

BATON ROUGE BALLROOM
PROUDLY PRESENTS THE

SOUTHERN SOIRÉE

DANCE CHALLENGE
SATURDAY MAY 18TH



AT THE BEAUTIFUL DOWNTOWN
BOUDREAUX'S RECEPTION
2647 GOVERNMENT STREET • BATON ROUGE

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ITINERARY:

8:00 am - Doors open/Registration

Pick up your event packet and number, your raffle ticket,
and register for our Jack and Jill Contests and our 50/50 contest.

8:50 am - announcements

9:00 am - competition begins

Smooth/Standard Single dance entries

Smooth/Standard Challenges A, B

Smooth/Standard Showcases

Jack and Jill - Waltz

**Country and Western Single dance entries - SMOOTH FLIGHT
(Triple Two Step, Nightclub Two Step, Waltz)**

Country Showcases

Jack and Jill - Two Step

12:20pm - 45 min break for lunch, catered by Boudreaux's.

Lunch is included with your event pass.

1:05pm - Afternoon Session begins

**Country and Western Single dance entries - RHYTHM FLIGHT
(Polka, Cha Cha, Two Step, East Coast Swing, West Coast Swing)**

Rhythm/Latin Showcases

Rhythm/Latin Challenges A, B

Rhythm/Latin Single dance entries

Professional Demos

West Coast Swing Showcases

Jack and Jill - Cha Cha

Jack and Jill - West Coast Swing

5:40 - Strictly Swing Divisions

6:10 - Awards Ceremony:

Student, Teacher Awards and Scores

Top Male Amateur

Top Female Amateur

Top Amateur Couple

Top Professionals 1st, 2nd, 3rd

Challenges in 4 divisions - A, B

Jack and Jill Winner's circle

2024 "Granny Ginger White" Award

Doors close at 7:30pm, SHARP!

PRICE LIST:

*****EVERYONE IN ATTENDANCE MUST HAVE A PASS TO ENTER THE EVENT*****

COMPETITOR PASS - \$75.00

(INCLUDES A TAKE AWAY PREMIUM CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST, LUNCH, NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES, SNACKS TO KEEP YOU MOVING THROUGHOUT THE DAY, AND A LITE FARE DURING AWARDS.)

SPECTATOR PASS - \$75.00

ADVANCED PURCHASE (INCLUDES LUNCH, ADMISSION TO BALLROOM FOR ALL COMPETITION SESSIONS)

*****SPECTATOR PASSES AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR ON DAY OF THE EVENT FOR \$100.00*****

PRO-AM ENTRIES - \$15/DANCE

AMATEUR COUPLE ENTRIES - \$15/DANCE

3-DANCE CHALLENGES - \$40 PER CHALLENGE

WE WILL HAVE EIGHT OF THESE DANCE CHALLENGES. TWO AGE GROUPS. WE HAVE CHANGED THE AGE RANGE FOR THE CHALLENGES ONLY. THESE ARE NOT THE SAME AGE GROUPS FOR SINGLE ENTRIES.

DIVISION A - 18 -40 YEARS OLD, MALE PRO-AM VS FEMALE PRO-AMS VS AMATEUR COUPLES DIVISION B - 41 AND OLDER, MALE PRO-AM VS FEMALE PRO-AMS VS AMATEUR COUPLES

THIS CHALLENGE WILL CONSIST OF 3 DANCES IN THE 4 MAJOR STYLES: SMOOTH, RHYTHM, STANDARD AND LATIN. (SEE ENTRY FORM FOR DETAILS)

*****\$100 SCHOLORSHIP AWARDED** FOR EACH CHALLENGE (MUST HAVE AT LEAST 3 COUPLES PARTICIPATING IN THE CHALLENGE. PRIZE MONEY WILL DROP TO \$25 IF MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FAIL TO BE MET) DANCERS WILL BE PLACED IN ALL CHALLENGES. (GOLD, SILVER, BRONZE OR 1ST, 2ND, 3RD) SCHOLARSHIPS WILL BE PAID OUT DURING AWARDS TO THE INSTRUCTOR, TO BE USED TOWARDS THE WINNER'S LESSON PROGRAM.

*****INSTRUCTORS**, PLEASE SEE OUR ATTACHED MAX ENTRY GRID SHEET, SO PLAN YOUR DANCES ACCORDINGLY WITH YOUR STUDENTS. ALL DANCERS ARE COMPETING AGAINST THEMSELVES AND ARE JUDGED BASED ON THE LEVEL IN WHICH THEY HAVE ENTERED THROUGHOUT THE DAY, THERE WILL BE A FEW CONTESTED HEATS THAT WILL RECEIVE A SPECIAL REWARD.

IF YOU NEED MORE ENTRIES, OF A CERTAIN TYPE OF DANCE, LET US KNOW ASAP AS WE WILL TRY AND ACCOMODATE EVERYONE. BUT THIS WILL DEPEND IF THERE ARE HEATS TO DROP DUE TO NON-PARTICIPATION. WE WILL SUBSTITUTE YOUR REQUEST ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVE BASIS. DON'T WAIT UNTIL THE DAY OF THE EVENT SO YOU ARE NOT DISAPPOINTED.

ADDITIONALLY, WE ARE ON A STRICT SCHEDULE, AND THOUGH WE HAVE ALLOCATED SOME TIME FOR DELAYS, WE ASK THAT YOU ARE READY TO DANCE YOUR HEAT WHEN IT ARRIVES. UNFORTUNATELY, ANY MISSED HEATS CANNOT BE MADE UP AFTER THE EVENT BEGINS.

