

USA Dance Chapter 6049 News For November 2009

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President's Message

Fall Message from your President:
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PLUS- 8,500 sq. ft. of premium dance floor

A \$50.00 deposit holds your reservation! Must be a USA Dance member to attend. Singles & couples are Welcome!

Hope to see you there! Jean Krupa, USA Dance FL Coordinator ~3765 Fiano Dr., Port Orange FL 32129



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We, in the Ft. Myers and Naples area, are so fortunate for our supporting studios, teachers and staff members. They have made us strong. It is our 'COMMON COURTESY" to give them our attention during our tea dance class. If you are not participating in the class please talk at a low tone not to DISTURB the dancers that do want to learn these special patterns. These teachers have given us their precious time and we owe it to them to give them our respect.

Our organization is based on 'ballroom dancers'. It does not say only silver or gold but ballroom dancers starting at the "beginners" to our marvelous silver and gold. We are to treat all new members and guests with a courtesy to them and their level of dancing. It is not our place to teach them on the dance floor. Nor is it our place to 'walk off the floor because the person is not dancing at

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your level'. Please remember when you began dancing---you sure don't dance like that now.

Our chapter's new website and newsletter on-line has been a marvelous new addition. This is our way to send you messages and information for upcoming events. We do have a program that does tell our officers who opens our messages to you. ARE YOU ONE?? Your membership means an invitation to attend our special events and dances. We are like a company with officers and committees. There are many opportunities for you to become involved in planning and directing these events. In a couple of months we will be having a new board, new committee chairmen and hopefully see many of you be 'part' of our organization.

The office of president has been very rewarding. I hear the good and the bad from our chapter members. I have brought many of these items to our board to correct and present to you with better governing. I enjoy my PRIDE of chapter 6049. I wish all of you members to do the same. Speak highly of our chapter and our activities. If there is a problem we have asked you to address it to the board. We have issues with few men at our dances, the dress code of a few of our ladie's wearing very SHORT dresses, our venues of our dances. These are all of our concerns and it is our duty to look to the future with a 'positive' incentive to become the best members and chapter we could ask for. These are a few items that have been brought to our attention. Please make us proud and promote our dances and special events. I am very, very proud to be called an USA Dance member. Join me in my pleasure and pride as we finish out this year.

Carol Davis, President, Chapter 6049, "2008-2009 Chapter of the Year"

Join Our Mailing List!

November is elections month!



The end of the year marks the end of the tenure of all of the chapters elected officers. Your nominating committee presents the following slate of nominees for your confirmation. There were no additional nominees submitted after our announcement in the October newsletter.

President..Don Davenport

Vice President, Linda Crosbie

Secretary. Pat Lamotte

Treasurer. Jean urbancic

You may vote by email to any of the following elections committee,: Kay Jansson at kayjanssen7@aol.com or 239-334-3782;

Betty Lose at blose22@hotmail.com or 239-5900089 or; Elsie Freelove at Dancers7777@aol.com

We'll vote during the November Tea Dance for those who choose to vote in person.

Kay Jansson, Chair, Elections Committee

November Tea Dance will be at Camelle's on the 8th of November



This studio celebrates it's first year at its new location at 2011 NE 10th Terrace in Cape Coral.! How appropriate it is for our chapter to be there during this celebatory month!

The professional lesson kicks off at 4 PM with general dancing and spotlites starting at 5 PM lasting to 7PM. The usual admission of \$8.00 for members and \$10.00 for others. We'll take a few minutes to conduct a vote for our new board of directors, which we'll seat in January. Let's enjoy this pre-Thanksgiving Tea Dance as we go into

the holiday season.



Christmas Tea Dance At Aki's, December 13th.

We're getting into the Christmas Spirit with our Tea Dance at Aki's on December

13th from 4 to 7 PM. The admission is the usual \$8.00 for members and \$10.00 for others. Introduce you friends and family to our chapter during the holidays.



Our Annual Ball! This will be a GALA NEW YEARS EVE BALL on December 31st. Is there a better time for a dance? This will be a "black-tie event" with

a potluck buffet (bring your own TOASTING material) \$15.00 for all. The place will be at Aki's, the time from 8 PM to the mid-nite hour plus! Reservations will be required with Betty @ 239-590-0089..Thank you!

Click here for our chapter web-site All you want to know about the Southwest Florida Chapter of USA Dance-PLUS-links to our photo gallery and all our friends which includes access to our hosting studios web-sites and calendars.