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# Dayton Ballroom Dance Club Newsletter

2150 Arbor Blvd. Moraine/Dayton, OH 45439

[www.daytonballroom.org](http://www.daytonballroom.org)

Welcome – We are Dayton’s only dance club to offer weekly dance classes from the areas top instructors. Classes are offered for beginners through gold levels.

<p><b><u>Officers</u></b></p> <p><b>President</b> Mary DiNofa (937) 405-9799</p> <p><b>Vice President</b> Walter Sullivan (757) 773-5949</p> <p><b>Treasurer</b> Barb Morrisey (937) 254-6888</p> <p><b>Secretary</b> Lori Langdon (937) 581-9977</p> <p><b>Trustees</b> Sally Mettler Paul Miller Will Sorensen</p>	<p><b><u>March/April Dances</u></b></p> <p>Sat. Mar 3     76 Dance Club @ Arbor Hall – Theme <b>Renaissance Ball</b> Kings’ Feast Social Hour 7:00 -8:00, Dance 8:00 – 11:00 Cost \$12.00 Members / \$15 Guests</p> <p>Sat. Mar 10    Dance(tonians) @ Arbor Hall – Waltz Lesson by Brandon &amp; Kristen Perpich 7:30; Dance 8:15 – 11:00, Cost \$15 for Guests</p> <p>Fri. Mar 16    Stardust @ Michael Solomon Pavilion, Dance 8:00 – 11:00, Cost \$10</p> <p>Sat. Mar 24    Swing and Sway Dance Club @ Arbor Hall Dance 8:00 – 11:00 Cost \$15</p> <p>Fri. Mar 30    Dance til’ you Drop @ Elegance in Dance Lesson 8:20 – 9:00, Dance 9:00 – 11:00</p> <p>Fri. Mar 31    Jill’s 5<sup>th</sup> Saturday Dance @ Elegance in Dance</p> <p>Sat. Apr 7     76 Dance Club @ Arbor Hall – <b>A Night with Pleasant St. Blues</b> <b>Live Band</b> Dance 8:00 – 11:00, Cost \$12 members/\$15 Guests</p> <p>Sat. Apr 14    Dance(tonians) @ Arbor Hall – Rumba Lesson by Lee Burchett 7:30 Dance 8:15 – 11:00, Cost \$15 for Guests</p> <p>Fri. Apr 20    Stardust @ Michael Solomon Pavilion, Dance 8:00 – 11:00, Cost \$10</p>		
<p><b><u>Instructors</u></b></p> <p><b>Basic Class</b> Terry Cavanaugh 937-438-6862</p> <p><b>Bronze I Class</b> Doug Shafner 567-204-3680</p> <p><b>Bronze II Class</b> Larry May 937-380-4132</p> <p><b>Silver/Gold Class &amp; Add-On Class</b> Jill Christy 937-321-4720</p>	<p>Sat. Apr 21    Dayton Ballroom Dance Club – <b>Anniversary Ball</b> @ Arbor Hall Dance 8:00 p.m. – 11:00 p.m. – Tickets \$15 Members/ \$18 Guests /\$20 Door</p> <p>Fri. Apr 27    Dance til’ you Drop @ Elegance in Dance</p> <p>Sat. Apr 28    Swing and Sway Dance Club @ Arbor Hall, <b>Polka Lesson</b> Dance 8:00 – 11:00, Cost \$15</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>MARCH CLASS SCHEDULE</b></p> <table border="1" style="width: 100%;"> <tr> <td data-bbox="380 1598 915 1934"> <p><b>Basic Class Schedule</b> <b>Weekly Rotation</b></p> <p>Mar 5 – Cha-Cha Mar 12 – Salsa Mar 19 – 4 Count Hustle Mar 26 – Tango</p> </td> <td data-bbox="915 1598 1576 1934"> <p><b>Bronze I, II and Silver/Gold Schedule</b> Classes taught each week for the month of March.</p> <p>Bronze I – Bolero / East Coast Swing Bronze II – Rumba Silver/Gold – Bolero / Mambo</p> </td> </tr> </table> <p><b>Add On Class for the month of March – Bolero</b></p>	<p><b>Basic Class Schedule</b> <b>Weekly Rotation</b></p> <p>Mar 5 – Cha-Cha Mar 12 – Salsa Mar 19 – 4 Count Hustle Mar 26 – Tango</p>	<p><b>Bronze I, II and Silver/Gold Schedule</b> Classes taught each week for the month of March.</p> <p>Bronze I – Bolero / East Coast Swing Bronze II – Rumba Silver/Gold – Bolero / Mambo</p>
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## President's Corner

DBDC is off to a great 2018. We would like to welcome all of the new dancers who have joined us over the last few months. Navigating the social dimensions of ballroom dancing can be confusing when you first start. To help make it easier, we will be featuring some elements of dance etiquette in our next few newsletters. We hope you will find these tips helpful. Of course, if you ever have any questions, don't hesitate to ask. The board, the volunteers, and any member would be happy to help you. We want your experiences at DBDC to be enjoyable and we look forward to dancing with you for years to come.

