



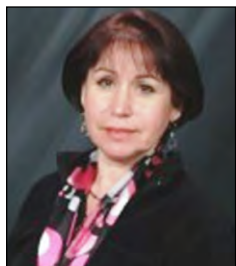
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# Footnotes

OFFICIAL NEWSLETTER OF THE NEW HAMPSHIRE AMATEUR BALLROOM DANCERS ASSOCIATION

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



### Greetings friends of NHABDA—

Wow, what a great time we had at our "Back to the 50s Sock Hop" dance in April. It was well attended with great

music, great performances and even an old fashioned stroll during the evening. Most people got into the spirit by dressing in 50s garb including poodle skirts, scarves and "pink lady" jackets for women and letter sweaters or leather jackets for the guys.

We were fortunate to have four instructors from **Let's Dance Studio** in Concord to teach the pre-dance lesson. We were able to split into two smaller groups to learn a lively East Coast Swing move.

At the break we were treated to a showcase by teachers and students from Let's Dance. Their numbers included a Paso/Rumba Formation, Swing, Bolero and a Peabody/Quick Step combination. Special thanks to **Michelle Johnson** as well as all the instructors and performers.

It was great to welcome back **Joe Butera**, who provided outstanding dance music for the evening. Thanks go to all who brought door prizes and food to share as well as to our dance hosts: Bob Collins, Bob Williams and Vin Cassidy. I would also like to extend a special thank you to Virgie and her crew for the festive decorations.

The NHABDA Dance Seminar held at the end of March was a big success. Norman Thibault taught some fun patterns in both Rumba and Cha Cha to about 32 attendees. We try to hold a sem-

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## Swing Into Spring Dance

### Saturday, May 9, 2015

#### 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.

**6:45 – 7:30 pm Rumba Lesson by Mica Milojkovic**

**8:45 Showcase by MM Ballroom**

**7:30 – 11:00 pm General Dancing to Windham Community Swing Band**

*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)

OR call **603-716-6791** and include date of dance, names of all attending and seating preferences.

Admission: \$15. for current NHABDA members, \$20. for non-members (Annual dues are only \$20.)

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

**Please make reservations by 7:00 pm on Thur., May 7th!**

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



Photos by Joe Hannaford

NHABDA dance seminar with Norman Thibault, held at the Bedford Old Town Hall on March 28.

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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*

inar at least once a year, so if you missed this one, plan to attend the next one.

In April the Outreach Group visited Harris Hill Nursing Home in Concord NH. Nine couples danced before an audience of about 25 residents, family and staff. The **next Outreach** will be at the **Epsom HealthCare Center** in Epsom NH on **Sunday May 17th**. Please contact Joyce Wilson for more information.

On **May 9th** we'll hold our **"Swing into Spring Dance!"** The **Windham Community Swing Band** will be back and **Mica Milojkovic** of **MM Ballroom** will join us to teach a Rumba lesson and present a showcase. Ticket prices for this

dance will be slightly more to help cover our additional expense for the live band.

The Board of directors and the various committees work behind the scenes to help keep the organization running smoothly, including the music, lessons and showcases provided at the dances, the annual scholarship, dance seminar, outreach and the *Footnotes* publications. We are always looking to hear what we did right or what we could do better. We are also looking for some dedicated people to join us on the Board or be part of a committee. Please consider joining and helping to keep our organization alive and active.



As we transition to warmer weather, our lives get busy with weddings, camping, yardwork and graduations. Please remember that there is *no June Dance*. On July 18, we will be moving to our air-conditioned summer venue at the NH Institute of Art in Manchester, NH.

Hope to see you all soon!

