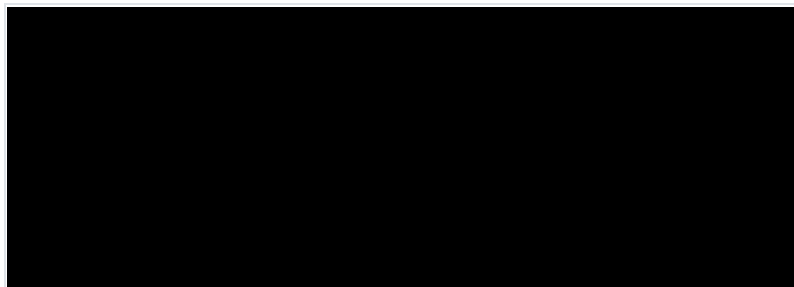


Hello Fellow Dancers,

Saturdays

February 3 - 1st Saturday - OLYMPIA ELKS Tropical Escape Dance Party with Live Music by **the Tropics Duo** from Seattle. Social ballroom dancing to great music from 7-10 pm by the **The Tropics Duo**. They play all the popular dances like Swing, W.C. Swing, Foxtrot, Waltz, Cha Cha, Rumba, Tango, Night Club 2-Step. Cover charge at the door is **just \$10 for all Elks members and \$12 for all others**. Everyone is welcome. Singles & Couples. All ages. No partner needed. Call (360)753-0186 for more information.
Olympia Elks, 1818 4th Ave E, Olympia, WA
[Tropical Escape Dance Party with The Tropics Duo](#)



Tropical Escape Dance Party with The Tropics Duo

Dance event in Olympia, WA by Olympia Elks Lodge #186 on Saturday, February 3 2024

Upcoming Olympia Elks 1st Saturday Dances with live music (no lesson):

February 3 - Tropics Duo (from Seattle) - similar to Casanova

March 2 - Michael Crain Duo

February 10 - 2nd Saturday - USA Dance Tacoma at Pacific Ballroom in Auburn with DJ Rick Gossard
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/192216785186/>

February 17 - 3rd Saturday - Love to Dance Club at the Olympia Elks with live music by **Kregg Mattson**
Call (360)701-0600 or email lovetodanceclub@gmail.com

February 17 - 3rd Saturday - Dance Club of Grays Harbor at Hoquiam Elks with DJ Mark
<http://www.danceclubgraysharbor.com/index.html>

February 17 - 3rd Saturday - USA Dance Kitsap at Masonic Hall in Bremerton with DJ Terry West

February 24 - 4th Saturday - USA Dance Tacoma at Pacific Ballroom in Auburn with DJ Terry West
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/192216785186/>

Sundays

Lady Luck's Cowgirl Up, 14114 Pacific Ave, Tacoma has **free** Sunday evening (4:00 to 8:00 pm) live music for dancing. 253-538-4996 for more information. February 4 - **Band of Friends**, February 11 - **No Band (Super Bowl)**, February 18 - **Blues Redemption**, February 25 - **Rock & Roll Magic**

2nd Sunday only - February 11 - FREE

GREATER OLYMPIA DIXIELAND JAZZ SOCIETY. Dance to live music from 1 to 4:00 PM on the **SECOND SUNDAY** of most months. Olympia Elks Lodge, 1818 4th Ave, Olympia. The Greater Olympia Dixieland/Swing Society sponsors a **FREE** dance the second Sunday of every month from 1-4 pm at the Olympia Elks Club. Dances are open to the public. A new live band each month. Everyone is welcome. Come dance to a variety of good music. Contact: mccrorydavid@hotmail.com for further information.

Mondays

South Sound Stomp presents Stompin' Grounds!

Olympia's weekly Monday Night Swing Dance

7:30 - 8 p.m. Intro to Swing Dance Lesson

8 - 10 p.m. Social Dance

Location: Olympia Ballroom, 116 Legion Way SE, Olympia, WA 98501

\$7 Cover. Lesson included in cost of entry.

COVID-19: Vaccination and masks are encouraged.

