

September 15-17, 2017

Rates Are Per Person for Entire Weekend  
Minimum 2-Night Stay at the Weekend Rate

|                                                                                                           | 2 In Room | 3 In Room | Single Occ. |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-------------|
| <b>STANDARD</b>                                                                                           | \$419     | \$349     | \$559       |
| <i>Well located, standard rooms, in-room safe, LCD flat screen TV, coffee and tea station</i>             |           |           |             |
| <b>EXECUTIVE</b>                                                                                          | \$453     | \$414     | \$613       |
| <i>Large, deluxe rooms, refrigerator, in-room safe, LCD flat screen TV, coffee and tea station</i>        |           |           |             |
| <b>SUITE</b>                                                                                              | \$533     | \$450     | \$697       |
| <i>Extra large deluxe rooms, LCD Flat screen TV, refrigerator, in-room safe, coffee &amp; tea station</i> |           |           |             |
| <b>PRESIDENTIAL SUITE</b>                                                                                 | \$639     | \$594     | \$745       |

A resort fee of \$32 per person will be added for the 2 night weekend. Dining room and housekeeping gratuities NOT INCLUDED. Deposit: \$50 per person

ALL ROOMS HAVE PRIVATE BATHS

Rooms have LCD flat screen TV, hair dryers, irons, ironing boards and alarm clocks. State and local taxes will be added to all rates.

**CANCELLATION DATE** Guest receives a full refund up until August 17th. Guest forfeits \$50 per person if cancelled between August 18th - August 30th. Guest will be charged one night weekend stay if cancelled between August 31st - September 16th.

Early check-outs are responsible for payment of entire weekend - no exceptions.

ARRIVE THURSDAY

for only

\$140

PER PERSON

Includes room, happy hour, dinner, breakfast, evening & morning dance & dance workshops. (Plus state/local taxes and a \$13 per person resort fee. (Gratuities not included))

RESERVATION FORM

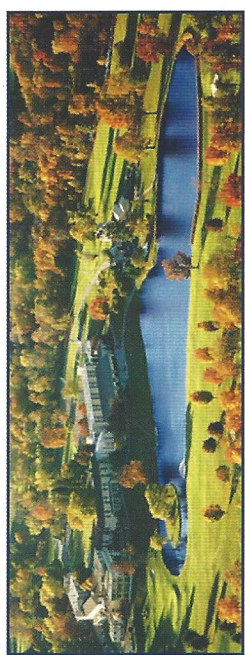
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ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ EMAIL \_\_\_\_\_  
*Room Type Desired All Reservations MUST include 2 choices*  
FIRST CHOICE \_\_\_\_\_ SECOND CHOICE \_\_\_\_\_  
ARRIVAL DATE \_\_\_\_\_ DEPARTURE DATE \_\_\_\_\_  
NAME OF PERSONS SHARING ROOMS \_\_\_\_\_

DO YOU WANT US TO PROVIDE A ROOM SHARE?

☐ YES ☐ NO  
*Random shares accommodate 2 in a room - no triples*  
DEPOSIT ENCLOSED (\$50 per person):  
☐ CHECK ☐ CREDIT CARD  
CREDIT CARD NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_ EXP \_\_\_\_\_  
I wish to be seated with: ☐ SINGLES ☐ COUPLES  
NAMES: \_\_\_\_\_

Make checks payable to "Honor's Haven Resort" and mail to:

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A short trip to this Great Dance Weekend at

**HONOR'S HAVEN RESORT & SPA**  
1195 Arrowhead Road, Ellenville, NY 12428

TRAVEL DIRECTIONS

**From New York**  
Short Line (Coach USA) offers daily scheduled service from New York City, Long Island, The Catskills, Binghamton, Ithaca, Elmira, Utica and more! Individuals departing from NYC can board at Port Authority (42nd Street & 8th). It is recommended that you arrive at Port Authority (2nd floor North Building) not less than 30-minutes prior to your scheduled departure time.  
**Current Bus Fares (New York City to Ellenville, NY): \$30/One Way, \$60/Round Trip**

**From Northern New Jersey:**  
Individuals residing in Northern New Jersey can travel to Honor's Haven Resort & Spa via the Metro-North Railroad to the Otisville Station (estimated fare \$17.75\* one way).  
For a current schedule:  
Go to the [http://www.njtransit.com/sf/sf\\_servlets.srv?hdmPageAction=TrainsSchedulesTo](http://www.njtransit.com/sf/sf_servlets.srv?hdmPageAction=TrainsSchedulesTo)  
\* estimated fare based on departure from Hoboken

