

National Smooth Dancers
Dance Whispers
August 2019



August 3, 2019

Hello Fellow Smooth Dancers,

Despite the summer heat, NSD members are still out having fun! Catch up on Palomar Chapter's Coronation (p1-2). Find out which NSD member won a blue ribbon for his painting at the Del Mar Fair (p1). NSD members have traveled to Alaska and Hung out with tigers (p6), participated in competitions (p7) and have danced, danced and danced ("A Night In Buenos Aires", "a Sock hop", "Luau's", "Sunday at The Matinee", and "Dancin' in the 60's" to name a few themed dance socials).

Los Angeles Chapter is on the move again. Read about where they are going to call home starting in October on page 6. You can actually follow a link to see a video tour of their new dance home.

On page 12 you will want to read the farewell message from our State Queen, Lynn Sanders. Our State Queen-elect is introduced to you on Page 5. This means the State National Smooth Dancers Convention will soon be upon us! There is plenty of information in this issue regarding the Convention (pp3-4; 13-15). So if you haven't yet registered for the Convention, please read up on it and plan on joining us in Woodland Hills for an exceptional weekend of Dancing, Friends, Fun and Memories.

Looking forward to seeing you on the dance floor.

Never Stop Dancing,

Tom Wells

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Palomar Chapter

Edited by Debbie Atherton and Don Hubbard



There were so many people working behind the scenes to make this such a truly lovely and wonderful event. My Palomar family really went above and beyond the call. Thank you! Thank you! Thank you! From the bottom and top of my heart Thank You! - **Queen Ann Mauro**



Ooooooohhhh What a day!!

It began with the Arch Team showing up at Co-Chair Marion Semler's home to load up the arch, queen's chair & decorations. We reconvened at Ocean Hills with the Set-Up Team of Co-Chair Carol Kimmitt and the Decorations Team. Even Queen Rita Steed of GG stepped in to help. Antonia & Jesus Quinene's Hospitality Team did a fabulous job including some really scrumptious deserts.

And then there were BUBBLES!! We couldn't have real bubbles so we improvised with center pieces of lighted columns of iridescent bubbles, an arch covered in lighted and dangling bubbles, and each queen carrying a lighted, clear helium bubble (balloon). Mark & Kao Chapman did a simply stunning Honor Dance. Danny Carraza and I did a fast-paced fox trot complete with lifts and a sit spin. Igor and Nadia Tilinin performed two amazingly intricate and lovely International dances. Everyone was having such a fabulous time; it was hard to put an end to the evening!



Queen Ann and the Queen's Court.

"A Night in Buenos Aires" was our June Social. It was well attended and our Dancers were dressed in many versions of dress of an Argentine nightclub. Palomar NSD member Jack Ragland supplied the décor with his many paintings of tango Dancers in various poses of the dance. Jack used as his models actual dancers that he photographed and later put on canvas. The evening began with an excellent Tango lesson by Marie and Larry Clendenen. Jack and wife Marilee performed an Argentine Tango. Hosts Amiel Sharon, Josie Rutledge, Iara Gregory, and Ann & Tom Mauro, provided a tasty snack of croissant sandwiches and trimmings.



Left: Queen Ann with Tom and her son.



Right: Ann with Tom and her granddaughter.



Above: Jack Ragland presents door prize to Lucky Etta

Top Left: Penny Elliott, Mario Lira, Ann Mauro & Stella Kanterakis dressed for the occasion!

Left: Congratulations to Jack Ragland for his first place award at the Del Mar Fair!



Decorating Team!



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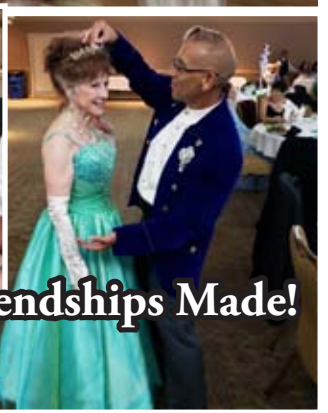
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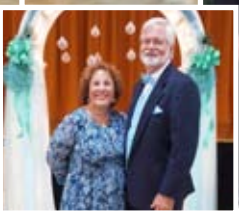
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Introduction of our State Queen-elect Joan Robinson



As editor, even though I am a very close friend of the honoree, I know that I am not supposed to play favorites. Of that, I am dutifully aware. But in this special issue of the NSD “Dance Whispers” newsletter, I will show favoritism as a friend and as editor. Why? It is because this is where our San Fernando Valley Chapter shares with you what we love about our State Queen-elect...Joan Robinson.

