

# MASSabda Newsletter

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*Promoting the Quality and Quantity  
of Ballroom Dance in Massachusetts*

**November - December 2019**





*New Year's Eve*

## **K&S New Year's Eve Ballroom Gala**

### **Held in the Beautiful Lake Pearl Grand Ballroom**

299 Creek Street, Wrentham MA

**Tuesday December 31, 2019**

Continuous dancing from 7pm-12:30am in this beautiful  
15,000 square foot ballroom.

We will be transforming this ballroom into a  
beyond magical evening!

Come join us as we ring in 2020 in style!

Outstanding music! Elegant attire! Couples and Singles Welcome!  
Hors d'oeuvre's! Buffet Dinner! Champagne Toast! Noise Makers!

\$99 Discount Room Rate at Hampton Inn Franklin Ma  
(4 miles from Lake Pearl)

# \$110

Reservations of tables of 8 or 10

Couples & Singles Welcome (Singles tables)

Final day for tickets (Saturday Dec 14th)

If you are in need of a Special dinner menu please call Lake Pearl 508-384-3003

### **Reserve Early!**

Don't miss this Event!

Call Kathy @ 401-821-4108

Mail checks to K&S Music PO

Box 1131 Coventry, RI 02816



# Kadanse



Hosts MASSabda  
Saturday  
November 9, 2019

Open to the Public

USA Dance

Members \$12

Non-Members \$15

Students \$8



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|---------|------------|-----------------------------|
| 6:30 PM | Doors Open | • Mixers/Light Refreshments |
| 7:00 PM | Lesson     | • Large Dance Floor         |
| 8-11 PM | Dancing    | • Plenty of parking         |
|         |            | • Mid-Evening Performance   |

Contact: [massabda.org](http://massabda.org) or [kadanse.com](http://kadanse.com)  
346 West Cummings Park, Woburn, MA  
781-27-DANCE



## A Letter from the President of Massabda

A special moment happened on the dance floor the other night at Moseley's on the Charles. The date was September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Ray Cavicchio, the band leader and Army National Guard Veteran, took to the mike and asked all to remember the tragedy that was 9/11 "So we will not forget as there are already those that say it never happened". Then he sang a stirring rendition of "God Bless America". What evolved on the dance floor was an amazing tribute. It started slow, and clearly unorganized, a few people started holding hands, then a few more, then a circle started to form. Then others joined in and all started marching in then out. Nothing planned, completely organic. Everyone of different backgrounds, beliefs, and ethnic origin. Showing that what binds us together is far stronger than those that try terrorism against us. In a ballroom, on a Wednesday, we did not forget, we gave tribute. Thank you Ray!



As you probably know, Moseley's is going to discontinue their Wednesday night dances. Consequently, December 11<sup>th</sup> will be our last Wednesday there. We are proud to be part of the long history of dancing at Moseley's and thank Edward DeVincenzo (the owner) for the opportunity. Let's celebrate our over three years of participation and end it on a high note.

Tom Weaver  
President MASSabda.

# DNE

*school of dance*

*Ballroom Dancing the 2nd + 4th Saturday Night of the Month*  
*Dancing from 8:00-11:00pm*

Workshop Classes 7:00 - 8:00pm, \$20 Workshop & Dance  
Ballroom Dancing 8:00 - 11:00pm, \$15 Dance Only

## Gratitude Ball

Collection for House of Hope in Lowell MA

In the spirit of the holiday season + being grateful we ask that you bring one or many of the following items to donate to House of Hope: Napkins, Cleaning Supplies, Full Size

Toiletries, Baby Clothes sizes (0-3) + (3-6), Non-perishable food items.

**\*\*See our website for more items & details\*\***

7-8pm TANGO Workshop with Mica Milojkovic  
Saturday, November 9, 2019

## Fiesta Night

Bachata Line Dance & Performance!

