

Strictly **FUN** Dancing

Newsletter

November 2010

Festive Greetings to everyone,

'Festive greetings' he says, but it's only November! 'Yes that's true', I say, but with two Christmas parties to organise this year, one at Beckenham and one at Dulwich, we have had to start the preparations early; note that I said 'preparations' not 'celebrations'; I will only be celebrating when all the preparations have come together and all worked out as planned!

As a round off to the year I would like to thank you all for your continued support, it is very much appreciated and does mean that we can consider offering evermore social events and opportunities for you to put into practice all that you have learnt. On the subject of support I must also thank you once again for still being there after my extended period of absence earlier this year. My thanks also extends to Anna, Carolyn, Mum and Terry for making it work on my behalf, as well as the individuals (you know who you are), who have worked away in the background bringing their skills to the table helping the team out when we have needed it most.

If we do not see you before then we would like to wish you a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Christmas Party

As some of you are aware the date for this year's Christmas party is Saturday 18 December 2010, the venue being St Christopher's School in Bromley Road. The evening will start off with a glass of sparkling wine whilst we meet and greet, after

which we will filter down to the hall for dancing. Food is a hot Chinese Buffet, prepared by Anna and family, and for the evening's entertainment you will have the opportunity to see two, yes two, demonstrations of dance, one Latin, one Ballroom. The ticket price for all of this is only £32 per person; tickets now available. We would appreciate payment as soon as you possibly can.

If you are wanting to join us, and you haven't already got your names on the list, please see mum/Margaret when you pay for class, or, in the case of Fairfield, when you hand your voucher in, or, by emailing me with your intention and the number of tickets required.

With regards to the dress code I have made it lounge suit, however, feel free to dig out your tuxedo's and long dresses if you prefer.

Fairfield Halls

As of yet I do not know if classes will continue at Fairfield Halls in 2011? Numbers of people coming to the classes has, admittedly, increased over the last couple of months, in the main down to 'Strictly Come Dancing' being shown on our TV screens. I will only be in a position to say what happens next when I have met with the Chief Executive. Watch this space for further details.

Class Term Times

Shirley Methodist - Thursday Evenings

All classes currently running will finish on Thursday 16 December 2010.

Beginners Level 1, 10 week Ballroom & Latin American Starter Class 6.45pm - 7.30pm

The next Beginners Level 1, 10 week Ballroom & Latin Starter Class, resumes on **Thursday 13 January 2011.**

Improvers Ballroom & Latin American Class 7.30pm - 8.30pm &

Intermediates Ballroom & Latin American Class 8.30pm - 9.30pm

Both these classes will also resume on **Thursday 13 January 2011.**

All class prices remain the same.

I will bid you farewell now..... C U when we see you..... if not at class..... maybe at the Christmas party?

Paul and team