Website: <https://www.southsoundstomp.com/> <https://www.facebook.com/events/3305063566436063>

The Star Recreation Center in Tacoma has Monday afternoon senior dances with Randy Litch from 1 to 3 PM. Easy parking, beautiful large dance floor, coffee and water provided all for just \$7. 3873 S 66th St Tacoma, WA 98409 · (253) 404-3939

First Monday - March 4

Tuesdays

OLYMPIA SWING DANCE Swing every Tuesday from 7 to 10 PM at the Olympia Eagles Ballroom. Admission is normally \$7 and includes a beginning lesson at 7 PM. The music is usually recorded. Additional classes often offered during 6-7 pm time slot. The ballroom is large with a nice wood floor. All ages are welcome. Olympia Eagles Ballroom, 805 4th Ave E, Olympia, at the corner of 4th and Plum, above the Eagles Hall. <http://www.tuesdayswing.com> Covid Policy here: [Covid Policy | OlyDance](#)

Live music on 2nd or 3rd Tuesdays (with higher admission)

February 13 - Stephanie Layton

Band <https://www.facebook.com/events/3269133486720975>

March 12 - Jacqueline Tabor Group

April 16 - Sleepy Lagoon Band

May 14 - Amy Elizabeth Sheppard Group

Lacey Senior Center, 6757 Pacific Ave SE, Lacey, WA has resumed their

DANCE SOCIALS on TUESDAYS from 1:30-3:30. Cost is \$10 for public and \$7 for Senior Center members.

Wednesdays

Every Wednesday the BUCKLEY EAGLES features **live dance music** from 7 - 10 PM. Currently, there is **no cover charge. The Buckley Eagles, 29021 State Route 410 E., Buckley, WA; 360-829-1151.** <https://www.facebook.com/Buckley-Eagles-1387-912459715499311>

January 31 - Andy Burnett, February 7 - Randy Hamilton,

February 14 (Valentine's Day) - Patty & the Travelin Four,
February 21 - Magic Boyz, February 28 - AnteUp/Blue Liz Trio

MANHATTAN BALLROOM DANCE CLUB. 6:30 PM pre-dance lesson then dance on a 3,200 square foot floor from 7:30 to 9:30 PM. The **recorded music** is usually provided by **DJ Terry West or DJ Dave Green.** The cover charge is **now \$13 for the public and \$10 for members.** The membership fee is \$25. The dances are held at the American Veterans Club (upper level), 5717 South Tyler, Tacoma. For more information visit their website at www.ManhattanClub.org or

email info@manhattanclub.org.

STEEL CREEK RESTAURANT in Tacoma offers FREE partner dance classes every Wednesday, featuring CHAR & ALAN, from 8-9 PM. Followed by Music Bingo 9-11 PM.

~~Rock American Whiskey Preacher's Broadway Cakes and Steel Creek~~

Join the Bremerton Elks on Thursday February 8

for an Afternoon of FRIENDSHIP, COCKTAILS, DESSERTS AND DANCING!

12:30-3:30 with \$10 Entry Fee

FEATURING SHOWCASE PERFORMANCES

~~Ballroom~~ <https://www.facebook.com/olyballroom> Weds/1258306844842641?theatre=1

Location: Olympia Eagles 3rd Floor, 805 4th Ave E, Olympia, at the corner of 4th and Plum, above the Eagles Hall.

Admission: \$10 at the door cash, card, check (Discounts for those that need it)

Many Elks Clubs and Eagles Clubs have live music and dancing for their members and guests. This includes:

Bremerton Elks, Port Orchard Eagles & Buckley Eagles on Fridays and Gig Harbor Eagles & South Tacoma Eagles on Saturdays.

Olympic Ballroom Dance LLC is located in Olympia, Washington, and offers dance classes for **adults** and youth and a performance team to **local youth.** <https://olybd.org/> <https://www.facebook.com/olyballroom>

Steel Creek in Tacoma and **Big Whisky** in Puyallup have Country & Line Dancing and lessons.

<https://www.steelcreekcountry.com/dance-lessons>

Contra Dances are held in **Olympia** (2nd & 4th Saturdays) and **Tacoma** (3rd Sundays 3:30-6):

<https://oly-wa.us/southbaygrange/contra.php>

<https://tacomacontradance.org/>

Olympia Square Dancing information is available at this website: OlympiaSquareDance.com

Studio 6 Ballroom in Tacoma occasionally has dances. Go to their webpage or Facebook for information: <https://studio6ballroom.com/events-studio-6-ballroom/> <https://www.facebook.com/Studio6Ballroom>

For information on dances in Seattle, Renton, Auburn etc. go to: <http://www.seattledanceinfo.com>

and/or email Robert Cottrell and ask to get his **weekly** email that covers **classes & dances** in the South Sound area.

His weekly email is a good way to find out about changes that occur after this monthly newsletter is sent.

rbcottrell@comcast.net

Keep on dancing,

Steve Fisher

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