PROGRAMME

FRIDAY

Reception in the President Suite

3.00 - 4.00

Plus complimentary tea and coffee

Meal Times

Dinner is in three sittings -5.45 - 6.30, 6.30 - 7.15 and 7.15 pm-8.00 pm.

Please choose your sitting when you check in.

Breakfast is 8.00 - 10.30 am

Snacks are available at very reasonable prices from the **Kings Bar** from 12.00 noon – 9.00 pm

Cool music for dancing with Pat da Kat

8.00 - 8.30

The Cadillac Kings 8.30 - 10.00
The Swing Commanders 10.30 - Midnight

Late night record hop with Pat da Kat Midnight - 1.00

SPECIAL OFFER

Re-book for next year's Jump Jive weekend 20th – 23rd November 2026 before you leave to pay this year's price of £279 per person. Please complete the booking form and hand to Monica or John with your deposit or find Monica to pay by card.

SATURDAY

Dance Classes in The Ambassador Suite:

10.30 – 11.45 Swingsters Stroll with Mike & Mel

Kick off your Saturday with smiles, music and rhythm! A fun, easy-to-learn choreographed jazz routine that everyone can enjoy. No partner needed, just bring your energy and love of swing music. Perfect for all levels, it's a great way to get your weekend started on the right (and left!) foot.

12.00 – 1.00 Swing Jive for Beginners with Paul & Debbie

This great 1940s/50s Jive Dance is suitable for all levels, using a simplified six-count footwork. You can use this pattern for faster swing, jazz, and rock 'n' roll music. Paul and Debbie will get you dancing even if you haven't danced before!

1.30 – 2.30 Social Foxtrot with Ian & Suzanne

Not to be confused with the more complex Slow Foxtrot, come and learn this gentle way to meander around the ballroom to the slower numbers

2.45 – 4.00 Lindy Charleston and Variations with Paul & Debbie

An energetic Lindy Hop class with many Lindy Charleston variations to add to your Swing Jive. Suitable for beginners and more experienced dancers.

Dance Classes in The President Suite

11.50 – 12.50 West Coast Swing with Ian & Suzanne

Originating on the West Coast of the USA, this dance is a smooth, slotted form of swing. Ian and Suzanne will introduce you to some of the dance basics.

2.00 – 3.00 Heel Shag with Mike & Mel

Kick, step and groove with Heel Shag! This swing dance is full of fun, soul, playful footwork and vintage charm. Perfect for all levels, you'll learn the classic moves and enjoy smooth, stylish dancing with plenty of rhythm and fun.

3.15 – 4.15 Salsa with Ian & Suzanne

lan and Suzanne will teach you some essential Salsa steps to dance to those numbers from Latino artists such as Ritchie Valens or The Mavericks, to name only two.

SATURDAY (cont.)

4.30 – 5.30 Beautiful Balboa with Mike & Mel

Glide across the floor with the smooth sophistication of Balboa – the elegant swing dance born on the sun-soaked beaches of California in the late 1920s. Perfect for dancing to faster tempos, Balboa is low impact yet full of style, with a cool, classic look that never goes out of fashion. Master the flow, connection, and effortless charm of this timeless swing dance.

Pat da Kat 8.00 - 8.30

Peter Gill & The Goodtime Charlies 8.30 - 10.00

Pat Reyford's Symphony Five

Late night record hop with Pat da Kat

10.30 - Midnight

Midnight – 1.00

SUNDAY

Dance Classes in The Ambassador Suite:

10.30 - 11.40 1920's Partnered Charleston with Paul & Debbie

Paul and Debbie specialise in this flamboyant dance from the era of flappers, gangsters, and molls. Danced with a partner, it is great fun and fantastic to dance to fast music! Paul and Debbie will teach the basic footwork and throw in some great moves. Suitable for all.

11.45 - 1.00 Collegiate Shag with Mike & Mel - Swingsters Style!

Step back to the roaring late 1920s and discover the playful energy of Collegiate Shag! With its lively 6-beat footwork, hops, kicks, and breaks, this fun swing style is perfect for faster tempos and joyful movement. Mike & Mel will guide you through the steps with flair, helping you capture the vintage charm and spirited rhythm of this classic swing dance.

1.15 - 2.40 Lindy Hop Smooth & Slow with Paul & Debbie

An 8-count-based lesson. Using their wide knowledge of all aspects of Lindy Hop, Paul & Debbie will help you to understand lead and follow techniques using some stylish moves that will add class to your dancing.

2.45 - 4.00 Waltz with Ian & Suzanne

The bands love to vary their rhythms and play something different like a Waltz. So come and learn the basics of this elegant dance that floats around the room to the 1-2-3 rhythm.

Dance Classes in the President Suite

12.30 – 1.30 Introduction to Quick Step with Ian & Suzanne

Learn the basic steps to get you dancing around the room to the quicker swing numbers. It's great fun!

1.45 – 2.45 Cool Swing with Mike & Mel

Smooth moves, fun rhythms, and swingin' vibes! Perfect for all levels, this class teaches classic patterns, playful variations, and partnering tips to keep you confident and stylish on the dance floor. Let's swing cool together!

2.50 – 3.50 Blues dancing made fun! With Mike & Mel

Step into the world of blues dancing with Mike & Mel. This fun, soulful class is all about connection, musicality, and expressing yourself to rich blues rhythms. Discover how to move with confidence and let the music get into your soul.

4.00 – 5.15 Jitterbug Stroll with Paul & Debbie

A popular Jazz steps dance choreographed to "At The Woodchoppers Ball". No partner needed. Lots of fun!

MONICA'S POP-UP BOOKING OFFICE

4.30 - 5.30 in the King's Bar

A chance to come and have a chat and book for future weekends.

Pat da Kat
Pete G & The Magnitones
The Jive Aces

Late night record hop with Pat da Kat

8.00 - 8.30

8.30 - 10.00

10.30 - Midnight

Midnight – 1.00

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