



# MARCH 2023

## GREAT LAKES SWING DANCE NEWS

### *Message from our President*

**2023-2024**

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Greetings,

Thank you to everyone who renewed their club membership before the February 28<sup>th</sup> deadline. Our club is even stronger because of you and it's going to be a great year for dancing!

We celebrated Valentine's Day on February 15<sup>th</sup> at RollHaven. There were 108 members and guests in attendance. It was a fun night of dancing with delicious desserts and good music played by DJ, Dave Wolf.

It's time to get ready for St. Patrick's Day. It will be here soon...we'll be celebrating at RollHaven on March 15<sup>th</sup>. I'm looking forward to seeing your Irish attire. You may bring snacks and/or desserts; although it is optional.

Aloha to *Swing into Spring*, this year's member appreciation dance will held on Saturday, April 15<sup>th</sup> at St. John's in Davison. Mark your calendar and plan to attend this Hawaiian inspired dance. We will have pizza, pretzels, chips, pop and water. It's free to members, all others will be charged \$15 at the door. There will also be a membership meeting at this event. Please thank Tonya Gerow, Coni Barlow and Colleen Cates for their planning efforts.

In the past few months, we have had several new members join our club. Please take the time to introduce yourself and ask them to dance.

March's lesson for the first week is popular line dances taught by Katie Van Patten and East Coast Swing for the rest of the month, taught by Carolyn Wehner. The DJ's line up: Dave, Angela, Dave, Angela and Laurel.

Dancing is good for your health,

Jim



## 2023 GLSDC DANCE LESSON SCHEDULE

MONTH	LESSON	INSTRUCTOR
January	Hustle	Claudia Bleil
February	Night Club Two Step	Angela Markle
March - 1 <sup>st</sup> week	Line Dances	Katie Van Patten
March	East Coast Swing	Carolyn Wehner
April	West Coast Swing	Terry Council
May - 1 <sup>st</sup> week	Line Dances	Andrea Venner
May	Country Two Step	Claudia Bleil
June	Salsa	Angela Markle
July	East Coast Swing	Colette Simerson
August - 1 <sup>st</sup> week	Line Dances	Andrea Venner
August	West Coast Swing	Terry Council
September	Social	Colette Simerson
October	Rumba	Angela Markle
November	West Coast Swing	Terry Council
November - 5 <sup>th</sup> week	Line Dances	Andrea Venner
December	East Coast Swing	Pam Malow-Isham

## 2023 GLSDC EVENTS

<i>St. Patrick's Day</i>	<i>March 15<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>RollHaven</i>
<i>Swing into Spring</i>	<i>April 15<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>St. John's - Davison</i>
<i>Western Night</i>	<i>May 10<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>RollHaven</i>
<i>Annual Club Picnic</i>	<i>August 6<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>Polish Veteran's Park</i>
<i>College Night</i>	<i>September 13<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>RollHaven</i>
<i>Halloween Costume Dance</i>	<i>October 25<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>RollHaven</i>
<i>Veteran's Day</i>	<i>November 8<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>RollHaven</i>
<i>Thanksgiving Food Drive</i>	<i>November 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup> &amp; 22<sup>nd</sup></i>	<i>RollHaven</i>
<i>West Coasting for Warmth</i>	<i>December 6<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>RollHaven</i>
<i>New Year's Eve Dance</i>	<i>December 31<sup>th</sup></i>	<i>St. John's - Fenton</i>

St. Patrick's Day  
Celebration

Come dance with  
GLSDC

Wednesday, March 15<sup>th</sup>

RollHaven ~ Grand Blanc  
5315 S. Saginaw Rd.  
Flint 48507

Express yourself with Irish attire  
Bring a fun snack or dessert,  
both optional

Regular rates apply



*Aloha*

Swing into Spring

*Aloha*

Member Appreciation Dance

Saturday, April 15<sup>th</sup>

7-11pm (doors open @ 6:30)

St John's in Davison ~ 505 N. Dayton St.

