

# St Louis Imperial Dance Club

The Original Imperial Dance Club in St. Louis

## Swingin' Times



1<sup>st</sup> Quarter 2019  
January-February-March

The Board of the St. Louis Imperial Dance Club wishes everyone a very Happy New Year. Welcome to 2019.

**ANNOUNCEMENT:** We have a new board member – Cory Johnson and she will be filling the position of Secretary – her title will be Secretary/Social Media Director, and that is because she has designed a new Website for our club. This title will also encompass Facebook, Instagram, our Newsletter and Flyers. We ask that you welcome Cory to the Board. She is bringing such wonderful ideas with her. Our old website will be disabled soon, so make sure you check out our new one at [www.slidc.org](http://www.slidc.org).

Our first dance for this quarter was scheduled on 19 January 2019 and we were going to have our Chili Cookoff Dance and due to the weather we decided that we would call the dance off. Have to say that 2019 started off with a bang! Brrr – so cold and 10 to 11 inches of snow!

For our February Dance, we co-hosted a Valentine's Dance with our sister club – St. Charles Imperial Dance Club. In spite of the weather there was a very nice turnout. There were approximately 120 dancers. Our DJ for the event was Harold Martin, President of the St. Charles Club, and our workshop for this dance was Night Club Two and was taught by Jane Humphrey and Bill Sharpless. What a fun evening.

Our St. Patrick's Dance is 16 March 2019. Our workshop this evening will be a Basic Cha Cha taught by Rob Guignard and Lynn Martin. And, keeping the dance floor full will be Marty Aerne and Sandy Ferguson.

**Federation:** The Executive Board of the Midwest Swing Dance Federation remains: Judy Ciaramitaro- President, Herb Raiffe – Vice President, Secretary – Dan Lake, and Treasurer – Bobbi Steinkeuhler, until we can replace her. Bobbi has opted to not run for Treasurer. It should be noted that she will remain and assist her replacement at such time one is named..

The Federation Picnic is scheduled for Sunday, 2 June 2019 at Concord Famer's Club – 10140 Concord School Road, St. Louis, MO. Tickets will be available after our monthly meeting on Thursday, 21 March 2019.

**ABA:** Our annual meeting for 2019 will be the 16th of March in Nashville, TN at the Maxwell House Hotel. Also, the cruise this year was from 23 February to 3 March 2019. Islands visited were St Thomas, St Martin and Princess Cay.

Until next quarter.

**Keep on Dancing !**  
JUDY



### SLIDC Board Members for 2019

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Our Monthly Dances are held at:

**U Can Dance Studio**

**3570 Adie Road**

**St. Ann, MO 63074**

Weekly Dances are at the

**Sports Café**

**3579 Pennridge Dr.**

**Bridgeton, MO 63044**

every Wednesday evenings

**NEW Website: [www.SLIDC.org](http://www.SLIDC.org)**

### MEMBERSHIP DUES

New members will pay \$15.00 per year and receive one free admission to a monthly dance, a practice dance CD, and a tote bag with our club logo.

Renewal members will pay \$15.00 and receive one free admission to a monthly dance . Both new and renewed members will receive the quarterly newsletter.

### NEW FEATURE!!!

Join or renew online on our website and pay for your memberships via Paypal at [www.slidc.org](http://www.slidc.org)

Please print clearly, cut this form out and mail or present at the monthly dance for new membership or renewal.

### St Louis Imperial Dance Club New Membership and Renewal Form

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Email Address \_\_\_\_\_

When is your birthday? Male/Female Month: \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_

Membership(s) 1 or 2 \_\_\_\_\_ (Each membership is only \$15 per year) Amount Enclosed \$\_\_\_\_\_

Dues are \$15.00 per person per year on your anniversary date. Please make your check payable to the St. Louis Imperial Dance Club. This form along with your payment may be mailed to:

Mary Zeilmann  
3406 Fee Fee Road  
Bridgeton, MO 63044

Or you may bring this form, along with your payment to the monthly dance. Your new membership card will be mailed to you promptly upon receipt of your payment.