**From Newark Liberty International Airport:**  
Individuals flying into Newark Liberty International Airport can travel to Honor's Haven Resort & Spa via a train/bus combination.  
Individuals departing the airport should travel to the NJ Transit Newark Airport Train Station via the Newark Liberty International Airport Air Train. Once at the Newark Airport Rail Station, individuals should board the train traveling toward New York Penn Station; this train will stop in Secaucus, NJ where individuals will need to catch a connecting train to Port Jervis, NY. Once in Port Jervis, individuals will need to catch a connecting train to Otisville, NY (estimated fare \$26.25/One Way).  
For a current schedule: Go to the New Jersey Transit website (Select Middletown, NY as your Destination Station)

**From Stewart Airport:**  
Individuals flying into Stewart International Airport can take the Shortline (Coach USA) bus from the Newburgh Bus Terminal (Park & Ride, Route 17K & NYS Thruway) to the Middletown, NY Terminal. Once at the Middletown, NY Terminal guests should take the connecting bus to Ellenville, NY (estimated fare \$11.00/One Way). For a current schedule: Go to the Coach USA website

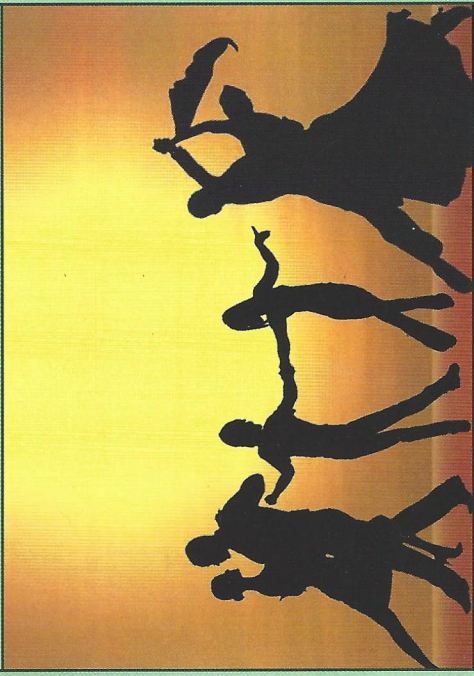
**Taxi Service from All Points**  
24-hour taxi service is available from any of the above referenced terminals (fares vary and must be pre-paid). Please call 1.844.469.7829 or 1.845.210.1600 for estimated fare and scheduling.

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11th Weekend Getaway

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 15th - SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 17th  
2017



Ballroom Dance Resort Weekend



HONOR'S HAVEN

RESORT & SPA  
1195 Arrowhead Road  
Ellenville, NY 12428

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# Future Stardust Events

## YOUR RATE INCLUDES All Accommodations and Hotel Facilities Under One Roof

- ◆ Overnight Accommodations at Full Service Resort
- ◆ 7 Meals ◆ Champagne & Wine Reception
- ◆ Open Bar Cocktail Party & Smorgasbord
- ◆ Over 50 Dance Workshops
- ◆ Dancing During Lunch & Dinner
- ◆ Night & Day Dancing to 4 Great DJ's
- ◆ Top Nite Club Entertainment Each Evening

BONUS: Economy Thursday Arrival Package

BONUS: Thursday Night Mixer

BONUS: Friday Lunch is On Us! (Served from 1-2pm)

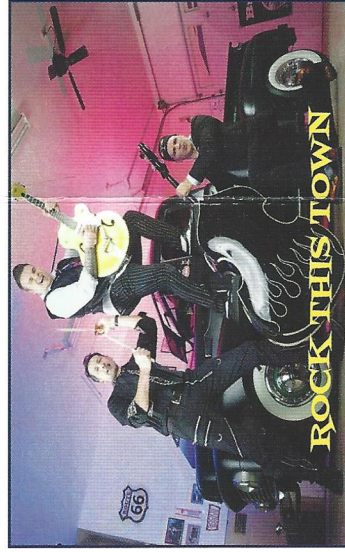
BONUS: YOUR CHOICE - Round Robin Seating or  
Permanent Reserved Seating

BONUS: YOUR CHOICE - Separate Dance Facilities for  
Latin, Ballroom, Argentine Tango,  
West Coast Swing/Hustle/California Mix

