dances**.

National Ballroom Dance Week is September 18-27, and we'll celebrate with **FREE admission** for **members** at our **September 28th Dance!!**

We'll also have a late celebration on **Wed, October 7th**, at the St Petersburg **Coliseum**. I know you will enjoy the **show** given by competitive couples from **White Sands chapter** in Sarasota. Bring you **membership card** for both of these events.



Gail Spear

Thanks to **Gail** and **Rich**, we now have a Facebook page. Click the Facebook symbol to visit and don't forget to "like" us  !

National USA Dance raised the dues \$10 for **social and ballroom** dance members on July 1st, but allowed us to **renew early** for \$25, and many of us took advantage of that.

Our chapter's **income** sources are **ads** in the Tempo, monthly **dance** income, and a few donations. Note: **no chapter income** from annual dues.

Chapter **expenses** are **Tempo** printing and mailing, monthly **Dance** supplies, fruit, snacks, printed programs, DeeJay, Pro Hosts. Our annual **Volunteer Party**, and **donations** to USA Dance competitions are other expenses.

We strive to keep the costs down as much as possible in order to **avoid bank fees** by keeping a \$5000 balance in our checking account.

Members and non-members **help us** with income by **attending** monthly dances, and we thank you for that! We are also grateful to our **Tempo advertisers**, especially those who have supported us for many years.

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	1 Issue	6 Issues
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¼ Page	\$10	\$50
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Ad deadline is the 5th of the month.

Ads must be camera-ready and sized correctly.

For other details, call Nancy

PUBLISHING SCHEDULE

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District 9 Website:
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CANDIDATE CONFIRMATION

This confirms my willingness to be a candidate for election to the Board of Directors for USA Dance Chapter # _____

I understand the newly elected board will then meet and elect from among themselves those who will serve as President, Vice President, Secretary & Treasurer.

Term of office is _____ years - from Jan 1st 2016_____ through Dec 31st , 2017_____
(term can be 1 or 2 years with 2 being maximum – an individual may serve multiple terms but must be elected at least every 2 years)

[Print your name here]

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MAY DANCE

by Nancy Welch Photos by Ed & Mary Zuranski

At our **May 18th Dance** at the Gulfport Casino Ballroom, we celebrated **Memorial Day** a week early. We welcomed West Coast Swing instructors **Hugo and Stacy** for the workshop, and the **Tampa Bay West Coast Swing Association** for a very creative **West Coast Swing** routine in the show. **Aidas Reigis**, a new instructor at **Magic Dance Club**, gave us a **Rumba, Cha Cha, and Samba** with his student, **Rebecca**.

Many thanks to all of you!

Many thanks to Suncoast chapter member, **Teresa Zeoli**, for bringing two large bowls of fruit, and for donating her reimbursement to the Eileen Ortiz Memorial Fund. Thanks, also, to Deejays **Arleene Norman & Sam Moses**, to Pro Hosts **Dan, Steve, Michael, Luigi**, Amateur Host **Joe Silva**, to **Bets Meier** at the Front Desk, and to **Essie Lutes & John Butler** for setting up the snack table. **Joe Silva** was a 1st time raffle winner!

The **Tampa Bay West Coast Swing Association** meets every **Friday** for a class and dance at **Crystal Blue Ballroom**. Contact them at president@tbwcsa.com or 732-893-0902. Web site: www.TBWCSA.com.

Hugo and Stacy can also be found at “Mojito Tampa” on **Tuesday nights** at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, 5303 W Kennedy Blvd, Tampa 33609. Two WCS Classes 7-8pm, Dance 8-11pm. Happy Hour drink specials and appetizers available all night. \$12, or \$10 for dance only.



Norm, Fernando, Stacy, Roni, Hugo, Carol, Luis, Liz, Rebecca, Aidas

More May Pictures



USA Dance Membership Application

Please PRINT Clearly

This form may be used by two people at the same address.



Name		Date of Birth (required for Athlete members)	
1.		Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Female <input type="checkbox"/>
2.		Male <input type="checkbox"/>	Female <input type="checkbox"/>
Street Address		Apt. #	City State Zip Code
Home Phone	Work Phone	Cell Phone	Email Address
1.			
2.			

