

The Goddard Dance Club News

July 2003 News

Wednesday Dance Class

New 2-month dance class series start Wednesday, July 2, 2003. The Goddard Dance Club is offering classes in Basic Ballroom Dancing featuring Rumba and Samba on Wednesdays from 7:30 to 9:30 PM. The price is \$60.00 for this set of two-hour lessons. All classes are held in the Building 8 Auditorium. Please contact the class representatives, Ike Orlovski (ikeorl@aol.com (w) 240-228-7094, (h) 301-805-8125) or Asst. Rep. Billie Byard (Billie.Byard@qssgroupinc.com (h) 410-757-9433, (w) 301-429-2581) or just show up for the class and register at the door.

Sunday Dance Class

We continue to offer Basic dance classes on Sunday at the \$60/person (bi-monthly rate), which includes both the class at 6 PM and the practice session from 7-9 PM. The continuing good news is that anyone taking either the Monday or Wednesday class can take a second class, including Sunday, for half price (\$30/person for two months).

Here is the schedule for Sunday 6 PM classes:

Triple Swing 6JUL and 13JUL
Cha Cha 20JUL and 27JUL

Monday Dance Class

The 2-month Monday class series starts July 7, 2003. This series will feature Salsa and Viennese Waltz in July. In August the class will feature Rumba and Salsa. Classes start at 7:30pm. Contact Class Rep. Ed Gaddy (edward.m.gaddy.1@gsfc.nasa.gov; egaddy@comcast.net (w) 301-286-1338, (h) 301-390-5115) or Asst. Rep. Ron Kaese (ronald.w.kaese@gsfc.nasa.gov or rkaese@yahoo.com (w) 301-286-6732, (h) 301-948-5458).

2003 Membership Cards

If you don't have a 2003 Membership card, please take the opportunity to become a 2003 member by filling out the form at the end of the newsletter and sending it along with \$10/person to the Treasurer.

Special Thanks

Celebrate Goddard Day was a day of outdoor events on the Mall held on Thursday June 26. This was an opportunity for the Goddard Dance Club to share information with Goddard employees. Special thanks to those members and friends who helped staff the Goddard Dance Club booth during Celebrate Goddard Day, including Donna Cochran, Sam Floyd, Mark Hanak, Martha O'Bryan, and Chris Zinche.

Special Events

Mark your calendars! All dances are now on Saturdays from 7:00 to 10:00 PM. Please note the time change, we are now ending the Saturday Pot Luck dances at 10:00 PM. Here is a list of upcoming dances:

2003 Dances from 7:00 to 10:00 PM		
19 July	Saturday Pot Luck	Chip Atwood
16 August	Saturday Pot Luck	Chip Atwood
30 August	Saturday Pot Luck	Chip Atwood
20 September	Saturday Pot Luck	Chip Atwood
18 October	Saturday Pot Luck	Chip Atwood
15 November	Saturday Pot Luck	Chip Atwood

Catered Holiday Party 7:00 to 11:00 PM

6 December Featuring Tony Luciano and Fritz

Feel free to invite guests. Everyone is welcome. However, please make sure that everyone invited is included on the guest list. Members and guests must be U. S. citizens and a picture ID is required. Contact Kate Perrie (h) 410-757-1185, kate.perrie2@comcast.net or Martha O'Bryan (h) 301-574-3349, (w) 301-286-1412, martha.obryan@gsfc.nasa.gov. The guest list will be submitted to Goddard Security on the Tuesday before the event. Unfortunately, we will not be able to add any names to the list once the list is submitted to the Security office, so please make sure to contact Kate Perrie by the Tuesday prior to the event.

Temporary Badge Policy

To obtain a six-month temporary badge (for unescorted access) you must be a member of the Goddard Dance Club (GDC):

- 1) and be registered for and have attended two current, consecutive 2-month class series, or
- 2) be a retired GSFC civil servant.

If you would like a temporary badge and you meet the above criteria, please contact Martha O'Bryan (w) 301-286-1412, (h) 301-574-3349, (e) martha.obryan@gsfc.nasa.gov.

NOTE:

Badges that are not picked-up may result in loss of unescorted access privileges.