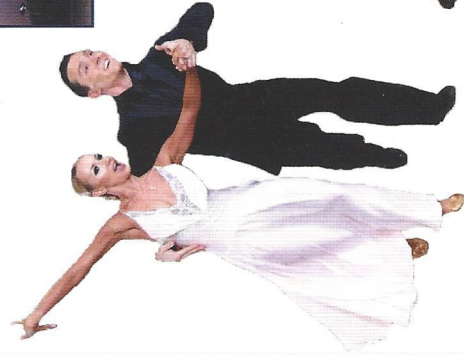
**THEME:** Saturday Night 50's Sock Hop Party



*Appearing  
On Our Stage*



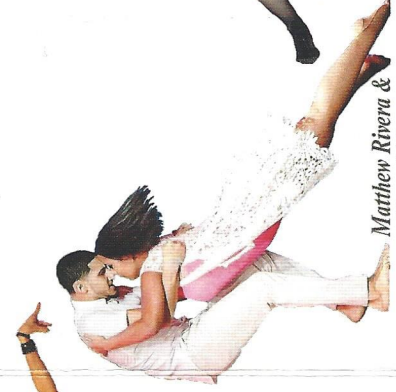
*One thing is for sure...  
When you hear ROCK THIS  
TOWN, Your World is Gonna  
SWING*



*Jordon Simon & Sasha Tarcia*



*Kurt Roberts & Anneliece Velasco*



*Matthew Rivera &  
Krystal Nieves*



*Mario De Camillis &  
Mariana Parma*



**HONOR'S HAVEN**  
RESORT & SPA

1195 Arrowhead Rd.  
Ellenville, NY 12428

**November 17<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup>, 2017**

**Theme: Casino Royale**

**COME CRUISE WITH US**

## 2018 FUTURE EVENTS



### *Costa Deliziosa*

10 Nights - Departs from Ft. Lauderdale, Florida

### *Stardust Dance Cruise XIV*

January 13 - January 23, 2018

#### *Itinerary*

Ports: Key West • Grand Cayman Island • Roatan, Honduras  
Belize • Costa Maya, Mexico • Cozumel, Mexico

**2018 ALL INCLUSIVE**

**BALLROOM DANCE CRUISE / LAND DESTINATION / EXCURSIONS**

## Dubai

### **7 Night Cruise / 2 Night Land**

March 1 - March 11, 2018

**All Inclusive Package**

Ports: Dubai (United Arab Emirates) • Muscat (Oman)

Sir Bani Yas Island • Abu Dhabi • Dubai



As always, the finest and most sought after instructors in the Northeast will be on hand to conduct dance workshops designed for each and every dance enthusiast.

## Over 50 Dance Workshops!

Please note: Each class is designed for specific levels of proficiency  
(A) Beginner (B) Intermediate (C) Advanced

| DANCE                 | LEVEL | LEVEL | LEVEL |
|-----------------------|-------|-------|-------|
| SALSA                 | A     | B     | C     |
| WEST COAST SWING      | A     | B     | C     |
| HUSTLE                | A     | B     | C     |
| FOXTROT               | A     | B     | C     |
| EAST COAST SWING      | A     | B     |       |
| QUICKSTEP             | A     | B     |       |
| RUMBA                 | A     | B     | C     |
| BACHATA               | A     | B     |       |
| ARGENTINE TANGO       | A     | B     | C     |
| AMERICAN TANGO        | A     | B     | C     |
| CHA CHA               | A     | B     | C     |
| MERENGUE              | A     | B     |       |
| INTERNATIONAL CHA CHA | A     | B     |       |
| JIVE                  | A     | B     |       |
| WALTZ                 | A     | B     | C     |
| BOLERO                | A     | B     |       |
| ZUMBA                 |       | ALL   |       |
| BELLY DANCING         |       | ALL   |       |
| LEAD AND FOLLOW       |       | ALL   |       |

**Special 2 Hour Workshops**  
Hustle ★ Salsa ★ West Coast Swing ★ Argentine Tango

## LADIES!

Stardust Hosts are available for  
YOUR dancing pleasure!

This is our 111th Dance Weekend and we are pleased to introduce you to HONOR'S HAVEN RESORT & SPA (formerly known as the Fallsview Resort). Located only 90 minutes from New York City and Albany on a 250 acres private estate with spectacular surroundings and glorious views of the Shawangunk Mountains.

