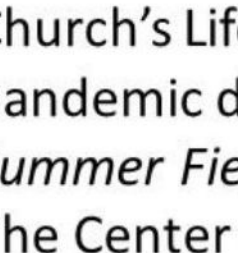
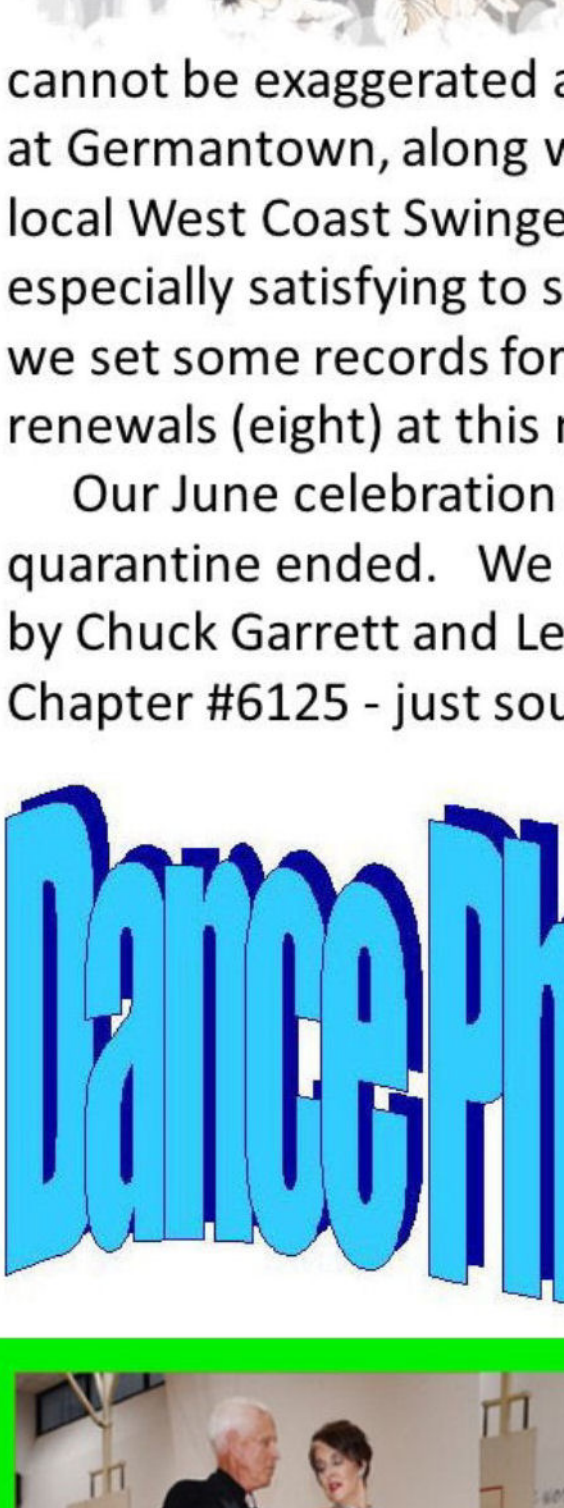


June 2021 Newsletter



Comments from our President - Robert White



The heat, typical of a Mid-South summer, arrived along with ninety USA Dance members and their guests at Advent Presbyterian Church's Life Center for our second post-pandemic dance. We celebrated our June Summer Fiesta with our favorite Latin tunes. The Center was decorated with snazzy sombreros, and the senoras and senoritas dressed the part in colorful peasant skirts and blouses.