It was not hard work for us to narrow down who would represent our chapter and NSD as our State Queen. Joan has been outstanding in chapter support, in her work for NSD, and her involvement in the wider dance community.

One of the things that we love about Joan is her grand ability to put a fresh lens on classic ideas and traditions. In this process, she is always laying a groundwork for a breath of new ideas that include friendship, growth of membership, and joy for her love of dancing and for all of us who love the world of dance.

Perhaps her strongest aptitudes are marketing and outreach, traits that touch on much of what she does for the chapter and the community of dance that she leads. She sends out weekly e-mail announcements to the wider dance community as part of her outreach efforts, and because of her outgoing

personality, the SFV Smooth Dancers are well known locally.

She utilizes her skills to get potential new members interested in our chapter and to encourage older members to reengage. In some cases, she keeps her contributions quiet, while in others she bursts onto the scene and takes our breath away. She keeps careful tabs on our chapter, has worked very hard for it, and has helped it evolve over the years.

Thus it is my honor, with deepest love and appreciation, to announce that Joan Robinson is the SFV State Queen-elect, for always being there and always giving us more than we could ask for and to tell her that she means more to us than she can ever know.

Highlights of Joan’s Contributions

Highlights of her extensive chapter credits include:

Joan Robinson, State Queen-elect, has held many positions in the SFV Chapter over the past 13 years. She also takes on her new role with three years of queenly experience under her belt.

Her volunteer positions include NSD Board Member, SFV President, Recording Secretary, Social Chair, Whispers Newsletter Editor, Studio Liaison, and Marketing Specialist. She has also served as Vice President of NSD for over two years and in 2014 was the recipient of the coveted Gavel Club Award.

Joan joined SFV Smooth Dancers in 2006 and immediately volunteered to hold an officer’s position. She was told she did not qualify as six months of membership was required before a member could become an officer. So she cheerfully did the work -- without the glory of the title -- for those six months!

At that time, SFV Smooth Dancers had 38 members but only about 25 people attending our dances. Joan used to work for the fifth-largest public relations firm in the USA. As her strength was in marketing, she used her knowledge and expertise to spread the word about our great club. We grew to over 80 members last year. Our attendance at conventions went from eight members in 2007 to over 35 members and friends in recent years. This growth has helped the convention hosts meet their participation goals. At our 2012 convention, she, as co-chair, implemented new ideas such as Jack and Jills, dance hosts and breakfast dancing, to name just a few. When our club needs to create a show, skit, or formation team, Joan is the one who steps up to the plate to pull it off for us in a most professional way. Of interest to note is that Joan, an accountant, still works for a living, so her love for NSD and dancing is just her “part-time” job. To quote Gee Gee Barden, President of SFV Chapter, who has known Joan throughout these years, “Her enthusiasm for NSD is always unwavering.”

So we look forward to seeing you at the legendary Stork Club (aka Marriott Hotel, Woodland Hills) for the Coronation of State Queen-elect, Joan Robinson, on Saturday, August 31st.

Los Angeles Chapter

The traveling LA NSD Tea Dances has moved from West Covina, Temple City, Sloan and Sloan, then Duarte; we have not had a permanent venue this year. A dance floor and a dance studio were needed in order to develop growth for our club's viability... Hurrah!!! For our President Tom Wells. Tom has worked tirelessly in procuring Soho Dance LA Studio in Sherman Oaks. A 2000 sq. foot dance floor, air conditioned and a beautiful sound system with video accessories. Our entire club owes a note of gratitude to President Tom and Soho Dance LA owner Raul Santiago for making this opportunity possible. We are just starting to plan our marketing and promotions. We will be holding our tea dances on the 2nd Sunday of the month starting in October. Our first dance will be Sunday, October 13th, from 1:30 to 4pm at our new home, Soho Dance Studio in Sherman Oaks. Be sure to check www.losangelessmoothdancers.com for up-to-date dance information. You can also watch a video tour of Soho Dance LA Sherman Oaks at www.sohodancela.com. I am never without words (I'm Italian) but this move is an important announcement for the growth of our club, thanks Tom.