FOR THOSE DANCING ALL THE HEATS. THERE WILL BE SEVERAL BREAKS THROUGHOUT THE DAY FOR THE RESTROOM OR TO CATCH YOUR BREATH! (*WE LOVE THOSE PEOPLE*)

ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE EMAIL ahfive678@gmail.com **WITH SOUTHERN SOIREE 2024 IN THE HEADLINE**. FOR QUICKER RESPONSE, CALL JANICE AT 225-324-6395.

*****DEADLINE FOR ENTRY FORMS AND PAYMENTS IS MAY 4TH. 2024*****

WE CANNOT GUARANTEE YOUR ENTRIES IN THE PROGRAM IF RECEIVED AFTER THIS DATE. ADDITIONALLY, COMPETITOR PASSES WILL RISE TO \$100 PER PERSON. SPECTATOR PASSES WILL REMAIN THE SAME UNTIL MAY 17 AND CAN ALSO BE PURCHASED AT THE DOOR THE DAY OF THE EVENT FOR \$100.

WE HAVE SECURED TERRIFIC RATES AT THE COURTYARD MARRIOTT IN DOWNTOWN BATON ROUGE, JUST BLOCKS FROM THE VENUE. CALL JANICE AT 225 324-6395 FOR INFORMATION.

PLEASE BOOK YOUR ROOMS EARLY!! (DOWNTOWN BATON ROUGE WILL BE HOSTING THE 'SOUL FOOD FESTIVAL' THIS ENTIRE WEEKEND. RATES WILL GO UP AS IT GETS CLOSER AND OCCUPANCY WILL ALSO BECOME SCARCE.)

| PLEASE MARK DANCE ENTRIES WITH ONE OR MORE AGE DIVISIONS | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| DANCES | NC CL | NC OP | BR 01 CL | BR 01 OP | BR 02 CL | BR 02 OP | SIL 01 CL | SIL 01 OP | SIL 02 CL | SIL 02 OP | GOLD CL | GOLD OP | @ \$15/PER HEAT | TOTAL | |
| EXAMPLE | A, B | A, B | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | AGE |
| AMERICAN WALTZ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | YA - (12-17) |
| AMERICAN TANGO | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | A - (18-35) |
| AMERICAN FOXTROT | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | B - (36-50) |
| AMERICAN VIENESSE WALTZ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | C - (51-65) |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | D - (66-75) |
| INTERNATIONAL WALTZ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | E - (76+) |
| INTERNATIONAL TANGO | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| INTERNATIONAL VIENESSE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| INTERNATIONAL FOXTROT | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| INTERNATIONAL QUICKSTEP | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| AMERICAN CHACHA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| AMERICAN RUMBA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| AMERICAN EAST COAST | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| AMERICAN BOLERO | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| AMERICAN MAMBO | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| INTERNATIONAL CHACHA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| INTERNATIONAL SAMBA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| INTERNATIONAL RUMBA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| INTERNATIONAL PASO DOBLE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| INTERNATIONAL JIVE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| WEST COAST SWING | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| HUSTLE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| SALSA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| SAMBA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| MERENGUE | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| COUNTRY POLKA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| COUNTRY TRIPLE TWO STEP | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| COUNTRY NIGHTCLUB TWO | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| COUNTRY CHACHA | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| COUNTRY WALTZ | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| COUNTRY TWO STEP | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| COUNTRY EAST COAST SWING | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| COUNTRY WEST COAST SWING | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| 3 DANCE CHALLENGES | AGE A | AGE B+ | | | | | | | | | | | | \$40 PER CHALLENGE | |
| AMERICAN SMOOTH (WA, TA, FX) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| INTERNATIONAL STANDARD (WA, TA, FX) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| AMERICAN RHYTHM (CHA, RU, ECS) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| INTERNATIONAL LATIN (CHA, SAM, RU) | | | | | | | | | | | | | | \$ - | |
| PRO AM DIVISION | | | | | | | AMATEUR DIVISION | | | | | | | | |
| Professional Name _____ | | | | | | | Coach's Name _____ | | | | | | | | |
| Amateur Name _____ | | | | | | | Amateur Male Name _____ | | | | | | | | |
| REPRESENTING STUDIO _____ | | | | | | | Amateur Female Name _____ | | | | | | | | |
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| MAXIMUM HEAT ENTRY FORM | | | | |
| SMOOTH | 42 | | RHYTHM | 83 |
| WALTZ | 12 | | CHACHA | 11 |
| TANGO | 12 | | RUMBA | 11 |
| FOXTROT | 12 | | EC SWING | 11 |
| VIENESSE WALTZ | 6 | | BOLERO | 8 |
| | | | MAMBO | 6 |
| STANDARD | 41 | | SALSA | 9 |
| WALTZ | 10 | | SAMBA | 6 |
| TANGO | 10 | | WC SWING | 9 |
| VIENESSE WALTZ | 5 | | HUSTLE | 6 |
| FOXTROT | 10 | | MERENGUE | 6 |
| QUICKSTEP | 6 | | | |
| | | | COUNTRY | 31 |
| LATIN | 26 | | POLKA | 3 |
| CHACHA | 6 | | TRIPLE TWO STEP | 4 |
| SAMBA | 6 | | NIGHTCLUB TWO STEP | 4 |
| RUMBA | 6 | | CHACHA | 4 |
| PASO DOBLE | 4 | | WALTZ | 4 |
| JIVE | 4 | | TWO STEP | 4 |
| | | | EC SWING | 4 |
| CHALLENGES | 8 | | WC SWING | 4 |
| | | | | |
| TOTAL | 231 | | | |

SOIREE SHOWCASE

Please submit music on a flash drive or email it to ahfive678@gmail.com before Friday May 17th, 2024

Length of showcase not to exceed 2 min 30 seconds

Title OF Song

Dance

Length

Student/Teacher _____

****Any special set up requests need to be made with the DJ during registration**