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Footnotes

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE NEW HAMPSHIRE AMATEUR BALLROOM DANCERS ASSOCIATION

10,000 DANCE-ABLE SQ. FT! WOOD FLOOR!



Holiday Dance

Saturday, December 15, 2012

Shepard Auditorium at Pinkerton Academy Derry, NH

Route 93 to Exit 5. Go south on Rt. 28 to traffic lights at Hood Plaza. Turn left onto Tsiennetto Rd. and take first right onto Pinkerton Rd. The school is on the left about a half mile down. – OR – Take Route 93 to Exit 4. Go east on Rt. 102 (Broadway) through Derry, past golf course on right, to rotary. Go 3/4 around rotary onto Rt. 28 Bypass north. Pinkerton is on left.

Please make reservations by 7:00 pm on Thur., Dec. 13th!

6:45 – 7:30 pm East Coast Swing Lesson by Paper Moon Dance Center

8:45 pm Showcase by Paper Moon Dance Center

7:30 – 11:00 pm General Dancing to Rico Barr & Jump ‘n Jive Review

Bottled water available. Complimentary ice, coffee and desserts. You may bring your own beverages and snacks, however alcohol and smoking are not allowed.

E-mail Betty Ashooh at getinstep@comcast.net and include date of dance, names of all attending and seating preferences OR call **603-716-6791**.

Admission: \$10.00 for current NHABDA members \$15.00 for non-members (Annual dues are only \$15.00)

Late reservations and admissions at the door: \$2.00 additional.

PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE



Greetings friends of NHABDA:

Hope everyone had a lovely Thanksgiving. We had a wonderful Thanksgiving with family at our home. I must admit that Thanksgiving is one of my most favorite holidays. Now we are getting ready for the holiday season. My wish for everyone is that you have a Merry Christmas, wonderful holiday season and Happy New Year!

We had another nice cozy dance at Pinkerton Academy with approximately 75 dancers. The tables had the fall theme well done. We had ‘Mr. Jonathan’ as our D.J. He also taught us the Nite Club 2 Step. He and his partner did a beautiful “mini-showcase.” I especially liked the lifts.

Thank you to everyone who helped put the dance together. I want to especially thank you for the food that was donated. I brought a trunkful of food and clothing to the Derry Sunshine Soup Kitchen. They were most appreciative. We were also able to donate over \$100 to the American Red Cross from the 50/50 raffle for Hurricane Sandy relief efforts. *continued on pg. 2*

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603-860-3876

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603-860-3876

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603-921-1266

Remember, you don't have to be a board member to help on a committee!

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603-529-7094

FOOTNOTES

Joe Hannaford
603-472-2823

Joyce Wilson stated in an email about Outreach: "We had nine (9) couples dance at Mount Carmel Health Care in Manchester on Sunday, November 18th. The turnout was wonderful. We had almost 40 residents, visitors and staff in attendance. One gentleman stood and clapped away when each couple finished their dance. We had many residents up on the dance floor at the end of the performance." Next **Outreach** is at the **VA Hospital**, 718 Smyth Road, Manchester on **Saturday, December 8th at 6:30pm**. Please contact Joyce if you are interested in participating.

NHABDA's December **Holiday Dance** will be on **December 15th**, at **Pinkerton Academy's Shepard Auditorium** with Rico Barr providing the music. Paper Moon Dance Center will teach an East Coast Swing lesson and present us with a showcase during the night.

HAVE FUN & HAPPY DANCING!

Lynne

"Let us read and let us dance — two amusements that will never do any harm to the world." – Voltaire

2013 NHABDA Schedule

Jan. 19	Pinkerton
Feb. 16	Pinkerton
Mar. 16	Pinkerton
Apr. 20	Pinkerton
May 18	Pinkerton
June	No Dance
July 20	TBA
Aug. 17	TBA
Sept. 21	Pinkerton
Oct. 19	Pinkerton
Nov. 16	Pinkerton
Dec.	No Dance

2013 Application for NHABDA Membership

New Hampshire Amateur Ballroom Dancers Association

PLEASE PRINT

I wish to be a member of NHABDA. I am an amateur dancer and receive no income from ballroom dance shows, lessons, or competitions.

NAME (1)

NAME (2)

STREET

TOWN/CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

TELEPHONE

E-MAIL

STUDIO AFFILIATION(S) (LIST ALL)

Membership dues are \$15.00 per person, per calendar year and are tax deductible. Please make your check payable to **NHABDA** and mail with this form to: *Gerry Ouellette, Membership Chairman, 4 Candy Lane, Bedford, NH 03110.*

I would like to help our organization by:

- Volunteering to help set up or tear down on dance nights.
- Joining the Board of Directors
- Becoming a committee member or chairperson. Other:



The historic **Rockingham Ballroom** in Newmarket, New Hampshire has been a venue for great live music and ballroom dancing since 1934. It is one of the last year-round ballrooms in NH.