7-8pm BACHATA Workshop with Greg Coles  
Saturday, November 23, 2019

## The Holiday Ball

Special Performances, Cheese & Crackers, Fruit & Cookies

7-8pm CHA CHA Workshop with Mica Milojkovic  
Saturday, December 14, 2019

## New Year's Eve's Eve Ball

Champagne Toast + Specialty Desserts

7-8pm RUMBA Workshop with Mica Milojkovic  
Saturday, December 28, 2019

FREE Raffle \* Complimentary Coffee & Pastry

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

978.251.1700 \* GPS: 66 Princeton Street, N. Chelmsford

# **K&S Dances Rhode Island**

Dillon Council  
1675 Douglas Ave North Providence RI

**November 9th**  
**Samba taught by Nelia Lawton**

**December 14th**  
**Rumba taught by Sydonee Harris**

# **K&S Dances Newton MA**

**MacKenzie Center 1337 Centre St Newton MA**

**November 2nd**  
**Cha Cha taught by Giancarlo Costa**

**December 7th**  
**Lesson TBA**

All dances.....\$15 admission includes  
7-8pm Dance lesson  
Coffee, Tea, Pastry & Hot Popcorn  
8-11pm Dancing  
Couples & Singles Welcome

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Don't forget to purchase your tickets for our Lake Pearl Dance:

New Years Eve Dance ... Tuesday December 31st

Call 401-821-4108





## **Live Band Night Eight to the Bar!**



**Saturday, November 23rd  
7:00-11:00pm**

**Tickets on sale now!**

**Amazing live music with correct tempos!**

**It's always a sell out! Get your tickets early to  
avoid disappointment.**

**Details & tickets at  
[dancingfeeling.com/live-band-night/](http://dancingfeeling.com/live-band-night/)**

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## **Ballroom dances held every weekend!**

**Refreshments, state of the art sound system,  
incredible sprung wood floor to dance on, & amazing dancers!**



**Check our website for dates, times and other special events.  
[dancingfeeling.com](http://dancingfeeling.com)**

**We are located right off of I-95 in Warwick RI, make the trip down,  
you will be glad you did! 2429 Post Road, Warwick RI 02886**



## MASSabda/Julie Dance

Wednesday November 13<sup>th</sup> 7-10:30 pm

(Moseley's is closed that night)

Irish Social Club  
119 Park Street  
West Roxbury, MA

Dance Lesson: 7-7:30 PM  
Social Dancing: 7:30-10:30 PM  
Performances: 9 PM

Dennis Matveev & Anna Jonczyk



Alexandru Munteanu & Anna Sheedy



Performances by our  
WDSF competitors.  
Come and watch  
some of the best  
amateurs in the world!

Admission \$15, MASSabda (USA Dance) \$12

Music by  
Ray Cavicchio and his band  
DJ Larry Rumbaugh

Argentine Tango Lesson by Eileen Herman Haase

Complementary refreshments, tea, and coffee  
Cash Bar

For more information: Contact Tom Weaver  
[weaver.thomas@comcast.net](mailto:weaver.thomas@comcast.net)





♥ *Mid-Evening Performance* ♥

# Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday In 2019



6:45 PM Doors Open  
7:00 PM Lesson  
Nov: Closed - Dance moved  
to Irish Social Club  
West Roxbury (See ad in  
this newsletter)

♥ *Mixers*

Dec: Foxtrot  
Lilia Weisfeldt &  
Bradley Mather  
Ballroom in Boston

♥ *Light Refreshments*

8-10:30 PM Dancing  
Live Music featuring  
Ray Cavicchio Band

♥ *One of New England's  
Largest Dance floors*



WHERE:

**Moseley's**  
**on the Charles**  
50 Bridge St  
Dedham, MA  
02026  
*Plenty of Parking*

**Open to  
the Public**

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\$15

contact: [massabda.org](http://massabda.org) or  
[donnac120@comcast.net](mailto:donnac120@comcast.net)

Students  
\$8.00

**If You Stumble  
Make It  
Part Of The**



**Dance**

A woman with dark hair, wearing a white long-sleeved top and a black skirt, is captured in a graceful dance pose on a sandy beach. Her arms are raised, and her skirt is blowing in the wind. The background shows a line of trees and a clear sky.

