

Edelweiss Premier Ballroom Newsletter

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A big thank you to everyone that performed and attended our Holiday Showcase and made it that much more special!!

DON'T MISS OUT!! PLEASE ASK OUR FRONT DESK ABOUT OUR NEW YEAR SPECIAL

EVERY SUNDAY AT NOON WE WILL HOLD A 90 MIN TECHNIQUE WORKSHOP WITH ONE OF EDELWEISS TEACHERS

Schedule for January 2018:

January 7th - Ballroom Technique Workshop (Radu)
January 14th - American Smooth Technique Workshop (Alex)
January 21st - Ballroom Technique Workshop (Daniel)
January 28th - Latin/Rhythm Technique Workshop (Alla)
1 Workshop is \$35. Prepay for the whole month (4 workshops) - \$110

MASTER CLASS SEMINAR BY ALEX WILL BE HELD ONCE A MONTH STARTING JANUARY 28TH AT 1:30 PM

We also invite all the students to bring their dance clothes or shoes to sell to other Edelweiss students



We are very happy to announce our new Rewards Program!
Effective January 1st, 2018.
(Ask our front desk for more information)

SAVE THE DATE!! VALENTINE"S DAY SHOWCASE FEBRUARY 10TH

CALIFORNIA STAR BALL 2017

Taka Suzuki - 2nd places in Silver American Smooth Championship and Scholarship "C"



Joan Bys - 1st places in Bronze American Smooth Championship and Scholarship "C"



Anita Gilfillan - 2nd Place (1st in Waltz) in Bronze Ballroom Scholarship "C" and 2nd place in Silver Ballroom Championship "C"!



Top: Sal Rodriguez- 1st place in Open Gold Rhythm Scholarship "C" and 2nd place in the Open Senior Rhythm Scholarship

Bottom: Mckenna Mobley - 1st Places in Bronze American Smooth Championship and Scholarship "A"





Jodie Beckner with making to the Top 2 Solos (out of nearly 20 performers) and taking 2nd place in the Bronze American Rhythm Championship "A"!



Michael and Dasha - 2nd places in Pre-Bronze Latin Single Dances



Daniel and Mishella - 1st Places in Pre-Teen 2 and Junior 1 Latin and Ballroom Championships



TOP STUDENTS 2017



Top Student #1 Jon Ericksen



Top Student #2
Rose Wherry
Top Silver Student



Top Student #3 Kate Purkey



Top Student #4
Sal Rodriguez



Top Student #5
Lillian Torres



Top Student#6
Anita Gilfillan
Top Bronze Student



Top Student#7
Joan Bys



Top Student#8 Jodie Beckner



Top Student #9 Taka Suzuki



Top Student #10 Soo Kim



Top Open Gold Student

JOIN OUR GROUP CLASSES!

Beg/Bronze Rhythm Thursday 6:45 pm

Silver/Gold Smooth **Technique**

Saturday 1:15 pm

Peabody Group Class Saturday 1:45

Kids Group Class Mondays 4:30 pm

Master Class Sunday January 28 1:30 pm

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Current Top Newcomer, Bronze, Silver, & **Open Gold Students** as of California Star Ball 2017

American Smooth Bronze

- 1. Rose Wherry 11 pts
- 2. Jon Ericksen 9 pts
 - 3. Joan Bys 9 pts
- Kate Purkey 4 pts
- Eleanor Yu 4 pts

American Rhythm Bronze

- 1. Rose Wherry 25 pts
- 2. Jon Ericksen 9 pts
- 3. Kate Purkey 7 pts 4. Jodie Beckner 3 pts

Standard Bronze

- 1. Anita Gilfillan 36 pts
 - 2. Soo Kim 10 pts
- 3. Joan Bys 13 pts 4. Taka Suzuki 10 pts

Latin Bronze

Kameliya Simeonova - 7 pts

American Smooth Silver

- 1. Kathy Wimmer 7 pts
- 2. Rose Wherry 5 pts
- 3. Soo Kim-3 pts 4. Taka Suzuki 2 pts 5. Jan Jones 2 pts Vanessa Paulson 1 pt

- 1. Silver Ballroom
 Anita Gilfillan 5 pts
- 2. Kathy Wimmer 3 pts

Silver American Rhythm

1. Rose Wherry - 9 pts 2. Jan Jones - 1 pt

American Rhythm Gold

- 1. Rose Wherry 3 pts
- 2. Sal Rodriguez 2 pts

Ballroom Open Gold

1. Gina Hsu - 2 pts

American Smooth Open Gold

1. Vanessa Paulson - 5 pts

UPCOMING EVENTS

Yelena Grinenko Jan 16th

Anna **Trebunskaya** January 31st

Valentines Day Showcase Saturday Feb. 10th

California Classic January 20th

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City Lights Open January 26-28th

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