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The Waltz Street Journal



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Arthur Murray News - Upcoming Events

Guest and
Newcomer
Parties :
Wed. 7/22
(Durango)
and
Tues. 7/21
(Maryland
Parkway)

ARTHUR MURRAY'S MONTHLY CHAMPAGNE "GUEST PARTIES" are a great way to introduce friends and family to the **fabulous** world of Ballroom Dancing! At the same time you can show off a few of your new moves by performing with your teacher in an optional **spotlight dance**. Guests will also enjoy **general dancing**, an **exciting floor show**, and a **special guest lesson**, taught by Arthur Murray's right hand gal! When your guest enrolls and takes an introductory guest special, you will receive one free lesson. This month the parties will be on **Wednesday, July 22** from 8:30 - 9:45 pm (at Durango), and **Tuesday, July 21** from 8:30 - 9:45 pm (at Maryland Parkway).



Happy July Birthday

to the following
Students and Staff:

- Greg Darrough
- Sierra McAfee-Darrough
- Joni Stevens
- Lori James
- Tom McAfee
- Dave Sandquist
- Grace Auteri
- Crissy Riland
- Carson Riland
- Andrea Pachowicz
- Louise Totten
- Carmen Peterson



Quickstep WORKSHOP: **SAT. July 18, 2-3:30 pm Durango**
Special Quickstep class taught by Arthur Murray Las Vegas' #1 Man himself, Greg Darrough! Greg will be teaching the basics of Quickstep. Quickstep is a faster version of Foxtrot in the International Syllabus. We need to keep the boy/girl count about equal, so sign up NOW! No previous Quickstep experience is required! \$25/person with refreshments included.

SAVE THE DATE* **Saturday, July 25, 7pm-9:30pm **SAVE THE DATE* *

"The MadLow Ballroom"

presents

Big Band Blast 1940's Dance Party & Potluck !!!

Looking for an **inexpensive, FUN, Saturday night event?** The party starts at 7:00 with a Peabody/Waltz class taught by Arthur Murray's right-hand gal and 200th Bomber Squadron Mascot, Ms. Delores "DD" Delaney (see picture >). Then it's on to DANCING and EATING from 8:00 to 9:30 !! Bring along a CD of some of your favorite tunes for our "MC" . A \$25 "cover" includes lesson, "Submarine" sandwiches, and a vintage 1940's cocktail or soda. Sign up to bring your special side dish. Reservations are necessary: attendance is limited. No previous Peabody/Waltz dance experience is necessary for you to have a ball - bring some friends - we'll dance it all! 1940's Attire Encouraged ! See you here! Coming in August : ArthurMurrayStock 2009: The Hippies Rule the Dance Floor!



We're on the Web!
www.arthurmurraylasvegas.com

Check out our Page on **FaceBook!**
Go to >> (www.FaceBook.com)
and Search: Arthur Murray Las Vegas. Become a Fan today to get Updates and Events News!

"Life is not about waiting for the storms to pass...it's about learning how to dance in the rain." ~ Unknown

MADS Club: Murray's After Dark Social Club is an out-on- the-town evening with your Teachers and friends. It is held the **first Wednesday** of every month at 9:30 pm at a designated local dancing location. Ask your Teachers how to join MADS Club and get ready to dance the night away. In



May, we boogied at Mandalay Bay's Jpop, June was Bellagio's Fontana Lounge, and this month we'll be dancing to a live band at the fabulous Wynn !

Dancing is great fun and exercise!

Student News

"Dancers are the athletes of God." ~ Albert Einstein

A big Arthur Murray welcome to our newest BRONZE students: John Douglas & Jennifer Huff, Marconi Barretto, Marjorie Quant, Mike Thompson & Dee Rich, James Owens & Maria Watson, Seth Dupree & Lorlee Champagne,

A big Arthur Murray NEW STUDENT welcome to: Max & Cindy Balderas, Guy & Beth Laing, Joel Montoya, Douglas Ryan, Chris Hyde, Christine Elm, Pat & Amanda Dibble, Courtney Dimonaco, Andrea Larsen, Nick & Diane Diarchangel, Ron Brady, Phil & Linda Debo, Katherine & Sam Villanueva, Lee Geoff, Melissa Meza

SURPRISE!! Lori James' "Surprise" Birthday Party, planned my her husband Mark for months in advance, started at the Durango Studio with a Staff Broadway Medley (with both children and Hubby Mark dancing in the production, as well, and many, many, friends, family and guests in attendance. After the Show, we then went over to the Wynn for cocktails and dancing in a beautiful ballroom! The Michael Grimm (12 Piece) Band played their hits, and we were treated to retrospective slide-show, starring-LORII! What fun! Thanks, James Family!

