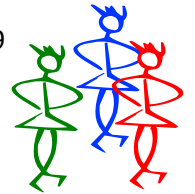


DANCEZING NEWS



Line Dance Instructor...

I enjoyed being a dancer at 'Linedance Crazy' – a line dance club owned and run by Karen Jones – choreographer of award winning dance 'Islands in the Stream'.

One day Karen asked me if I would like to join a training course she was running to become a line dance instructor. Being shy & with little confidence, I didn't feel this was for me, but Karen persuaded me to give it a go.

As well as line dance, she also trained me how to teach 'salsa solo' – authentic salsa steps danced without a partner. It was challenging but I completed the course and soon found myself in front of 55 people teaching my first salsa solo and line dance class!

Although I was very nervous, I really enjoyed teaching and continued to work for Karen as an instructor for a couple of years before setting up on my own as 'Dancezing'.

I started teaching both 'Salsa Solo' and line dance but as the line dance classes became more and more popular I did not have enough time (or energy!) to continue with the salsa.

I absolutely love line dancing and to be able to teach something I feel so passionate about is the best thing ever!

I am extremely grateful to Karen for making this happen for me and she has become a good friend as well as continuing to be an amazing mentor.

THANKS TO DANCE...

I'VE STOPPED SAYING
"I CAN'T DO THAT"
AND STARTED SAYING
I WILL BE ABLE TO DO
THAT, JUST GIVE ME TIME
TO PRACTICE.

A Big
Shout Out!
to



**DENISE
YEOELL**

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Denise was persuaded by her friend, Sheila, to try out a line dance class. That was 10 years ago and she has been coming ever since! Once a week became twice a week and now Denise dances on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday (and sometimes Tuesday too) and is always at a social night and weekend breaks! Phew!

I can't imagine how many dances she has danced over the years but she must be a record-breaker.

As if all that dancing wasn't enough, Denise started coming along to help out at classes – taking the register and helping out new dancers by being on the back wall. We couldn't be without her.

A huge 'thank you' to Denise for all her dedication, help, support and friendship over these years and looking forward to many more... xxx

Dancezing Line Dance Demo

Thank you to the demo team – Penny, Denise, Val, Pauline, Gill, Debbie, Valerie and Heather – who accompanied me to the Purley & District Townswomen's Guild to join their 90th birthday celebrations.

Here's the message we received from the group:



“MANY, MANY THANKS to you and your helpers for giving us a great time on Tuesday afternoon.

Everyone, even the people who sat and watched, said how much they enjoyed it. Every one said that they had thoroughly enjoyed the afternoon and some of our members were pleasantly surprised to discover that, after all, they were able to pick up the dances, and do them!”

NewsFlash!

Line Dance Weekend Break for ALL levels – March 2020

We may not be returning to Corby next February but that doesn't mean that we will be missing out on our annual weekend break as we are holding a **Spring Weekend Break in Eastbourne**. It will be a lovely time of year to visit this beautiful seaside location.

Our weekend breaks are tailored specifically to our dancers meaning everyone will have the opportunity to dance their socks off regardless of whether you are a beginner who has recently joined our club or an intermediate level dancer who has been dancing for years. Non dancers come along to our weekend breaks too – quite a few of our dancers bring along partners and friends, who are made equally welcome.

Places are limited & will be allocated on a first come first served basis with a £25 deposit payable to secure your place.

Please let me know if you would like a booking form or more information.

It's going to be a weekend full of fun 😊

Line Dance Weekend Break Eastbourne



27th - 29th March 2020 - Cumberland Hotel

For all levels - beginner to intermediate
Party nights - dancing requests
Workshops with dance instruction
A fun-filled weekend of line dancing,
laughter, socialising, ice-creams
meeting friends old & new





‘Through the Decades’ Social Night

We were joined by a fabulous crowd on Saturday night at our social. There was a great atmosphere, lots of fun, some wonderful costumes and non-stop dancing!

A huge ‘thank you’ to Diana who plied us with ‘bucks fizz’, tasty snacks and ice-creams, all of which went down a treat! (Don’t expect this treatment every time!)

It was wonderful seeing dancers of all ages & abilities on the dance floor together having a super time.

I will be posting more photos on the [Dancezing facebook page](#) and on the website very soon! Here’s the playlist of dances:

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| Patty Cake Polka | Caribbean Pearl | Achy Breaky Heart | Coastin’ |
| Cowboy Charleston | Do You Remember | Irish Stew | Groovy Love |
| Black Coffee | We Love It! | California | Maverick Shuffle |
| Islands in the Stream | La Fiesta Cubana | Vanotek Cha | Rocket to the Sun |
| Pot of Gold | Graffiti | Electric Slide | Havana Ooh Na Na |
| Ruby Ruby | Chill Factor | Better When I’m Dancin’ | |
| Mamma Mia! Why Me? | Feel the Way I Do | The Queen | Nimby EZ |
| Dancing in the Dark | T-Bone Shuffle | Rita’s Waltz | Precious Time |



Dates for
your
diary.....

2019

Social Events

***Saturday May 18th (7.15pm – 10.30pm)**

***Saturday June 22nd (7.15pm – 10.30pm)**

Weekend Break 26th – 28th July (sold out - waiting list open)

***Saturday October 19th (7.15pm – 10.30pm)**

***Tuesday 17th December (6.15pm – 8.45pm) - Christmas Party – TBC**

2020

Weekend Break 27th – 29th March – Cumberland Hotel, Eastbourne

***Venue: Caterham Community Centre, High Street, Caterham, CR3 5UE**

Easter Class Closure Dates

Classes are closed on the following dates:

Caterham – Monday 15th April

Oxted – Tuesday 16th April (please note that **Warlingham classes will be open** on this date)

Caterham – Wednesday 17th April

Caterham – Thursday 18th April

Kenley – Good Friday – 19th April

Caterham – Easter Monday 22nd April

Oxted – Tuesday 23rd April (please note that **Warlingham classes will be open** on this date)

Easter Class Venue Changes

Monday 8th April and Wednesday 10th April – Caterham classes will be open but will be taking place at **Caterham Community Centre** due to repair work being carried out at Audley School

Class dates for the next few months can be found on our website – type 'dates' into the search bar or follow this link: <http://dancezing.co.uk/2019/03/15/dates-for-your-diary/>

Here' a fab little poem written by one of our new beginners –
Jane Pawlowska



Hurrah! It's Monday & I feel great.
It's not too long 'til a quarter past eight.
I love to dance at Nicky's class
We all have fun & lots of laughs.

I wondered first if I'd be slow
With dancing steps I did not know.
Kick, hitch, grapevine & turns galore
Our Nicky teaches these & more.

The choice of music is very wide.
A popular dance is 'Electric Slide'.
With lots of tunes to keep us dancezing
The time flies by while we keep prancing.

Yes, Monday nights are full of fun
And great for brain & legs & bum!
For anyone who wants to dance
Please, do give Nicky's class a chance.

Thank you so much to those of you who kindly submitted words to describe line dance classes to people who have never been before. This was really helpful! Congratulations to Winston whose name was drawn to receive two free dance classes!

TOO MUCH

of a good thing
can be bad

EXCEPT WHEN

it comes to

LINE DANCING

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