

BOOGALOO JUMP JIVE & BOOGIE WEEKEND

TOORAK HOTEL: FRI 5TH - MON 8TH APRIL 2024



PROGRAMME

Friday



Check-in from 3.00 pm – please select your dining table in the Restaurant from 2.00 pm.

The Arlington Room

Welcome with the Boogaloo Team **3.00 – 4.30**

'Let's Get the Party Started' – Fun Ice-Break Dance Class with your Teachers for the Weekend **3.15 – 4.00**

Happy Hour **3.00 – 4.00**

Pints from £3.50 **Wine from £3.50** **Selected spirits £3.00**

The Chatsworth Suite

Cool music for dancing with your MC/DJ Earl Jackson **8.00 – 8.30**

Happy Hour **8.00 – 9.00**

Hot House Combo **8.30 – 10.00**

Jon Clare & The Fabulous Doughboys **10.30 – 12.00**

The Arlington Room

Late-night record hop with Earl Jackson **Midnight onwards**

Meal Times

Dinner: 6.00 – 7.30 pm

Breakfast: 8.30 – 10.30 am

Lunchtime barbecue outside the Chatsworth subject to weather. Light lunches and snacks are also available from the Bistro or Albert's Bar throughout the day.

Bacon butties nightly from midnight in The Conway Bar @ £3.50 each.

Vegetarian alternative available!

Saturday

Dance Classes in The Chatsworth Suite

Break Away Charleston with Mike & Mel

10.30 – 11.30

The dance that led to Lindy Hop! Get ready to embrace the infectious energy, syncopated rhythms, and playful spirit of this iconic dance style that took the world by storm during the Jazz Age.

Improvers Lindy Hop with Alan & Lisa

11.45 – 12.45

Develop your skills by adding some cool six and eight-count moves to your social dancing. Aimed at those who know both six and eight-count footwork basics.

Blues with Mike & Mel

1.45 – 2.45

Authentic Blues Dance Class, where we journey into the heart and soul of Blues music and movement. Come join us on this rhythmic journey, let the music move you, the connection inspire you, and the joy of dance ignite your spirit! Explore the rich history, emotional depth, and expressive freedom of Blues dancing.

Balboa with Alan & Lisa

3.00 – 4.00

Balboa is a smooth and sophisticated swing dance that evolved in California in the late 1920s. This low impact “dancers’ dance” is danced to faster music with a cool and beautiful look.

The Arlington Room

Chill out to a selection of dance music

11.00 – 4.00

Dancers Practice Session

4.00 – 5.00

Come along, meet your teachers, and ask us questions. We’ll be on hand to help with your dance-related problems.

The Chatsworth Suite

DJ Earl Jackson (MC/DJ)

8.00 – 8.30

Happy Hour

8.00 – 9.00

The Cadillac Kings

8.30 – 10.00

Teachers Performance

10.15

Cooking Jack Fats & The Chimney Stacks

10.30 – 12.00

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Sunday

Dance Classes in The Chatsworth Suite:

Partnered Charleston with Alan & Lisa

10.30 – 11.30

A fun class that will give you some great Charleston moves to add to your Swing dancing.

Collegiate Shag with Mike & Mel

11.45 – 12.45

Are you ready to inject some high-energy fun into your dance repertoire? Look no further than our Collegiate Shag Dance Class! Join us as we explore the lively rhythms, intricate footwork, and infectious joy of this dynamic swing dance style that originated on college campuses in the 1930s.

All levels Jive with Alan & Lisa

1.45 – 2.45

A great alternative to your Lindy Hop, this six-count jive will have you dancing to the fastest of Jive bands.

Peabody with Mike & Mel

3.00 – 4.00

A brilliant and fun ragtime dance loved by swing dancers at the Savoy Ballroom. Lively and easy to learn. It evolved into the modern Quick Step. Master the fundamental steps and techniques of the Peabody as we break down the basic footwork, frame, and posture along with musicality and flair.

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Rockin' The Joint

8.30 – 10.00

The Swing Commanders

10.30 – 12.00

The Arlington Room

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