Due to the work of President Tom Wells, the LA Chapter will be calling Soho Dance LA Sherman Oaks home for our monthly tea dances. Our October dance will be our first event and we are excited to have everyone come check out our new dance home.

Now back to our chapter dances. Several couples accompanied Queen Alice to Palomar's coronation. We were delighted by Queen Ann Mauro's waltz. The honor dance was superbly peoded by Mark and Kao Chapman. We were also entertained by Nadia and Igor Tilinin's exhibition of grace and beauty. Our entire weekend was one immeasurable exploration into our dancing pleasure.



LA is known for our line dancing, thanks to Victor Lee's instructions, but this dance venue had Craig Miller lead the line. Ahh, we are so versatile.

Edited by Sandy Wells



Trips and travel: Robert Quan and Francy Solano traveled to Anchorage Alaska then traveled by car to Seward and Homer. They then hiked to Exit Glacier and saw first-hand, the effects of Global warming.



The Wells escaped LA and the 405 early for Palomar's Coronation, and had an adventure into the Safari Wild Animal Park. Tom and I were enthralled with the tigers, lions, their grace and beauty. Four hours later, we were still taking picture and videos to show our domestic kitties on how to speak.



Before the Palomar coronation, Sandy took time to enjoy the tigers at the Safari Wild Animal Park, and the tiger took time to contemplate dessert!

Chuck and Susan Johnson are in Colorado with Chuck's Mom celebrating her 100th Birthday this August 1. Congratulation.



Now I will end with a promo for an Italian that is now at the Reagan library. DaVinci...Ahh, All his works and masterpieces are finished and on display. Please make time to explore his wonderful inventions.

San Diego Chapter

Competition and Showcase Spotlight

Written by Frank Lacson and Latiffah McGinness; edited by Mark Chapman

The main products of Ballroom Dancing--Socials, Performances, and Competition--can be seen as a triangle, where each part is connected to (and benefits from) the others. When not social dancing, our members are hard at work preparing for local showcases and competitions. Here's what we've been up to so far this year!

Ballroom Beach Bash - Every April many of our members compete at the San Diego Ballroom Beach Bash, held at the Hilton Resort and Spa in Mission Bay. It's a fun competition, organized by Toni Redpath, Michael Mead, and Jonathan Roberts: all Smooth Dance Champions. This year's theme was an "Aussie Beach Bash," with fun Australian themes. SDDS members who competed were Jeff Hudson, Laura Harvell, Jim Beaver, Frank Lacson, Jennifer Lacson, Marcia Rainey, and Heidi Dorman.



Pro Marcus Johnson and SDDS Member Laura Harvell demonstrate a textbook New Yorker to the judges.

In addition to the competitors, we had many volunteers from SDDS. This is a great way to see the action while serving as ambassadors to the greater ballroom community. On Friday and Saturday nights, SDDS members and friends from the San Diego ballroom community filled up several tables and cheered on the professional couples.

Hollywood Nights at Champion - Every May, Mary Murphy's Champion Ballroom Academy is transformed into the glamorous Hollywood Nights spectacular. This is a red carpet event to celebrate the anniversary of Champion, this being their 29th year serving the San Diego ballroom community. San Diego Smooth Dancers showed their support both as spectators - about 25 of us attended - and as performers. Congratulations to Sandy Long, Chuck DiSessa, and Cathy O'Harra for showcasing their dancing!



Jeff Hudson with Pro Yuki Haraguchi at the World ProAm Peabody Championship.

Great Gatsby Gala - Another local San Diego competition is the Great

Edited by Mark Chapman



Gatsby Gala, hosted by Kasia Kozak and Louis Bar at the newly remodeled Town & Country hotel. SDDS members who competed this year were Jeff Hudson and Jim Beaver. A few of our members - Marty Freihofer, Marina David, and Olga Aleshin - participated in a 23-person line dance team that won Best Formation. Their line dance was inspired by Peabody and Charleston music.



Members of the dance class demonstration team--Cindy Perry and Mike Colishaw; Angela Wong and Steve Martsolf; Cathy O'Harra and Al Folkman

Performance Group - Early this year, our Dance Class chair Latiffah McGinness, in concert with our Sunday evening dance class participants, made the decision to add a strong performance element to their learning experience. Dance class members have committed to take the choreography that they learn in each class and perform it at multiple venues.