Is this a renewal application? ☐ Yes ☐ No If Yes, Member # _____, # _____

Name of USA Dance Chapter I wish to be affiliated with: _____

Name of College or Youth Club you are affiliated with (if applicable): _____

MEMBERSHIP CATEGORY			ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
Recreational: Social Ballroom Dancer	\$45	\$	Dances for enjoyment and works to improve but does not compete . May include retired DS Athlete.
Recreational: Social Adult Dancer	\$35	\$	Enjoys and appreciates the physical, mental, and social benefits of social dancing.
Recreational: Social Youth Dancer	\$10	\$	A social dancer under the age of 19. Often a family member or friend of adult member.
Recreational: Social Dance Teacher	\$60	\$	An individual who is engaged in the teaching of social dance.
DanceSport: Adult Athlete*	\$70	\$	A competitive dancer who is age 19 or above.
DanceSport: Student Athlete*	\$25	\$	A competitive dancer age of 19 or above but below age 35 and is enrolled in school full time.
DanceSport: Minor Athlete*	\$20	\$	A competitive dancer who is below the age of 19.
DanceSport: Professional Athlete*	\$75	\$	A competitive dancer who declares him or herself as a professional or dances as a professional in competition.
DanceSport Official*	\$80	\$	An individual who serves in an official capacity in the field of DanceSport and/or ballroom dance, i.e. judge, emcee, music director, invigilator, independent comp organizer, chairperson of judges, WDSF adjudicator etc
DanceSport: Special Olympics Athlete	\$10	\$	Qualifies for participating in Special Olympics competitions only.
DanceSport: Unified Sports @ Partner	\$25	\$	Dance Partner of Special Olympics Athlete -for participating in Special Olympics only.
DanceSport Supporter*	\$40	\$	This category of membership is designed for those who are not active competing athletes but who want to show support for the DanceSport initiatives of USA Dance. This would include former athletes, parents or other family members of athletes, and general supporters who would like their voice counted on DanceSport matters.
Other Misc. Fees	\$	\$	This space for upgrades, and other miscellaneous fees.
Total Membership Fees	\$	\$	
Total Contributions & Donations	\$	\$	<i>Donations are used to help fund our many efforts to increase the quality and quantity of ballroom in the US on a social and competitive level including youth outreach, raising public awareness of the physical, mental and social benefits of dance, development of chapters, increased social dance options, support for our athletes and dancesport events. Thank you for helping us achieve these goals. USA Dance is a 501c3 non-profit corporation. Any donations in excess of value received are tax deductible.</i>
TOTAL AMOUNT DUE		\$	

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USA Dance Member Services Dept. P O Box 90 Oak Hill FL 32759-0090

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*** Memberships for Adult, Student, Minor and Professional Athletes, DanceSport Professionals and DanceSport Supporters are on a calendar year basis rather than on an anniversary year basis.**

We are a volunteer organization. Can we count on you? ☐ Yes If yes, where? ☐ Chapter ☐ Regional ☐ National

What is your area of expertise?

How are you willing to help USA Dance?

A vibrant tropical-themed poster for the TROPICANA Dance CHALLENGE 2015. The background features a sunset over a beach with palm trees. In the center, a large sun is flanked by two silhouetted dancers. The title 'TROPICANA' is in large, bold, red letters with a white outline, followed by 'Dance' in a cursive script and 'CHALLENGE' in a red banner. Below this, '2015' is written in large, white, blocky numbers. Two female dancers in purple and orange costumes with large feathered headdresses are positioned on either side of the central text. The text 'Tampa Bay's Most Exciting Pro/Am Dance Competition!' is written in white above the date 'Sunday, October 25, 2015'. Below the date, the location 'Hilton Carillon Park St. Petersburg, FL' is listed. Further down, it says 'Join us on Sat., Oct. 24, for coachings, seminars and a dinner dance with live band!' and 'On Sunday Evening, Don't Miss The Tropicana Professional Extravaganza!'. At the bottom left, contact information is provided: 'Call 727-481-6789, 727-549-2222', 'Email bogdanwienc@msn.com', and 'Visit TropicanaDanceChallenge.com'. At the bottom center, it says 'TROPICANA DANCE CHALLENGE IS PRESENTED BY Bogdan & Gosia Wienc'. At the bottom right, there is a logo for the NDCA (National Dance Council of America, Inc.) with the text 'ESTABLISHED 1948' and 'Sanctioned By'.

