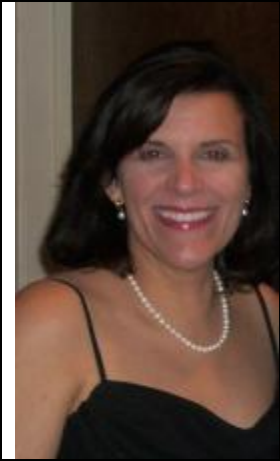
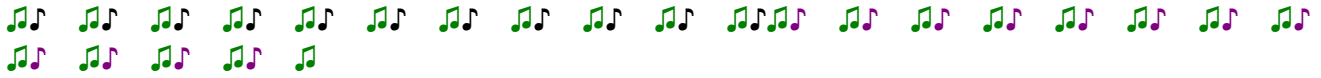




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SPECIAL FALL DANCES 2015 -

I've been a member of the Ballroom Dance Club of Oklahoma City now for 15 years, and I can tell you without a doubt that the **Best Dance of the Year** is coming up on **Wednesday, December 30th**. The Floyd Haynes 12-piece Band and their

wonderful soloist, Jae, will be playing our favorite dance numbers. This is a **formal dance** with *After 5 Attire*, which includes a suit and tie or tux for the guys, and a long formal or short dress (glitter and glamour with sparkles optional) for the ladies. We will have a **Light Buffet from 7 to 8 pm** and then **dancing to the "Big Band" sound from 8 to 10:30 pm**. There are only 125 tickets for sale for our 260 members, and **tickets are \$25 per person**. There will be a seating chart, so you can choose your table and sit with your friends. Tickets go on sale **November 1st** and will be available from Myra Woodside during our next dances in November and December. This special dance is not to be missed, so please mark your calendars and get your tickets early! Thank you and keep Dancing. *-Myra Woodside, President*

FALL DANCES 2015 -

October 30 - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm HALLOWEEN DANCE !

December 30th - Holiday Party Dance with the Floyd Haynes Band.

MUSIC -

Our music is selected with dance steps in mind. If anyone has any recommendations for dance



music, please let Myra Woodside know the song title, the artist, and the style of dance that you think the music would work with best. Send your music suggestions to Myra at myrawoodside@hotmail.com to offer your favorite dance music.

MONTHLY DANCES -

On the 1st, 3rd, and 5th Fridays of the month we have dances with CD music selections. The dances are open to all who enjoy ballroom dancing. We offer light snacks and plenty of coffee, tea, and water. Our dress code is business casual to date night dressy. Beginning dance lessons are held from **6:30 to 8:00 pm** and intermediate lessons are from **7:00 to 8:00**. The dances begin at **8:00 and end at 10:30 pm**. **Dress Code:** No denim pants or skirts on dance night. Dance shoes or Leather-soled shoes only are allowed on the dance floor. Hard soled cowboy boots and hats are not allowed. **Alcohol/Smoking:** Our dances are smoke-free and alcohol-free. **Cost:** \$5.00 per person for members and \$10. per person for non-members.

DANCE LESSONS ONLY -

Time: 2nd and 4th Fridays - 6:30 to 7:45 P.M.

Cost: \$5.00 per person.

Dress code: Leather soled shoes only.

DANCE HOSTS/HOSTESSES -

Member volunteers are needed at every dance. Early Host duties include greeting guests as they enter at the front door and assisting in setting up the refreshments. Late Host duties include staying after the dance to help clean the hall. Volunteers are rewarded with a free pass to the lesson and dance. Please call Gene Fowler at 682-9114 or send an email to her at gflower14



@cox.net and let her know if you are available to help.

MID-WEEK FUN -

Joanie Cobb and Sharon Harris-Hoover host a Mid-Week Mixer Dance every Wednesday evening at the OKC Swing Club from 7:30 pm to 10:00 pm. The music is an equal mix of Ballroom, Country, and Swing, so everyone can participate. The cost is \$5.00 per person and light snacks are provided.