Generations of ballroom dancers, as well as many of the great "big band" performers such as Glenn Miller and Tommy Dorsey, have passed through the ballroom.

The Rockingham Ballroom is NH's premier venue for ballroom dancing, country line singles' and couples' dance lessons. Offering a broad selection of musical entertainment evenings, including Disco, Swing, and Country.

Join owners, Alan and Diane Roma, **every Saturday night from 7:30-11:00 pm** for Ballroom Dancing- on the largest wooden dance floor in NH- to a live band!

Reservations are strongly encouraged. Proper dress is required (*no jeans or sneakers please!*) suit coats and ties for the gentlemen.

Cost is **\$14 a person**, with plenty of free parking, seating, and a full cash bar and light snacks.

For a full event calendar, please visit our website:

www.therockinghamballroom.com

email: alan@therockinghamballroom.com or diane@therockinghamballroom.com



Rockingham Ballroom New Year's Eve Celebration!

Dance the last hours of 2012 away with **DJ Ted Razz**. All request music night. Whatever you want to hear, he will play! Potluck dinner, bring your favorite dish to share. Cash bar and free champagne fountain. Casual or Formal dress, you decide!

\$20 per person in advance/ \$25 at the door. 7:00pm-12:30am



Rockingham Ballroom

22 Ash Swamp Rd.

Newmarket, NH 03857

"Look for the twin beacons."

603-659-4410

www.therockinghamballroom.com

November Outreach – Mt. Carmel Healthcare, Manchester, NH



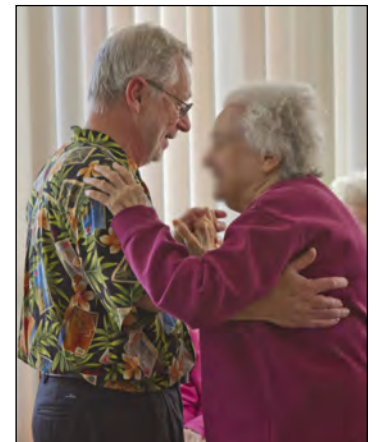
Photos by Joe Hannaford and Barbara Salvatore



Even pesky columns in the middle of an already small dance floor won't deter our Outreach members from their entertaining for the seniors.



Outreach Committee
 Seeks dancers for nursing home demonstrations. No stress—think of it as an “hour of practice.” ALL skill levels are welcome. You’ll make someone happy next month and receive half-off a NHABDA admission for yourself. Please contact Joyce at 603-644-3427.



More Places to Dance!

IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

Club Style Salsa Classes at Queen City Ballroom. Wed. 6-10pm, Beginner, Intermediate, and Advanced Salsa Classes. \$15 drop in or \$45/monthly class, 21 Dow St., Manchester, NH. * For more info: 617-875-9006 or www.SalsaNewHampshire.com e-mail: infomasacote@gmail.com

Get-in-Step Ballroom Dance Lessons – Betty Ashooh, Bedford & Derry, NH. 603-716-6791 or go to www.getinstep.biz

Keene Fusion Studios
603-358-0405, 9 Elm St. Keene, NH. Offering Ballroom, Latin, and Swing dance classes as well as Pilates, Zumba and other wellness classes. www.keenefusionstudios.com

Krystal Ballroom Dance Studio
352 S. Broadway, (Rte. 28) Salem, NH
For more info. call 603-870-9350 or go to www.krystalballroom.com

Let's Dance Studio – Michelle Johnson 603-228-2800 5 North Main St., Concord, NH. Holiday Ball Dec. 15 and New Years Eve Ball. Group lessons, Performance classes, Zumba offered. New– Paso Doble! Free practice sessions Thur. 8-10 pm. For more information go to www.letsdancenr.com

Love, Laugh & Ballroom Dance
Monthly dances 1st Sat. every month held at The Fitness Edge, 169 Daniel Webster Hwy, Meredith, NH. Doors open at 6:45pm w/lesson at 7:30. \$10pp. For info call Judy 603-677-2410. Visit www.thefitnessedgenh.com/ballroomdancing.htm for info on Dance Sessions, Privates, Wedding Packages.

Arthur Murray Dance Studio
603-624-6857 99 Elm Street, Manchester, NH. Saturdays, 7-11 pm, \$8. pp members, \$10. others. DJ, free refreshments. 3,000 s.f. dance floor. www.arthurmurrayboston.com

Newport's "Secret" Ballroom Natalie Mavor Miles 603-863-2222, 35 Main St., 3rd flr., Newport, NH. www.thenewportballroom.com

Paper Moon Dance Center Classes are taught Saturdays & Sundays in Amherst, Wednesdays & Thursdays in Nashua. General info. see our web site at www.papermoondance.com or call 603-429-1100.