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Saturday, August 1

1st Dance Studio DeeJay Sam Dance 8-10pm \$7

Wednesday, August 5 7:00-10:00pm \$6-8

Pasco Chapter Dance New Lakes at Regency Park
Civic Center, Port Richey

Tuesday, August 11 7:00-10:00pm

USA 50th Anniversary Dance

Cabaret Dance Club

Group Class 7-8pm: \$10

Dance only 8-10pm: \$8 (\$6 members)

Both Class & Dance: \$13 or \$15

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Wednesday, August 12 7:30-10:30pm \$7-9

Southern Star Chapter Dance, Rhapsody Ballroom

Saturday, August 15 7:00-11:00pm \$20

Suncoast Ballroom Hawaiian Luau Dinner Dance

Wednesday, August 26 10am-2pm

Suncoast Ballroom Boutique and Shoe Sale

Monday, August 31 7:00-10:15pm \$5-8

Suncoast Chapter Monthly Dance Gulfport Casino



Wednesday, Oct 7 12:30-3:30pm \$5/ card, \$7 NM

St Petersburg Coliseum

Celebration of **National Ballroom Dance Week**.

11:30 lesson \$3.

Show given by White Sands Chapter competitors.



Sunday, November 15 8:00-10:00pm \$8-10

USA 50th Anniversary Dance

Magic Dance Club 2100 E. Bay Dr, Largo

COMING EVENTS –SEPTEMBER 2015

Wednesday, September 2 7:00-10:00pm \$6-8

Pasco Chapter Dance New Lakes at Regency Park
Civic Center, Port Richey

Saturday, September 5

1st Dance Studio DeeJay Sam Dance 8-10pm \$7

September 7-12

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Wednesday, Sept 9 7:30-10:30pm \$7-9

Southern Star Chapter Dance, Rhapsody Ballroom

Wednesday, Sept 16 7:30-10:00pm \$8-10

USA Anniversary Dance

Bayou Dance Club

DeeJay Sam Moses

Hosted by Mario and Staff



Saturday, September 19 7:00-11:00pm \$20

Suncoast Ballroom Mardi Gras Dinner Dance

September 26, 27

Tampa Bay Classic www.FloridaClassicseries.com

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Monday, September 28 7:00-10:15pm \$0- \$8

Suncoast Chapter Dance Gulfport Casino

Member Appreciation Dance – **FREE** for members!

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GRAND OPENING

The long-awaited opening of the new **MAGIC DANCE CLUB** will take place on **FRIDAY, JULY 31st** at 6pm!

There will be a show, dancing, refreshments to celebrate this occasion

The **THURSDAY** night class/dance party will now be held on **FRIDAYS** at this new studio

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ACTIVITIES CALENDAR – AUGUST 2015

Sunday

Crystal Blue Ballroom(1)	Class/Dance	6:30-8:30	PM	\$7
Gulfport Casino (1)	Class/Band Dance	6:00-10:00	PM	\$8
Dance Forever Studio (10)	Arg Tango classes	Simone	PM	
Magic Dance Club(Hans)	Social Dance Class	5:00-7:00	PM	
Suncoast Ballroom	Samba Class	7:00-7:30	PM	
Suncoast Ballroom (1)	Dance/Pizza/Wine	7:30-10:00	PM	\$10

Monday

1 st Dance Studio	Salsa Class	7:15-8:00	PM	\$10
Bayou Dance Club	Tea Dance	1:00-2:45	PM	\$5
Bayou Dance Club	WCS Classes	6:00-8:00	PM	\$10
Cabaret Dance Club (Hans)	Class/Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Dance Forever Studio	Group Classes	7:00-9:00	PM	\$10ea
Dunedin Hale Center	Swing Class/Dance	7:00-11:00	PM	\$7
Magic Dance Club	Group Class	7:30-8:15	PM	\$10
Magic Dance Club	Group Class	8:15-9:00	PM	\$10
Suncoast Ballroom (9)	Beg Quickstep Class	7:00-8:00	PM	\$10
Vicki's Ballroom	Newcomer Class	7:00-7:50	PM	\$10

Tuesday

1 st Dance Studio	Tea Dance	1:00-3:30	PM	\$7
Cabaret Dance Club(5) (12)	Class/Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$15
Gulfport Casino	Classes/Dance	12:00-3:00	PM	\$8
Gulfport Casino	Arg T Class/Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$12
Suncoast Ballroom	Hustle Class	8:00-8:30	PM	
Suncoast Ballroom (1)	Dance/Dinner	8:00-10:30	PM	\$10