**Life's**  
a dance,

you learn  
as you go.

**Sometimes**  
you lead,

**Sometimes**  
you follow.

**Don't worry**  
about what you don't know.

Life's a dance,  
you learn as you go.

# November - December 2019 Calendar of Events

ALWAYS CARRY YOUR USA DANCE ID CARD TO RECEIVE MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

Date	Description
2-Nov-19	<b><u>K&amp;S Dance</u></b> MacKenzie Center, Newton MA
9-Nov-19	<b><u>DNE School of Dance</u></b> - Gratitude Ball - TANGO Workshop, North Chelmsford, MA
9-Nov-19	<b><u>K&amp;S Dance</u></b> Dillon Council Providence, RI
9-Nov-19	<b><u>MASSabda at Kadanse</u></b> 346 West Cummings Park, Woburn, MA.
13-Nov-19	<b><u>MASSabda at Moseley's on the Charles</u></b> - <b>DANCE MOVED</b> to Irish Social Club (See Ad)
23-Nov-19	<b><u>DNE School of Dance</u></b> - Fiesta Night - BACHATA - Workshop, North Chelmsford, MA
23-Nov-19	<b><u>The Dancing Feeling</u></b> Live Band Night - Eight to the Bar! - Warwick RI
7-Dec-19	<b><u>K&amp;S Dance</u></b> MacKenzie Center, Newton MA
11-Dec-19	<b><u>MASSabda at Moseley's on the Charles</u></b> - 50 Bridge Street, Dedham MA.02026
14-Dec-19	<b><u>DNE School of Dance</u></b> - The Holiday Ball - CHA CHA - Workshop, North Chelmsford, MA
14-Dec-19	<b><u>K&amp;S Dance</u></b> Dillon Council Providence, RI
28-Dec-19	<b><u>DNE School of Dance</u></b> - New Year's Eve's Eve Ball - RUMBA - Workshop, North Chelmsford, MA
31-Dec-19	<b><u>K&amp;S New Year's Eve Ballroom Gala</u></b> - Lake Pearl Grand Ballroom, Wrentham MA
31-Dec-19	<b><u>Kathy &amp; Randy's New Year's Eve Ballroom Gala</u></b> - 60 Rohdes Place, Cranston, RI
4-Feb-20	<b><u>Stardust Caribbean Dance Cruise XVII</u></b>



MASSabda at Moseley's 09-11-2019



**Bill Morganti Dansport at New England Open 09-21-2019**



**MASSabda DOCMA National Ballroom Week 09-22-2019**



MASSabda at Moseley's 10-09-2019



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MASSabda Newsletter@gmail.com.

And Send a Check Payable to USA Dance  
for \$50 - 6 Issues or \$10 / issue to:

Anita Murphy  
ATTN: MASSabda  
665 Bedford Rd  
Carlisle, MA 01741



**Regional USA Chapter Dance, Twin Rivers Casino, Lincoln RI 10-13-2019**

## **MASSabda Discounts**

These local businesses graciously extend discounts  
or special offers to MASSabda members

**American Ballroom & Latin Dance Studio** — <https://www.americanballroomlatin.com/>  
**Art Deco Fashion Group** — <http://www.iloveartdeco.com/welcome.php>  
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**BallroomGifts.com** — <http://www.ballroomgifts.com/>  
**Boston Ballroom Dance Center** -- [www.bostonballroomdancecenter.com](http://www.bostonballroomdancecenter.com)  
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**Leon's Dance Center** ----<http://www.leonsdance.com>  
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**Visionary Steps** -- <http://www.visionarysteps.com/>

Return Address:  
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Nashua, NH 03062



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## **MASSabda Board of Directors 2019**

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