



March 6, 2022 News Update

Hello and happy March to all.

It is so good to see club members coming out again. It does us good to meet and socialize once again. When we dance or just mingle, it brings joy to our hearts, smiles to our faces and it's medicine that you just can't buy. The DCHD Board hope to see all of our members real soon.



*****Thanks to all that read this News Update. If you know someone that does not have access to a computer, please let them know about the updates.**

Visit our Web page or our Facebook page for additional updates through out the month. See the links at the bottom of this memo update. Please check these web sites on a weekly basis for updates. We are still in a pandemic with folks getting Covid. If we have more than a few people coming down with Covid, we will take a pause for that week. This will give time for folks to recover and not spread to anyone else. Please check our Facebook page or our Web page weekly for any updates in the dance schedule.

Glory Days :

Glory Days has been **Canceled** for March 9th due to having another event booked for that day.

Dance will resume on 3/16.

3/16 Dancing only with DJ Buddman

3/23 Dance Lesson with the Louise Pyles and Dancing with DJ Jammin George
3/30 Dancing only with DJ Buddman

*Dance lesson 6:00 to 7:00 pm

*Dancing 7:00 to 9:30pm

Next Dance: March 19, St Patrick's Day Theme

MMATBE- Eat Drink and Dance Irish

Bowie Elks Lodge, 1506 Defense Hwy.

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We are gearing up for our big dance event on 3/19.

Kick off Tuesday 3/15 at Alibis and Wednesday 3/16 at Glory Days.

Funny T Shirt Night. Wear a funny T shirt St. Patrick's Day or something other that is funny.

3/19 Dance activities: Come early to enjoy all of the events.

*****5:30 pm to 11:00 pm*****

Doors open at 5:30 pm

Pot Luck Dinner starts at 6:00 pm Bring your favorite dish to share or share at your table.

Dance Lesson #1 6:30 to 7:10 pm - Shag Variation with Foot Work for Hand Dance - Instructor – Sherri Wildoner

Dance Lesson #2 7:15 to 7:55 pm - River Waltz Instructors - Sondra Riley and Darryl Ingram

Dance Mixer 8:00 to 8:10 pm

Dancing 8:10 to 11:00pm

DJ Kathy K and DJ Ron C will be playing tunes all night.

Gift Basket Raffle

50/50\$ Raffle

Pots of Gold

Photo Prop

St. Patrick's Day Decorations

Green Beer and Theme Drink

This will be a Special Dance with double lessons, double DJ's and double the fun. Wear your GREEN, bring your Irish Dance Shoes and join the festivities.

Note: We are starting the dance at 5:30 so we can accommodate all of the festivities. Please come early.

Suggestions for Pot Luck:

A – F Dessert Cookies Cakes Pies Candy etc.

G – J Salad Garden, Caesar, Potato, Macaroni, Bean, Chicken Salad, etc.

K – O Pasta Cold or Hot dish

P – S Meat Meat Balls, Turkey Ball, Chili, Cocktail Wieners, Fried chicken, etc.
T – Z Dip and Chips hot or cold Dips:

Donations needed:

Donation for Raffle Baskets. *Last chance to donate Tuesday 3/8 at Alibis.*

Here are some suggestions: wine, spirits, candy, snacks, pretty napkins, glasses, mugs, candles, specialty food items.

Volunteers:

We will need volunteers for the St. Patrick's Day Dance for set up, clean up and front desk. See Phyllis or Lynn or send email to DCHDCpresident@gmail.com if you are interested. Arrival time for set up is 4:00pm.

**Let's make this the most attended dance since Covid. Let's set our Goal at 105 quests.
LET'S DO IT!!**

Alibis Update:

Weekly Dancing and weekly dance lessons.

Dance lesson 6:00 to 7:00 pm with instructors Sondra and Darryl.

Dancing 7:00 to 10:00.

March 1 Dance Lesson with Sondra and Darryl Dancing with DJ Ron C

March 8 Dance Lesson with Sondra and Darryl Dancing with DJ Kathy K

March 15 Dance Lesson with Sondra and Darryl Dancing with DJ Budman

March 22 Dance Lesson with Sondra and Darryl Dancing with DJ Ron

March 29 Dance Lesson with Sondra and Darryl Dancing with DJ Jammin George

Glory Days Update: Please take note

Dance Lessons are provided on the 2nd and 4th Wednesday , 6:00 to 7:00 pm.

Dance Instructor Louise Pyles

Dancing is scheduled every Wednesday 7:00 to 9:30 pm.

March 9 **CANCELED GD has another event booked**

March 16 Dancing with Budman

March 23 Dance Lesson with Louise Pyles Dancing with Jammin George

March 30 Dancing with Budman

Monthly Dance Dates; Bowie Elks Lodge

March 19 – St Patrick Day Theme
April 23
May 21
June 18

Membership Renewal:

Please renew or apply for membership before or at the March Dance. We have membership forms at the weekly and monthly dances. You can also go on our [website](http://www.DCHandDancedClub.net) and download the form from there. www.DCHandDancedClub.net. Or, Lynn Hepak will scan and email you a copy of the form. We are recruiting new members at almost every event. Welcome to all of the new members. We are happy to have you join our family of dancers.

Sponsors invited:

The DCHDC in previous years had vendors that sponsored our club via advertisements in our newsletter or in the MMATB booklets. Would your company or business like to sponsor a dance lesson, door prize or snack tray etc. at one of our Monthly Dances. If you or your company or business is interested in being a sponsor, please email dchdcpresident@gmail.com.

Reminders:

1. Please let us know if you have a change in phone number or email address. Contact Maria LiCalzi or email to DCHDCpresident@gmail.com.
2. The DCHDC is down two board members, Secretary and Director. The Board should consist of 7 board members to vote, meet to discuss and plan activities for the good of the club. We need two good people to join the Board and work as a team to fulfill the Club's mission. Please see one of the board members for details or questions or send an email to the DCHDCpresident@gmail.com.
3. Don't forget to check out the Members Only section of the web page. You can see the Membership Form, Sunshine Report, Financial Report, Birthdays and more.
4. Please clear off cups and trash from the table upon your departure from the event. This will make clean up a lot smoother.

Thank you for your friendship and participation.
Put a smile on your face and dance.
Phyllis Crutchfield - President



SOS Card

SOS Cards are for sale. Cards are \$30 now or \$35 when you get to Myrtle Beach. See Lynn Hepak for your purchase.

The SOS card is good for the following dates:

January - 15, 2022 Mid Winter

April - 21, 2022 to May 1, 2022 Spring Safari (**We have members going**)

June - 8, 2022 to June 10, 2022 Summer

September – 15, 2022 to September 25, 2022 Fall Migration, This is the most popular event that our club members attend. If you plan to attend get your SOS Card from Lynn. **Make your reservations now for Sept.**

Note: You are responsible for making your own accommodations. Let the board know if you are planning to attend. The more of us that go, the better time we have.

