



# JANUARY 2025

## GREAT LAKES SWING DANCE NEWS

### *Message from our President*

**2024-2026**

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Greeting Dancers,

On behalf of the Whaley Children's Center and the Old Newsboys/Toys for Tots organization, I want to offer everyone who participated in our West Coast for Warmth charity event a big thank you for your generosity! Currently, there are 45 children housed at Whaley who benefitted from your donations. We gave \$350.00 to Old Newsboys/Toys for Tots.

Now that winter is upon us, I want to remind everyone to check their email on Wednesdays when bad weather is happening. If dance is cancelled due to bad weather, you will be notified by noon on the day of the dance.

The new GLSDC Board goes into effect on February 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025. There are no changes for the next term, the current Board has agreed to continue serving in their positions. I really appreciate their ongoing support.

The club has secured three (3) tables for the *Jammin' in July* dance convention being held on July 17<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup>. I will notify the club members who went last year, you will have first choice to renew by February 28<sup>th</sup>. Tickets are \$140.00 each.

Our dance lesson for January is East Coast Swing, week 1&2 taught by Pam Isham-Malow and week 3&4 taught by Steve Reynolds. Here's the DJ's line up: Dave. Henry, Laurel and Angela.

Happy New Year everyone,

Jim



## 2025 GLSDC DANCE LESSON SCHEDULE

MONTH	LESSON	INSTRUCTOR
January – week 1&2	East Coast Swing	Pam Isham-Malow
January - week 3&4	East Coast Swing	Steve Reynolds
February	Night Club Two Step	Angela Markle
March	Hustle	Angela Markle
April – 1 <sup>st</sup> week	Line Dances	Andrea Venner
April	West Coast Swing	Terry Council
May	Country 2 Step	Terry & Julie Lane
June	East Coast Swing	Colette Simerson
July – 1 <sup>st</sup> week	Line Dances	Katie Van Patten
July	West Coast Swing	Terry Council
August	Foxtrot	Steve Reynolds
September	Salsa	Angela Markle
October – 1 <sup>st</sup> week	Line Dances	Andrea Venner
October	West Coast Swing	Terry Council
November	Waltz	Angela Markle
December	Cha Cha	Steve Reynolds

## 2025 GLSDC EVENTS

Valentine's Day	February 12th	RollHaven
St. Patrick's Day	March 12th	RollHaven
Swing into Spring	April 26th	St. John's - Fenton
Western theme night	May 7th	RollHaven
Annual Club Picnic	TBD	TBD
College theme night	September 12th	RollHaven
Halloween	October 29th	RollHaven
Veteran's Day	November 5th	RollHaven
Thanksgiving Food Drive	November 5th, 12th & 19th	RollHaven
West Coasting for Warmth	December 3rd	RollHaven
New Year's Eve Dance	December 31st	St. John's - Fenton





# Great Lakes Swing Dance Club

## 2025 Membership Application

<i>Please check appropriate membership category</i>	Cost	Qty		Total
New Member joining 11/01/24~01/01/25	\$40.00	x	=	
New Member joining after 01/01/25	\$30.00	x	=	
2024 member renewal prior to 02/28/25	\$25.00	x	=	
2024 member renewal after 02/28/25	\$30.00	x	=	
Newsletter via US Mail surcharge	\$ 5.00	x	=	

**All 2025 memberships expire on February 28, 2026**

<i>Please print clearly and carefully</i>			
Name #1			
Name #2			
For renewing members, if your information below has not changed, please check box here <input type="checkbox"/>			
If some information has changed, provide update, check corresponding line box next to arrow.			
Street			➔
City		Zip	➔
Phone		E-mail	➔
Phone		E-mail	➔

Birthday #1 month/day only	/		Check these boxes if you <b>do not</b> want your birthday published in the club newsletter.
Birthday #2 month/day only	/		

**All information is confidential and for use only by the Great Lakes Swing Dance Club**

Checks should be made payable to:

Great Lakes Swing Dance Club  
P.O. Box 190085  
Burton, MI 48519-0085

**Signature(s) required on Waiver Form**

I hereby, for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators, waive and release all rights for damages I might have against the Great Lakes Swing Dance Club and their officers and agents, for any and all injuries or losses that may be suffered by me in any participation during or in traveling to and from the dance location(s).