Events Around Town

- Goddard Dance Club, Goddard Space Flight Center, Building 8 Auditorium, dances for 2003 are listed on page one of this newsletter. Contact Martha O'Bryan 301-286-1412 or 301-574-3349, or contact John Barker 301-614-6610 or 301-431-2626, or visit our web site <http://members.aol.com/tangomambo/goddard.htm>
- Davidsonville Dance Club, Davidsonville, Maryland. Ballroom dancing on 2nd & 4th Saturdays, Contact Millie Cave 301-262-8010.
- Wheaton Ballroom Dance Club, Saturday night dances with live bands, 8:30 to 12:30 PM. Dances for 2003 include: 11/1/03 the Continentals, and 12/6/03 DJ (recorded music). Contact Nancy McCeney 301-441-2338.
- Hollywood Ballroom, Silver Spring Maryland. Ballroom dancing on Sunday, Wednesday, Friday, & Saturday. Call 301-622-5494 or <http://www.hollywoodballroom.com/>.
- The Promenade Baltimore's Premier Dancesport Facility, 2605 Lord Baltimore Drive, Suites L-P, Baltimore Maryland, 410-277-0234, <http://www.mddancesport.com/>

Visit the Goddard Dance Club web sites at
<http://members.aol.com/tangomambo/goddard.htm>
<http://gewa.gsfc.nasa.gov/clubs/dance/goddard.htm>
<http://mywebpages.comcast.net/chipsmail>

The GEWA webpages are only accessible from within the Goddard network.

If you wish to be removed from this mailing list please email a Club officer or respond to:

Goddard Dance Club
 PO Box 173
 Glen Dale, MD 20769

Club Officers & Officials for 2003

President	John Barker	(h) 301-431-2626 (w) 301-614-6610 barkers@earthlink.net John.L.Barker@nasa.gov
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Special Events Committee Co-Chair	Billie Byard	(w) 301-429-2581, (h) 410-757-9433 bbyard@qssgroupinc.com or billie_byard@msn.com
Parliamentarian	Paul McCeney	(w) 301-286-6499 Paul.J.McCeney@nasa.gov

GDC Board Meetings are scheduled quarterly. The next meeting will be Tuesday, October 14, 2003, 5:15 p.m., on the East Campus in Building 33, Room F225, followed by dinner at a local restaurant at about 8 PM. All members are encouraged to attend or contact your class rep if you have suggestions for improving the activities offered by the dance club.

People are needed for:

- Membership
- Newsletter
- Special Events Committee Volunteers (volunteer per event)*
 - Help set-up the ballroom at 5:45 PM
 - Monitor supplies of beverages and snacks
 - Help with clean-up at 10:00 PM (~20 minutes)

* The more volunteers we have helping out, the quicker we get everything accomplished. Call Kate Perrie, John Barker or Martha O'Bryan (phone numbers provided above) if you would like to volunteer.

Goddard Dance Club Policies

Membership is open to current, former, and retired NASA/Goddard civil servants and contractors; their guests; and former members of the club. Guests must be U.S. citizens. Membership is required to register for dance classes. Dues are \$10/year.

This is a volunteer club. Members are asked to arrive early to remove chairs and tables from the floor, and/or stay afterwards to put chairs and tables back in place for official work at NASA. If you are physically unable to do this, please speak to the Class Rep about volunteering to help in some other way.

The club reserves the right to cancel any class with fewer than 14 students. In the event of inclement weather, call 301-286-NEWS to determine if the Center has been closed.

Goddard Dance Club Classes with Chip Atwood

Basic Ballroom Class

2-Month Wednesday series, July 2 to August 27, 2003 featuring Rumba and Samba

Next Series: Wednesday, September 3 to October 29, 2003

Other dances include Cha-Cha, Tango, Foxtrot, Waltz, Hustle, etc. as requested by participants

Rep.: Ike Orłowski (w) 301-805-4545, (h) 301-805-8125, iorłowski@jnt.com or ikeorl@aol.com

Asst. Rep.: Billie Byard, (w) 301-429-2581, (h) 410-757-9433, bbyard@qssgroupinc.com or billie_byard@msn.com

7:30 – 9:30 Wednesday, Building 8 Auditorium

\$60 per person for 2 hours for 2-Month series

Intermediate-I Ballroom Class

2-Month Monday, series July 7 to August 25, 2003

Next Series: September 1 to October 27, 2003

7:30 – 8:30 Monday, Building 8 Auditorium

\$40 per person for series (Intermediate I only)

\$60 per person for both Intermediate-I and Intermediate-II per 2-Month series

Intermediate-II Ballroom Class

2-Month Monday series, July 7 to August 25, 2003

Next Series: September 1 to October 27, 2003

8:30 – 9:30 Monday, Building 8 Auditorium

\$40 per person for series (Intermediate II only)

Rep.: Ed Gaddy (w) 301-286-1338, (h) 301-390-5115, edward.m.gaddy.1@gsfc.nasa.gov; egaddy@comcast.net