There are strong practical reasons for adding this performance dimension to our Sunday classes. Knowing that they are going to be dancing in front of audiences helps push our dance class members to a new level, in which learning within a class is transformed into working towards the larger goal of becoming performers. For those who have never danced in front of an audience before, this experience allows them to develop their confidence as dancers within the safe structure of a supporting group. For some this has been the beginning of a journey into serious group performance dancing, involving even more intensive instruction and preparation; for others it has led to the challenge of competitions, with either an amateur or a professional partner.

Our spring dance class series with Carrie Kloss culminated in not one, but four, very successful quickstep and international waltz performances. International ballroom is challenging, and it was very gratifying, under Carrie's expert instruction, to be able to present these dances in front of discerning dance community audiences. We're looking forward to many more performances in the future under the instruction of Carrie Kloss and Kasia Kozak.

Bakersfield Chapter

Bakersfield is hot, hot, hot in the summer months. But our dancing is cool, cool, cool. The July sock hop with live music by the Shafter Big Band gave everyone an opportunity to strut their stuff and enjoy some ice cream floats in-between the live music sets. Thank you monthly dance committee!!!



July Dance Committee Rick Gatewood, Steve and Rose Peterson, Ben and Wendy Wilson, Danny Rangel, Charlene Miller, Debi Cadena, Gail Buckles, and Dennis Acosta.



Poodle Skirts are all the rage! Wen-Shi Rodriquez, Lindy Livingston, Sandy Siercks, Debi Cadena, and Maria Leung pose with the hot rod.



Patrick and Maria Leung stay cool with the fan.

Our interviews with 2018 Most Improved Dancers continue with the lovely Eva Shen. Eva joins an august roster of Bakersfield Smooth Dancer ladies, several of whom have gone on to become Chapter Queen. Who know what the future may hold?



Eva Shen

Edited by Liora Malicdem



When and why did you begin dancing? I joined the Bakersfield Round Dance Group about 9 years ago. I think dancing is fun and also challenging.

What do you like most about dancing? I like dancing because I think dancing is the art that combines music, graceful movements, pretty costumes, partner coordination, and body and mind exercising. It is fun.

What do you still find challenging about dancing? Everything and finding time to practice.

What advice do you have for people who want to improve their dancing? I don't think I can give any advice. Everybody says practice, practice and practice.

What is one thing (doesn't have to have anything to do with dance) people would be surprised to learn about you? My son practices physical therapy in the Hawaiian Islands. My daughter is a technologist building lithium ion coin cell batteries in Boston. Lucky, I have Rob in Bakersfield with me. We met on the dance floor.

Bakersfield dancers traveled to Fresno and Palomar for two elegant evenings of dance. Our own Queen Charlene was lovely as always. Congratulations to Queen Ruth Galvante and Queen Ann Mauro.



Bakersfield Smooth Dancers Steve Rogers, Debi Cadena, Antonia and Wen-Shi Rodriquez, Dave Woodle, Dorothy Vaughan, and Kay and Steve Boyer.

Finally, this issue marks my one-year anniversary as editor for the Bakersfield Chapter. I want to shout out a big THANK YOU to EVERYONE who graciously sends pictures (almost always a last-minute request) and contributes story text and ideas. Richard and I are so lucky to have found this great group of people. See you on the dance floor soon!



Richard and Liora Malicdem sporting their Lindy Hop performance shirts – from another era – at the Bakersfield Sock Hop.

Golden Gate Chapter

Edited by Carl Chesbrough



President Amy's Notes on Fresno

On Saturday, June 8th, a group of Golden Gate members drove to Fresno, which had been transformed into the city of Paris, for one night only. What a thrill it was to dance against the backdrop of the Eiffel Tower, which was all lit up, thanks to the painstaking efforts of David Hailpern.

The purpose of our visit was to celebrate the "Dancing in Paris" Coronation of, Fresno's 2019 Queen, Ruth Galvante. Her Coronation was very unique and special, highlighted by a Queen's dance that transformed from a waltz into a salsa, including a mid-dance costume change, masterfully choreographed and arranged by her partner Franco Perraza. It was incredible!

The Fresno Chapter pulled out all of the stops to celebrate Ruth, and they should be commended on a truly fantastic evening. Ruth will be an incredible Queen!