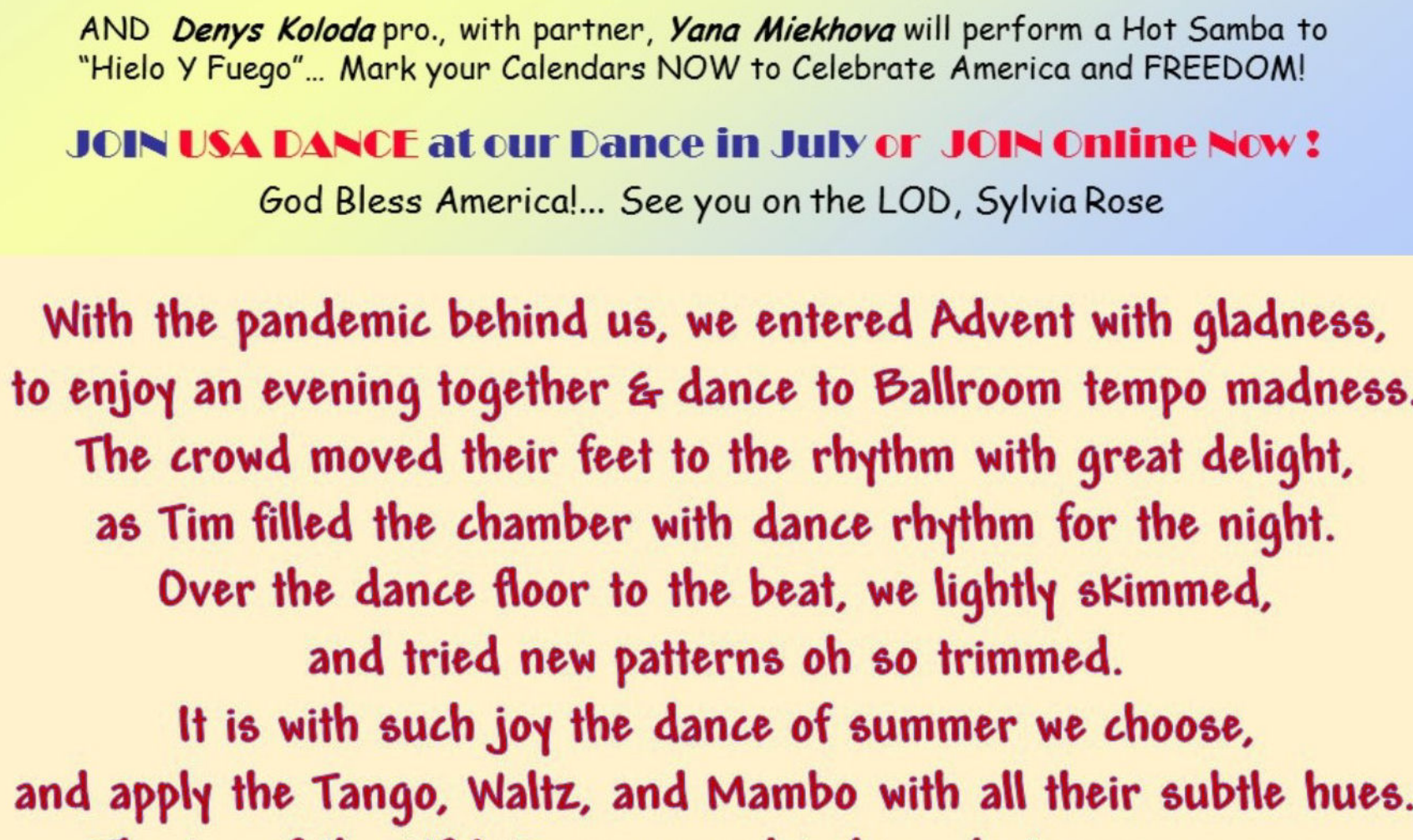
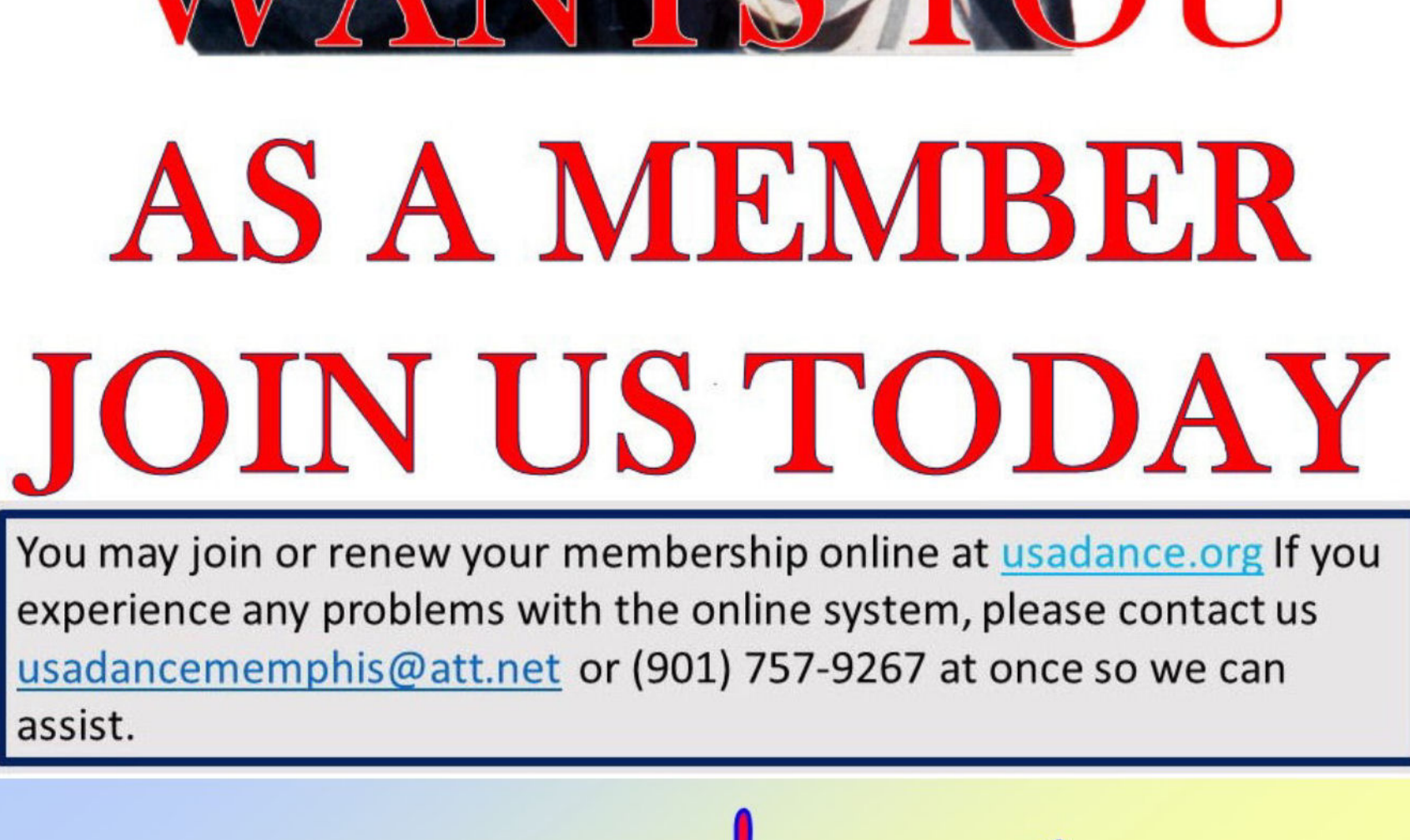
The joy of returning to the dance floor cannot be exaggerated as we welcomed special guests from The Village at Germantown, along with groups from Tupelo and New Albany, MS, local West Coast Swingers, AND quite a few first-time visitors. It is especially satisfying to see revival in our dance community! I suspect we set some records for new members joining (four) and membership renewals (eight) at this month's dance.