Asst. Rep.: Ron Kaese (w) 301-286-6732, (h) 301-948-5458, ronald.w.kaese@gsfc.nasa.gov or rkaese@yahoo.com

Monday	July	August	September	October	November	December
7:30	Salsa	Rumba	Cha Cha	Merengue	West Coast Swing	Mambo
8:30	Viennese Waltz	Salsa	Rumba	Cha Cha	Bossa Nova	West Coast Swing

Sunday Night Ballroom Practice and Dance Variations Class

*** NEW CLASS STRUCTURE ***

Sunday class instruction will include all levels of dancers

Sunday class will start with beginning material and include some intermediate material later in the class

2-Month Sunday series, July 6 to August 31, 2003

Next Series: 2-Month series September 7 to October 26, 2003

Classes feature: Triple Swing 6JUL and 13JUL; Cha Cha 20JUL and 27JUL

Dance Variations Class 6:00-7:00 PM

Dance Practice 7:00 –9:00 PM

All other classes located in Building 8 Auditorium

Rep.: John Barker, (h) 301-431-2626, (w) 301-614-6610, barkers@earthlink.net, John.L.Barker@gsfc.nasa.gov

Asst. Rep.: Kathy Bennett, (h) 410-923-6778, KBenn26@aol.com

\$60 per 2-Month Class and/or Practice

For badged GSFC employee or member of another class (50% discount) \$30 per 2-Month

\$10 Single Night Class and/or Practice (\$50% discount for badged GSFC employee - \$5 Single Night)

2-Hour Practice discounted prices for members taking other Goddard Dance Club dance classes:

\$30 for 2-Month Series and \$5/night for 7-9 Sunday Practice

Goddard Dance Club 2003 Membership Form

Name (print) _____ 2003 Card # _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____

Home Email _____

Work Email _____

Goddard Mail Code _____ On-Site at Goddard (Yes or No) _____

Check if you would like a hardcopy of Newsletter in addition to an email copy

Check if this form is for correction of information in Membership Database

Type of Membership (Check only one; members must be U. S. citizens)

___ A NASA or Goddard Civil Servant

___ AF Family Member of NASA or Goddard Civil Servant

___ B Retired NASA or Goddard Civil Servant

___ BF Family Member of Retired NASA or Goddard Civil Servant

___ C On-Site Contractor (Minimum of 20 hrs/wk on a GSFC Contract and on "LISTS")

___ CF Family Member of Current On-Site Contractor

___ D Off-Site Contractor (Minimum of 20 hrs/wk on a GSFC Contract and on "LISTS")

___ DF Family Member of Current Off-Site Contractor

___ E Guest of _____ (name of member)

___ F Guest Member Renewal: Last year of Membership was _____

___ G Single Night Guest of _____ (name of member)

Goddard Dance Club Membership is required to take classes: \$10 per year

Paid by check to the "Goddard Dance Club"

Paid by cash

My partner's payment includes my membership fee. Partner's name: _____

I, the undersigned, waive all rights and claims for damages that I may have against the Goddard Dance Club or instructors. Furthermore, I understand this is a volunteer Club and my use of government facilities is conditional upon my assisting in preparing the room for dancing and returning it to an appropriate state when required, unless I have arranged with the Class Rep to assist in some other way.

Signature _____ Date _____

If paying by mail, send this form and check to: Ron Ghosh, Treasurer of the Goddard Dance Club
Code 692, NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, Greenbelt, MD 20771

THE GODDARD DANCE CLUB



Basic Ballroom Dancing For Singles and Couples

Featuring:

Rumba and Samba

No Partner Required

Wednesdays 7:30 to 9:30 PM

July 2 to August 27, 2003

Building 8 Auditorium

\$60.00 per person



You can register for the class series during the first two classes

Bldg. 8 Auditorium, at 7:30 PM

Class Rep. Ike Orłowski (w) 240-228-7094, (h) 301-805-8125,
ike.orłowski@jhuapl.edu or ikeorl@aol.com

or contact Billie Byard (h) 410-757-9433, (w) 301-429-2581
Billie.Byard@qssgroupinc.com

Also available:

Basic Ballroom Dance lessons every Sunday 6:00-7:00 PM

featuring a new dance every two weeks and

Intermediate Classes on Mondays 7:30-9:30 PM

plus Pot Luck Dances every month!

<http://gewa.gsfc.nasa.gov/clubs/dance/goddard.htm>

<http://mywebpages.comcast.net/chipsmail>