

# Edelweiss Premier Ballroom May Newsletter

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## Join us for our June Group Classes!

### Group Classes:

**Wednesdays 7:00 PM:**

Waltz & Foxtrot Beginner Intermediate Bronze

**Fridays 7:00 PM:**

Beginner's Social Cha-Cha,  
Salsa, Swing

### Workshops:

**Sundays 12:00 PM:**

American Smooth Technique Workshop

[NOTE: Must be Silver level & up in order to attend our workshops.]

**We will be having a Salsa Latin Dance Party here at Edelweiss Premier Ballroom! Save the Date:**

**Saturday June 15<sup>th</sup>, 2019**

**From 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM**

**Come & meet our new Latin & Salsa/Bachata teacher from Moscow, Russia!**

**Don't miss out!**



**Thanks to all of our phenomenal students and instructors, this year we won #1 Top Studio for the 5th year in a row in the California Gold Rush Dancesport Series 2019!**

**A big congratulations to Alexander Novikov for winning 2nd place as Top Teacher at the California Gold Rush Dancesport Series 2019!**

**We would like to congratulate Jon Ericksen and Sal Rodriguez for winning Top Students at the California Gold Rush Dancesport Series 2019!**

**This year, Jon Ericksen won the Top Pro/Am Bronze Gentleman award and Sal Rodriguez won the Top Pro/Am Gold Gentleman award.**



**Congrats to Daniel & Mishella! They won Open British (Blackpool) Juvenile Latin Championship two years in a row! They also won Jive Juvenile Championship at the Junior Blackpool Dance Festi-**

# EMERALD BALL 2019



**Sal Rodriguez**

2nd place in both Open Gold Rhythm Championship & Scholarship



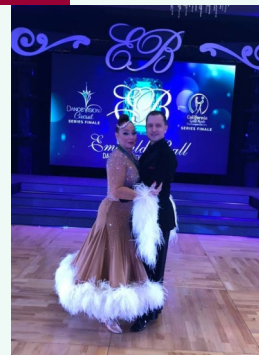
**Yevgenia Rogatina**

1st places in both Bronze Championship & Scholarship & Best of the Best Challenge



**Taka Suzuki**

1st & 2nd place in Open Silver Single Dances in Smooth



**Patti Connors**

Finalist of Bronze Ballroom Championship



**Anita Gilfillan**

1st places in all Silver Ballroom Single Dances



**Jon Ericksen**

1st place in Bronze Gentlemen Smooth Championship & 1st place in Best of the Best Challenge



**Hope Kelly**

1st places in all single dances in Silver & placed 1st & 2nd in Silver Rhythm Single



**Joan Bys**

1st place in both Gold Smooth Championship & Scholarship



**Genoveva Aguilar**

4th place in Bronze Latin Scholarship



**Deborah Holmes**

2nd place in Gold Latin Ballroom Scholarship



**Soo Kim**

1st place in the Gold Championship



**Kathy Wimmer**

2nd place in Gold American Smooth Championship



**McKenna Mobley**

2nd place in both Bronze Rhythm Championship & Scholarship

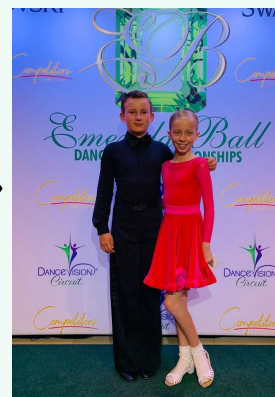
# EMERALD BALL 2019



**Soo Kim & Radu**  
1st Places in Bronze Championship, Scholarship, & Best of the Best Challenge



**Kirill & Viviana**  
1st Places in Intermediate Gold Latin



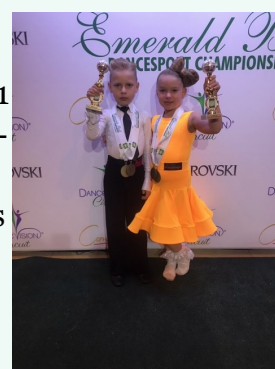
**Vitaliy & Karina**  
1st Places in Pre-Gold Latin Single Dances



**Daniel & Mishella**  
1st place in Ballroom and Latin Pre-Teen Championships



**Michael & Dasha**  
1st Place in Pre teen 1 Latin 3 Dance Championship & Teddy Bear Championships



**Makayla Gonzalez**  
1st Places in Silver Latin Solo Championship

# PORTLAND DANCESPORT 2019



**Anita Gilfillan**  
1st places in Silver level single dances, championships, & scholarships



**Deborah Holmes**  
1st places in Bronze level single dances, championships, & scholarships



**Jon Ericksen**  
2nd place in Bronze Rhythm Scholarship & 1st place in all single dances



**Sal Rodriguez**  
2nd place in Open Gold Scholarship and 1st place in all single dances

**Top, Bronze, Silver, & Open Gold Students**  
**(as of Portland Dancesport 2019)**

**American Smooth Bronze**

- McKenna Mobley - 9
- Laura Sirott - 9
- Jon Ericksen - 6
- Eleanor Yu - 2
- Kate Purkey - 1
- Setsuko Houston - 1

**American Rhythm Bronze**

- McKenna Mobley - 8
- Jon Ericksen - 4
- Kate Purkey - 2

**Standard Bronze**

- Soo Kim - 9
- Deb Holmes - 7
- Patti Connors - 3
- Taka Suzuki - 2

**Bronze Latin**

- Yevgenia Rogatina - 8
- Genoveva Aguilar - 4

**American Smooth Silver**

- Joan Bys - 8
- Soo Kim - 6
- Kathy Wimmer - 3
- Vanessa Paulson - 2
- Jan Jones - 1

**Silver Latin**

- Deb Holmes - 5

**American Smooth Gold**

- Joan Bys - 4
- Kathy Wimmer - 1
- Soo Kim - 1

**Gold Latin**

- Deb Holmes - 1

**American Smooth Open Gold**

- Kathy Wimmer - 2

**American Rhythm Open Gold**

- Sal Rodriguez - 2

**Current Edelweiss**

**Premier Ballroom Student Ranking (as of Hot Ballroom DS 2019)**

1. **Kate Purkey - 2475**
2. **Sal Rodriguez - 2453**
3. **Jon Ericksen - 2314**
4. **Deb Holmes - 2108**
5. **Patti Connors - 1398**
6. **Soo Kim - 1323**
7. **Lilian Torres - 1168**
8. **Taka Suzuki - 1168**
9. **McKenna Mobley - 915**

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6						1	2
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**UPCOMING EVENTS**

**Coachings**

- Nigel Clark - 6/11
- Heather Smith - 6/25

**Studio Events**

- Salsa Latin Dance Party - 6/15

**UPCOMING COMPETITIONS**

- Manhattan Dance Sport - 7/3 through 7/7
- Dessert Classic Dancesport - 7/11 through 7/14

Contact the studio for any information, questions, or concerns at

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Or email us at

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