Wednesday

1 st Dance Studio	Cha Cha Class	7:15-8:00	PM	\$10
Bayou Dance Club (2 nd , 4 th)	Jane Hance class	7:00-8:00	PM	\$10
Bayou Dance Club (2 nd , 4 th)	Danielle'ClassDance	8:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Cabaret Dance Club	Country Dance	7:00-9:00	PM	\$7
Coliseum 1 st & 3 rd Wed	Closed until Oct 7th	12:30-3:30	PM	\$7
Crystal Blue Ballroom	Class/Dinner/ Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Dancers Co-op	Class	7:30-8:15	PM	\$5
Gulfport Casino	Bonus Class	6:00-7:00	PM	
Gulfport Casino (1)	Swing Class/Dance	7:00-12:00	PM	\$8
Polish American Society 2 nd , 4 th	Closed for summer	11:30am-3:30	PM	\$7-10
Rhapsody Ballroom	Group Class	6:45-7:30	PM	\$7
Rhapsody Ballroom	Dance	7:30-10:30	PM	\$7-9
Vicki's Ballroom	Full Bronze Class	7:00-8:20	PM	

Thursday

1 st Dance Studio	Tea Dance	1:00-3:00	PM	\$7
Bayou Dance Club	Group Class	7:30-8:15	PM	
Cabaret Dance Club	Class/Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$8
Dance Forever	Group Class	7:00-8:00	PM	\$10
Gulfport Casino	Salsa Class/Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$8
Suncoast Ballroom (9)	Rumba Class	7:00-8:00	PM	\$10

Friday

1 st Dance Studio	Swing/Rumba Classes	8:15-9:00	PM	
1 st Dance Studio (3)	Dance	8:45-10:00	PM	\$10-15
Bayou Dance Club (3)	Class/Dance	7:30-10:00	PM	\$15
Cabaret Dance Club	Singles Dance	6:30-10:30	PM	
Crystal Blue Ballroom	WCS Class/Dance	7:45-11:30	PM	\$7-10
Dancers Co-op	Class/Dinner Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Dance Forever	Class/Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Largo Community Ctr (6)	Swing Class/Dance	7:00-11:00	PM	\$8
Magic Dance Club	Class/Dance	7:30-10:00	PM	\$10
Rhapsody Ballroom (5)	Dance	8:00-10:30	PM	\$8
Suncoast Ballroom	Foxtrot Class	8:00-8:30	PM	
Suncoast Ballroom (1)	Dance	8:30-11:00	PM	\$10
Two Left Feet (8)	Class/Dance	7:30-10:00	PM	\$7/10
Vicki's Ballroom	Bronze 1&2 Classes	7:00-8:25	PM	\$10

Saturday

1 st Dance Studio (1 st Sat)	Deejay Sam Dance	8:00-10:00	PM	\$7
1 st Dance Studio (2 nd Sat)	Milonga Dance	8:00-12:00	PM	\$15
Bayou Dance Club 1 st Sat	Classes/Dance	7:30-11:00	PM	\$10
Bayou Dance Club 4 th Sat	WCS Class/Dance	7:30-11:00	PM	\$10
Crystal Blue (4)	ClassDanceDinner	7:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Dancers Co-op	Blues Class/Dance	11:00pm-4	AM	\$8
Starlight Dance Club (1)	Group Class	7:30-8:00	PM	
Starlight Dance Club	Dance	8:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Suncoast Ballroom (1)	Tango Class	8:00-8:30	PM	
Suncoast Ballroom (4)	Dance/Dinner	8:30-11:00	PM	\$10
Vicki's Ballroom (7)	Class/Dance	8:00-10:00	PM	\$10

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Magic Dance Club(Hans)	Social Dance Class	5:00-7:00	PM	
Suncoast Ballroom	Tango Class	7:00-7:30	PM	
Suncoast Ballroom (1)	Dance/Pizza/Wine	7:30-10:00	PM	\$10

