

# Strictly **FUN** Dancing

## Newsletter

December 2009

Hello, Hello

Once again we have reached that time of the year when there never seems to be quite enough hours in the day, days in the week, or weeks in the month even. However, here is the information that many of you have been asking for, as well as a little bit more. Merry Christmas to one and all, thank you for your support this last year and hope to see as many of you in 2010.

For your info, term times and events:

All classes currently running will finish on Thursday 17 December 2009.

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 14 January 2010.**

Beginners Level 2 / Improvers Ballroom & Latin American Class 7.30pm - 8.30pm

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## Intermediates Ballroom & Latin American Class 8.45pm - 9.45pm

These classes will both resume on **Thursday 7 January 2010.**

All class prices will remain the same.

## New Classes at Fairfield Halls, Croydon. Start Tuesday 16 February 2010

I have recently been in discussion with the organizers at Fairfield Halls and we have agreed to run an evening of Ballroom Dance Classes, followed by a session of social dancing on Tuesday evenings in the Arnhem Gallery, Fairfield Halls. For those of you that have not had the pleasure of visiting the gallery it is quite a plush room with a large floor and licensed bar, which, I am told they intend to open.

The man in charge also tells me that they have regular enquiries from people wanting to know if Fairfield Halls still facilitates Ballroom dancing. He is sure that the package that we are about to offer will become a hit. His view has been that in recent years the 'Peggy Spencer' approach to the classes has been lost, and that if it went back to basics and incorporate social dancing after the classes, people will return. Who knows, let's see if SFD can emulate Peggy's past successes with our own particular style?

## An Evening of Social Dancing at Beckenham Public Halls - Friday 26<sup>th</sup> March 2010

For those of you that have recently started receiving the newsletter we run a social event at the Beckenham Public Halls once a quarter. The venue boasts a wonderful ballroom, accompanied by a licensed bar and

an opportunity to start the weekend off with a bit of fun, a bit of dancing and a chance to socialize with like minded people.



Beckenham Public Halls  
Bromley Road  
Beckenham  
BR3 5JE

Doors open at 8pm with the Last Waltz being played at circa 11.00pm.  
Price: £10 per ticket per person in advance, £11 on the door.

## Christmas Party Saturday 19 December 2009

Almost there, almost arranged and only final adjustments to be taken care of; and I personally, still feel fairly calm, lets see how long I can keep that going?

As you know we have arranged a Latin American Demonstration for you by a young, dynamic, newly formed couple, who, I have no doubt will be the highlight of the evening's entertainment. I hope you enjoy it.

Also, for you information we will be offering soft drinks as an alternative to the Mulled wine on your arrival and please remember to bring your own drinks for later on. We look forward to seeing you. If anyone else is interested in coming please see one of us Thursday or contact me by phone or email.

Best regards

Paul and Team