

Dance Week Schedule of Events

Sunday, August 1

Ladies Period Hairstyles Workshop (2:00 pm)

Campus Rec. Ctr Conference Room

Period Hairstyles 101, hands-on workshop, led by Katy Bishop.

For details see Registration Information brochure.

Registration (3:00-5:30 pm)

Campus Recreation Center Foyer, Roger Williams University

Registration will open at 3:00 pm on Saturday in the foyer of the Campus Recreation Center (#7 on the map) and will remain open until 5:30 pm to close for dinner. Registration will also be open, for latecomers, during the evening Welcome Party. We urge everyone to arrive in time for dinner.

Orientation (4:30-5:15 pm)

Campus Recreation

Ctr. Conference Room Led by Barbara Pugliese. See Registration Information brochure for details.

Late Registration (7:00-10:00 pm)

Campus Rec. Ctr. Foyer

Welcome Dance (8:30-10:30 pm)

Gymnasium

This event is a chance to meet new and old friends in a relaxed atmosphere, with both Victorian and ragtime dancing. Instructors will be introduced and will give an introduction to their classes at approximately 9:30pm. Dress can be casual: modern or vintage. It will be held in the Gymnasium (#7 on the map).

Monday, August 2

Morning Classes

Aerobics Studio & Gymnasium

Seaside Tea Dance (2:00-5:00 pm)

Easton's Beach, Newport
This afternoon we will enjoy a leisurely tea with dancing and spectacular views of Newport's Easton's Beach. Come dressed to dance or start on the beach and then come upstairs for tea. Changing rooms are available for those wanting to take a dip in the ocean. The historic carousel will be available for rides.

New England Dinner (6:00-7:00 pm)

Dining Commons
The chefs of RWU will prepare some New England favorites tonight.

Swap & Sell (8:00-9:30 pm)

Gymnasium

Perhaps you have a gown or dress-coat that you just can't wear any more, or maybe you have left your favorite gloves at home, or if you just want to own more (or less) stuff, then the Vintage Swap & Sell is for you! Participants are encouraged to bring items (vintage or not) to sell or trade.

Informal Dancing (after the Swap)

Dance to recorded music of the 19th and early 20th centuries.

Tuesday, August 3

Morning and Afternoon Classes

Aerobics Studio & Gymnasium

1890's Soiree (8:00-11:00 pm)

Belcourt Castle, Newport

Come dance the latest 90's steps in the dazzling ballroom of Belcourt Castle where Alva Erskine Smith Vanderbilt Belmont welcomed Newport's social elite. Owned by the Tinney family for over 50 years. The family lovingly restored the run down mansion and has since amassed an art collection, from 30 countries and spanning several centuries, which is on display throughout the house. The New River Dance Orchestra will be entertaining us with their splendid music.

Wednesday, August 4

Morning Classes Studio and Gymnasium

Aerobics

Formal Tea Luncheon (1:15-3:30 pm)

Linden Place, Bristol
This extraordinary estate is a gem in the center of downtown Bristol. Our tea will be in the carriage barn with 1902 ballroom. We will have an opportunity to tour the mansion, which is celebrating its bicentennial this year!

Quadrille Review (3:45-4:45 pm)

Linden Place

Mid-Nineteenth Century Ball (8:30-11:30 pm)

Ochre Court, Newport
We will turn back the clock and visit the mid-19th Century, with an evening of dancing at beautiful Ochre Court on the campus of Salve Regina University. Live music will be provided by The New River Dance Orchestra.

Thursday, August 5

Morning and Afternoon Classes

Aerobics Studio & Gymnasium

Reception, Formal Dinner

& Ragtime Ball (6: 15-11:00 pm) Glen Manor House, Portsmouth
We will be traveling off campus to the nearby French-inspired chateau of Glen Manor House for a reception (6: 15-7:00 pm) and formal dinner to be followed by a ragtime ball, with live music by The New River Dance Orchestra.

Friday, August 6

Breakfast and Check Out

Dining Commons and Bayside
Check out time is 11:00 am. All belongings must be out of the building at that time. Key deposits will be returned at check out.

Newport Vintage Dance Week 2010 PRELIMINARY DAILY SCHEDULE (precise times and locations may change)

Optional Early Arrival Saturday, July 31

Prior Reservation Required by June 25th

Check-In (3:00-9:00 pm)

Campus Recreation Center Foyer
(#7 on map)

Pick up your keys and get settled in your room. Note registration will be closed for dinner from 5:30 pm to 6:30 pm. If you arrive at that time, come straight to dinner. (#26 on map)

Polo Match (5:00 pm)

Glen Farm, Portsmouth
Attend the Pearls Charity Cup polo match at the Newport International Polo Field in Portsmouth. For more info, see registration information brochure and www.glenfarm.com. \$15 per person for box seating.

Sunday, August 1

Mansion Tour (10:15 am)

Marble House, Newport
We meet on campus to carpool to Newport where we will tour one of Newport's most ornate gilded Age Mansion. Period dress is encouraged, but not required. \$12.00 per person.