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# Footnotes

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE NEW HAMPSHIRE AMATEUR BALLROOM DANCERS ASSOCIATION

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## Sweethearts Dance

Saturday,  
February 16,  
2013

Shepard Auditorium, 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., Feb. 14th!**

**6:45 – 7:30 pm Tentative Lesson TBD (check website for updates)**

**8:45 Showcase TBD (check website for updates)**

**7:30 – 11:00 pm General Dancing to Mr. Jonathan, DJ**

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](mailto: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

*A word of welcome, a note of thanks,  
and greetings to the friends  
of NHABDA.*



*"I do not try to dance better than anyone else. I only try to dance better than myself."*

– Mikhail Baryshnikov

My sincerest gratitude goes to the outgoing NHABDA president **Lynne Townsend**, thank you for all

of your hard work and selfless effort in building and sustaining this organization that does so much for so many in the community, also to **Irene Lisavich**, for her firm guidance and grasp of details serving as our outgoing Treasurer. To her replacement, **Eileen Morin**, a hearty salute!

As a longtime Derry resident, and a firm believer in the power of dance to change lives, foster artistic expression, and strengthen the bonds of friendship, I look forward to serving both you—our members—and the greater com-

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

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE *continued from page 1*

munity, both by providing the best ballroom experience possible, and also by reaching out more broadly to those around us to share our passion and enjoyment of dance.

The winter holidays are behind us, and while the winter weather may still be with us, at least we can warm ourselves with thoughts of love and romance until spring finally arrives... *yes!* Our "Sweethearts Dance" will be on **Saturday, February 16th** in the Shepard Auditorium, at Pinkerton Academy in Derry, New Hampshire.

In the words of the romantic German poet Goethe: *"Please send me your shoes, worn out from dancing as you mentioned in your letter, so that I might have something to press against my heart."*

(For February's dance, umm, I suspect I will just WEAR my shoes, thank you very much!)

Turnout at January's "Baby It's Cold Outside" dance at Pinkerton was strong, as we flew around the dance floor to the musical stylings of the Dave Burbank Orchestra. Many of you were good enough to share your appreciation of their performance with me. Thank you! We had several door prize winners, a fun mixer, and Betty Ashooh did a swell job of reacquainting us all with the Polka Line Dance. Thanks must also go out to the wonderful showcase presented by Queen City Ballroom. Mica Milojkovic danced a sultry rumba with Sonia Slevira, a dramatic tango with Nancy Cyr, and an elegant waltz with Linda Wu. Great job everyone!

Regarding Outreach: On January 13th at Hillsborough County Nursing Home, we had 9 couples dancing. Four couples on the 2nd floor and 4 couples on the 3rd floor with one couple sharing their time on both floors. There were a combination of 64 residents, staff and visitors watching us dance. Joe Hannaford was the emcee on the 3rd floor and Joyce Wilson was the emcee on the 2nd. Everyone was clapping, singing and moving along with the music. The residents enjoyed the dancing and music very much. If anyone would like to join the Outreach group, please contact our Joyce Wilson.

Our **next Outreach** dance will be at the **Evergreen Manor on Beech Street in Manchester on Sunday, February 10th**. Hope to see you there.