It was also wonderful to have Emma back on the road with us, and feeling better, after her lengthy stay in the rehabilitation center. I know Queen Rita was glad to have her sidekick back too!

I hope you can join us on one of these excursions in the future. They are great opportunities to bond with our own members, as well as our sister chapters, and they are just a lot of fun too!

With Love, Amy



Fresno Honor Dance



Golden Gate at Fresno Coronation.

Dance Friends from Friday Night Dance Lessons in Fremont, CA



Elizabeth and I started taking dance lessons on Friday nights over 14 years ago. Our instructor, Ed Beilin, and his wife Karen are the reason we joined the NSD family. We made many friends through our Friday night lessons. As a ritual, a group of us started having Friday dinner together before heading to the lessons. It was a great way to get to know each other. About a year ago, Ed and Karen moved away from Fremont without anyone to take over the class. Some of us found other Friday dance lessons, nevertheless we kept ongoing Friday dinner together.

The lessons from Ed may have stopped, but we have continued our friendship. Each year, we held a few potlucks as a means to keep in touch. Last weekend in July, a group of us visited Dorrington, a small town in the Sierra foothills. It was a great weekend to make new memories. All of us had a wonderful time, which of course filled with laughter and lots of food. There are talks of an annual event, and maybe extending the weekend by a day or two. Here are some pictures of our event. Enjoy,
-Carl and Elizabeth



(Left) Dance Friends from Friday Night Dance Lessons with hosts. (Above) Dance Friends from Friday Night enjoying a weekend together.

Visalia Chapter



One of our beloved long time club member and dearest friend Vince Uichanco passed away on May 1, 2019 after his long battle with lung cancer. Vince was known to our club as “Mr. Music Man”. He was our Music Person for more than 20 years, and of course everyone enjoyed his selection of music, always so fun to dance to. He was a good friend of my husband Shane and eventually after attending a few social

dances; I got to know Vince and Nellie and we became close friends. We co-chaired several social dances and decorated tables together for our yearly Christmas dance.

They loved to dance and compete. We saw numerous beautiful trophies from them winning various ballroom dancing competitions. Nellie said that these trophies cost them almost an additional mortgage because of countless different lessons that they took from different professionals in Los Angeles. Vince received the Achievement Award in 1993 and Nellie and Vince won the Most Improved Couples Award in 1985 and 1986. We will never forget Vince, he had the most beautiful smile and he had a deep-down kindness that he shared with us for so many years. So long to our friend, we will surely miss you, God Bless You and Rest in Peace! We love you.

VSD’s 2019 New Officers:

Vice President – Karl Richards
Secretary – Robin Graves

We are finally feeling the soaring heat of summer after a wet and cool weather. Our club members did not wait for this triple digit weather to celebrate our summer. Our June dance, themed “Summer Fiesta” was chaired by Linda Guttierrez. Linda and her committee made this event vibrant by decorating the tables with bright yellow, green and red table cloths, and assorted colored flowers, created by Marivel. She also created a window drop for the stage with more flowers and Sombreros.



Karl Richards and Robin Graves

Everyone enjoyed the Salsa lesson taught by Pete Swingle and his wife Carmen from Studio 65 in Fresno. Our new member Luis Aguilar taught a line dance. From Linda, “Thanks to a “Wonderful” committee: Kathy &

Marshall Taylor, Marivel Villarreal, Stan Medina (our MC), Robin Graves, Matthew Lott & Sandy O’Hara. Keeping the music going was our “Music man” John Guttierrez. I don’t

edited by Myra and Shane Nielsen



want to forget to mention that we had a special member of our committee; he decorated, washed dishes, and helped clean up – THANK YOU JAYDEN (Marivel’s grandson)



Marivel and her grandson Jayden Sanches Ruiz.

ALOHA! VSD’s annual “Luau” was held on July 20 chaired by Manuel Madril. It was such a happy occasion. There is no better way to celebrate this event by transforming the ballroom into a Luau. Every guest had a chance to wear a colorful lei complements of VSD. The tables were decorated with tropical fruits, pineapple and mangoes, these fruits from each table were then raffled off at the end of the night.

Everyone enjoyed the Samba Line dance taught by Eileen. As usual outstanding music by Cheryl, thank you Cheryl, your collection of music is awesome. Superb job by Linda and John Guttierrez again for cooking the dinner, thank you so very much John and Linda, you are the best!



