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February marks a new chapter for our swing dance community. Unfortunately, the dance nights at P79 and Riverland are coming to an end, but we're excited to explore new opportunities.

We're looking for enthusiastic dancers who want to join us in brainstorming ideas for organizing new dance evenings or afternoons.

Of course, exciting new modules are on their way, and there are plenty of swing dance festivals on the calendar to keep you dancing endlesslyl

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APPEAL



Keep the swing dance community alivel

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For years, we've poured our hearts into organizing dance nights. Evenings full of energy, fun, and connection on the dance floor. But over time, attendance began to drop, and we made the difficult decision to stop hosting these events ourselves.

That doesn't mean the swing stops here. We believe there's still plenty of love for dance nights within our community. That's why we're inviting you—our dancers—to take the lead and create new dance evenings or afternoons. This is your chance to shape the future of the community and build spaces where we can all enjoy the music and the magic of dancing together.

Do you know a great location in Nijmegen, Den Bosch, or nearby? Maybe a cozy café, a community hall, or another venue where a swing dance night could thrive? Reach out, see what's possible, and start making it happen. Organizing can be incredibly rewarding, and you'll be giving so many people a reason to get back on the dance floor!

We know it might feel like a big step, but you don't have to do it alone. Team up with other passionate dancers to bring your ideas to life. And if you need a little guidance or inspiration, we're here to help with advice and tips to get you started.

Take the first step, take the initiative, and help the swing dance community grow and shine. Let's bring the dance floor back to life—with your help, we can make it happen!

Have an idea or not sure where to start? Get in touch with Ward:

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Together, we'll keep the swing alivel



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CLASSES

Modules of February

→ February Modules at SwingDance at JazzOutle



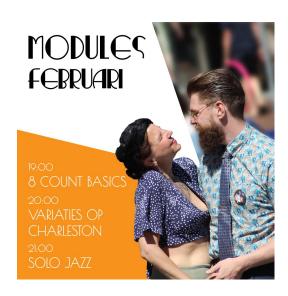
New month, new moves! In February, we're diving back into the world of swing with these exciting modules:

- 19:00 8 Count Basics Learn the fundamentals of swingouts and other 8-count moves!
- 20:00 Charleston Variations Spice up your Charleston with creative variations.
- ① 21:00 Solo Jazz Improve your rhythm, style, and confidence on the dance floor!

Sign up now and swing with us!

* www.swingdanceatjazzout.nl/lesschema

#SwingDance #JazzOut #8Count #Charleston #SoloJazz #DanceFun





EVENTS

Dancing to Live Music at Perron 3 - March 30

Royal Buckets Jazz from Den Bosch and the surrounding area will bring jazz classics from the 1920s to life this afternoon. Expect traditional jazz, swing, and New Orleans vibes! To get you in the mood, there's a **Lindy Hop workshop** led by the dancers of JazzOut, who embody the style through both movement and fashion. Watching is joining! No dance experience needed.

Before Royal Buckets Jazz takes the stage, you can join a **free Lindy Hop workshop**. Step into the world of *The Great Gatsby, Peaky Blinders*, or a 1920s flapper girl! Lindy Hop is all about stealing the show—whether you're inspired by old black—and—white films or want to master perfectly timed moves to jazz music. Swing dance is full of improvisation, and you won't be doing it alone. It's a social dance where being yourself, having fun, and meeting new people are key. This workshop is **for everyone**, and the joy of swing is contagious!

Note: The workshop is free, but you'll need a separate ticket for it, and it's only available in combination with a ticket for the live performance. Spots are limited, so don't wait too long!

Tickets

There are two types of tickets:

- One for the live band performance only
- One for the free workshop (only valid with a ticket for the live show)
- Make your choice below:
- √ [Buy tickets for the live band performance]

Event Details

When: March 30

↑ Where: Perron 3, Rosmalen

Time:

14:00 - Doors open

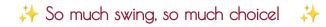
14:30 - Workshop starts

15:15 - Live music starts

17:00 - Event ends



DANSKANS February



The **Lindy Hop calendar** is now so well-maintained and widely used that it no longer feels fair to provide just a brief overview here. There are simply too many amazing events to fit them all in!

But don't worry - we'll still highlight local dance nights and extra special events for you. However, if you want a **complete** overview of all the dance opportunities each month, we warmly recommend checking out **LindyHop.nl**. There, you'll find all the upcoming workshops, parties, and festivals in one convenient place.

This way, you'll never miss a chance to dance! 💃 🕺 🎶

#LindyHop #SwingDance #DanceCalendar #AlwaysSomethingToDance





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Every first Wednesday and Thursday of the month we offer you the opportunity to discover the magic of Lindy Hop. On Wednesdays we can be found in bustling Den Bosch, and on Thursdays we would like to welcome you to cozy Nijmegen.

What is it about?

A trial lesson is the perfect way to get acquainted with Lindy Hop, a dance style known for its cheerfulness and energy. Whether you register single or with a dance partner, fun comes first! Register and discover why Lindy Hop is the dance everyone is talking about.



QUESTIONS & TIPS



My cork fly curtain is almost finished!



The finish line is in sight! My cork fly curtain is nearly done, and I've received more than enough corks to complete the project. A huge thank you to everyone who saved corks for me (and of course, enjoyed some delicious wines especially for my curtain .

Attached is a photo of the curtain-in-progress. I still have a few more hours of "cork twisting" to go, but as soon as it's fully finished. I'll be sure to share the final result with you!

Thank you all for your contributions, and stay tuned for the big reveal! %

#DIY #CorkProject #FlyCurtain #Upcycling #Grateful



QUESTIONS & TIPS

Solo Jazz in Den Bosch canceled

Unfortunately, the Solo Jazz classes in Den Bosch will not take place this calendar year. With only one registration, it was not feasible to start the lessons. This is truly disappointing, as Solo Jazz remains a beautiful and energetic dance style.

If you have any questions or are looking for other dance opportunities, feel free to reach out-we're happy to help!

Hopefully, we'll see you back on the dance floor soon.

Important: Location Change on Several Lesson Dates!

On a few evenings this spring, our lessons will not be at **Pand 18**, but in the gum hall at BBS Boschveld. This is due to preparations for Boulevard Festival and other exciting events in Den Bosch.

Totes we will be dancing at BBS Boschveld:

- February 19 & 26
- March 12 & 19
- May 28
- June 11

Parking at BBS Boschveld

You can park at the shopping center nearby or just outside the neighborhood. Both options are only a few minutes' walk away.

Dancing in socks!

The gym hall at BBS Boschveld has a beautiful floor that we want to keep in great condition. That's why dancing in socks is required.

Mark these dates and see you on the dance floor! 💃 🕺 🎶