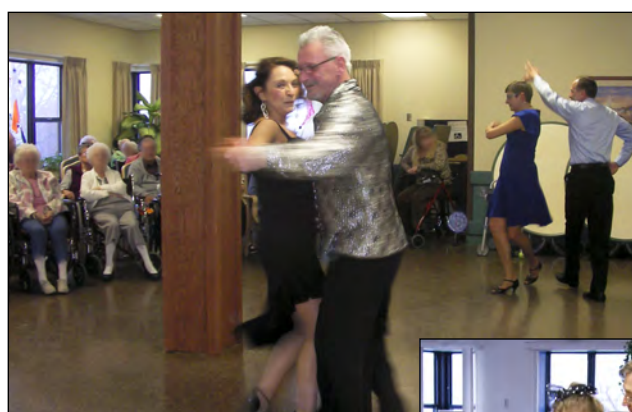
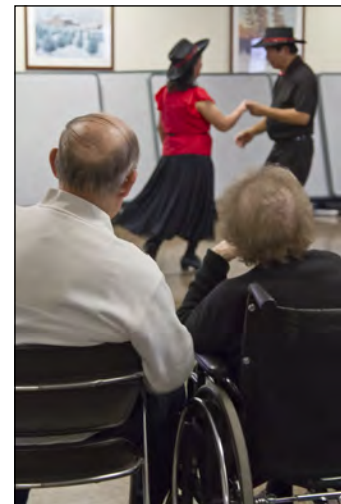
FUN FACT: Did you know that the United Nations has recognized the Tango as an "Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity"? Or, that during the Argentinian Military Revolution of the early 20th century, that the government closed down the dance halls—fearing that couples could still quietly discuss subversive politics whilst in an embrace? Tango dancers *are* a passionate lot! They just took their dancing to the coffee houses, dancing amongst the tables—and that it is this which lends modern Tango its' characteristic abrupt turns, and sharp movements? Now you know!

Think warm thoughts and see you at our next dance.

*Walter J. Harney*



# January Outreach — Hillsborough County Nursing Home Goffstown, NH



Photos by Joyce Wilson and Joe Hannaford

## 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. Contact Joyce at 603-644-3427.



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**SATURDAY  
Feb. 23, 2013**

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**ALSO, SAVE THE DATE FOR  
THE PRE-EVENT SOCIAL AT...**

**RITMO 550 - MANCHESTER'S SALSA SOCIAL**  
SATURDAY · FEBRUARY 16 AT 8:00PM  
**Studio 550 Art Center**  
550 Elm St, Manchester, NH

Join us for an evening of fun and dancing at Studio 550, the newly opened gallery, artist studio and community space at 550 Elm Street. The space is across from the Verizon Center, one block over from Murphy's Taproom.

## SAVE THE DATE! AND REGISTER NOW ONLINE!

An evening of Nueva Vida Salsa Fiesta includes dinner, lessons, shows, and dancing, with door prizes and raffle prizes during the evening. We hope to see you there!

**THE CUBAN EDITION**  
FEATURING AMANDA & ADRIAN Directors of DC Casineros  
**SATURDAY · FEBRUARY 23, 2013**

Prices:  
WORKSHOPS - \$15 EACH, OR BOTH FOR \$20!!  
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**6:45PM REGISTRATION OPENS**

**7:00PM GUAGUANCO WORKSHOP** with Adrian & Amanda, ALL LEVELS - Explore feminine & masculine movement phrases & content for a genre of Cuban Rumba.

**8:00PM AFRO CUBAN WORKSHOP** with Adrian & Amanda, ALL LEVELS - Delve into Afro Cuban dances for Elegguá, Shango & Oshun orishas. For Men & Women!

**7-9PM SALSA BEGINNER ON2 MINI-BOOTCAMP**  
with Aaron & Maylena of Masacote - Absorb the foundations of Salsa NY Style on2 & get ready to dance with us this evening!

**9:00PM DANCE FLOOR OPEN FOR DANCING**  
Music by DJ Rob Suave from Boston

**10:00PM SHOWTIME!** Performances by Special Guests Amanda & Adrian, and more!

**1:00AM EVENT IS OPEN UNTIL 1AM!!!**

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Amanda and Adrian have been choreographing, teaching and performing Casino infused with Afro-Cuban dance for the past seven years. They have traveled the US highlighting many Cuban Rueda festivals and were most recently special guests at the Nicaragua Salsa Congress.