Pizza, chips, pretzels, pop & water provided

Desserts to pass are optional

Free to current members, all others \$15 @ door



# GLSDC CALENDAR

# March 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 GLSDC 6pm lesson-line dances w/ Katie Dance 7-10pm DJ - Dave	2 Angela's Dance 7pm lesson –West Coast Swing 7:30-9:30pm dance	3 <b>No TGIF Dance</b>  Sandford Shuffle 7pm lesson-4 count Hustle w/ Carla 8-9:30pm Dance	4 Come Dance w/ Us 7-11pm 7:30pm lesson- Rumba w/ Donald Westphal 8:30 Dance Party
5	6 Colette's Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm	7 Colette's Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm	8 GLSDC 6pm lesson-East Coast Swing w/ Carolyn Dance 7-10pm DJ – Angela <b>Birthday Night</b>	9 Angela's Dance 7pm lesson –West Coast Swing 7:30-9:30pm dance	10 TGIF Dance Party-Eagle Eye 7:15pm lesson 8-12am dance  Sandford Shuffle 7pm lesson-4 count Hustle w/ Carla 8-9:30pm Dance	11
12	13 Colette's Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm	14 Colette's Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm	15 GLSDC 6pm lesson-East Coast Swing w/ Carolyn Dance 7-10pm DJ - Dave <b>Shirt Night</b>	16 Angela's Dance 7pm lesson –West Coast Swing 7:30-9:30pm dance	17 <b>No TGIF Dance</b>  Sandford Shuffle 7pm lesson-4 count Hustle w/ Carla 8-9:30pm Dance	18
19	20 Colette's Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm	21 Colette's Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm	22 GLSDC 6pm lesson-East Coast Swing w/ Carolyn Dance 7-10pm DJ – Angela	23 Angela's Dance 7pm lesson –West Coast Swing 7:30-9:30pm dance	24 TGIF Dance Party-Eagle Eye 7:15pm lesson 8-12am dance  Sandford Shuffle 7pm lesson-4 count Hustle w/ Carla 8-9:30pm Dance	25
26	27 Colette's Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm	28 Colette's Beginner Dance lesson class 6:30-8pm	29 GLSDC 6pm lesson-East Coast Swing w/ Carolyn Dance 7-10pm DJ - Laurel	30 Angela's Dance 7pm lesson –West Coast Swing 7:30-9:30pm dance	31 <b>No TGIF Dance</b>  Sandford Shuffle 7pm lesson-4 count Hustle w/ Carla 8-9:30pm Dance	

### 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  
Angela Markle 989-274-4709

### Come Dance with Us

Fred Astaire Bloomfield  
7-11pm Cost \$15  
Robin & Steve Plawinski  
810-348-6379

### 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

### Sandford Shuffle Dance

The Studio Cost \$10  
328 W. Saginaw Rd. Sandford, MI  
Lon Wackerle 989-430-0026 or  
Debbie Bacus 989-687-7413

### Colette's Beginner Dance Class

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

### Colette's Beginner Dance Class

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

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.

# TOE TO TOE DANCE WEAR

Dance shoes for Swing, Social & Ballroom

**BY APPOINTMENT ONLY**



5522 Old Franklin Rd. Grand Blanc, MI

For Appointments, call 810-577-3349

**Interested in purchasing a club shirt?**

**Go to [graselgraphics.com](http://graselgraphics.com) for selections.**

## 2023 Out-of-Town Dance Events

### Jammin' in July

Columbus, OH  
July 13-16<sup>th</sup>

### Sparkle City Celebration

R&B Shag Club of Spartanburg  
Spartanburg, SC  
July 21-22<sup>nd</sup>

### Shag Tracks XXIX

Choo Choo Shag Club  
Chattanooga, TN  
August 16-19<sup>th</sup>

### 30<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Beach Boogie

Tampa Bay Beach Boppers  
St. Petersburg Beach, FL  
August 24-26<sup>th</sup>

### Rollin' on the River

West County Swing Dance Club  
St. Louis, MO  
August 31-September 4<sup>th</sup>

## March Birthdays

Name	Birthday
Angela Markle	1-Mar
John Cuthpert	6-Mar
Shannon Klempf	7-Mar
Heather Carney-Salsbury	8-Mar
Dan Charles	9-Mar
Julie Adams	12-Mar
Pat DeGrow	13-Mar
Ruben Gonzales	13-Mar
Darrell Lyvere	15-Mar
Linda Miller	15-Mar
Benjamin Meadows	16-Mar
Dave Wolf	17-Mar
Robert J. Meyer	19-Mar
Diane Nine	19-Mar
Sandee Shoemaker	24-Mar
Tonya Gerow	25-Mar
Cliff Chamberlain	26-Mar
Pamela Dodd	26-Mar
Larry Ruckle	26-Mar
Pam Malow-Isham	28-Mar

happy birthday

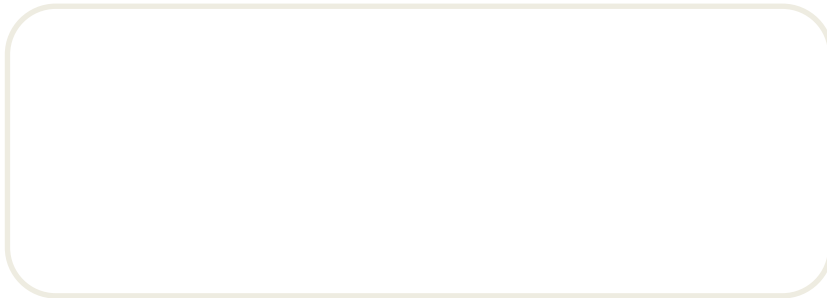
3" Patch available at the front desk. Great for your shoe bag or jacket! Cost: \$5.00



**Don't Forget** For up-to-date GLSDC news, go to [www.glsdc.org](http://www.glsdc.org) or become a member of our [GLSDC Facebook page](#).

Shirts, hoodies, mugs and much more are now available with the *GLSDC* logo at the club CafePress shop.

[www.CafePress.com/glsdc](http://www.CafePress.com/glsdc)



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