



## Newsletter – **January / February 2009**

**Welcome back:** -to all past students and a warm welcome to all the new members that have joined the DFLA family. Remember that your continued feedback and active participation in your studio is vital to its continued growth and success.

**Parking @ Studio 2 Greenside:** I was notified by some of you last year that the guard appointed by Adega was Refusing access to park behind Adega and even demanding money when doing so. I did address this with the landlord as he is the owner of both buildings. He informed me that he would speak to the owners of Adega. The outcome: The guard cannot refuse you access to parking up the ramp. It is your prerogative to give him a tip should you feel like doing so.

**Just to remind everyone you can park across the road from Carcol Mercedes dealer in the paved or graveled areas. Parking beneath the design centre college apparently costs between R10 & R15.**

**Parking beneath RB House is reserved for tenants and teachers ONLY!** Parent drop off is allowed.

**First Social + Movie night for 2009: 28 February 2008 Studio 2 Greenside.**

I have decided to combine the social with the movie postponed from December 2008.

**6pm Sharp. "Burn the floor" will be screened.** This is a spectacular dance show not to be missed. This will be screened on a big plasma. The workshop after will start **7.30pm**. I am planning to do the Rock 'n Roll To promote this style and class, Thursday's 5.30pm. I will also have a Jive routine for the less energetic students.

The **Social** will start 8.30pm. Come practice all you've learnt. **NB: Booking and payment essential by 19<sup>th</sup> February.**

**Social:** I hope to have this on the roof top this time. Limited space (40 people). Family friends and visitors are welcome. **Volunteers required to set up/remove the table and chairs before and after.**

Bring your own snacks, drinks, ice and dance takkies. **If it rains, the social will take place in the studio.** Please support or get your friends and family to support as DFLA needs the funds for upgrading.

**Studio Hire /use:** Did you know that all registered students can use the studio for practice or functions at **Further reduced rates.** Please enquire with management for price list and conditions.

Members family and friends are also welcome to make use of the studio for 21<sup>st</sup> 40<sup>th</sup> Birthday's, Anniversary's etc. We can also recommend a caterer and party planner should you require these services.

**Private lessons for:** -Couples, Wedding couple and single ladies and gents proves very popular.

This has become very popular especially with wedding couples who have the option of as many privates required or the reduced workshop options. For single students who want to progress quickly and build up their confidence before joining a group class, or just prefer that personal attention. For married couples who want to specialize in a certain dance or style. E.g. Argentinean Tango or just specific Ballroom or Latin dances. Lastly for competitors who have fallen behind with the medal Or technical aspects for the competitive syllabus.

**DFLA face book page:** Dance for Life now has its own face book page for members to become fans, put up photo's, Video clips, comments from events held, partner search requests, and even sale of dresses or dance items.

Keep your eyes on the wall, notice boards and website for new classes starting (Parkhurst studio 1) and more discount specials.

Sometimes you need to change your strategy when something doesn't go your way  
and you'll see it may be for the best  
**"Remember, if you do what you've always done, you will always get what you always got"**  
~Unknown~