

Innovations

June 2006 Newsletter

Please Note: Friday,
June 2nd, no class at
7:15 & the dance
will end at 10:30 PM



Mario Robau Jr.

Mario - One Workshop Only

Starlight Dance Studio, San Diego

Saturday, June 3rd, 2006 6:30 –7:45 PM

Intermediate West Coast Swing

with

Mario Robau Jr.

DanceSational Workshop Prices

Includes Dance Admission

\$10 Annual Members, \$20 for All Others

Dance Only Prices (Dance 8 - 11 PM)

\$5 Annual Members, Sister Clubs & Students (with ID)

\$7 for All Others

Mario Robau Jr. is arguably the country's premier West Coast Swing instructor. Innovations has been fortunate to have many of the nation's finest competitors and instructors teach workshops. Mario is a "Super" continuation of that tradition.

"Swing Daddy" has been dancing, in his own words "as long as I can remember". His stellar career as a competitor includes two US Open Classic Swing Championships, Grand National Shag and Swing Competition Championships, five Texas State Championships, and numerous others. In addition to West Coast Swing he has experience in everything from break dancing to ballroom.

His workshops are always entertaining as well as educational; making him one of the nations most sought after instructors. Once you've seen Mario teach, it's obvious why so many professional teachers and competitors go to him for coaching and choreography.

Mario is in San Diego to teach an intensive workshop and Innovations has been lucky enough to book him for one workshop. So, don't miss out on the workshop with this Master Instructor.

Mario will be teaching a limited number of private lessons. If you are interested, please contact Wayne Peleti at 858-277-1845 or info@innovationsdance.org

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2006 DanceSational Workshop Schedule

Saturday, June 3rd 6:30 – 7:45 PM	Mario Robau Jr.	Intermediate West Coast Swing
Saturday, July 1st 6:30 – 7:45 PM	Carrie Kloss	Intermediate Waltz
Saturday, August 5th 6:30 – 7:45 PM	Phil Adams	Intermediate West Coast Swing
Saturday, September 2nd 6:30 – 7:45 PM	No Workshop	
Sunday September 10th 5:00 – 6:15 PM	Jordan Frisbee With Special Guest DJ Parker Dearborn	Intermediate West Coast Swing
Saturday, October 7th 6:30 – 7:45 PM	Mary Ann Harvey	TBD
Saturday, November 4th 6:30 – 7:45 PM	TBD	
Christmas Party Saturday, December 2nd 6:30 – 7:45 PM	Michael John Kielbasa With Special Guest DJ Parker Dearborn	TBD

Workshop Schedule Subject to Change.

Private Lessons Are Available with Top Pros

If you are interested, please contact Carol Ann Palmer at Cgaul2@san.rr.com

June's Schedule

Friday Class – Intermediate Waltz with Mike Cowlshaw

Friday's Class: 7:15 – 8:00 PM - is free with Paid Admission to the Dance

Most Dances Run from 8:00 – 11:00 PM

Note: No class Friday June 2nd and dance will end at 10:30

If you are interested in volunteering to teach, please talk to or send an email to Carol Ann Palmer at Cgaul2@san.rr.com

June Birthdays -*Happy Birthday From Innovations!*

1 free dance admission in the month of your birthday. If you want to take advantage of your free admission on the day of a workshop and you wish to take the workshop, admission is \$5 for both the workshop and dance.

5	Earl Davis	22	David Walkup
7	Dale Pontow	23	Cynthia Lynn
9	Wayne D. Peleti	25	Raymond J. Espinoza
11	Kathy Kelly	25	Ann Vutisaksatit
13	Melanie Dawson	26	Joe W. Leonard
14	Danielle Barger	29	Shannon Pullaro
16	Jill Curtiss	30	Debbie Cohen
16	Lesley Ellies		

Newsletter Deadline

If you have an article you would like to submit for the newsletter, the deadline is **June 15th** for the July newsletter. Send articles to info@innovationsdance.org. Articles are used at the discretion of the newsletter editor.

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The next Board of Directors meeting will be held on Friday, June 23rd at 8:30PM.

The meeting will be at Starlight Dance Studio.

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Workshops, Workshops, Workshops ...

By Wayne Peleti

Saturday, May 6th, Innovations welcomed **Trish Connery** for the first time as the Dancesational Workshop instructor. Trish is a very accomplished competitor in the West Coast Swing and Country Western dance circuits and an excellent teacher.

The class was given an intermediate level pattern with a heavy dose of styling tips for the followers and some technical pointers for all. The presentation was clear and entertaining. (Trish keeps her class moving and upbeat.) Attendees of various levels all seemed to pick up the material pretty quickly and the workshop and the dance which followed were, as usual, a lot of fun.

Followers who attend workshops featuring great dancers like Trish are always given the opportunity to watch and learn those little things that make watching them special, like posture and attitude. Leaders, of course, are exposed to the recommendations aimed at making the dancers work together and not against each other. This comes from dancing with hundreds of partners and experiencing the good, the bad, and the ugly.

Don't forget **this Saturday June 3rd** the Dancesational Workshop star instructor is the **incomparable Mario Robau Jr.** teaching West Coast Swing. Next month there will be a break from WCS and an opportunity for members to brush up on their **Waltz** when we welcome back former US Ballroom Champion **Carrie Kloss** as the July 1 Dancesational Workshop Instructor. – See You Out Dancing