



# MICHIGAN SWING DANCE ASSOCIATION



## CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR LOCAL MICHIGAN CLASSIC WINNERS!!!!!!

### Pro-Am Novice West Coast Swing

- 2) Erin Byrne

### Strictly Swing Novice Placement

- 1) Tom Pogros
- 3) Scott Soderberg & Jeanette Brabandt
- 5) Sparre & Bonnie Sparre
- 6) Steve Plawinski & Robin Plawinski
- 7) Preston Burke & Chris Amberg

### Jack & Jill NOVICE Swing (Semi & Final)

- 1) Chris Amberg
- 2) Judy Mobley
- 3) John Hartig
- 5) Tom Pogros
- 6) Scott Soderberg
- 8) Preston Burke
- 10) Tammy Oberlieter

### Jack & Jill INTERMEDIATE Swing (Semi & Final)

- 8) Timothy Carmichael

### Strictly Swing Intermediate Placement

- 1) Thomas Desjardin & Lisa Desjardin

### Strictly Swing Sophisticated (+35) Int/Adv

- 2) Preston Burke & Chris Amberg

### Strictly Swing Advanced

- 4) Annmarie Laframboise

### Strictly Hustle NOVICE

- 2) Scott Soderberg & Jeanette Brabandt

### Strictly Hustle INTERMEDIATE

- 1) Thomas Desjardin & Lisa Desjardin

### Strictly Hustle ADVANCED

- 2) Tera Vitale

### Master (+50)

- 1) Bob Budzynski & Beverly Budzynski

### Sophisticated Swing (+35)

- 1) Bob Budzynski & Kim Sparre

### Jack & Jill INTERMEDIATE Hustle

- 2) Robin Plawinski
- 3) Timothy Carmichael & Patti Morris

### Jack & Jill NOVICE Night Club

- 3) Timothy Carmichael

### Jack & Jill NOVICE Lindy

- 2) Bob Budzynski
- 3) Kelly Palmiter & Laura Berger

### Jack & Jill NOVICE Sophisticated

- 1) Preston Burke & Tammy Oberlieter
- 2) Scott Soderberg & Colleen Eatman
- 3) Tom Pogros & Bonnie Sparre
- 4) Jeanette Brabandt
- 6) Geri Smith
- 8) Jon Ackerman & Judy Mobley
- 9) John Hartig & Imogene Schaeffer

### Jack & Jill Advanced Hustle

- 1) Tera Vitale

### Jack & Jill NOVICE Hustle

- 1) Scott Soderberg
- 3) Tom Pogros
- 4) Geri Smith
- 5) Tom Pogros & Jeanette Brabandt
- 6) Scott Soderberg & Imogene Schaeffer
- 8) Tammy Oberlieter
- 10) Bonnie Sparre

### Jack & Jill INT/ADV Sophisticated

- 8) Timothy Carmichael

### NEXT MSDA PARTY

JULY 17

at the AMBER HOUSE

Beg & Int Lessons 3 PM

Dance Party 4PM- 8PM

*Our parties are at the Cabaret Ballroom located inside The Amber House, 7012 E Nine Mile Road, Warren, MI. 586-754-3434*

*Details on page 4.*

## BIG DANCE WEEKEND

Two ballrooms,  
weekend workshops,  
food, showcases,  
Jack & Jills,  
Oct 15 - 16, 2005,  
Detroit, MI  
See page 5.



## NEW MEMBERS


The MSDA warmly welcomes the following Dancers to the club. Thanks so much for your support!

**MARY ANN LANIER  
BETH MARSHALL  
JUDY SHACKELFORD**

### HELP OUR CLUB GROW AT THE NEXT DANCE:

- ☺ SAY HELLO TO SOMEONE YOU DON'T KNOW
- ☺ LEARN THREE NEW NAMES
- ☺ ASK TWO NEW PEOPLE TO DANCE



HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO OUR  
JULY BIRTHDAY  
PEOPLE 

The MSDA has a birthday party every month for those with birthdays during that month. We announce the members' names, have a birthday dance especially for them and serve cake. We also have a gift for those present at the party in their birthday month. Please be sure to see Jean at the front desk before leaving the party...it needs to be laminated.

ALICE	MAPP	7/3
GERI	SMITH	7/5
FRANK	HASS	7/7
AL	GOLDSBY	7/9
MARILYN	HANDEL	7/10
BRUNO	LJOI	7/11
NIKKI	SAID	7/12
KARL	MENARD	7/21
CAROL	FIGORO	7/22
JIM	ROGERS	7/23
DEBBIE	ROGERS	7/26



## FUTURE PARTIES

**July 17**

**August 21  
September 18  
October 15**

Please note: Some of the dates are not on the 3rd Sunday due to holidays or convention dates.

