



The habiba Studio

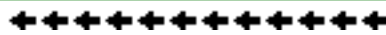
Dances Of The Near East



Fall



Newsletter



2010

Dear Friends,

I've never felt more fortunate in my students as this summer. As some of you know, my first music and dance festival was to take place June 3-6. On June 1 we found out that my husband Ron needed a triple bypass and he was operated on June 3, the first day of the festival. Everything went smoothly thanks to Fatima Bassmah who oversaw all festival events. Special thanks also to Alvin Ridpath (Alima) and everyone who enabled me to focus on family. And, best of all, Ron is doing well and feeling great. My sincere thanks to everyone for their kind wishes. Please note that the old original hafla is back this November with a 5 piece band and surprise guest dancers.

habiba

Fall Schedule

classes start Sept 13

MONDAY (8 wks starting Sept. 13):

Intermediate 6-7:30 pm
Advanced Beginners 7:30-8:30pm
Beginners 8:30-9:30 pm

WEDS (8 wks starting Sept.15):

Beginners 6-7PM
Advanced (Choreography) 7-8PM
Advanced (Technique) 8-9PM

FEES: (for 8 week session)

Beginner: (1 class per week): \$96.
Beginner (2 classes per week) \$160
(\$32 saving)
Intermediate: \$144.
Advanced: 1 hour : \$96. 2 hours : \$160
Single class: \$15.

REGISTRATION:

Because of the possibility of overcrowding I must ask that EVERYONE pre-register by PHONE or E-MAIL for ALL CLASSES. You need to give your name and phone number and what class you wish to register for. All new beginners must pay the full registration fee one week before the start of the term.

POLICIES:

Intermediate and Advanced students who are not going to be present at the first class of 8 weeks must also pay in advance in order to hold their place in class. Missed classes must be made up within the same 8 week session. No refunds after the first week of classes.

You may pay for classes with PayPal

Visit our web site at www.habibastudio.com

Special Events

September 22 University Museum. Drop-in Wednesdays. Open class with Habiba 5:45-8pm All levels.

October 4 Habiba in Lecture: "History and Mystery of Belly Dance," Parkland Community Library, Allentown. Penn Museum and The Commonwealth Lecture Program. Free and open to the Public. 7pm . (610) 398-1361 ext. 13.

October 10 Habiba Dance Ensemble at Rakkasah 4:25pm
October 25 Beginner's class starts at Performance Garage 6-7:15pm

November 21 5pm The Annual Habiba Studio Hafla -live music, buffet dinner, cash bar, \$37.50. Tickets available on the website or at the studio.

!!!Check Out The Website !!!
It has been totally renovated by webmaster Fatima Bassmah and graphic designer Ron Barber
New artwork, new photo galleries, new excerpts of videos
Let us know how you like it!!
Flash!! Habiba will be teaching a class at The University of the Arts next Spring

Open Belly Dance Class at the University Museum with Habiba
Drop-in Wednesdays at the University Museum
Sept 22 5:45-8pm
Admission to the Museum is 'Pay what you want'
-no charge for the class.

The Habiba Studio Hafla Is Back

Sunday, November 21 5pm
St. Maron's Church Hall
1013 Ellsworth St.
Philadelphia
The same fabulous band
The same fabulous food
The same fabulous free parking
Buffet Dinner-Cash Bar
and non-stop belly dancing
Tickets \$37.50.