**The St. Louis Imperial Dance Club was founded in 1973 and incorporated in April of 1977 as a not-for-profit corporation in the State of Missouri By Ross Russo, Lee Martin and Jim Nelson. Their Mission was to operate and maintain a not-for-Profit dance club, to teach people to dance and use all profits as contributions to charity.**

**Schedule of SLIDC Dances  
For 2019**

**19 January – Cancelled due to  
Weather**

**16 February – Joint Dance – St. Louis  
& St. Charles Imperial Dance Club**

**16 March – St Patrick's Dance**

**20 April**

**18 May**

**15 June**

**20 July**

**17 August**

**21 September**

**19 October  
Anniversary and Halloween Dance  
at St. Ann Community Center!**

**16 November**

**14 December**

# **OUT OF TOWN DANCES FOR 2019**

**ABA Meeting – 16 March 2019 – Maxwell House, Nashville TN**

**Smoky Mountain Shaggers – Smoky Mountain Boogie  
21 March-23 March 2019 – SOLD OUT**

**Evansville River City Bop Club – Swing Fling  
28 March Thru 30 March 2019**

**Pittsburgh Steel City Boogie Club – Boogie in the Burgh  
11 April thru 14 April 2019**

**Jefferson City Swing Dance Club – Swing at the Capitol  
11 April thru 13 April 2019**

**Magic City Boppers – Beach Hangout Weekend  
1 May Thru 4 May 2019**

**Spa City Bop & Swing Dance Club – Dancin' in the Park  
3 & 4 May 2019**

**Derby City Bop – Boogie in the Bluegrass  
4 July thru 6 July 2019**

**R&B Shag Club – Sparkle City Celebration  
18 July Thru 21 July 2019**

**Tampa Bay Beach Boppers – Beach Boogie  
22 August Thru 24 August 2019**

**West County Swing Dance Club – Rollin' on the River –  
29 August 2019 thru 2 September 2019**

**Atlanta Swing Dancers Club – Atlanta Swing Classic  
20 October 2019 thru 13 October 2019**

St Louis Imperial wishes its members a very  
Happy Birthday and Best Wishes for 2019!

January

Susan Anderson  
Tom Anzalone  
Patricia Billingsly  
Bob Brooks  
Debra Brouk  
Kathy Burns  
Patrice Dawdy  
Missy Ellman  
Joe Fairbanks  
Greg Giebel  
LiChun Grosse  
Sandy Hurst  
Marie Jamison  
Valerie LaFemina  
Deanna Lafersieck  
Florence Ann Lee  
Skip Marah  
Harold Martin  
Jack Melton  
Dennis F Parker  
Judy Pohlman  
Gwen Scorfina  
George Scott  
SandyWest

February

Linda Bland  
Joyce Chenoweth  
Judy Ciaramitaro  
Ruth Crawford  
Carole Crowell  
Linda Eskew  
Bob Gaal  
Sue Hurst  
Manuela Jackson  
Gary Leahy  
Pam Maddox  
Ed Plunkett  
Julia Pointer  
Anna Rosenfeld  
Sharon Scott  
Carol Talbot

March

Carol Barron  
Jim Bedrosian  
Erick Beckendorf  
Mike Bicklein  
Judy Bowers  
Eugene Campise  
Joanne Cole  
John Ferguson  
Gil Garcia  
Jane Hawkins  
Susan Heap  
Linda Henderson  
Phyllis Lenhart  
Chris Marah  
Sam Martorelli  
Pat Pease  
Bill Peipert  
Willie Santacruz  
Gene Shaw  
Barbara Smith  
Ginger Watson  
Ron Zulpo



# Federation Picnic

Sunday June 2, 2019-11:30am to 6:00PM

Concord Farmers Club-10140 Concord School Rd.  
(270&Tesson Ferry)