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*For GLSDC use only*

Date Paid \_\_\_\_\_

Cash Amount \_\_\_\_\_

Ck # & Amount \_\_\_\_\_

Date Received \_\_\_\_\_

Date Posted \_\_\_\_\_

**Front Desk: do not accept w/o signature(s)**

# GLSDC CALENDAR

# January 2025

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 <b>GLSDC</b>  <b>NO DANCE</b>	2  <b>NO CLASS</b>	3 <b>NO DANCE</b>  <b>Sanford Shuffle</b> 7pm lesson- Social w/ Carla 8-9:30pm Dance	4 <b>Come Dance w/ Us</b> 7pm-Doors Open 7:30pm lesson-Beg & Int WCS w/Chris & Melissa Moy 8:30-11pm Dance party DJ - TBD
5	6 <b>Colette's</b> Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm <b>Lansing Dance @ YMCA w/ Alex &amp; Thom</b> 6-8pm lesson- Beg. & Int East Coast Swing	7 <b>Colette's</b> Beginner Dance class 6:30-8pm	8 <b>GLSDC</b> 6pm lesson-Dance 7-10pm East Coast Swing w/ Pam & Steve DJ – Dave	9 <b>Angela's Dance</b> 7pm lesson – Night Club 2 Step Dance – until 9:30pm	10 <b>NO DANCE</b>  <b>Sanford Shuffle</b> 7pm lesson- Social w/ Carla 8-9:30pm Dance	11 <b>2nd Saturday Swing</b> 7pm-Doors Open 7:30pm lesson-Int Country 2 Step w/ Becky & Tim Beg WCS w/TBD 8:30-11pm Dance party DJ-Becky & Tim
12	13 <b>Colette's</b> Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm <b>Lansing Dance @ YMCA w/ Alex &amp; Thom</b> 6-8pm lesson- Beg. & Int East Coast Swing	14 <b>Colette's</b> Beginner Dance class 6:30-8pm	15 <b>GLSDC</b> 6pm lesson-Dance 7-10pm East Coast Swing w/ Pam & Steve DJ – Henry	16 <b>Angela's Dance</b> 7pm lesson – Night Club 2 Step Dance – until 9:30pm	17 <b>TGIF Dance Party</b> Eagle Eye 7:15 lesson w/ Claudia 8-12am Dance <b>Sanford Shuffle</b> 7pm lesson- Social w/ Carla 8-9:30pm Dance	18
19	20 <b>Colette's</b> Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm <b>Lansing Dance @ YMCA w/ Alex &amp; Thom</b> 6-8pm lesson- Beg. & Int East Coast Swing	21 <b>Colette's</b> Beginner Dance class 6:30-8pm	22 <b>GLSDC</b> 6pm lesson-Dance 7-10pm East Coast Swing w/ Pam & Steve DJ – Laurel	23 <b>Angela's Dance</b> 7pm lesson – Night Club 2 Step Dance – until 9:30pm	24 <b>NO DANCE</b>  <b>Sanford Shuffle</b> 7pm lesson- Social w/ Carla 8-9:30pm Dance	25
26	27 <b>Colette's</b> Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm <b>Lansing Dance @ YMCA w/ Alex &amp; Thom</b> 6-8pm lesson- Beg. & Int East Coast Swing	28 <b>Colette's</b> Beginner Dance class 6:30-8pm	29 <b>GLSDC</b> 6pm lesson-Dance 7-10pm East Coast Swing w/ Pam & Steve DJ - Angela	30 <b>Angela's Dance</b> 7pm lesson – Night Club 2 Step Dance – until 9:30pm	31 <b>TGIF Dance Party</b> Eagle Eye 7:15 lesson w/ Claudia 8-12am Dance <b>Sanford Shuffle</b> 7pm lesson- Social w/ Carla 8-9:30pm Dance	

### Colette's Beginner Dance Class

Howell Opera House, cost \$10  
123 Grand River, Howell  
Colette Simerson 810-618-5959

### GLSDC Wednesday Dance

RollHaven – Grand Blanc  
5315 S Saginaw St.  
Flint, MI 48507

### Angela's Lesson & Dance

The Sports Zone, Cost \$12  
5690 Midland Rd., Freeland  
Anaela Markle 989-274-4709