**Anniversary Ball.** Your board has been busy setting things in motion for our annual Anniversary Ball. This year's theme is "A Time to Dance." We will be celebrating DBDC's 57-year history on Saturday, April 21, 2018. Tickets are on sale now! \$15 for DBDC Members, \$18 for Non-Members and \$20 at the door.

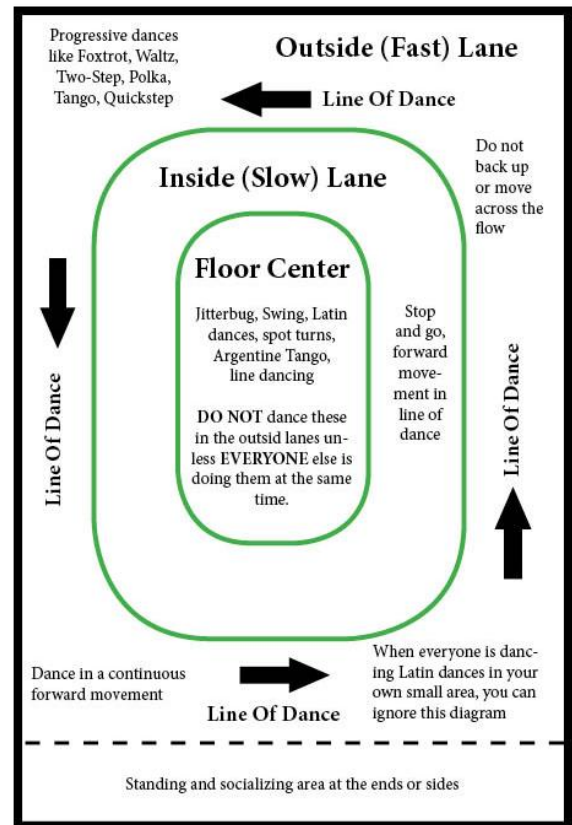
We would like to welcome our new volunteers and everyone who is participating on the event committee. Joyce Eldridge is our event planning coordinator and she is doing a great job. There is still time to get involved to help plan and set up for this special event. Please see Joyce or any board member to volunteer. We are a volunteer driven organization and everyone's contributions make our club strong.

~Mary DiNofa, President



## Dance Etiquette Tip - Line of Dance

Progressive dances like Waltz, Foxtrot, Tango, Two-Step, Quick Step, Viennese Waltz and Polka, travel around the dance floor in a counter-clockwise direction, known as the **Line of Dance**. Samba also follows the line of dance. When you are learning a dance that travels, it is best to stay in the inside lane. Dancers who are traveling quickly should stay to the outside of the oval. Rumba, Swing, Cha-Cha, Mambo/Salsa, Hustle, and Bolero are known as spot dances and do not travel along the line of dance. Following these traffic tips will help keep you safe and make your dancing experience more enjoyable.



**DANCE INFORMATION:** DBDC offers a 90-minute holidays for all levels of dancers. Classes begin at 7:30 p.m Party from 9:15 -10:30 p.m. We provide instruction for Ba Come early for a 60 Minute Add-On Class at 6:30 p.m. taught by Jill Christy for Bronze I and above.

**Basic Class – Class Fee: \$8.00 per week (Discount available if you purchase an 8-class package)**

**Bronze I, Bronze II, Silver/Gold – Class Fee: \$12.00 for Members / \$14.00 for Non-Members**

### Club Volunteers Information

**Membership:** Shannon Wahl

**Badges:** Help Wanted

**First Impressions:** Help Wanted

**Disc Jockey:** Connie Rives

**Facebook Mgr:** Camille Craighead

**Webmaster:** David Slicer

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**Historian:** Bobbie Slicer

### Class Representatives

**Basic Class:** Connie Rives

**Bronze I:** Paul Miller

**Bronze II:** Chuck Fenstermaker

**Silver:** Margaret Hilt

**Substitutes:** Sally Mettler, Mary Ebert



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