

FOLK DANCE SERIES

A series of 12 bi-weekly instruction sessions in folk dancing will be conducted by the Division of Recreation, sponsor of the Dayton Folk Dance Club, at Stuart Patterson Community Center, corner Leo and Baltimore Streets, starting Thursday, March 26, 1953, and continuing thereafter every other Thursday. Sessions will be of two (2) hours duration, 8:30 to 10:30 p.m.

Registration will be \$4.00 per person for the series of 12 sessions. Registration will be in advance, and the deadline will be Wednesday, March 25. Registration card, together with \$4.00 fee, should be taken, or mailed, to the Division of Recreation, basement Municipal Building, Third & Ludlow Streets. Checks should be made payable to "The City of Dayton".

Folk dancing has been successfully conducted in Dayton by the Division of Recreation for the past five years. The Dayton Folk Dance Club, sponsored by the Division, is the only club of its kind within a 300-mile radius of Dayton.

Instruction in the series will be in fundamental steps: waltz, polka, two-step, schottische, pas-de-bas, mazurka, kolo; and in the patterns of the various nationality dances. More than 25 nationalities are represented in our present repertory of dances, including, of course, an appreciable number of our American folk dances.

Emphasis in the series will be predominantly on folk dance, as distinguished from square dance. If you are interested in dancing at all, we believe you will find the rich variety of these dances both stimulating and exciting. A number of them are quite vigorous, and we suggest that persons planning to take the series should bear this in mind.

Upon completion of the series, class members will have an opportunity, if they so desire, of continuing in an advanced series, and eventually joining a club. This will of course be entirely optional, and will be fully discussed as we approach the end of the instruction series.

Additional information may be obtained from:



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