Manuel, John, Linda and Carol at Luau.



Hitomi Ramirez



Samba line dance



Manuel, Robin and Marivel



Cheryl and Dean Levitan

Fresno Chapter

Happy Summer!

Our June event, “Sunday at the Matinee” opened with an Argentine Tango lesson taught by Rei Marquez. Many of us were beginners, so Rei had his work cut out. Our hostess, Nancy Cargill, set the scene with the movie goodies and a variety of other yummy food. She brought reinforcements from Visalia to assist her, Lottie Carr and Margo Giles. We welcomed several first-time guests and were pleased to see them have a good time.



June Hostess Nancy with Teacher Rei.

We also celebrated State Queen Lynn Sanders’ birthday, with a bit of champagne and a lot of cake!



Celebrating State Queen Lynn Sanders’ birthday.

Summer was in full bloom as we met for our “Dancin’ in the 60’s” party on July 21. “I remember when...” was a part of many conversations and there were a few who pulled together their best 60’s look. Sheila O’Conner taught an East Coast Swing that had us laughing. The music list included some fun memories from those days. We were so pleased to welcome new and returning guests! It is always a pleasure when Georgia McGreal and Weldon Reeves stop by to visit on their way home to Sacramento. And, this month we were joined by Lorraine Tilton’s grandson and his friend, Jacob Plumb and Kamiko Yamanaka.

Our August dance features Nancy Cargill again as hostess, for Lazy Days of Summer on August 18, 2019. Ms. Mata

Edited by Linda Bennett



will teach a Rumba lesson. There are rumors of, possibly, special beverages to cool us off! 😊

A New Grandbaby!

Jennifer and David Morgan are happy



to announce the birth of Braelynn Mae on May 22 to their youngest daughter, Anya. They are really enjoying having their granddaughter only 10 minutes away, as she is their first local grandchild. (Editor’s note: Jennifer made the quilt Braelynn is lying on!)

Please visit our website: www.fresnosmoothdancers.org.

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All third-Sunday dances are at the Clovis Senior Center, 850 4th Street, Clovis, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m. Cost is \$10 for all NSD members and \$15 for guests. Members from other Smooth Dancers chapters will pay Fresno’s member cost of \$10! We would love to see you there!!



July Guests - Kamiko, Jacob, Georgia & Weldon.



July Hosts - David & Jennifer Morgan.



Lynn's Farewell

It's so hard to believe that my year as State Queen is nearly at an end. San Fernando Valley's convention is close at hand and we are all preparing for our roles in it. Last September Fresno's convention passed in a flurry of business for me but, of course, coronation was my highlight. All of Carla's and Jennifer's and the whole Fresno team's hard work had turned

the ballroom into such a beautiful setting. When James and I entered and I saw the room filled with so many smiling friends and my fellow queens, my nerves settled and I had the time of my life (especially after my Queen dance was over).

My travels have been so much fun, although my first coronation in San Fernando was not an auspicious start. I totally missed their rehearsal for coronation due to an incorrect address compounded by intermittent GPS instructions, leaving me in utter panic. Despite Queen Shirley's efforts to straighten me out, I eventually slinked back to the hotel, unrehearsed. Carl and Queen Elizabeth from Golden Gate were gracious to give me a ride that evening in their beautiful Tesla as I couldn't have faced another minute of driving that day!

I confess to having had a few concerns over my role as State Queen, being fairly ignorant of its specific duties. I shouldn't have worried since I am practically surrounded with past State Queens between Fresno and Golden Gate. My duties will be completed at the Crown Circle Luncheon on Sunday, after handing off the tiara to State Queen Elect, Joan Robinson, on Saturday evening. It is amazing that she is heading up the Convention as well as taking on the role of State Queen. I am honored to crown such a hardworking and deserving person.

My best wishes go to Joan and all the San Fernando team. I know how hard you have worked and I can't wait to join you and all of NSD for this very original convention.

Thank you all for a fabulous year as State Queen!



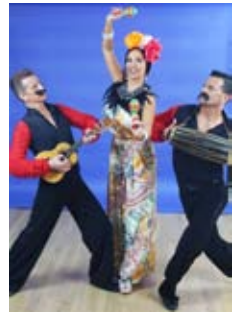
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The “Night and Day” Labor Day Dance Weekend Extravaganza is almost upon us.

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