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DanceForever	Group Classes	7:00-9:00	PM	\$10ea
Magic Dance Club	Group Class	7:30-8:15	PM	\$10
Magic Dance Club	Group Class	8:15-9:00	PM	\$10
Suncoast Ballroom (9)	Beg Merengue Class	7:00-8:00	PM	\$10
Two Left Feet (Hudson) (2)	Beg Swing class	7:00-8:00	PM	\$10
Vicki's Ballroom	Newcomer Class	7:00-7:50	PM	\$10

Tuesday

1 st Dance Studio	Tea Dance	1:00-3:30	PM	\$7
Cabaret Dance Club (5) (12)	Class/Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$15
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Suncoast Ballroom (1)	Dance/Dinner	8:00-10:30	PM	\$10

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Bayou Dance Club	Jane Hance Class	7:00-8:00	PM	\$10
Bayou Dance Club	Danielle Class/Dance	8:00-10:00	PM	\$10
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Gulfport Casino	Salsa Class/Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$8
Suncoast Ballroom (9)	Quickstep Class	7:00-8:00	PM	\$10

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1 st Dance Studio	Bachata/Salsa classes	8:15-9:00	PM	
1 st Dance Studio (3)	Dance	8:45-10:00	PM	\$10-15
Bayou Dance Club (3)	Class/Dance	7:30-10:00	PM	\$15
Cabaret Dance Club	Singles Dance	6:30-10:30	PM	
Crystal Blue Ballroom	WCS Class/Dance	7:45-11:30	PM	\$5-10
Dancers Co-op	Class/Dinner Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Dance Forever	Class/Dance	7:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Largo Community Ctr (6)	Swing Class/Dance	7:00-11:00	PM	\$8
Magic Dance Club	Class/Dance	7:30-10:00	PM	\$10
Rhapsody Ballroom (5)	Dance	8:00-10:30	PM	\$8
Suncoast Ballroom	Rumba Class	8:00-8:30	PM	
Suncoast Ballroom (1)	Dance	8:30-11:00	PM	\$10
Two Left Feet (8)	Class/Dance	7:30-10:00	PM	\$7/10
Vicki's Ballroom	Bronze 1&2 Classes	7:00-8:25	PM	\$10

Saturday

1 st Dance Studio (1 st Sat)	Deejay Sam Dance	8:00-10:00	PM	\$7
1 st Dance Studio (2 nd Sat)	Milonga Dance	8:00-12:00	PM	\$15
Bayou Dance Club 1 st Sat	Classes/Dance	7:30-11:00	PM	\$10
Bayou Dance Club 4 th Sat	WCS Class/Dance	7:30-11:00	PM	\$10
Crystal Blue (4)	Class/DanceDinner	7:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Dancers Co-op	Blues Class/Dance	11:00pm-4	AM	\$8
Starlight Dance Club (1)	Group Class	7:30-8:00	PM	
Starlight Dance Club	Dance	8:00-10:00	PM	\$10
Suncoast Ballroom (1)	Cha Cha Class	8:00-8:30	PM	
Suncoast Ballroom (4)	Dance/Dinner	8:30-11:00	PM	\$10
Vicki's Ballroom (7)	Class/Dance	8:00-10:00	PM	\$10



Activity Table Notes

- (1) Price includes group class before the dance
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PASCO CHAPTER NEWS

by President Pete Petrignani

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Our **June Dance** was a blast with the **Spats Cats**. **Debra Loran** opened our **workshop** with a **Samba** dance lesson. **DJ Mike** played our music for the lesson, and was incredible for the rest of our dancing evening.

Our **showcase** was a variety of dances by the **Spats Cats**, who danced with our members and guests during the general dancing as well. **Thank you, Debra, and the Spats Cats**. We look forward to your next show.

Vice President Robbie Cash was having a special **birthday** in June, so **President Pete** brought her a birthday cake.

Aleisha was also having a birthday, so they **cut the cake** together.

Our **July Dance** and barbeque was lots of **fun, food, and dance!** The **Triple Swing** workshop given by **Pete and Devin** was well received.

Phil and Lila Gilliam danced a **Salsa** in their **first showcase** for USA Dance. It was a hot Latin dance with choreography pleasing to our audience, followed by a big round of applause.

Pete Petrignani and Devin Gilmore performed **Foxtrot** with some jive kicks and lots of turns and spins. They had as much fun dancing as their guests did looking on!

An **Enchanted Evening** held at CARES on Sunday, May 31st was a sold out event!