The new ownership has renovated all the public spaces and the hotel grounds. Best of all, they have 8,000 square feet of wooden dance floor.

## GREAT ENTERTAINERS! GREAT BAND!

Appearing on our Stage:  
**Rock This Town Swing Band**

**MATTHEW RIVERA & KRYSTAL NIEVES**  
Latin Sensations

**JORDON SIMON & SASHA TARCIA**  
American Smooth

**KURT ROBERTS & ANNELIECE VELASCO**  
American Rhythm

**MARIO DE CAILLIS & MARIANA PARMA**  
Argentine Tango Specialists

All Rooms & Facilities Under One Roof



YOUR BALLROOM FAVORITES

**MB Music**  
**MICHELLE & BOB FRIEDMAN**

WEST COAST SWING  
**LOUIS DEL PRETE**

LATIN  
**FRANKLIN AYALA**

BUENOS AIRES STYLE MILGONGA  
**ILENE MARDER**



# STARDUST DANCE WEEKEND FACULTY

**Donna DeSimone** - Instructor of Performing Arts, Ballroom, Choreographer, Performer & Judge. Donna has been teaching dance for 32 years. Her knowledge of Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Lyric, Broadway Theater and Ballroom has greatly influenced her Hustle style. In 1975 Donna was introduced to a dance called the Hustle. Donna became a Hustle dancer on the television show "Soap Factory Disco" in 1977. In 1978 she opened her first Dance Studio. Four years later opened her second studio. In 1983 she discovered the world of Ballroom dancing. She trained and competed for 8 years under Roberto Pagan and many well known coaches in American & International styles. In 1985 took 5th in her first ballroom competition at the USBC. In 1986 took 1st at the Virginia State Ballroom Championships in Latin, Won 1st place at 1986 Ohio Star Ball State Championships. In 1986 she won her first United States title, USBC American Hustle Champion in Miami Florida. In 1990 Donna entered the well known Zackary's Dance Competition and took 1st Place. One year later winning the Tri State Open Hustle Championships sponsored by Night Life Magazine. Donna went on to choreograph for dance tours to China, Italy, Florida, Hershey Park, Carnegie Hall ("Cole Porter's 100th Birthday celebration" and "An invitation to Dance" with the NY Pops Orchestra).

**WINGO HOM** - known as "The Dance Doctor" was born and raised in New York City. At age 11, he was introduced to partner dancing by his classmates' parents. They were social dancers and demonstrated a variety of dances in their living room, which awakened his passion for all dances. His determination and motivation has rewarded him by studying under some of the finest instructors and coaches, which has lead him to compete in an array of dances such as, Hustle, American and International styles of Ballroom, Latin, East Coast Swing, West Coast Swing and Salsa. He is known for his unique technique for diagnosing and improving your dance. The dance doctor makes house calls, you supply the floor space and he will bring the knowledge. Wingo has over 50+ years of dance experience and multiple accomplishments, which include: The 2015 Winner of the Arrie Phillips Lifetime Achievement Award, Recipient of the 2014 Employee of the Year Award for Stardust Dance Productions, Winner of 10 Top Teacher Awards, Winner of the 2009 Dancing with the Stars Tour Version in Cha Cha and East Coast Swing competition in Wilkes Barre, Pennsylvania, 2006 Amateur Male Hustle Dancer of the Year, First and only amateur hustle couple, with partner Angela McCabe, to defeat a professional Hustle couple in a competition, 649 first place titles, 34 Jack and Jill first place awards. Wingo is one of the very few instructors that is certified (lead and follow) in Hustle, 12 different American Smooth and Rhythm Styles at the full Bronze and Silver Levels. He is also certified to Judge dance competitions in all levels. Wingo is a familiar presence in the Hustle, Swing and Salsa community and is currently teaching in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Florida.

