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We meet **WEDNESDAYS, 12:00 NOON - 1:20 PM**
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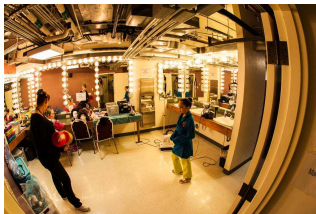
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Dancing Towards a Better Life - Student Performance

Posted by Jim Murphy on Dec 05, 2014



DANCING IN THE STREETS ARIZONA:

Vision:

To be recognized as a world class performing arts organization, primarily for at-risk youth, committed to the youth's cultural and artistic development.

Mission:

To use the power of dance to break down cultural barriers and enrich the student's and community's artistic experience through the creation of a diverse dance school and company.

Ballet Benefits:

Dancing in the Streets is uniquely positioned to provide psychological and developmental benefits of dance through classes and performance opportunities. Students learn self-discipline, teamwork, self-respect, and, most importantly, self-esteem. Dancing in the Streets provides critical dancing tools for helping young people to manage peer pressure, family crisis, and gang prevention. It is commonly known that artistic engagement assists at-risk youth in improved academic performance.



Ballet Opportunities:

Dancing in the Streets students and professional dancers will have an opportunity to perform, regardless of their age, size or skill level.

Ballet Training:

Children of all ages as well as teens and adults would receive a solid foundation in ballet as a gateway to explore other dance styles such as jazz, tap, modern and more. Dancing in the Streets offers scholarships for students with income limitations.

Weekly Program

Dec 10, 2014 Dancing In The Streets Nutcracker Performance
Dec 17, 2014 Holiday Mixer (Replacement Meeting) At: Park Ave. Wedding & Event Venue, 242 S. Park Ave.
Dec 24, 2014 DARK DAY
Dec 31, 2014 DARK DAY
Jan 07, 2015 Michelle Crow January 8 Memorial Foundation
Jan 14, 2015 Zach Yentzer Gen Y
Jan 21, 2015 Bill Moore 2014 Car Show Charities Program
Jan 28, 2015 Manuel Padilla Jr., Chief Patrol Agent Tucson Sector Border Patrol Overview
Feb 04, 2015 Club Mixer (Replacement Meeting)
View entire list...

Upcoming Events

Salvation Army Bellingring-Saturday, December 13th Dec 13, 2014 09:00 AM - 05:00 PM
Holiday Mixer (MEMBERS ONLY) Dec 17, 2014 05:30 PM - 08:30 PM
Holiday Mixer (GUESTS ONLY) Dec 17, 2014 05:30 PM - 08:30 PM

Dancing in the Streets Arizona, a 501(c)(3) non-profit Ballet organization was opened in August 2008 by Joseph Rodgers and Soleste Lupu, which has over 140 students and is still growing.

Mystery Editor - December 3, 2014

Posted by Ed Mystery on Dec 04, 2014

First order of business, DON SHROPSHIRE, we wish you a speedy recovery from your recent injury and will keep you in our thoughts and prayers. Speaking of which, PAT ZUMBUSCH opened with his (as usual) excellent invocation and prayer. In consideration of our program presenters, PAT shared some great quotations regarding both doctors and engineers.

BOBBY LARSON had a big task introducing guests and visitors as we had too many for me to count this week.

Happy Birthday shout-out to PAT DAVITT, who being a big believer in education stuffed the scholarship cup with a handful of cash. Also JIM DAVENPORT and CAM MOORE. CAM informed us he was celebrating his 35th birthday. (I think I still remember that year....)



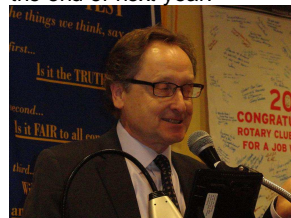
This week was a raffle week, and there were several happy winners who all appeared to be sitting at the same table. Needless to say, I was not one of them, even though RON OXMAN promised me a winning ticket! There was a surprise auction, two tickets to see jazz pianist Dr. John, which were eventually sold to auctioneer DAVE GALLAHER. Program presenter Dr. Jerzy Rozenblit

commented that this was the first time he attended an auction that was won by the auctioneer!

Joel Black received his blue badge, congratulations Joel...

There were several announcements, too many to cover here, however I'd like to point out that ELLIE PATTERSON updated us on the results of the recently held Ride to End Polio, which raised approximately \$6.7 million for the cause! Amazing work and thanks for all who helped with this event. ELLIE also reported that, coupled with this financial support and a lot of hard work, Africa may be polio-free by the end of next year!