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**2013  
NHABDA Schedule**

**Feb. 16** Pinkerton  
**Mar. 16** Pinkerton  
**Apr. 20** Pinkerton  
**May 18** Pinkerton  
**June** No Dance  
**July 20** NHIA  
**Aug. 17** NHIA  
**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

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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:



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January 14, 2013  
 New Hampshire Amateur Ballroom Dancers Association

Dear members,

Thank you for organizing a food drive to benefit the Sunshine Soup Kitchen in November, 2012. Your generous donation of canned goods helped to replenish our stock room for the winter months, when we see the greatest need. The Sunshine Soup Kitchen offers a free, nourishing meal to anyone in need five days per week.

The Sunshine Soup Kitchen operates solely on donations. It is vital to our mission to have the continued support of the entire community. We are grateful that the members of NHABDA are committed to helping provide that support. Please keep the Soup Kitchen and our guests in your thoughts and prayers.

Yours truly,

Cynthia Dwyer  
 Executive Director

CD:cs

*Outgoing President Lynne Townsend conducting the first NHABDA board meeting of 2013 at the Coach Stop Restaurant in Londonderry, NH.*



# 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](http://www.SalsaNewHampshire.com) e-mail: [infomasacote@gmail.com](mailto:infomasacote@gmail.com) \* Salsa Fiesta! Westford, MA, Sat. 2/23 6:45pm-1am, for more info. visit website or call 617-286-MASA (6272). Pre-event Salsa Social Sat. 2/16 8pm at Studio 550, Manchester, NH.

**Get-in-Step Ballroom Dance Lessons** – Betty Ashooh, Bedford & Derry, NH. 603-716-6791 or go to [www.getinstep.biz](http://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](http://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](http://www.krystalballroom.com)

**Let's Dance Studio** – Michelle Johnson 603-228-2800 5 North Main St., Concord, NH. Group lessons, performance classes, Zumba offered. New– Paso Doble! Free practice sessions Thur. 8-10pm. For more information go to [www.letsdancenr.com](http://www.letsdancenr.com)

**Love, Laugh & BALLROOM DANCE Center** Located in the Lakes Region, Meredith, NH. For info call Judy 603-937-0113 or email [judy@lovelaughballroomdancecenter.com](mailto:judy@lovelaughballroomdancecenter.com) We offer private lessons, group classes, student practice sessions and public monthly dances open to singles, couples and the LGBT community. For details visit [www.lovelaughballroomdancecenter.com](http://www.lovelaughballroomdancecenter.com)

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

**Newport's "Secret" Ballroom** Natalie Mavor Miles 603-863-2222, 35 Main St., 3rd flr., Newport, NH. [www.thenewportballroom.com](http://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](http://www.papermoondance.com) or call 603-429-1100.

**Portsmouth Ballroom Dance Studio** 603-433-2009 Portsmouth, NH [www.portsmouthballroomdancestudio.com](http://www.portsmouthballroomdancestudio.com)

**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](mailto:pauledemers@comcast.net), call 978-304-1064, or go to [www.puritysprings.com](http://www.puritysprings.com)

**Queen City Ballroom Dance Studio** 21 Dow Street, Manchester, NH. \* QCB offers classes in Ballroom, Latin, Hustle, Salsa and

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**Rockingham Ballroom** 603-659-4410 Newmarket, NH

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**Seacoast Ballroom** 603-502-3267 The Harborside/Portsmouth, NH. [www.seacoastballroom.com](http://www.seacoastballroom.com)

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

## IN MASSACHUSETTS

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**Tina LaFlam's Dance Studio** 28 Burnham St., Gloucester, MA. Ballroom Dance Weekend 4/12-4/14. Meals, lodging, dancing at The Beacon Resort, Lincoln, NH. Reservations required. Call 978-283-8758, e-mail: [miss-tina@verizon.net](mailto:miss-tina@verizon.net), or go to [www.misstinasdancestudios.com](http://www.misstinasdancestudios.com)

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**Maplewood Dance Center** 207-878-0584 383 Warren Ave., Portland, ME. E-mail: [themaple@maine.rr.com](mailto:themaple@maine.rr.com) or go to [www.maplewooddancecenter.com](http://www.maplewooddancecenter.com)

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**Deadline for the March 2013 Footnotes is Feb. 22nd!**



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