**LEON HARRIS** - started his association with the dance community after retiring from the US Navy. His first dance was the Brazilian dance Lambada, moved on to ballroom, and finally developed a love for Argentine Tango. Viewing dance as an extension of his interaction with people, Leon focuses on teaching good dance technique and building confidence in his students. Being calm and understated, his students find his classes easy going, stress free, but meet their goal of learning to dance. Being located in Washington DC, his training has included local ballroom studios, workshops with visiting dance professionals, salsa and Argentine tango dance festivals in the US, South America, the Caribbean, and Europe; tango workshops in Buenos Aires and Dubai, and two summer sessions at Stanford University for advance Argentine Tango. Seven workshops at the Conjunto Folklórico Nacional Habana (Cuba) provided him with a focus on Cuban dance history, Afro Cuban Folklorico dances, Cuban social dances, and the dances of Santaria. Although he was a student, he taught Argentine tango while in residence at the Conjunto. As a former Stardust dance host, his experience opened doors for him to hosting/teaching on all the major cruise lines. On the Queen Mary 2, he danced around the world and taught Argentine Tango to a group of beginners that resulted in a performance for the ship. For the past 20 years, his home has served as his dance studio for Latin and Argentine Tango classes.

**CAMERON JOHNSON** - Our newest dance instructor at Stardust. Hailing from South Africa, Cameron Johnson started his dancing career at the age of 5, under the tutelage of his parents. Cameron is the unbeaten South African International Standard Champion in the Junior, Amateur and Professional ranks. In 1996, Cameron represented South Africa in the Open Fleetwood Professionals Championship in Blackpool, England and was placed 6th. Also in 1996, Cameron represented South Africa in the Open French Masters Professional Championship on the Isle of Reunion and placed 3rd. In 2000, Cameron was invited to immigrate and teach in the USA, where he has since made his home. In 2008, Cameron represented the USA at the World Pro/Am Championship in Buenos Aires, Argentina and was placed 1st.

**LIHANN JONES** - has spent most of her life dancing or performing in some fashion. From her parents' nightclubs in Montana and Idaho, to acting in television shows and commercials, to the parade routes and stages of Disney/Land, to the old dance halls of the West Coast where she danced with the Joint Is Jumpin' swing troupe, Lihann loves to learn, perform, and teach dance. In 2005, Lihann relocated to Buffalo, NY and worked as a full-time dance instructor and performer for a local ballroom dance studio. She performed in various DanceSport competitions throughout the country in the Pro/Am Division, her students consistently placing high in the scholarship and multi-dance divisions. In 2010 she received her Associate Certification in International Ballroom from the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dancing. In 2012 she also received her Associate Certification in American Ballroom from the Imperial Society of Teachers of Dancing. In 2013, Lihann helped develop Sunbelt's Celebrity Gala for the Sunbelt's Light Foundation; a ballroom dance competition with local celebrities and professional ballroom dancers performing to raise funds for children with Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy. In 2014, in order to better share her great joy for dancing, Lihann created Ballroom Revolution, a dance studio dedicated to teaching body awareness, connection between dance partners, and how to have fun and feel confident in any dance situation. She continues to develop her dance and teaching skills by attending multiple Lindy Hop conferences, Ballroom symposiums, Argentine tango workshops, and teacher seminars a year.

**SASHA TARICA** - was born in Russia and raised in Ukraine and that's where she was introduced to ballroom dancing. She started dancing at six years old. It didn't take long until she started competing in both Latin and Standard, winning in several prestigious International Championships. Sasha also has a Bachelor's degree in Management, and is a gifted professional makeup artist. Sasha and her partner are currently teachers with Dance With Me USA in Fort Lee, New Jersey, training with the top coaches in country and competing in the Professional American Smooth & American Rhythm divisions. Sasha has a passion for learning and improving herself daily to inspire and help others develop their own passion and skills.

**JORDAN SIMON** - grew up in a dancing family and started ballroom dancing in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. He started competing at the age of 11 in the Pro/Am division. Inspired by his uncle Edward Simon, a successful teacher and World Smooth Champion, Jordan began teaching and professionally competing at the age of 18. Currently Jordan and his Partner are teachers with Dance With Me USA in Fort Lee, New Jersey. Jordan is currently training with the top coaches in the county and competes in the Professional American Smooth & Rhythm divisions. Jordan enjoys teaching and training every day because he believes dancing enhances and changes lives!

**KRYSTAL NIEVES** - only being 21 years old has already made a name for herself for being fierce and sassy on stage no matter the dance. Dancing since 2 years old Krystal trained in many styles including hip hop, modern and home being salsa. Since starting at La salsa de hoy ran by Carlos Vasquez in Brooklyn she has had the opportunity to perform for salsa artists such as Willie Velazquez, Jey Ruiz, Jerry Rivera and performed alongside Mr. Jimmy Bosch twice with her partner Matthew Rivera. Krystal has also had the pleasure of teaching wide receiver Victor Cruz of the NY Giants salsa on 2 at an event in Times Square. Graduating college with her bachelors and now an M.A. For a surgeon, Krystal's focus is to be one of the most recognized salsa divas in the scene today. With hard work, staying humble and continuing to have her very own styling and attitude she is one of the future salsa divas of our time.