### Come Dance with Us

Fred Astaire Bloomfield  
7-11pm; 2172 Franklin Rd.  
Robin & Steve Plawinski  
810-348-6379 Cost \$15

### Colette's Beginner Dance Class

cost \$10  
Linden VFW Hall, #1 Mill St., Linden  
Colette Simerson 810-618-5959

### Lansing Dance @ YMCA

Oak Park YMCA, 900 Long Blvd.  
Lansing, YMCA members free, guests \$15. Instructors: Alex Torres & Tom Cannell  
Call YMCA – 517-827-9700

### TGIF Dance Party

Light Buffet, Cash Bar, Cost \$20  
Hawk Hollow Banquet Center  
15101 Chandler Rd, Bath /  
Eagle Eye Golf & Banquet Center,  
15500 Chandler Rd. Bath  
Claudia Bleil 517-749-1300

### Sanford Shuffle Dance

The Studio Cost \$10 for one (1) class \$15 for both  
328 W. Saginaw Rd. Sandford, MI  
Lon Wackerle 989-430-0026 or  
Debbie Bacus 989-687-7413

Every attempt has been made to ensure the calendar information is accurate - but please check with the event host to confirm dates, fees, lessons, location, etc. before attending event.



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## January Birthdays

Name	Birthday
Henry H. Royster Jr	2-Jan
Terence Wirth	6-Jan
Dawn Hartman	9-Jan
Charlene Chamberlain	10-Jan
Claire Whiteman	13-Jan
Ann Zender	18-Jan
Therese Krall	19-Jan
Becky McInnes	21-Jan
Dulcinea Penfold	21-Jan
Jimbo Venable	21-Jan
Sally Conley	23-Jan
Susanne Foster	24-Jan
Brenda May	26-Jan
Marge Brennan	27-Jan
Gerald Wilson	29-Jan

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20th Annual Dancin on the High Seas  
**AMERICAN BOP ASSOCIATION**  
 Swing Jitterbug Bop Shag

**Princess Cruises Majestic Princess**  
**February 04-18, 2025 14 days**

Special Surprises & a Cruise giveaway to Celebrate  
 20 years of Cruising & Dancing on the High Seas

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 Barbados - Grenada ~ Trinidad ~ Curacao ~ Aruba  
 & 5 Sea Days for ABA Complimentary Dance Lessons

**Interior Stateroom from \$2379 ~ Balcony Stateroom from \$3055**  
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Taxes, Fees & Port Expenses @ 190 - subject to change  
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 All Rates & amenities are subject to availability at time of booking  
 ALL RATES QUOTED ARE PER PERSON BASED ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

GROUP RATES are quoted as current Princess Plus package Including BEVERAGE PACKAGE, ONBOARD GRATUITIES & WI-FI all rates quoted are subject to change & availability  
 CABINS MUST BE RESERVED WITH JUST CRUISIN', INC. TO QUALIFY FOR COMPLIMENTARY WORKSHOPS AND ONBOARD DANCE EVENTS INSURING DANCE FLOORS ARE RESERVED FOR ABA SUPPORTERS

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 Your ABA Dance Instructors Mike & Debbe Lapina,  
 Steve & Kathy Day, Al Simmering & Janice Mantia

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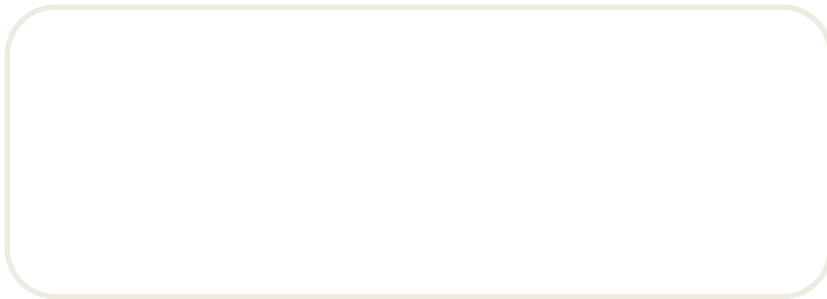


## 2025 Out-of-Town Dance Events

20<sup>th</sup> Annual Dancin' on the  
 High Seas  
 Majestic Princess  
 Ft. Lauderdale, FL  
 February 4-18<sup>th</sup> 2025

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