



Sandon Scottish Country Dance Club Newsletter

December 2007

Classes



Christmas is fast approaching, and Monday 10th December will be our party night. This will be the last class for this term, so we will be dancing until 10:00pm.

We will be meeting as usual at the Hayward School on the following Monday evenings during the Spring and Summer terms:

January: 7th, 14th, 21st, 28th
February: 4th, 18th, 25th
March: 3rd, 10th, 17th
April: 14th, 21st, 28th
May: 12th, 19th
June: 2nd, 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th

The committee would like to take this opportunity to wish you all a very happy Christmas and New Year!

Forthcoming Club Events

Our Hogmanay party will take place on Monday 31st December at the Parish Hall, Great Baddow, from 8:00pm until 12:00am. This is a fun family event which includes ceilidh dancing and party games, as well as simple Scottish country dances.

Tickets for the Hogmanay party are now available from Stan. They are priced at £5 for adults and £2 for children, and club members and guests are also asked to bring a plate of food for the buffet supper.

Our Spring dance will take place on Saturday 15th March 2008 at the Parish Hall, Great Baddow, from 7:30pm until 11:00pm. Dancing will be to recorded music. The programme and further details will be available on the notice board and on the club website at www.sandonscotdance.org.uk closer to the time.

Autumn Dance

Our Autumn dance on Saturday 17th November went very well. A total of 40 people attended the dance, including A number of dancers from other clubs.

The committee would like to thank everyone who contributed to the success of the evening by preparing food, helping in the kitchen, donating raffle prizes, selling tickets, and of course taking part in the dancing! The raffle raised £52, which will be donated to the Hayward School at the end of the dancing year.



Other Local Dances

Forthcoming social dances in other parts of Essex include:

Saturday 19th January: Halstead
Saturday 9th February: Epping Forest
Saturday 23rd February: Witham
Saturday 23rd February: Basildon
Saturday 1st March: Clacton (Gt. Bentley)
Saturday 29th March: Harlow
Saturday 12th April: Bishop's Stortford (Sawbridgeworth)
Saturday 19th April: Essex Caledonian Ball (Canvey Island)

Further details of these dances, including the programmes, will be available on the club website and on the notice board in class.

It would be fantastic to see some of our members at the Essex Caledonian Ball. Please speak to Esther as soon as possible if you are interested in attending, as ticket numbers will be limited.

Class Fees

Class fees for club members will be £3 per week, or £27 for the whole of the Spring term (10 weeks). For non-members, the class fee will be £4 per week. Cheques should be made payable to Sandon Scottish Country Dance Club.