**MATTHEW RIVERA** - is an all-around dancer. Training in all styles such as hip hop, salsa, modern, Bollywood and jazz his style is unique, powerful and challenging. Being young and having alot to offer the dance community he has already achieved goals such as back up dancing for artist like Kat Deluna, Victor Manuel, and Toby Love. He's choreographed on television show for the oxygen channel "Tanisha Gets Married" with reality television superstar Tanisha Thomas of the "Bad Girls Club" is the official choreographer for the Unity Latin Tribute to Michael Jackson show created by Tony Succar and choreographs for Latin Freestyle trio TKA (Come Baby Come, Maria, Louder then Love) both alone and touring with his partner Krystal Nieves teaching and performing their Latin Fusion style they have traveled to places such as Mexico, Italy, Texas, California, Canada, Florida, St.Louis, Orlando, Dominican Republic and Philadelphia just to name a few. Loving what he does Matt has a style that is very passionate, honest and very strong on inspiring others to inspire others.

**ANNELIECE VELASCO** - Co-Owner, Manager, and Instructor. Anneliece is originally from Mexico. City and began her dance training at the age of 5 with the Royal Ballet of London. Contemporary dance and ballroom became her main focus throughout her teens and as she got older, ballroom dancing turned from a hobby into a career. Anneliece has been with Fred Astaire Dance Studios for over five years instructing and competing heavily throughout the country with her partner Kurt Roberts. Together they have earned the titles of Fred Astaire National Show Dance Champion, Fred Astaire Rising Star Champion, Fred Astaire Open Rhythm Finalist, and Ohio Star Ball Rising Star Rhythm Finalist. This grandmother taught him to be kind, be caring, and appreciate the finer things in life. He believes that dance is the finest thing you can do not only to express how you feel but how you can make others feel. Making others feel their absolute best is what he loves about teaching.

**KURT ROBERTS** - has been working with Fred Astaire Dance Studios for over 4 years as an instructor. Kurt has earned many accolades and awards both in dancing and as an instructor. He holds many titles within Fred Astaire and on the independent competition circuit in the American rhythm style with his partner Anneliece. Some of his titles include: Fred Astaire National Show Dance Champion, Fred Astaire Rising Star Rhythm Champion, Fred Astaire Open Rhythm Finalist, and Ohio Star Ball Rising Star Rhythm Finalist. This grandmother taught him to be kind, be caring, and appreciate the finer things in life. He believes that dance is the finest thing you can do not only to express how you feel but how you can make others feel. Making others feel their absolute best is what he loves about teaching.

**MARIANA PARMA** - is widely known and admired for her masterful expertise in Argentine Tango. Mariana's approach in teaching and performing is to transmit the essence of each dance style through the musicality and movement. Her experience in the realm of Argentine Tango is vast and she has spun in stiletos, in NBC's hit series, "The Blacklist", as a Russian Tango dancer, national commercials, and within such theatrical venues as NYC Town Hall, Lincoln Center, and abroad. Beyond her own performing experiences, as an instructor, she has also trained legends in the fundamentals of Argentine Tango, including Chita Rivera and Tommy Tune. Plus, as a Choreographer, she choreographed for commercials, well-revered composers and orchestras, including a recent China tour of the production "Glamour Tango".

**MARIO DE CAMILLIS** - is a professional Tango dancer and instructor from Buenos Aires, Argentina. During his 15+ years' career in Tango, Mario De Camillis has received numerous awards, including the Metropolitan Champion in the categories of Vals and Milonga in 2011. Sub-Champion in the category of Tango Salon, and was among the finalist several times at the Tango World Championship in Buenos Aires. He has had the pleasure of being invited to teach tango classes at renowned tango schools, in Switzerland, Germany and his city of origin, Buenos Aires. His approach is to teach technique as the focus to make the dance enjoyable and more advanced.