**BIRTHDAYS...AN ISSUE FOR SOME MEMBERS.** It has been brought to my attention that some people **HATE** being called out on the floor for the birthday dance and may even stay home that day to avoid it. Yet I know that others love it. So, please let me know if you don't want your birthday published in the newsletter and/or if you don't want to come out on the floor. I'll be happy to respect your wishes. SN

### LOCAL AND NATIONAL EVENTS

#### JAMMIN' IN JULY

July 24 - 25, Columbus, OH  
<http://www.columbusswingdanceclub.com/page5.html>

#### MAD MAC

August 5 - 7, Madison, WI  
<http://www.madmac.info/>

#### AMERICAN OPEN

August 19, 20 & 21, 2005, Detroit, MI. Dance exhibitions, parties and contests. Bop, Hustle, DC hand Dancing, Salsa, Chicago Stepping and More. Holiday Inn Fairlane. Room rate of \$89 per night. 313-336-3340. FMI: 313-790-2311.  
[askartspectrum@yahoo.com](mailto:askartspectrum@yahoo.com)  
<http://artspectrum.org/amopen.htm>



Lots of MSDA members travel to events around the country and bring back wonderful information about dance events. We really enjoy the reviews so please keep this info coming. Also, while you're there, please pick up flyers to other events. If you give me a copy of each one, I'll make copies and put them on the Information Station for everyone to pick up. Thanks so much. SN

#### SUMMER HUMMER

August 26 - 28, 2005, Framingham, MA. Pool party, barbecue, West Coast Swing Jack & Jill comps, and dancing all night long in the grand ballroom. Instructors: <http://www.dancepros.net/summerhammerhome.html>

#### DALLAS DANCE

September 1 - 4, 2005, Dallas, TX. Weekend pass is \$65 in advance. <http://www.dallasdance.com/>

#### BRIDGE TOWN SWING

September 8 - 11, 2005, Portland, OR. No More Boogie. Just Swing. Tickets: [tickets@portlandswing.org](mailto:tickets@portlandswing.org)  
Information: [bts@portlandswing.org](mailto:bts@portlandswing.org)  
<http://www.portlandswing.org/bts.html>

#### SAVE THIS DATE:

*Wed., Sept. 14 at 7PM. Grosse Pte War Memorial. Dinner dance to benefit fire victims.  
Details to follow.  
FMI: [DrSwing@hotmail.com](mailto:DrSwing@hotmail.com)*

#### BOOGIE BY THE BAY

October 6-9, 2005  
San Francisco Airport Hyatt. Rooms \$120/night. Weekend pass is \$110 in advance. Workshops, competitions, \$25,000 in prizes. <http://www.tngsdc.org/bbtb/index.php> or [boogie@tngsdc.org](mailto:boogie@tngsdc.org)

#### AMERICAN LINDY HOP CHAMPIONSHIPS

October 20 - 23, 2005. Stamford, CN. Instructors and Judges for 2005. Sylvia Sykes, Bill Borgida & Julee Mertz, Tena Morales, Jane Ford Jennifer Salvadori & Justin Zillman, Chester Whitmore, Angela Andrew Paulette Brockington, Skye Humphries and Nina Gilkenson, David Graybill and others. Workshops, competitions, \$20,000 in prizes. <http://www.artspectrum.org/alhc2005.htm>  
[askartspectrum@yahoo.com](mailto:askartspectrum@yahoo.com)

#### CHECK IT OUT

Local and National Events Listing  
<http://msda.org/events.htm>  
Have an event to add? [msda@att.net](mailto:msda@att.net)



## DISCOUNTS FOR MEMBERS



**THE DANCE CLUB's progressive** classes begins every six weeks at the Amber House in Warren. **Schedule:**

**Mondays** / June 6 to July 11

Beg. Swing- 6:30 PM

Beg. Salsa - 7:30 PM

Adv. Hustle - 8:30 PM

**Tuesdays** / June 7 to July 12

Beg. Hustle - 6:00 PM

Adv. Hustle - 7:00 PM

Adv. Salsa - 8:00 PM

**Friday** evenings: Ballroom Dancing - 7:00 PM Dance Lesson, 8:00 - 11:00 PM Dance. Private lessons available. Mambo, Hustle, ChaCha - Tango - Waltz - Foxtrot - Swing - West Coast. Huge Dance Floor! Amber House, 7012 E. Nine Mile Road (Just W. of VanDyke) Warren, MI. 586-754-3434

### **RHYTHM-N- SHOES DANCE STUDIO**

Dances on Thursday nights. \$7. 9 to 11 PM. Light snacks served. **\$1.00**

**discount to MSDA & MSSHD members on Thursday night dances.**

Suzie Brecht is the manager of the studio, as well as a teacher and the DJ. 2172 Franklin Rd, Bloomfield Hills. 248-334-0299. *See attached schedule.* RhythmNShoes@aol.com.