Portsmouth Ballroom Dance Studio
603-433-2009 Portsmouth, NH
www.portsmouthballroomdancestudio.com

Practice with Gerry & Joe 2nd and 4th Friday of the month, 7:30-10:30pm, \$5. pp, Our Lady of the Cedars Church Hall, 140 Mitchell St., Manchester NH. For more info email: joebutera@comcast.net

Purity Springs Resort
800-373-3754 E. Madison, NH. 2013 Ballroom Dance Weekends: 4/19-4/21; 5/24-27; 9/6-8; 10/18-20. For info. and reservations e-mail pauledemers@comcast.net, call 978-304-1064, or go to www.purityspring.com

Queen City Ballroom Dance Studio
21 Dow Street, Manchester, NH. * QCB offers

classes in Ballroom, Latin, Hustle, Salsa and Tango. Sun. night Ballroom Dance Parties, 6-9pm. Sun. Dec. 9th 1-5:00pm, Holiday Dance Party & Showcase. Radisson Hotel in Manchester. DJ, cash bar. \$16.pp by 12/8; \$20.pp at door. For more info. and reservations go to www.queencyballroomnh.com or call 603-622-1500.

Rockingham Ballroom 603-659-4410
Newmarket, NH

Royal Palace Dance Studio (NEW Location!)
373 South Willow St., Manchester, NH. (To the right of Shaw's above UPS.) Unlimited parking, new floating dance floor and outdoor deck. Group dance & fitness classes open 6 nights a week to the public. Dance Socials & Practice Parties 4 nights a week. Call 603-621-9119 E-mail: Info@royalpalacedance.com *Mention this Footnote and receive \$5 off your visit!* www.RoyalPalaceDance.com

Seacoast Ballroom 603-502-3267
The Harborside/Portsmouth, NH.
www.seacoastballroom.com

Wentworth Connections 603-430-0070
Sun. afternoon ballroom dances for folks 50 or better. 11:30-4:00 pm, lunch, cash bar, \$14. members, \$20. non-members. RSVP.

IN MASSACHUSETTS

Baldassari Ballroom 508-668-4494
K of C Hall, 572 Nichols St., Norwood, MA. Sundays 6-9:30 Gen. dancing to recorded music. \$12 pp. baldassari@earthlink.net
www.SundayDance.tripod.com

Tina LaFlam's Dance Studio 28 Burnham St., Gloucester, MA. Call 978-283-8758, e-mail: miss-tina@verizon.net, or go to www.misstinasdancestudios.com

MASSABDA www.massabda.org

Moseley's Ballroom 617-326-3075
Dedham, MA

Dan Radler: Ballroom & Latin Dance Center of New England lessons for all levels and monthly dance parties. Call 617-455-5500 or go to www.BallroomDance.net

Roller World 781-231-1111 Rt.1 So., Saugus, MA. Ballroom dancing every Tue. & Sat. 7:30-11pm. \$11. inc. live band, snacks and chance to win Vegas trip. www.roller-world.com

'Steppin' Out' Ballroom Dance Studio
978-452-1111 1201 Westford Street, Lowell, MA (Exit 32 off Rte. 3) Dances each month. \$10. pp. Free refreshments.
www.steppinoutdance-lowell.com

Wonderland Ballroom 781-289-3080
1290 North Shore Road (Rte. 1A), Revere, MA

IN MAINE

Gotta Dance 207-773-3558 Portland, ME

Maine Ballroom 207-773-0002
614 Congress St., Portland, ME
www.maineballroomdancing.com

Maplewood Dance Center 207-878-0584 383 Warren Ave., Portland, ME.
e-mail: themaple@maine.rr.com
www.maplewooddancecenter.com

IN RHODE ISLAND

Friends of Ballroom Dancing (FOBD)
401-847-2980 253 East Main Road,
Portsmouth, RI. e-mail: SkipFOBD@cox.net

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Attention Everyone!

Footnotes is a benefit that comes with a current, paid membership to NHABDA. If someone you know should be receiving *Footnotes* or would like to join NHABDA, please contact Gerry Ouellette at 603-471-0636 with their name and address. If you have ideas, features, or information that should be included in *Footnotes*, contact Joe Hannaford at 603-472-2823, e-mail to hannaforddesign@comcast.net

From the NHABDA Board: **Thank you to everyone who helps us clean up after each dance!**

Donations Accepted

NHABDA welcomes donations of gift certificates or other items of value to be used as door prizes at our monthly dances. Please contact Lynne Townsend at 603-432-6869.

Advertising in Footnotes

1/8 page	\$20.00 per issue
1/4 page	\$35.00 per issue
1/2 page	\$60.00 per issue
Full page	\$100.00 per issue

Discounts on multiple insertions. Contact Joe Hannaford, 603-472-2823, or hannaforddesign@comcast.net for advertising information. *Footnotes* has a circulation of approximately 210 households and is also available online.

Singles are always welcome at NHABDA dances! Dance hosts usually provided. If interested in hosting, contact Virgie Beacom at 603-921-1266.

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Deadline for the January 2013 Footnotes is Dec. 28th!



NHABDA

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*November Lesson
and Showcase—
Mr. Jonathan*

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