Our June celebration was marked by our first Showcase since the quarantine ended. We were all treated to an elegant Waltz performed by Chuck Garrett and Lee Oswald, members of our sister USA Dance Chapter #6125 of New Albany, MS.

Dance Photos - June Dance



A Summer Fiesta Waltz
Chuck Garrett and partner Lee Oswald perform an Elegant, Waltz Showcase to: Amore Musica. Chuck and Lee are from USA Dance chapter 6125 of New Albany, MS. ~ And a Happy Birthday to Lee!
USA Dance Greater Memphis Chapter 2012, June 12, 2021



and you know what happened next!

Yes! It is very hot in here!

You should go over and take that camera away from him!

The Music Master at work

Stop! No more of that cheap Tequila over here!

That couldn't be true!

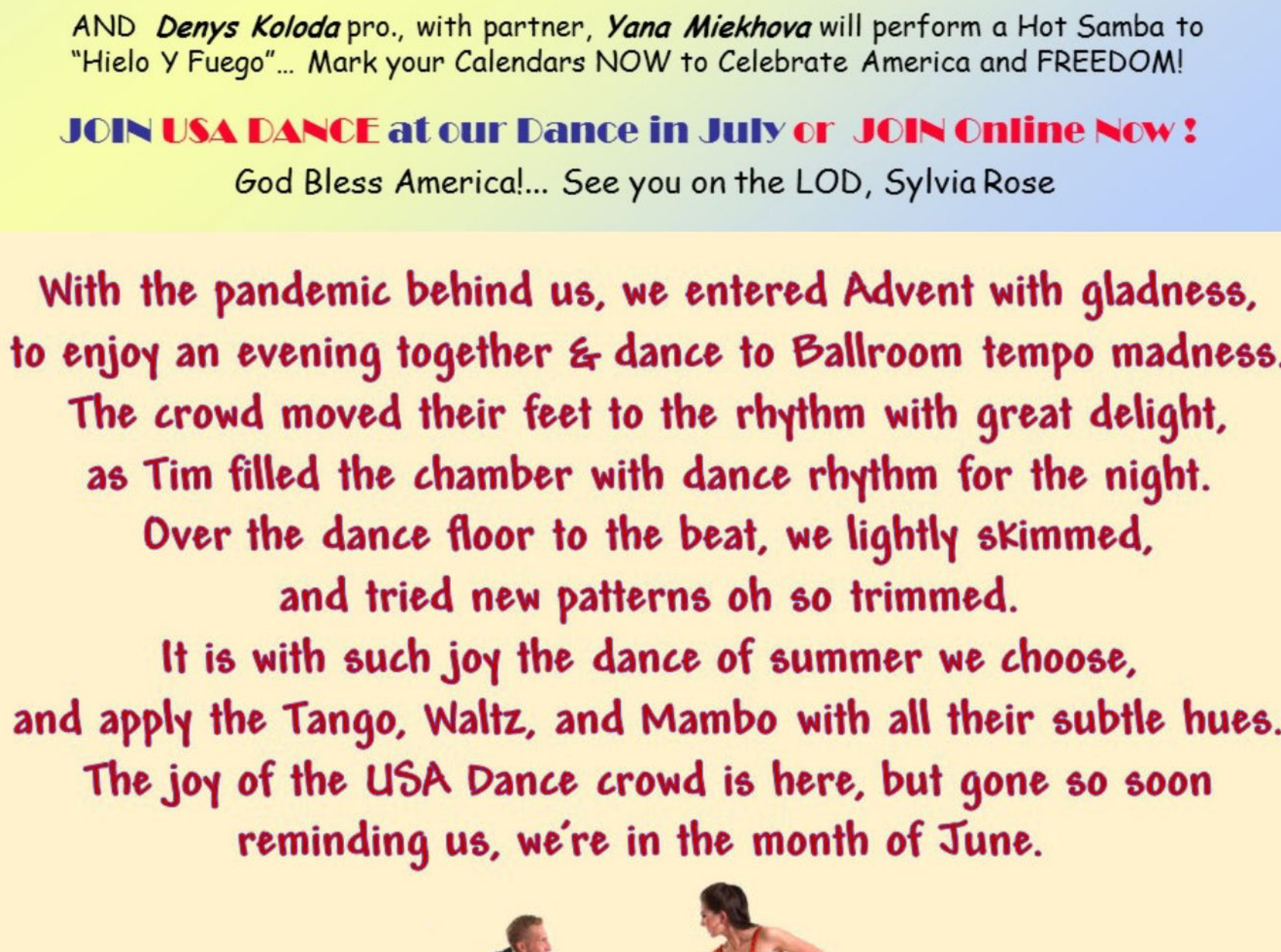
Where's that Mambo?

Show me that step one more time.

That is exactly what she said.

USA Dance - Greater Memphis Chapter, would like to welcome as a new Chapter members: **Charlise Latour, Doug Oldham, Jean Oldham, John Sharpe, and Marian Sharpe** and acknowledge the following who have renewed their membership recently: **Sharon Crisp, James Fletcher, Rita Grant, Ronnie Grant, Charlotte Schuitz, Woody Black, Nastasya Hnat, Timothy Hnat, Carol Lybanon, Matthew Lybanon, Gail Mays, Sylvia Rose, Andrea Sander, Susan Fletcher, Gail Cockrell, Dena Richardson, and Marilyn Kerr.** Our members are the strength of our chapter, and we appreciate each and every one.

USA Dance Chapter #2012



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Entertainment and Tasting

A BIG THANKS to Chuck Garrett and partner Lee Oswald, from our sister chapter 6125 of New Albany, MS for an Elegant Showcase Performance at the June 12, 2021 SUMMER FIESTA ~ OLE

GET READY FOR AN ENTERTAINMENT EXTRAVAGANZA~JULY 10, 2021
A HOT~ HOT~ HOT CELEBRATION

PRESENTING: FROM...ULTIMATE BALLROOM
Jorja Jolly, pro., guest instructor for 10+years at USA Dance classes, will perform with student Frank Vick, showcasing an East Coast Swing to "Old Time Rock and Roll" AND Denys Kaloda pro., with partner, Yana Miekhova will perform a Hot Samba to "Hielo Y Fuego"... Mark your Calendars NOW to Celebrate America and FREEDOM!

JOIN USA DANCE at our Dance in July or JOIN Online Now!
God Bless America!... See you on the LOD, Sylvia Rose

With the pandemic behind us, we entered Advent with gladness, to enjoy an evening together & dance to Ballroom tempo madness. The crowd moved their feet to the rhythm with great delight, as Tim filled the chamber with dance rhythm for the night. Over the dance floor to the beat, we lightly skimmed, and tried new patterns oh so trimmed. It is with such joy the dance of summer we choose, and apply the Tango, Waltz, and Mambo with all their subtle hues. The joy of the USA Dance crowd is here, but gone so soon reminding us, we're in the month of June.