<http://www.rhythm-n-shoes.com>

### **ROYAL OAK ARTHUR MURRAY**

811 North Main Street, Royal Oak. FMI: 248-548-4770

### **TROY DANCE STUDIO & BODYWORKS**

**\$1.00 discount on every event to MSDA members.** They hold scheduled parties several nights a week. 4963 Rochester Rd. Troy, MI 48098. Elaine Marrero, 248-689-3393. <http://troydancestudio.com>

Also on Friday nights: Salsa at Hoop City Grill inside Star Theatre complex, Sfld. (former Volcanos) & at Larco's on Big Beaver in Troy. Free lessons at 9PM.

### **ARGENTINE TANGO DETROIT**

7758 Auburn Road, Utica 586-254-0560. An instructor from Deliz DanceSport is teaching Salsa & Swing on Mondays! **\$1.00 off all events to MSDA members.** lori@argentinetangodetroit.com <http://www.argentinetangodetroit.com>

### **DANCE ALERT**

Want to receive the latest e-mail news on dance related events in Michigan? Want to know where the hottest dance floors are? To subscribe **free** to all the latest dance news, visit her website at:

<http://dancemichigan.com>.

Instructors, DJ's, Studios and Bands may advertise for free. You can print out a huge, newly revised list of area dance floors or check out the Information Station at the monthly dance for her list.

### **DELIZ DANCESPORT**

231 Eureka Road, Wyandotte, MI 48192 734-281-1969. Saturday night dances. M-F, 1pm-10pm, Sat. by appt. 734-281-1969 or delizdance@aol.com <http://delizdancesport.com>

### **DANCESPORT ACADEMY OF MICHIGAN**

23666 Park, Dearborn, MI 48124 313-724-3262. The studio has Friday night open dances, \$8. Sat night dances are \$10. **\$1.00 off to MSDA members.**

<http://www.dancesportacademy.com>

### **DANCE ELITE BALLROOM STUDIO**

6315 Haggerty, W. Bloom. American and International Ballroom Dancing. Group and private lessons for all ages. Barry Douglas teaches Hustle classes Tuesday nights. Friday night parties with Glenn Clark. Lesson at 8, dance from 9 to 11. Saturday night dance parties, 9 to midnight, \$10. **\$1.00 off to MSDA members.** 248-926-8522. <http://eliteballroom.com>.



### **CARPATHIA CLUB DANCES**

DJ Michael D' is pleased to announce Ballroom Dancing every 1st Wednesday of the month at the Carpathia Club on Utica road in Sterling Heights. Elegant hall/beautiful large wooden dance floor. 8pm to 11pm. \$10 per person. **\$1.00 Discount to members of MSDA.** 38000 Utica Road between Schoenherr and Hayes just north of 16 mile rd. (Metro Parkway/Big Beaver). 313-402-7494 or [Mderscha@yahoo.com](mailto:Mderscha@yahoo.com) <http://BallroombyStarlite.com>

### **LYNCH'S**

Three Locations: Warren: (586) 751-1780. **15% discount to MSDA members.** They carry various trims for costumes, teachers' shoes, tights, etc.

### **DAVE THE CARMAN IS HERE!**

Hello Everyone! Dave the Baker is now Dave the Car Salesman! I work for Jorgensen Ford and if you are in need of a new or used car, I can get you the Best Deal Ever! Mustangs, Explorers, F150's and more! **All MSDA Members get \$100.00 off the Best Deal in town!** New or Used Cars, Purchase or lease. David Michalski. **FORD HAS COME OUT WITH EMPLOYEE DISCOUNTS FOR EVERYONE!** 313-584-3282

### **AMERICAN MATTRESS GALLERY**

17825 Eureka Rd., Southgate, MI 48195. 734-282-1300. Anything that a person would need in quality mattresses. Full line of innerspring, visco foam and dual control air mattresses. Large selection of adjustable beds. **MSDA Members receive 10% Discount.**

### **COULD I HAVE THIS DANCE?**

Contact Meagan Woodbury if you are a male dancer between 40 - 70, & you are interested in becoming a gentleman host on cruise ships. **\$5 discount for MSDA members.** 586-775-1933

