

Memories from New Year's Eve 2006

Where else would you have been able to dance amidst stars Marilyn Monroe, Humphrey Bogart, and Betty Grable? Arbor Hall's New Year's Eve Party, that's where! Days Gone By was the theme and photos of dance stars and movie legends from the past decorated the beautifully lit hall, and a sold out crowd of 180 enjoyed multiple entrees of delicious shrimp, prime rib and chicken cordon bleu, a bountiful salad bar, scrumptious vegetables and delectable cheese cake and assorted fruit pie.

Then, the music began and those calories melted away to maestro Jack Meinking's danceable music. Sherry Partee, Chairperson of this years New Years Eve Dance for the Dance(tonains) and sponsored by all three dance clubs, opened the evening with a warm welcome to everyone and gave an overview of the evenings festivities. Mixers included dance cards that gave each attendee an opportunity to dance with three new acquaintances throughout the evening and a fun, easy to learn Mambo line dance performed to the Latin beat of the Macarena taught by Joel Shapiro. Door prizes were plentiful and snacks and refreshments were available all evening. Anticipation grew throughout the evening as midnight approached and as the clock struck twelve a rendition of Auld Lang Syne was led by Dean Shipley and as the crowd joined in, our dance community blended together with warmth and friendship as we wished each other a new year blessed with health, happiness, peace and prosperity for all. At midnight, music filled the air, the traditional champagne toast was celebrated, and coffee, donuts and muffins were served as dancers continued to mingle on the dance floor and everyone enthusiastically danced into 2007.

Many thanks to committee members Sherry Partee - Chairperson, Rebecca Watts, Louise McCoy, Laurel and Roland Tadd, Joel and Linda Shapiro, Carolyn Buechly, Don Hoyer, Renata and Ed Cardulla and Marilyn Collmer Franer for another memorable New Year's Eve!

— Marilyn Collmer Franer

Scenes from New Year's Eve 2007.....*Days Gone By*



Photos by Louise McCoy

Ballroom/Swing Dance

Featuring

Alan Parr and The Gem City Jazz Swing Band

March 9, 2007

8:00PM - 11:00PM

Crowne Plaza

33 E 5th St

Dayton, Ohio

\$10 in advance \$12.50 at the door

Contact Dan or Nancy Schneider at (937) 687-3921 or by
email swinginfools@aol.com

NOTE: Top of the Crowne Restaurant will give a 10% discount on all meals and drinks (excluding alcohol) along with a parking pass valued at \$6.00 For those wanting to stay all night there is a special room rate of \$69.00. Call 937-224-0800 for reservations.

Ohio Star Ball

Dayton resident, Gene Miller and his professional partner Shelley Kuster (Columbus) competed in the 2006 Ohio Star Ball Dance Championships (Columbus, Ohio) in ten dances of the Pro/Am Silver Rhythm Division taking seven first places and three second places.
(Submitted by Gene Miller)

In Memory

Sarah Dungan, Jim Dungan's beloved wife of 59 years, died on January 7th, 2007, after a long illness. Sarah dearly loved ballroom dancing and the many friends she made during her years of dancing. Please send any condolences to Jim via the Tobias Funeral Home web site at www.tobiasfuneralhome.com. — Bill Dean

Our Sympathy

Robert "Bob" Hedrick, of Middletown, passed away Saturday, December 23, 2006. Bob enjoyed dancing and taught ballroom dancing for the Middletown High School Community Education Program. Bob is survived by his wife of 60 years, Lorelle. Condolences may be sent to the family at www.wilsonschrammspaulding.com.

February Dance Classes

Always Ballroom, 552 Wilmington Avenue, Dayton OH 45452, For information call 256-2626.

Notes: Fridays - Group lesson 8:30 - 9:00 pm followed by a practice dance 9:00 - 10:00 pm

For detailed information check our web site <http://www.alwaysballroom.com>

Bob & Rosie's Dance Studio, St Marks Church Social Hall, 456 Woodman Drive, Dayton, OH 45431, 937-409-1465

Mondays: Basic Ballroom - 6:30 pm, Basic Ballroom - 7:30 pm, Intermediate Latin - 8:30 (All classes weeks 4-7)

Wednesdays: 3-Count Hustle (Con't) 6:30 pm, Adv Bronze Cha Cha 7:30 pm, Int Quickstep 8:30 pm

Notes: Next 8-week Beginner and Intermediate Ballroom classes start January 8, 2007

For detailed information please check our web site <http://www.bnrdance.com>

Dave Wissel's, Various evenings, Ballroom, Latin, International, Basic through Advanced group classes, YMCA located in Lebanon, Middletown, and Wilmington, OH, 513-932-3349 or call YMCA, cost approximately \$6 per person per class

Dayton Ballroom Dance Club, Hara Arena Silver Ballroom, 1901 Shiloh Springs Road., Dayton, OH, 254-7502,

www.daytonballroom.org.

Mondays: 6:30-7:15 pm, less known dances, all levels; 7:30-9:00 pm, ballroom dances, all levels, 9:15-10:30 dance

Elegance in Dance, Terry & Angie Cavanaugh, 8967 Kingsridge Dr. (behind Suburban Lodge), Miamisburg, OH, 885-0108

Tuesdays: Bronze Classes, 8:00-9:00 pm, \$8 per person per class

Thursdays: Advanced Classes, 8:00-9:00 pm, \$8 per person per class

Fridays: Workshop Classes, 8:00-9:00 pm, \$8/person (dance after included) or dance only, 9:00-11:00 pm, \$8/person

Gemini Dance, St George's Church, 5520 Far Hills Avenue, Dayton, OH 45429, 434-6065

Mondays: Basics 7:30 pm, Bronze IV 8:30 pm

Tuesdays: Basic 6:30 pm, Silver 7:30 pm, Bronze II 8:30 pm

Jill Christy & Larry May, lesson taught at Elegance in Dance Studio, 8967 Kingsridge Dr., Miamisburg, 219-4612

Wednesdays: 6:30 pm and 7:30 pm, \$8 per person per class

John Bucholz, lesson taught at Gary Geis School of Dance, 14 E. Main St., Springfield, Ohio, Beginning Ballroom Fridays 7:00—8:15 pm., Bronze Level II 8:15—9:30 pm beginning January 12, 2007 for six weeks. Parking no charge at Bushnell garage off Limestone St.—4th level walkway. \$150 couple, \$75 single, and \$15 per person for a drop-in. Call (937) 322-6229 or email: 14em@sbcglobal.net.