ANNOUNCEMENTS -

The Club will hold Board Officer elections at a November dance. The nominating committee has a slate of candidates to be announced at the elections but write in nominations will also be taken from the floor. We have included our 2016 schedule of dances in this edition of the newsletter. **Reminders:**

- October 30th - Lesson and Halloween Dance**
- November 27th - No lesson-Thanksgiving**
- December 25th - No Lesson-Christmas**
- December 30th - No lesson, Holiday Dance**
- January 29th - 5th Friday, 1920's Dance**

DANCE INSTRUCTORS -

Candi Boone- 405-570-1056
Paul Sterling- 405-371-2440

CASHIER -

Joanie Cobb, 405-373-3597

OPERATIONS ASSISTANT -

John Moore, 405-406-5127

BUILDING ESCORT-

Larry Myrick, 405-229-0364



MEMBERSHIP-

Membership dues are \$25 per year. If you would like to become a member please complete the form on the last page of this newsletter and return it with your check or cash to Sharon Hoover Harris. Also, check the member sign-in form at the front door when you come to the next dance to see if your membership is up for renewal.

STAY INFORMED! -

If you would like to comment on the dances, the music, the newsletter, or any other topic relative to our Ballroom Dance Club activities, please send an email to Claudette at crcbus1991@live.com. In the subject line write "BDC Dance Notes". Compliments and well wishes are especially welcome. **Visit our website:** www.danceokc.org. -*Claudette Robertson, Editor*

2015 DANCE SCHEDULE

OCTOBER - CHA CHA

- 23rd - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
- 30th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm HALLOWEEN DANCE !

NOVEMBER - RHUMBA

- 6th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance
- 13th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
- 20th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance
- 27th - NO LESSON, due to Thanksgiving

DECEMBER – SWING





4th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance
11th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
18th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance
25th - No Lesson, due to Christmas

30th - NO LESSON, HOLIDAY PARTY, Floyd Haynes Band!



MEMBERSHIP FORM

NAME

ADDRESS

HOME PHONE _____ WORK PHONE _____

CELL _____ EMAIL _____

DATE DUES PAID _____ CHECK NO. _____

Membership Dues: \$25 annually Make check payable to: Ballroom Dance Club
Send to: Ballroom Dance Club of OKC, c/o Sharon Hoover, 1204 Chipper Lane,
Edmond, OK 73025



Upgrade to a life of fun activity! Let's dance the night away!

Ballroom Dance Club website: www.danceokc.org

Myra Woodside, President: (405) 658-5111
Jeff Gimpel, 1st Vice President: (405) 947-7395
Claudette Robertson, 2nd VP: (405) 826-2424





Gene Fowler, Secretary:
Sharon Harris-Hoover, Treasurer

(405) 682-9114
(405) 816-4391

Schedule of Dances for 2016-Visit our website: www.danceokc.org

JANUARY - FOXTROT

- 1st – No Lesson, No Dance, due to holiday**
- 8th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm**
- 15th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm**
- 22nd - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm**
- 29th – CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm – 5th Friday - 1920’s Dance**

FEBRUARY - WALTZ

- 5th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance**
- 12th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm**
- 19th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance**
- 26th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm**

MARCH - TANGO

- 4th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance**
- 11th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm**
- 18th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 Dance**
- 25th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm**

APRIL - CHA CHA

- 1st - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance**
- 8th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm**
- 15th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance**
- 22nd - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm**
- 29th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance – 5th Friday - Spring Fling**

MAY - RUMBA

- 6th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance**





13th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
20th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance
27th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm

JUNE - SWING

3rd - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance
10th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
17th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance
24th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm

JULY - FOXTROT

1st - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance
8th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
15th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance
22nd - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
29th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance – **5th Friday - Sock Hop**

AUGUST - WALTZ

5th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm
12th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
19th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance – **17th Birthday Party**
26th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm

SEPTEMBER – TANGO

2nd - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance
9th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
16th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm CD Dance
23rd - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
30th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm Dance – **5th Friday - Hat Dance**

OCTOBER - CHA CHA

NOTE: Fridays change to 2nd & 4th for Oct.
7th - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
14th - CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm
21st - LESSON ONLY – Candi 6:30 to 7:45 pm
28th – CD Dance – 6:30 Lesson, 8:00 pm **HALLOWEEN DANCE !**

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