Finally, Dr. JON WANG introduced U of A Cardiologist Dr. Peter Ott and U of A Electrical Engineer, Dr. Jerzy Rozenblit, who together provided an interesting and informative presentation on electricity in the heart. More specifically, how faulty electrical wiring in the heart can lead to an irregular heartbeat. Many questions were asked, so I can see I was not the only person in the audience who found this topic interesting.



Happy Thanksgiving to all Rotarians! (A little belatedly...)



President's Letter

Posted by Mary Martin on Dec 04, 2014

It's hard to believe that this week is the last official meeting of the year!

We will meet at the Doubletree this week and then we will have our Annual Holiday Mixer on December 17th at Park Avenue. If you haven't done so, please go on Clubrunner and rsvp for you and your guest. If you need assistance, please contact Dorinna or Shawn and they will help. We will be dark the 24th and 31st and will meet again on January 7, 2016! We have accomplished much this year and I am grateful to each of you for your contribution of time, talent and resources. By the time you read this article, our members who attended the San Carlos trip will be back and our runners will have completed the Tucson Marathon. Thank you for all who donated to the San Carlos project and sponsored our runners to help benefit our scholarship fund. Thank you to all who have signed up for the Salvation Army Bell Ringing on December 13th. I am continually amazed at the level of generosity and commitment to changing lives locally and globally through Rotary. I look forward to seeing all of you on Wednesday and remember to bring a guest. Thank you.

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Holiday Mixer - December 17th (Replacement Meeting)

Posted by Dorinna York on Nov 21, 2014

HOLIDAY MIXER ~ Wed., 12/17/14 (Replaces Lunch Meeting)

LOCATION: Park Avenue Venue, 242 S. Park Avenue, Tucson, AZ

TIME: 5:30 p.m. – 8:30 p.m.

Catered by: Rincon Market ~ Cash Bar

SIGN UPS FOR MEMBERS AND GUESTS ON CLUBRUNNER (deadline 12/12/14)

Grand Holiday Raffle @ The Holiday Mixer

Posted by C. William Moore on Dec 05, 2014



Grand Holiday Raffle to benefit The Reading Seed Library; best prizes of the year and two ways to enter: First at next week's meeting and again at the Holiday Mixer on Dec 17 bring children's books to donate and receive two raffle tickets for each book donated. Or buy raffle tickets \$10 each 3 for \$20 and all money collected will be used to buy more books. Good children's books are the keystone on learning to read and wanting to read better.

Grand Prizes: (1) Two nights and three days at Antler Ridge Resort in Greer, Arizona. (Donated by George Darling) (2) GE 31-Bottle Stainless Steel Freestanding Wine Chiller (Donated by Chris Edwards).

Other Prizes: (1) Four Bottles of great "Holiday Wine"- One Zin, one Cab, one Pinot Noir and one Brunello (Donated by Jerry Harris) (2) A fantastic Christmas Centerpiece (Donated by Irene Decker).

The prize drawing will be held at the Holiday Mixer on December 17 and while we like everyone at the mixer you do not have to be present to win.

Rotary Marathon Relay Team

Posted by Jon Wang on Dec 08, 2014



Here is the 2014 Record-Setting Tucson Rotary Marathon Relay Team!!! Congratulations ...



Menu for December 10th at the Doubletree - SALONS EFGH

Posted by Dorinna York on Dec 04, 2014

Plated Salad: Field Greens Bruschetta

Mama's Meatloaf - Meatloaf with Peppers, Onions, and Savory Gravy served with Mashed Potatoes and Gravy with fresh Seasonal Vegetables.

Assorted Rolls and Butter, Cookies served Family Style, Coffee, Decaf or Iced Tea.

Vegetarian Option if reserved by Friday noon:

Portobello Napoleon - Layers of Grilled Portobello Mushrooms, Roasted Corn Salsa finished with Fresh Herbs, Steamed Rice with Spinach and diced Tofu.

Fresh Fruit plate if reserved by Friday noon.

Gluten Free meals available by advance reservation only.



Membership and Attendance

Posted by Dorinna York on Dec 04, 2014

Membership		Scholarship Cups	
Active Members	179	Cash Contributions	\$ 181.00
Active Members Attendance Exempt	54		
Total Active Members	233	Total Scholarship Cups	\$ 181.00
Honorary Members	18		
Meeting Attendance - Dec 3, 2014		Raffle	\$ 225.00
Members	127		
Active Members AE	21	Auction RCOTF	\$ 135.00
LOA/Honorary Members	0		
Total Members Present	148		
Guests	10		
Guests of the Club	5		
Visiting Rotarians	1		
Total Meeting Attendance	164		