*Eileen*

### 2015 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 \$20.00 per person, per calendar year and are tax deductible. Please make your check payable to **NHABDA** and mail with this form to: *Eileen Morin, President, 24 Apple Blossom Dr., Londonderry, NH 03053.*

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:



# Highlights from April 11th Dance – “Back to the 50s”



Photos by Joe Hannaford



## Showcase by Let's Dance Studio, Concord, NH





# More Places to Dance!

## IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

### 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. Burlesque is back! Free Thurs. night practice sessions & dance parties 8-10pm. For more information go to [www.letsdancenh.com](http://www.letsdancenh.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 on Services, Rates and Schedules 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** We have a new dance space at 33 Depot St., Merrimack, NH! 2,400 SF floor. General info. call 603-943-1106 or go to [www.papermoondance.com](http://www.papermoondance.com)

### 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. 2015 Ballroom Dance Weekends: 5/22-25; 9/11-13; 10/16-18. For info. and reservations e-mail [pauledemers@comcast.net](mailto:pauledemers@comcast.net), call 978-304-1064, or go to [www.purityspring.com](http://www.purityspring.com)

### Queen City Ballroom Dance Studio

603-622-1500 NEW Location! Group & Individual lessons at N-Step Dance, 1134 Hooksett Rd., Hooksett, NH. \* 19th Anniversary Dance Party & Showcase – Sun. 4/26 1-5pm, Radisson Hotel, Manchester, \$16.pp by 4/25, \$20.pp at door \* Sun. night Ballroom Dance Parties, 7-9pm at the Londonderry Lions Club Hall, 246 Mammoth Rd, Londonderry, NH. \$8.pp For more info. go to [www.queencityballroomnh.com](http://www.queencityballroomnh.com) or email [karen@queencityballroomnh.com](mailto:karen@queencityballroomnh.com)

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

**Royal Palace Dance Studio** 373 So. 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 four nights a week. Call 603-621-9119 E-mail: [info@royalpalacedance.com](mailto:info@royalpalacedance.com) *Mention this Footnotes and receive \$5 off your visit!*  
[www.RoyalPalaceDance.com](http://www.RoyalPalaceDance.com)

### Seacoast Ballroom

603-502-3267  
The Harborside/Portsmouth, NH. Sat. 4/25 Seacoast Classic Competition 8:30am-6pm & Spring Ball 7:30-10:30pm, Dover City Hall. Call for info. NHABDA discount for Ball!  
[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

### Baldassari Ballroom

508-668-4494  
K of C Hall, 572 Nichols St., Norwood, MA. Sundays 6-9:30pm Gen. dancing to recorded music. \$12 pp. [baldassari@earthlink.net](mailto:baldassari@earthlink.net)  
[www.SundayDance.tripod.com](http://www.SundayDance.tripod.com)

**Tina LaFlam's Dance Studio** 28 Burnham St., Gloucester, MA. 50th Anniversary Celebration Sun. 5/17, 2-6pm, Rocci Post 143 Brimbal Ave. Beverly MA, MUST Reserve tix! Call 978-283-8758 or e-mail: [miss-tina@verizon.net](mailto:miss-tina@verizon.net), or go to [www.misstinasdancestudios.com](http://www.misstinasdancestudios.com)

### MASSABDA

[www.massabda.org](http://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](http://www.BallroomDance.net)

### '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](http://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](http://www.maineballroomdancing.com)

**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)

## IN RHODE ISLAND

### Friends of Ballroom Dancing (FOBD)

401-847-2980 253 East Main Road, Portsmouth, RI. e-mail: [SkipFOBD@cox.net](mailto:SkipFOBD@cox.net)

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## Save these dates!

# 2015

## NHABDA Schedule

|          |           |
|----------|-----------|
| May 9    | Pinkerton |
| June     | No Dance  |
| July 18  | NHIA      |
| Aug. 15  | NHIA      |
| Sept. 19 | Pinkerton |
| Oct. 17  | Pinkerton |
| Nov. 7   | Pinkerton |
| Dec.     | No Dance  |

**Showcases and lessons are being booked for every dance!**

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

## Attention Everyone!

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**Singles are always welcome at NHABDA dances!** Dance hosts usually provided. If interested in hosting, contact Arleen Potter at 603-432-6679.

**Deadline for the July 2015 Footnotes is June 26th!**



**NHABDA**

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***April Outreach  
Harris Hill, Concord, NH***

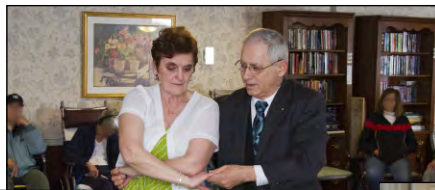


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