

April 2011 Newsletter

Comments from our President – Pam Vaughn:



We had a very good turnout (103) for our April 9 Celebration of Spring Dance at Covenant United Methodist Church. The tables were ready for Easter and we had plenty of spring flowers and delicious snacks to set the stage. Stephanie Korpitz, our Berclair instructor of the month, and her partner Eric Snyder (both with Fred Astaire, Germantown Studios), completed the scene with their beautiful, flowing performance. What a great time!

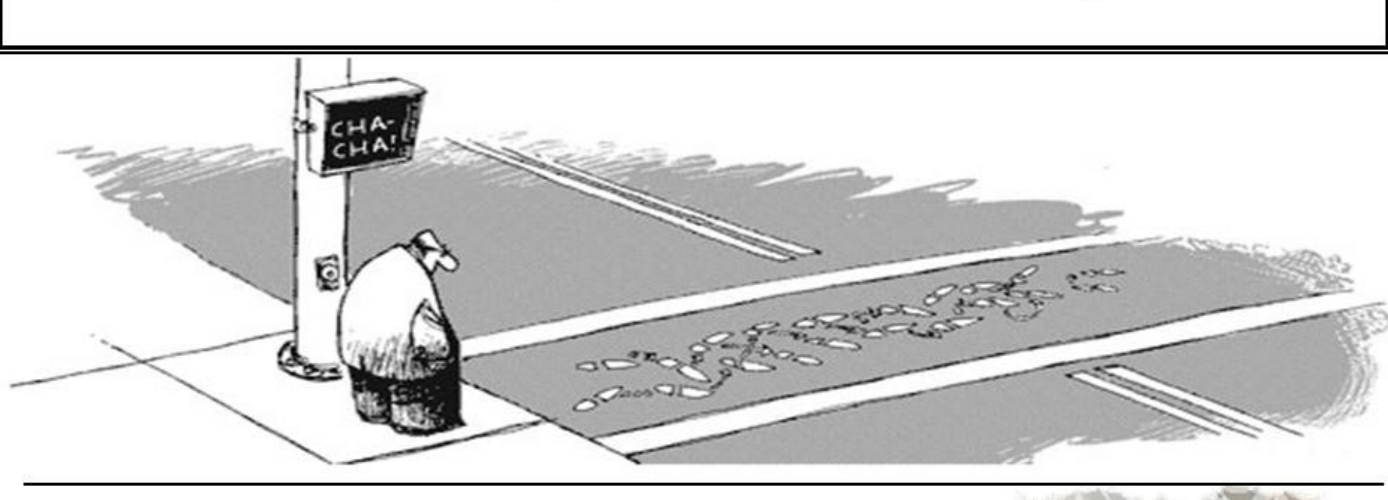
Please join us on May 14 for our Cinco de Mayo celebration also at Covenant UMC. Our music, food, and atmosphere will have that special Latin flair. We look forward to the Paso Doble dance demonstration -- complements of our Berclair class participants. So, mark you calendars for this special event!

Dance Photos - April USA Dance



USA Dance - Greater Memphis Chapter, extends a warm welcome to **Julia Sanchez, Lan Long, and Ralph & Beth Chumbley** that joined our club since the last newsletter. We look forward to your being a part of our dance family. See you on our dance floor.

Have You Moved?
If you have moved since you joined the club or your last membership renewal, we need your change of address information in order to keep our records up to date. You may conveniently do this by e-mailing your new address, telephone number, e-mail address, etc. to your Membership Chairman – Robert_b_white@bellsouth.net Also, provide us the e-mail address if you know of someone that would like to be included on our Dancers List for updates on the club's dance activity.



New Chairman for Instructor Relations
Please join in and welcome Carol Lybanon to her new position as Chairman of The Instructor Relations Committee at USA Dance Chapter 2012. Other members of this group are Dena Richardson, Sylvia Rose, and Jim Cramer. These are your former club members that are responsible for all of the activity we sponsor at Berclair Civic Center plus recruiting new dance instructors and handling all of the problems that go along with producing the superlative dance classes that USA Dance is recognized for. This hardworking volunteer group deserves a clear and emphatic round of applause for all they do for our club.



BERCLAIR TID BITS
Hola a todas que los grandes bailarines
(HELLO all you great dancers!)

April helped us Stephanie Korpitz instructing Basic I "PASO DOBLE". Our group started with 10 dancers, and by the second Sunday there were 28 Paso Doble dancers!

However, not all the class wishes to participate in the upcoming May Team Formation exhibition, but everyone is having fun and enjoys the excitement and power of experiencing Paso Doble. Joining the Paso Doble Formation Team is "Sallie and Ed" from Hope Presbyterian. Both SAMBA and Paso Doble classes continue until the end of April. Our instructor, Stephanie, and her partner Eric Snyder entertained at the April monthly dance, showcasing a glorious Viennese Waltz. Ben Stovall, the debonair gentleman who sports a handlebar mustache, continues the instruction of Paso Doble at the intermediate level Basic II in May. He definitely has the look of a Matador! Ben will also be teaching Basic I FOX TROT in May. Ben and Stephanie will lead the Paso Doble Formation Team at the May 14 dance. OLE! We want to thank our March Hostess and Host, Gail Mays and Barry Stanley, for all their helpfulness. Muchas Gracias to our Host Team for April: Scott & Shirley Terral and Janet Moore. We Welcome - Lan Long, who joined the Happy Family of Nubees at Berclair Civic Club this month and is participating in the Formation Team's, Paso Doble, presentation at the May Dance.



Balando feliz que se ve en la L.O.D.
(Happy Dancing, see you on the L.O.D.)
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**Live life fully, this is not a rehearsal...
Don't miss an opportunity to Dance.**

