



CAPITAL CITY SWING Dancer's Association

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... AND NOW, A WORD FROM YOUR PRESIDENT...

CCSDA needs the help of its members to make 2007 Swingapalooza a big success!

As most of you already know, CCSDA will host the 2nd Annual Swingapalooza on Saturday, May 19, 2007, at Ric Seeling's Dance Studio. All of us on the Board of Directors are working hard again this year to plan a day filled with exciting WCS competitions, good music and lots of social dancing.

Since our Association has a limited budget, we had to find creative ways to raise funds to support this event. CCSDA hosted a silent auction back in October, which was very successful and brought in over \$1,000. At this time, with the event just a few months away, we need all of our members to help us raise more funds. CCSDA will offer advertising opportunities for businesses in our event program (ad size and prices are on a separate sheet, attached to this newsletter). If you have a business, this would be a great opportunity to let your dance friends know about it! If you know of any other business that might be interested in placing an ad in our program, just let them know that for a very reasonable price they can get great advertisement! The deadline for submitting program ads is April 20th! We are also seeking monetary donations/sponsorship for any of the competitive divisions. If you would like to support a particular division, you can make a donation for the 1st, 2nd and 3rd place prizes and you will be listed as a "sponsor" for that division!

I look forward to hearing from all of you and I greatly appreciate everything you can do to help your Association make 2007 Swingapalooza a great dance event!

Catrinel Jordan,

CCSDA President 06/07

1ST DANCE IN 2007 WAS A SUCCESS!

We started the new year with good music, good food and good time! Over 50 people attended the "Workshop & Potluck Dinner" dance on January 27th! Thank you, Denise, for a great workshop!

MARK YOUR 2007 CALENDARS....

We have 3 dances left:

Saturday, March 31, '07 (workshop w/ Bryan Jordan)
Saturday, May 19, '07 (2nd Annual Swingapalooza)
Saturday, June 23, '07 (07-08 membership drive dance)

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU!

Eddie Hernandez 11/12	Carol Murla 1/3
Billy Burch 11/14	Shirley Edwards 1/4
Peggy Polk 11/14	Jodi Chandler 1/13
Misti Gauthier 11/22	David Murla 1/17
Danyelle Jumonville 12/8	Gretchen Romano 1/19
Roy Hunt 12/14	Paul Dentre 1/31
Buddy Edwards 12/29	

ANOTHER ARRIVAL!

CCSDA member Terry Cangelosi is pleased to announce the arrival of her new grandson, Reid Alexander Martinez, on December 25, 2006. Congratulations Granny!

THEY'RE ENGAGED....

On New Years Day, Britt Mixon & Jody Chandler formally announced their plans to be married in October 2007. Congratulations! What a way to start a new year!

IN SYMPATHY

We send our deepest sympathy to CCSDA member *Buddy Edwards*, who's mother passed away on December 23, 2006, in Arlington, TX. We also offer our condolences to CCSDA Board Member *Nancy Rose-Dentre*, who lost her mother, Leona Rose, on January 22, 2007 to a battle against pneumonia. Our thoughts and prayers also go to CCSDA Board member *Cathy Hunt*, for the loss of her brother-in-law, Ralph Kling, on January 27, 2007. Buddy, Nancy & Cathy, we will keep you in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time!

OUR MEMBERS REPRESENT ...

Take a look at these results...as always, CCSDA members are a real force to be reckoned with on the competitive West Coast Swing circuit:

November 2006 - Nashville Classic—Nashville, TN (NASDE)

Jewell Reid— Novice Jack & Jill finalist

Peggy Polk (& Ben Johnson) – 3rd place—Intermediate Strictly Swing

Peggy Polk (& Genieboy Collins)—1st place—Sophisticated Swing Intermediate Jack & Jill

Keith & Celeste Gussoni —6th place—Open Sophisticated Strictly Swing

November 2006—U.S. Open Swing Dance Championships—Anaheim, CA (NASDE)

Denise Jordan—All Star Jack & Jill finalist

December 2006—Big Easy Dance Classic— New Orleans, LA

Shawn Moody (& Judy Gouiterrez) – 1st place—Male Pro-Am Novice Strictly Swing

Bryan Jordan & Misti Gauthier – 2nd place - Male Pro-Am Novice Strictly Swing

Bryan Jordan & Sandi des los Reyes – 3rd place—Male Pro-Am Novice Strictly Swing

Bryan & Catrinel Jordan – 1st place—Male Pro-Am Intermediate Strictly Swing

Bryan Jordan & Peggy Polk - 2nd place—Male Pro-Am Intermediate Strictly Swing

Bryan Jordan & Cathy Hunt – 1st place—Male Pro-Am Silver (+50) Strictly Swing

Bryan Jordan & Sandi des los Reyes – 2nd place—Male Pro-Am Silver (+50) Strictly Swing

Shawn Moody (& Judy Gouiterrez) – 3rd place—Male Pro-Am Silver (+50) Strictly Swing

Kristen Moody (& Byron Calix) – 1st place—Female Pro-Am Newcomer Strictly Swing

Celeste Gussoni (& Fred Miller) – 2nd place—Female Pro-Am Newcomer Strictly Swing

Kristen Moody (& Byron Calix) – 1st place—Female Pro-Am Novice Strictly Swing

Kristen Moody (& Paul Nelson) – 2nd place—Female Pro-Am Novice Strictly Swing

Kristen Moody & Henry des los Reyes – 1st place—Female Pro-Am Intermediate Strictly Swing

Carol Murla (& Byron Calix) - 1st place—Novice Strictly Swing

Sandi des los Reyes (& Paul Nelson) - 2nd place—Novice Strictly Swing

Jewell Reid (& Hank Penland) – 3rd place—Novice Strictly Swing

Peggy Polk (& Ben Johnson) – 2nd place—Intermediate Strictly Swing

January 2007—Americas Classic Championships—Houston, TX (WSDC)

Bryan Jordan & Carol Murla—3rd place—Male Pro-Am Novice Strictly Swing

Bryan & Catrinel Jordan - 5th place—Male Pro-Am Novice Strictly Swing

Denise Jordan (& Byron Calix) - 2nd place—Female Pro-Am Novice Strictly Swing

Denise Jordan & Henry de los Reyes—1st place—Female Pro-Am Intermediate Strictly Swing

Carol Murla (& Byron Calix) - 2nd place—Novice Strictly Swing

Henry des los Reyes (& Kari Scheffe) - 1st place— Intermediate Strictly Swing

Peggy Polk—Novice Jack & Jill finalist

Misti Gauthier—Novice Jack & Jill finalist

Henry des los Reyes—Intermediate Jack & Jill finalist

Bryan Jordan (& Samantha Buckwalter) - 4th place—Professional Jack & Jill

Denise Jordan—Professional Jack & Jill finalist

Denise Jordan—2nd Place- Top Female Teacher

Bryan Jordan—3rd Place—Top Male Teacher

NOW ACCEPTING NOMINATIONS FOR 07/08 CCSDA PRESIDENT

Fill in the blanks below and mail this slip to: CCSDA, P.O. Box 77123, Baton Rouge, LA 70879 or drop it in the box @ the next CCSDA function on Saturday, March 31st.

I, _____ a CCSDA 06/07 member, nominate _____,
also a CCSDA member, for CCSDA President for the 07/08 year.
