



Dance Club of Grays Harbor Newsletter

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**2017 Dance Club Membership dues –
only \$20 per person!!!**

*Please make checks payable to
DANCE CLUB OF GRAYS HARBOR
1431 Montview Drive, Aberdeen, WA 98520
(or pay your dues at the dance)*

Welcome to our New Members!

DCGH Contact
Information:
Arlene Hoiland:
(360) 533-1412



Dances & Dancing

Dance Classes Begin February 1

Arlene Hoiland will teach Waltz and Cha-Cha dance classes beginning 2/1/17 through 3/1/17 at the Grays Harbor College HUB building. For more info on the classes, call the college at 538-4088, or go to this web site, www.campusce.net/ghc/category/category.aspx and click on Health & Wellness to get more information and to register. (Discount for those of us over 50!)

Fri., Feb. 3: Olympia Elks (1st & 3rd Fri.), 1818 4th Ave. E., Olympia; **Lesson:** Foxtrot 7-8pm; **Music: Black Velvet; Dance:** 8-11 pm \$12 (members \$10). Info: (360) 753-0186/ <http://olympiaelks.org/>

Sat., Feb. 4: Evergreen Country Dancers, at Olympia Elks (1st & 3rd Fri.), 1818 4th Ave. E., Olympia; **Music: Broken Sky Band; Lessons:** line dance lesson 7-8pm; **Dance:** 8-11 pm \$10. Info: (360) 753-0186/ <http://www.evergreencountrydancers.com/events.html>

Fri., Feb. 10: Love to Dance Club (2nd & 4th Fri.), at Olympia Elks, 1818 4th Ave. E., Olympia; **Lesson:** Rumba 7-8pm; **Music: Michael & Leslie; Dance:** 8-11 pm; Members \$8; guests \$12; Info: (360) 701-0600



Fri., Feb. 10-11-12: Sweetheart Jamboree, Bellevue Hilton, 300 – 112th Ave. SE, Bellevue. Three days of dancing, lessons, contests! Many instructors! Info: (800) 445-8667 / <http://www.sweetheartjamboree.com/>

Sun., Feb. 12: Greater Olympia Dixieland Jazz Society (2nd Sun.), at Olympia Elks, 1818 4th Ave. E., Olympia; **Music: Dave Brown Combo; Dance:** 1-4 pm; \$14; Info: (360) 943-9123/ <http://www.olyjazz.com/>

Thurs., Feb. 14: 593 Singers, at Aberdeen Elks; 1712 S. Boone St., Aberdeen; 7:30-??pm; Info: (360) 532-2211



Fri., Feb. 17: Olympia Elks (1st & 3rd Fri.), 1818 4th Ave. E., Olympia; **Lesson:** Rumba 7-8pm; **Music:** Michael & Leslie; **Dance:** 8-11 pm \$12 (members \$10). Info: (360) 753-0186/ <http://olympiaelks.org/>

Sat., Feb. 17: Country Mile, at Aberdeen Elks; 1712 S. Boone St., Aberdeen; 7pm-??pm in the Antler Room; Info: (360) 532-2211/ <http://aberndeenelks.org/>

Fri., Feb. 17: Absolutely Ballroom at Olympia Eagles, 805 4th Ave. E. (4th & Plum), Olympia; **Music:** NAPU; **Dance:** 8-10:30 pm \$10. <http://www.absolutelyballroomllc.com/>

DCGH 2017 DANCE SCHEDULE

(* Special event dance – formal/semi-formal attire optional)
(** Halloween dance — costumes optional)

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<u>Date 2017</u>	<u>Band</u>	<u>Lesson</u>
Jan. 21	Michael & Leslie	Waltz
Feb. 18*	Casanova	Rumba
	— 9 th Anniversary Ball*	
Mar. 18	Michael & Leslie	Foxtrot
Apr. 15	Casanova	Tango
May 20	Michael & Leslie	Night Club Two-Step
June 17	_____	Cha-Cha

Sat., Feb. 18: Dance Club of Grays Harbor's 9th Anniversary Ball (3rd Sat.), Hoquiam Masonic Hall, 724 K Street (corner of 8th & K), Hoquiam; **Music:** Casanova; **FREE Lesson:** Rumba 7-8 pm – Arlene Hoiland; **Dance:** 8-10:30 pm. Mixers, Refreshments, Demos, Silent Auction. Members: \$9; Guests: \$12. Singles welcome. Info: (360) 533-1412 / www.danceclubofgraysharbor.com



SILENT AUCTION OR RAFFLE DONATIONS!

