

Argentine Tango Dancing for Beginners

Course Description

Instructors will be teaching proper Tango techniques to all students who wish to be Leaders, Followers or both. Instructors and students will rotate partners in order to experience different dance styles. If we have more students of one role we may encourage them to dance together thereby learning both roles (which was common practice for many years). In addition to learning the dance Students will gain a working knowledge of Tango traditions and etiquette. After completing the course students will be prepared to join a local tango dancing club. Emphasis in this class is dancing for fun and enjoyment, not on being a professional dancer.

Weekly Layout:

We'll start with some Tango history, customs and traditions. Then touch on what to expect moving into the basics of Tango posture, the embrace, how lead and follow works and the Tango walk. We'll introduce musicality and walking to the rhythm forward and backwards then pair up for walking as couples in open embrace. We'll be changing partners often as we progress to some simple moves. We'll end by asking for questions and offering to let students make a video of what was covered in class before closing.

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