Top Hat Ballroom Dance Studio, Hamilton, Ohio, Info 513-896-4287, Fridays: Bronze level

February Dances

Fri. February 2, 2007, Jack & Bonnie's Dance, No dance this month

Sat. February 3, 2007, '76 Dance Club, Info 325-2402, \$7 member, \$10 guest, Arbor Hall, Dayton, 8-11 pm, Jack Meinking, DJ.

Sat. February 10, 2007, Dance(tonians) Dance Club, Info 832-1086, \$7 member, \$10 guest, Arbor Hall, Dayton, lesson on Samba by Jayson Michaels and Katt Baumgartner 7:30-8:15, dance 8:15-11 pm, Tony Rimkus, DJ.

Fri. February 16, 2007, Stardust Dance Club, Info: 937-846-1037, Michael Soloman Pavilion, Community Golf Course, 2917 Berkley Ave., Kettering, 8-11 pm, non-member couples and singles welcome, \$10 per person, Jack Yaus, DJ. Dance on one of Dayton's finest dance floors.

Fri. February 16, 2007, Bob & Rosie's Dance Studio, Info 937-409-1465, \$6 per person, St Marks Church Social Hall, 456 Woodman Drive, Dayton, open to everyone, refreshments included, 8-10:30 pm.

Sat. February 17, 2007, USA Dance - Cincinnati, Info 513-737-1120, Greek Orthodox Church, 7000 Winton Rd., Cincinnati, lesson on Merengue by Larry May, 8-9 pm, dance 9-11:30 pm, \$7 member, \$10 guest, Tony Rimkus, DJ.

Sat. February 17, 2007, YMCA Dance - Springfield, Info 937-399-9433, Springfield Family YMCA, 300 S. Limestone St., Springfield, lesson by Todd and Katie Musser 7-8 pm, dance 8-10:30 pm, \$10, John Bramhall, DJ.

Fri. February 23, 2006, "Dance 'Til You Drop Party", Elegance in Dance Studio, Info 885-0108, 8967 Kingsridge Dr., 9:00 pm until ??, \$8 per person, carry-in.

Sat. February 24, 2007, Swing 'n' Sway Dance Club, Info 879-4478, \$7 member, \$10 guest, Arbor Hall, Dayton, 8-11 pm, Jack Yaus, DJ.

Weekly Dances

Mondays: Dayton Ballroom Dance Club, Info 254-7502, Hara Arena Silver Ballroom, 1901 Shiloh Springs Rd., Dayton, 9:15 -10:30 pm, www.daytonballroom.org.

Fridays: Always Ballroom, Info 256-2626, 552 Wilmington Ave., Dayton, group lesson 8:30 - 9pm, 9 - 10:00 pm, www.alwaysballroom.com.

Elegance in Dance Studio, Info 885-0108, 8967 Kingsridge Dr., Miamisburg, group lesson 8-9 pm, dance 9-11 pm, www.eleganceindance.com.

Golden City Ballroom, Info 643-4050, 2078 E. Dorothy Lane, Kettering, group lesson and party 7:30 - 10 pm, www.goldencityballroom.com.

Upcoming Dances

Fri. March 2, 2007, Jack & Bonnie's Dance, Info 372-2342, \$15 per couple, B & B Riverfront Hall, 15 S. Main St., Miamisburg, dance 8:00-10:30 pm.

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Fri. March 9, 2007, Ballroom/Swing Dance, Info 687-3921 or swinginfools@aol.com, \$10 advance, \$12 at the door, Crowne Plaza, 33 E. 5th St., Dayton, 8-11 pm, music by Alan Parr and the Gem City Jazz Swing Band.

Sat. March 10, 2007, Dance(tonians) Dance Club, Info 832-1086, \$7 member, \$10 guest, Arbor Hall, Dayton, lesson on West Coast Swing by Jason Miklic and Sophy Kdep 7:30-8:15, dance 8:15-11 pm, John Bramhall, DJ.

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Sat. March 17, 2007, USA Dance - Cincinnati, *Spring Ball*, Info 513-403-8031, *Music Hall Ballroom*, 1300 Central Parkway, Cincinnati, 8 pm - Midnight, by March 9 members \$20, guests \$25, after March 9 members \$25, guests \$30, at door \$30, www.dancecincinnati.org, Jack Meinking, DJ.

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Fri. March 30, 2006, "Dance 'Til You Drop Party", Elegance in Dance Studio, Info 885-0108, 8967 Kingsridge Dr., 9:00 pm until ??, \$8 per person, carry-in.

Sat. March 31, 2007, USA Dance - Cincinnati, Info 513-737-1120, Greek Orthodox Church, 7000 Winton Rd., Cincinnati, lesson on West Coast Swing by Jason Miklic, 8-9 pm, dance 9-11:30 pm, \$7 member, \$10 guest, John Bramhall, DJ.

Columbus Dance Information: For information regarding dance events in the Columbus, OH area, please e-mail hender7@waynet.net.

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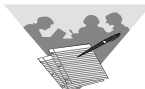
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