*Thanks to everyone who brings a donation to our dances.
These really do help keep our dance club afloat!*

Thurs., Feb. 23: Dukes of Swing, at Aberdeen Elks; 1712 S. Boone St., Aberdeen; 7-9pm; Info: (360) 532-2211; Facebook page: www.facebook.com/thedukesofswing



Fri., Feb. 24: Love to Dance Club (2nd & 4th Fri.), at Olympia Elks, 1818 4th Ave. E., Olympia; **Lesson:** Rumba 7-8pm; **Music:** Casanova; **Dance:** 8-11 pm; Members \$8; guests \$12; Info: (360) 357-8656



March Birthdays to Celebrate!

Larry Davidson Rod Johnson Theresa Johnson
Delona Nelson Kristine Tecco Ed Tetreau

Sat., Mar. 4: King Bros., at Aberdeen Elks; 1712 S. Boone St., Aberdeen; 7:30-??pm; Info: (360) 532-2211



Fri., Mar. 17: Absolutely Ballroom at Olympia Eagles, 805 4th Ave. E. (4th & Plum), Olympia; **Music:** Casanova; **Dance:** 8-10:30 pm \$10. <http://www.absolutelyballroomllc.com/>

Sat., Mar. 18: Dance Club of Grays Harbor (3rd Sat.), Hoquiam Masonic Hall, 724 K Street (corner of 8th & K), Hoquiam; **Music:** Michael & Leslie; **FREE Lesson:** Foxtrot 7-8 pm – Arlene Hoiland; **Dance:** 8-10:30 pm. Mixers, Refreshments, Demos, Silent Auction. Members: \$9; Guests: \$12. Singles welcome. Info: (360) 533-1412 / www.danceclubofgraysharbor.com



Sat., Mar. 18: Dukes of Swing, at Ocean Shores Elks; 199 Ocean Lake Way, Ocean Shores, for their Spring Dance; _____pm; Info: (360) 532-2211; Facebook page: www.facebook.com/thedukesofswing



Thurs., Mar. 30: Dukes of Swing, at Aberdeen Elks (last Thurs. of month, except summer); 1712 S. Boone St., Aberdeen; 7-9pm; Info: (360) 532-2211; Facebook page: www.facebook.com/thedukesofswing



Other Dancing Events!

Mondays: Aberdeen Elks, 1712 Boone St., Aberdeen; **Rockin' Deuce Line dancing:** 6:30 – 8pm. Elks (360) 532-2211 or Brenda (360) 470-4209



Mondays: Olympia Elks, 1818 4th Ave. E., Olympia; **Evergreen Country Dancers;** line, country or swing lessons 6:30-7:30pm; **open dancing:** 7:30-8:30 pm \$5 (members \$3). Info: (360) 753-0186 or (360) 352-8933/ <http://www.evergreencountrydancers.com/>

Fridays: Ocean Shores Elks, 199 Ocean Lake Way SE, Ocean Shores; **Music: Charlie Baer or Arley;** **Dance:** 6:30pm – 9:30pm or later. Call (360) 289-2581 for info.

Fridays: Shelton Elks – Country Dancing, 741 SE Craig Rd., Shelton; dancing 8–11pm; (no cover charge); (360) 426-2322/ www.sheltonelks2467.com

Sundays: Swede Hall (1st, 3rd and 5th Sun.), 18543 Albany Street, Rochester; **Dance:** 1:30 to 4:30pm. \$5 per person. Snacks available for sale. (360) 273-7974

Sundays: Olympia Eagles Sunday Night Swing, 4th & Plum, Olympia; lesson 7pm; dancing ECS, Blues, Lindy Hop 7:30-10:30pm; \$5 cover (\$10 on live music nights). <http://www.facebook.com/groups/133317472404/P>

Other Dances: Steve Fisher's newsletter with lists of other dances around the area: <http://www.dancetacoma.org/local-resources/newsletters/>



News & Views

DCGH Board Meeting 2/7/17

The next DCGH board meeting will be held on **Tues., February 7, 2016, at 7 p.m.** at the Aberdeen Elks, 1712 S. Boone Street. All dance club members are welcome to attend the meetings. Dinner available 5-7 p.m.

DCGH Dance 1/21/16

The Dance Club's monthly dance was held on January 21 at the elegant Hoquiam Masonic Hall. Arlene Hoiland taught free pre-dance Waltz lessons from 7-8pm. Michael & Leslie provided the live music from 8-10:30pm. Mark Van Hemert and Arlene Hoiland demonstrated the Tango.





Mark Van Hemert & Arlene Hoiland perform a Tango



Editor's Note:

Happy Anniversary! Nine years!
That's how long the Dance Club has
officially been a
dance club.
Amazing, isn't it,
when a group
comes together
simply for one
purpose: to
dance! We wish you'd all come
help us celebrate this event! Dance! It's what we do!



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