### **CEO VIDEO**

Still and video photography services. "Documenting precious, once-in-a-lifetime, loving memories of special occasions. **\$50 off the Diamond Wedding Videotaping Package (5% of \$1000), 5% discount on any other services.** Matt Trupiano. matt@ceovideo.net, 586-596-5240. <http://www.ceovideo.net/>

**REMINDER:** Show your **MSDA** card at GLSDC and MSSHD dances to **get in at their member prices** Just show your card and save. They have a club dance every Wednesday in Flint at VFW Hall, G-4138 Corunna Road, just 1/2 mile west of I-75. GLSDCeditor@aol.com. MSSHD : bbudzyn@comcast.net

### **HUBER & BREEZE**

**30% discount** on all Rentals, Sales, Repairs of New & Used Disc Jockey Equipment. 33540 Groesbeck Hwy. Fraser, MI (586) 294-3950

### **PLEASE REMEMBER**

TO TAKE YOUR MSDA MEMBERSHIP CARD WITH YOU WHEN ASKING FOR DISCOUNTS AT STUDIOS AND EVENTS. THEY ARE HAPPY TO GIVE YOU THE DISCOUNT BUT SHOULD NOT HAVE TO TAKE YOUR WORD FOR IT THAT YOU ARE A MEMBER. BELIEVE IT OR NOT, SOME PEOPLE MASQUERADE AS MSDA MEMBERS.

Guest Instructor Phil Dorroll

## Detroit West Coast Swing Workshop Weekend July 16 & 17, 2005

**Phil Dorroll**  
Instructor  
Event Director for the  
Michigan Classic  
& Nashville Classic



Phil Dorroll is available for Private Lessons prior to the activities on both Saturday and Sunday. To make an appointment, call Phil at 615-242-2674 or email him at [danceamerica5678@comcast.net](mailto:danceamerica5678@comcast.net)

### Dance Jam - Saturday, July 16

Join us Saturday evening for a **Dance Jam** at Danny Burton's house from 6 to 8:30 that evening. It's a casual and fun way to get some ideas and improve your dance skills. It's a small group of dance friends and acquaintances getting together for a Dance Jam! Hey, we even have pizza and snacks! And it's only fifteen bucks! If you have other plans for Saturday night, you can go to the Dance Jam first and then go do your own thing. Or, you can stay and join the rest of us at Diamondback at about 9:30 for some social dancing. The Saturday evening session is open to Intermediate/Advanced level dancers. Limited to the first 20 people who call (space considerations). Couples encouraged, singles are also welcome. To reserve a space, call Sharon at 248-390-0515 or Judy at 248-553-7973.

### MSDA Dance- Sunday, July 1

Lessons 3:00 – 4:00 pm

**At the request of many attendees, this class will feature  
a review of the last six months' lessons.**

It is taught by Phil Dorroll (Classes: free to members, \$3 to non-members)

**Beginner Class**

(Classes: free to members, \$3 to non-members)

4:00 – 8:00 pm - **MSDA Dance**

(See <http://msda.org/monthly.htm> for details)

**FREE  
CLASSES\***

All workshops and dance will be held at the Amber House, 7012 E. 9 Mile, Warren. Between Van Dyke and Mound..

#### BIO

Phil Dorroll lives in Nashville, TN, where he is the owner and operator of *Dance America Productions* and *Dance Connection Dance Studio*. Phil is a full time dance instructor and promoter teaching workshops and privates in the Tennessee and Alabama area. Phil with his wife, Louise, teach dance, promote and organize various dance events and weekends across the country, including the Michigan Classic, Nashville Classic, Nashville Dance Camp, Music City Dance Camp, Memphis Swing Jam, & Nashville Swing Weekend.

Phil & Louise have competed in many competitions on the swing circuit during the past few years and some of their accomplishments include,

US OPEN - 4<sup>th</sup> Place Masters, 2001  
KC Swing Challenge – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Masters, 2001  
Heartland Swing – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Open, 2002  
Swing Fling – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Sophisticated Swing, 2002  
KC Swing Challenge – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Showcase, 2002  
Heartland Swing – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Masters, 2003  
Heartland Swing – Advanced Jack & Jill 1<sup>st</sup> Place, 2003  
Swing Fling – 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Sophisticated Swing, 2003  
Atlanta Summer Swing Jam – 1<sup>st</sup> Place Adv J & J, 2003  
Atlanta Summer Swing Jam – 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Adv S. Swing, 2003

#### Mission Statement

Our goal is to bring quality dance instruction, competition, and social dancing together in an environment that people will enjoy as they develop life long friendships and memories.



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The MSDA is a proud member of the  
World Swing Dance Council

HEY, YOU GUYS!!!!  
THE PARTY IS SUNDAY,  
JULY 17, 2005!!



*Thank you for your support.*