H appy Mother's Day to all you beautiful ladies, it's your day to relax and be pampered, you deserve it.



May is also the time of the year that all of the trees and flowers are blooming which brings with it the pollen and allergies. At least we can dance inside where the atmosphere is great for dancing. So come join us on May 11th for the USA Tri-Cities Dance. If your mother is visiting for the weekend, bring her with you. We are at the Shall We Dance Studio and Gwendolyn Glenn will be teaching the second in the series of the Art of Lead and Follow. The studio is located at 12137 South Chalkley Road, Chester, VA, near Patient First and the Chester Walmart.

Gwendolyn Glenn taught the first of a two-part series on how to lead and follow at our April dance. At one point she started putting chairs on the dance floor. Some thought "are we going to play musical chairs", but no, the chairs substituted for dance couples, and Gwen taught how to maneuver around them. It was an eye-opening lesson and everyone enjoyed this new avenue of lessons.





Later in the evening three couples in Gwen's Performance Team danced a crowd-pleasing "Hooray for Hollywood Cha Cha". Team members performing were Pat and Jeff Dewey; Sam DePersio; Gary Yielding; Ray Meade and Gwendolyn Glenn. Edith Lanning provided her usual excellent music.

Hooray for Hollywood Cha Cha





We have been invited to entertain the residents of Lucy Corr Village on Saturday, June 22nd from 2:00-3:00pm. We would appreciate it if you could volunteer to help us. You do not need to dance any special routine, but if you want to, that would be great. Please call Ruth at 804-452-1452 or any Tri-Cities Board member if you can volunteer to help.

The Tri-Cities Chapter was invited by the Richmond Chapter to participate at the Southern Women's Show that was held at the Richmond Raceway Complex April 19-21. We thank and appreciate these chapter members who volunteered: Ruth Wilbourne, Harry Salvat, Emma Humrickhouse, Lou Stiles and Renee Stephan.

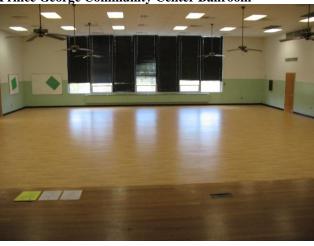
SAVE THE DATE – SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH – the Fourth Saturday of the month.

Prince George County Recreation & Parks Community Center will sponsor its first ever dance at its new location at 11100 Old Stage Road, Prince George, VA. We urge our dance community to support this event. Watch for details soon. Edith Lanning has agreed to play the music. The center has a very large dance floor and it's not tile. It's the same type floor that is in the Eastside Community Center in Dinwiddie where we danced a few years ago.

Prince George County Community Center



Prince George Community Center Ballroom



Upcoming 2nd Saturday dance lessons and DJ's:

May – Art of Lead and Follow taught by Gwendolyn Glenn -music by Randy Goodfellow

June – Viennese Waltz taught by Sandy Yeon - music by Doug McRae

July – Viennese Waltz taught by Sandy Yeon - music by Edith Lanning

August – Bolero taught by Phyllis Harris - music by Randy Goodfellow

September – Bolero taught by Phyllis Harris - music by Doug McRae



Work as if you don't need the money and dance as if no one is watching. See you on the dance floor!!