Pete, Jeanette

Spats Cats

Debra Loran



Birthdays for Robbie & Aleisha

Thank you to the **Nelson Gray Academy** and **members of USA Dance** who performed!

Thanks, also, to **Phil Gilliam** who offered a prayer prior to our dinner and then played the piano during the dinner hour.

USA Dance members also performed at USA Flea Market, to music of the Fifties, for a **Children's Food Bank** charity.

We welcomed **John Revie**, a new addition to our dance performers.



July 4th cupcakes



Jeanette Leonard, John Revie



Pete, Devin

Lila, Phil

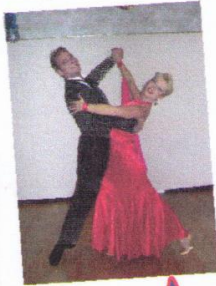
At Pasco USA Dance Chapter 6090, we are moving forward – gaining new members, advancing with **Community Dance** events and our **Outreach Programs**. We have been busy, with more plans for the future throughout **Pasco County** to support and work with our **Youth, Members, Guest Dancers, and Sponsors**.

We are **in need of assistance** to build the future! Just a few minutes a month can change a life. Many hands make light work – will you be one of them? Please call **Pete** to find out how YOU can help from home or at one of our events: 727-967-3106. Thank you, and God bless.

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USA Dance **Suncoast Chapter** **50th Anniversary Studio Dances**

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2015 marks the 50th anniversary of USA Dance. To celebrate the 50th anniversary of USA Dance Suncoast Chapter #6004 in cooperation with participating dance studios is hosting a series of dances throughout Pinellas County. The next dance is:

Tues., August 11, 8:00-10:00 pm

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Wed., September 16, 7:30-10:00 pm

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DJ: Sam Moses

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JUNE DANCE

By Nancy Welch Photos by Rich Moss

We dressed in **red, white, and blue** once again as we celebrated **July 4th** at our **June 29th Dance**. **Carol Rivera**, who holds a Thursday night **Salsa class** and **Latin dance** at the **Gulfport Casino Ballroom**, gave us a great **Salsa workshop**. She used our new wireless mike purchased by Board member **Rich Moss**.

Judy Davy, owner of **Starlight Dance Club** in Clearwater, performed with two of her students in the show. **Suncoast** chapter Treasurer, **Wendell Wood**, danced a lovely **Viennese Waltz** with **Judy**, and former Treasurer of the **Pasco** chapter, **Jim Dwane**, performed a lively **Quickstep**.

Dylan Jenkins, who also teaches at **Starlight Dance Club** and is a **host** at their Saturday night dance party, was amazing as he performed **Cha Cha** with sister **Nina** and **Jive** with sister **Nora**. All three are such fun to watch with their youthful energy and choreography! **Many thanks to Starlight Dance Club and Carol Rivera!**

New fruit volunteer, **Laurie Clement**, provided us with a generous supply of summer **fruit** which was quickly devoured! **Suncoast** chapter member **Bill Marsh** won the 50/50 raffle.



Carol Rivera and Pete Pettrignani



Nora, Dylan, Nina, Jim, Judy, Wendell



A few more June Dance Pictures



Jim Dwane Judy Davy



Now where did she go?



Wallflower -- no watching the show



USA 50th Anniversary Dance CRYSTAL BLUE BALLROOM

At Crystal Blue Ballroom on Wed, June 10th, Joe and **Judite** welcomed USA Dance as we celebrated our 50th Anniversary there. They performed a beautiful **Waltz** for us, and as **President** of our **Suncoast Chapter of USA Dance**, I was invited by **Judite** to dance a **solo Foxtrot** with **Joe** to start the mixer. What a delightful surprise!

For many years, I have enjoyed dancing in **Foxtrot and Waltz mixers** at **Crystal Blue**, as they have one about every half hour. I also like their music programming which **alternates fast and slow dances**. When **Sam Moses** became the **Deejay** of our monthly dance at **Gulfport Casino Ballroom** several years ago, he set up the music the same way, alternating fast and slow dances.

USA Dance members were given a \$2 discount off the \$10 admission at this Anniversary Dance. **Newcomers to Crystal Blue** will receive this discount again when they attend another **Wed, Sat, or Sun night** dance for the rest of this year. **Many thanks, Joe and Judite**, for giving us a great dance party and for all **your support** of USA Dance in our **Tempo** newsletter.



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