Tickets \$10. **Serving Noon to 1:30pm**

*Only 500 non-refundable tickets will be sold*



*Midwest Swing Dance*

*Federation*

*"An American Tradition"*

Dedicated to the Preservation and Conservation of Swing Dancing

**St. Louis' Best DJ's Play for 5 Straight Hours in  
Concord's Air Conditioned Hall**  
Dance Contest & Door Prizes



Things to bring:  
Lawn Chair, Dance Shoes  
and a Dish to share:

**A-H** Bring a potato or Vegetable

**I-Q** Bring a Dessert

**R- Z** Bring a Salad



Purchase your  
tickets from any  
Midwest Swing  
Dance Federation Club.

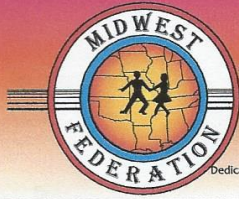
St. Louis Imperial \* MUSIC  
South Side \* St. Charles  
West County \* Jefferson County  
Lake Ozarks \* Jefferson City  
Moolah  
Destination Swing



Tickets are NON-refundable...but are Transferable

[www.MidwestSwingDanceFederation.com](http://www.MidwestSwingDanceFederation.com)





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MSDC, P.O. Box 534, St Charles, MO 63302  
WWW.MSDC.com



### St. Louis Imperial Dance Club

www.stlidc.com  
President Judy Ciaramitaro  
A Dance Saturday each month at:  
U Can Dance Studio 3570 Adie Rd. St. Ann, MO  
Dances weekly on Wednesdays at:  
Sports Cafe, Bridgeton, MO



### St. Charles Imperial Dance Club

www.scidc.com Phone: 636-387-0628  
President Doug Eskew  
Dances 2nd and 4th Sundays at:  
BrewskeeZ 4251 Keaton Crossing Rd  
Ofallon Missouri



### Lake Ozarks Swing Dance Club

www.lakeOzarkswingdance.com  
Phone: 636-296-9735  
President Larry Laminger  
Dances monthly at:  
La Roca Club Dance Center  
980 Airport Road, Osage Beach.



### Midwest United States Imperial Club

www.musicwingdance.com  
President Chris Marah  
Dances 2nd and 4th Sundays at:  
Collinsville VFW Post 5691  
1234 Vandalia Street, Collinsville, IL 62234



### West County Swing Dance Club

www.wcsdc.com  
President Mary Ann Pfeiffer  
Dances monthly at:  
Kirkwood Community Center  
1115. Geyer Rd, Kirkwood, MO  
Dances weekly on Tuesdays at:  
Moolah Shrine Center 12345 Fee Fee Rd.  
St. Louis MO 63146



### Jefferson City Swing Dance Club

www.jeffersoncityswingdance.com  
Hotline: 573-230-8206  
President Charles Stone  
Dances every Tuesday at:  
Windstone Entertainment Event Center  
2425 Industrial Drive in Jefferson City



### South Side Imperial Dance Club

www.southsidedance.org  
President Rich Feager  
Dances 1st and 3rd Sundays at:  
Kirkwood Highlands Restaurant & Brewery  
105 East Jefferson, Kirkwood MO



### Jefferson County Swing Dance Club

www.jcsdc.org Phone: 636-296-6702  
President Julia Pointer  
Dances 2nd and 4th Tuesdays at:  
Arnold VFW Hall 2301 Church Rd.  
Arnold, MO 63010



### Moolah Shrine Swing Dance Club

www.mssdc.org Hotline: 636-225-2354  
President Bud Waters  
Dances most Friday nights at:  
Moolah Shrine Center (Oasis Room)  
12545 Fee Fee Rd., Bridgeton, MO

*Destination Swing*  
St. Louis West Coast Swing Dance Club

### Destination Swing Dance Club

www.stldestinationswing.com Phone: 314-537-0940  
President David Lamont Brown  
Dances 1st and 3rd Saturday each month at:  
All American Sports Mall  
11133 Lindbergh Business Court, 2nd Floor,  
St. Louis, MO 63123