**LOURDES CRUZ** - has been dancing from a very young age and began teaching & competing professionally in 1996. Her dance background extends from Ballroom & Latin Dancing, Folk, Belly Dance, West Coast Swing & Argentine Tango. Her 13 Ballroom Dance Major along with her interdisciplinary teaching experience and studies in music, martial arts, & speech pathology contribute to the versatility of her dancing and teaching style. Currently she is Program Director and Lead Instructor of the Dance Program at Inneight Movement Studio in Hyde Park, NY

**RICHARD GINNEY** - Richard has a successful twenty four years' experience in all aspects of the ballroom dancing industry through cultivating and achieving professional, and educational goals. He competed professionally in International Latin, has his teaching certifications in multiple syllabi, including both American and International dances, and franchised and independent curriculums. He continues to take lessons with top professionals for teaching and personal dance goals. His ballroom dance program won the 2012 Best in Monmouth County, NJ Health & Life Magazine's "Readers' Choice Award." Richard is available for private or semi-private lessons.

**MARY JAMES** - A Professional Theatre Arts Champion with over 30 titles. Marks creative style is cool and elegant. He is a teacher, coach and choreographer with extensive training in American, International, Smooth, and Rhythm, as well as Theatre Arts. Mark's love and dedication of dance has led to creating "National Ballroom Project", bringing dance education to schools and libraries.

**KAREN LUPO** - Known for her elegant style, Karen has been captivating audiences while performing Latin, Smooth, and Theatre Arts routines. She is a former American Rhythm Champion who is a regular performer, teacher and coach in the New York Area. Together with Mark James, she has created "Elegance Of Dance", a professional stage show bringing Ballroom, Tango and Salsa with a touch of Magic to stages, corporate events and libraries.

**PHILIP SPINKA** - has been Ding at weddings and parties, while planning and directing events for over 25 years. Invited to DJ, teach, and perform at Ballroom, West Coast Swing and Hustle dance events, Philip has enjoyed sharing his passion for music and dance with everyone, from wedding couples to competitive dancers. Also working as a professional dancer, instructor, and performer he received his teaching certifications in Hustle and West Coast Swing from the HDA and the GPOA. As a competitor, he won and placed in hundreds of competitions, as well as earning West Coast Swing Rising Star placements. Philip's knowledge of dance has taught him the purpose of music. His passion for music and dance shows in his event planning and many satisfied clients. Philip is waiting to share this magic with you!

**MARION PANOS** - In 2009, Marion joined our fitness staff and teaches Belly Dance classes on the weekends. Marion is trained in several styles of dance, including jazz, modern, afro-Brazilian, African, Middle Eastern and Ballroom. She is proficient in American style ballroom and Latin and has also studied International Standard. She competed around the country at the pro-am level in American style ballroom and Latin for many years. She was a professional Middle Eastern dancer and has been teaching Belly Dance for more than 15 years.

**MOLLY GELSOMINO** - Originally from Upstate, New York. She has a diverse background in the arts, including a BA in Dance from the University at Buffalo, over 15 years of performance and choreography in concert dance and 6 years as a Dance Educator in the Brooklyn Public Schools. Molly is a former professional cheerleader for the AFL, and spent 6 years in NYC as a Co-Artistic Director for The Movement Collective Dance Company. As a newer resident of Sullivan County, Molly found "Zumba" to be the most exciting way to fuse her passion for dance, music and fitness. Molly enjoys inspiring her clients and encouraging her classes to feel the music, join the party and have a fun fitness experience upon stepping into the studio.

**DAN VITALI** - Has been associated with Stardust since 1989. He became Stardust's Dance Host Director in 2003. Dan is responsible for the supervision and scheduling of between 12-15 hosts on duty for every ballroom dance event we hold. Despite his many responsibilities, Dan always has fun, as do the many ladies he dances with during the events.



**LINDA GILBERG** (President) - coordinates all aspects of each Stardust Event, including reservations, dining room seating, and programming. Linda has been in the hospitality business for over 33 years. Her background includes Reservations Manager at Kuster's Country Club, Sales Manager at Taverni On The Green, and Purchasing Agent at Terrace On The Park. Linda's passion has always been to be a dancer, but it didn't pan out, so she is now dedicating herself into making your vacation dance event a memorable one.

**Faculty Emeritus**  
BEN MURTHA, GENIE & NAOMI ANOLICK, NORTON & AGI HYMAN,  
FRAN CHESLEIGH, FRANK ELIA, ESTHER ODESCALCHI

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