!! SALSERO !! : SAT. July 11 (& Aug 8) 7 pm-9:30 pm
Maryland Parkway Special hot SALSA class taught by Arthur Murray's own Freddy Vera, with special assistant Angelina Vera!! Freddy will be teaching some fun moves in the Salsa. No previous Salsa experience is required, and a variety of all the Latin dances are played! \$25/person includes lesson, refreshments and Sangria , and great music for your dancing pleasure!
RSVP now!

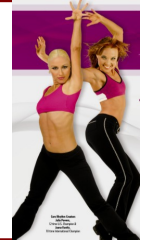


Introducing CORE RHYTHMS LatinDance Fitness Classes: Why CR?

"I feel like my body has gotten totally out of shape, so I got my doctor's permission to join a fitness club and start exercising. I decided to take an aerobics class. I bent, twisted, gyrated, jumped up and down, and perspired for an hour, but by the time I got my leotards on, the class was over."

Arthur Murray has a better way! Learn all your Latin moves in CR classes & lose inches. Check out the schedule on the July calendar!

DANCE YOUR WAY TO A TOTALLY FIT BODY



CHAMPION COACHING:

August 3-5: Lynn Sevick !
Dance Champion and Coach, Examiner and Choreographer
SEE YOUR TEACHER for times and location availability.

Sept. 14-17: Vicki Venka !
Norwegian Champion, Arthur Murray Master Judge, Choreographer, Arthur Murray Dance Syllabus Author



Save the Dates!

Sat.

Aug 1

&

Sun.

Aug 2

Burn the Floor Showcase: Visiting Judge: Lynn Sevick

Well, it's that time of the year again, when we're all working hard to polish up a dance spotlight performance, or full dance routine, on one particular dance or several, so that we can attend a competition, or just focus our concentration on those dances. Twice a year, we have our Dance Showcases with an outside adjudicator, on a Saturday afternoon. It's our Students' chance to shine! Later in the evening, there is a catered dinner, and a dance party with a Jack & Jill Contest. On Sunday we have a brunch, critiques and a Guest Lesson With the Judge. It's a wonderful weekend and we all have FUN!



"Will Dance For Grub!"
Salseros! 7/11 and 8/8
Big Band Party 7/25

International Dance Festival results!

After 6 weeks of unadulterated FUN with themed Monday and Friday regular Practice Parties, Special themed weekend parties, dancing out on the town, and increased Group attendance (points were awarded to all sponsors for everything they participated in during the Festival, we have our results: Studio, Managers & Teachers all placed highly in the standings in our Group, but **MORE IMPORTANTLY, 84 BONUS LESSONS** were awarded to our student sponsors! Student Awards: Earning Bonus Lessons were Lori James, John James, Donna Stratton, Tony Sedgwick, Myron Sabin & Sally Cox, Jeff & Ryuko Dragovich, Ishi Kunin, Ariana Kuninleavitt, Grace Auteri, Al Iovinelli, Carson & Crissy Riland, Jaime Gomez, Jay & Cindy Fisher, Louise Totten, Wayne & Barbara Ray!



PLACES TO DANCE IN LAS VEGAS (Find more places at www.arthurmurraylasvegas.com/placestodance.cfm)

Arthur Murray LV East (Check calendar) Everything! Friday 8:15-9:45pm 798-4552

Arthur Murray LV West (Check calendar) Everything! Mondays 8:15-9:45pm 876-3131 (also alternating Friday's at 8:15)

Cleopatra'S Barge (Caesar's Palace) Various/Lounge Wed-Sun 10:30pm-300am 731-7110

JPop (Mandalay Bay) Latin/Other Nightly 9:30pm-2:30am 632-7777

Dylan's Country Thurs-Sat 7:30pm-5:00am 451-4006

Fontana Lounge (Bellagio) Big Band/Various Nightly 5:00pm-2:15am 693-7111

Gold Coast Showroom Latin Sat 11:00pm-2:00am 367-7111

Larry's Hideaway Country 8pm-1am Open 24 Hours 645-1899

Rum Jungle (Mandalay Bay) Disco, Rock/Funk Nightly 10:00pm 632-7777

Suncoast Showroom Live Bands Nightly 10:00pm 636-7075

Texas Station Various Bands Weekends 8:00pm 631-1000

Tuscany Hotel Cool Change Duo 8pm-1:00am (Dark M & Tues) 89 3-8933

Suncoast Showroom Various Bands 10 pm-1am Fri. & Sat. 636-7111

Addison's Lounge (Rampart Casino) Various Bands Fri. & Sat. 8pm-10pm 507-5900

Southpoint Hotel Various Bands Fri. & Sat. 9:00 PM 796-7111

***** CHECK DAILY AS ALL DATES & TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE*****