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NHABDA

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

Spring Fling  
DANCE

SATURDAY, MAY 20, 2017

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 1st 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., May 18th!

6:45 - 7:30 pm Rumba Lesson by Paul & Doris Demers

8:45 Showcase by Mason Martell & Lyndsey Patten

7:30 - 11:00 pm General Dancing to Paul & Doris Demers, 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) OR call 603-716-6791 and include date of dance, names of all attending and seating preferences.

Admission: \$12. for current NHABDA members \$17. for non-members (Annual dues are only \$20.)  
Late reservations and admissions at the door: \$2.00 additional.

NOTES FROM THE NHABDA BOARD

by John Carbonello —

Saturday night April 22nd, after a cold damp raw day, NHABDA hosted the appropriately named "April Showers Dance". Inside Pinkerton, over one hundred people danced to the NHABDA debut of the Jim Zarulous Band.

Instructors Jennifer and Roman from Let's Dance Studio in Concord, NH started the evening teaching a tango pattern. It was nice to see couples dancing this pattern later that night.

During the break, Let's Dance also performed a showcase consisting of four individual routines. The ladies performance team opened the showcase dressed in Victorian bloomers and pantaloons and performed an enticing tango. Then 7-year old Emmalyn Ruopp, along with her instructor, performed a show stopping cha cha. Next, the swing performance team danced a quick, lively and fun swing. Instructors Jennifer and Roman closed the showcase demonstrating their considerable dancing skill with an elegant tango.

A few years ago the board sent out a member survey. One of the survey questions addressed music preference. Most people preferred a DJ. However, many members really enjoy live music. During the year the Board tries to provide both. During the evening we received positive feedback regarding the Jim Zarulous Band. We appreciate your feedback — it helps the Board in planning upcoming events.

The Outreach group danced at Nashua Crossing to a large group of residents, staff and visitors. This was their first time there and the audience was lively with lots of clapping going on. They were very appreciative and wanting to know when Outreach will be returning.

The next Outreach is scheduled for Sunday, May 21st at 3:00 p.m. at Riverwoods at The Boulders in Exeter.

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From a cruise line job application: "The definition of a good dance host is someone (usually a gentlemen) who excels at continued on pg. 2

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

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social ballroom dancing. They must be capable of doing foxtrot, waltz, rumba and cha-cha. They also must be a good conversationalist." **Thanks to Bob Williams and Robert Gadza** for serving in this role during the "April Showers Dance!"

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A dance etiquette reminder from Fred Astaire Dance Studios: "Dancing should be more compact when on a crowded dance floor. Keep steps small and reduce the size of turns".  
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"Can't act. Can't sing. Slightly bald. Can dance a little!"  
*From: Fred Astaire screen test report for RKO Radio Pictures. (1937)*  
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Q: How many dance teachers does it take to change a light bulb?

A: "Five, Six, Seven, Eight!"

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Our next dance is at **Pinkerton on Saturday, May 20th**. The "Spring Fling Dance", a tradition at many colleges and universities, will include a rumba lesson. Paul and Doris Demers, best known for hosting the Purity Springs dance weekends, will teach the lesson and also serve as DJ's for the evening. Hope you will join us for another fun evening.

Questions, comments, suggestions — reply at [jjcarbonello@gmail.com](mailto:jjcarbonello@gmail.com)



*Norman Thibeault and his dance partner Karen, from Fred Astaire/Worcester taught Intermediate Quickstep and East Coast Swing patterns at the April 29th NHABDA dance seminar in Bedford NH.*

**2017 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

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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:



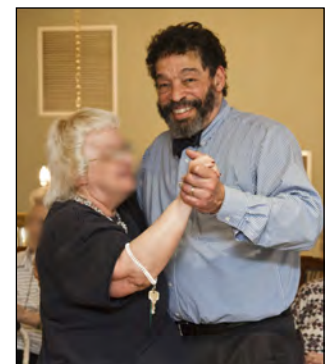
# April Outreach – Nashua Crossings, Nashua, NH



Photo by Barbara Salvatore



Photos by Joe Hannaford



# More Places to Dance!

## IN NEW HAMPSHIRE

**Fitness Ballroom** Hampton Falls, NH. Antonio Cassetta owner. Call 1-888-704-4348 or visit [www.fitnessballroom.com](http://www.fitnessballroom.com) for info.

### 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, line dancing, Zumba offered. Burlesque is back! Free Thurs. night practice sessions & dance parties 8-10pm. May Ball on 5/20 - "Spring Bling"  
For more info go to [www.letsdancen.com](http://www.letsdancen.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** 33 Depot St., Merrimack, NH. 2,400 SF floor. General info. go to [www.papermoondance.com](http://www.papermoondance.com) or call 603-943-1106.

### 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. For info. call 978-304-1064, e-mail: [pauledemers@comcast.net](mailto:pauledemers@comcast.net), or go to [www.purityspring.com](http://www.purityspring.com)

### Rockingham Ballroom

603-659-4410  
Newmarket, NH Ballroom every Sat. 7:30-11pm, live band, \$14pp. Country line dancing 1st & 3rd Fridays every month. For more info go to [www.the-rockinghamballroom.com](http://www.the-rockinghamballroom.com)

**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!*  
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[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 978-283-8758. e-mail: [laurie@gienapplaw.com](mailto:laurie@gienapplaw.com) or go to [www.misstinasdancestudios.com](http://www.misstinasdancestudios.com) for info.

**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** 207-233-5890  
614 Congress St., Portland, ME  
e-mail: [debmbd@comcast.net](mailto:debmbd@comcast.net)  
[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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**Singles are always welcome at NHABDA dances!** Dance hosts usually provided. If interested in hosting, contact Arleen Potter at 603-432-6679.

## Save these dates!

Hoping to book showcases and lessons for every dance!

# 2017

## NHABDA Schedule

**May 20** Pinkerton  
**July 15** Milford  
**Aug. 19** Milford  
**Sept. 16** Pinkerton  
**Oct. 21** Pinkerton  
**Nov. 18** Pinkerton

### 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 Eileen Morin at 603-434-0683.

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

### Attention Everyone!

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*Jennifer and Roman, Let's Dance Studio,  
taught a tango pattern prior to the April dance.*

## *April Lesson and Showcase — Let's Dance Studio, Concord, NH*



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