



**ADC WORKSHOP WEEKEND WITH
DARREN PAUL & HILARY CARLSON FROM AUSTIN!**

MARCH 25 & 26, 2017

Registrations accepted starting Feb 1st!

As some of you may remember, Darren & Hilary wow'd us with their performances at the 2016 New Mexico Dance Fiesta Dinner Show. They are returning to Albuquerque in March to teach a weekend of dance workshops in all our favorite dances (***registration form and schedule on reverse side of this flyer***). If you missed them at the Fiesta, here's some information on their background, sure to make you want to sign up for this great workshop opportunity!

About Hilary... Born and raised in Chicago, Hilary started ballroom dance in 2008, entering her first competition not long thereafter. Her love of the genre and of fitness in general led her to create Ballroom

Bootcamp, a program designed to improve coordination, technique, stamina, and balance, all within a fun dance workout routine. Hilary was a member of the Go Dance West Coast Swing Team that won the U.S. Open Swing Dance Championships Team division in 2013 and is currently competing in Division One at Country Western competitions with her dance partner, Darren Paul. Nicknamed "The Waltz Whisperer," Hilary has a wealth of technical knowledge and an encouraging delivery. Whether her students' goals are social dancing, performance or competition, she is always invested in their success. Her specialties include ballroom (especially her favorite, Quickstep) and Country Western styles.

About Darren... Born and raised in the UK (and thus blessed with a charming British accent), Darren grew up in a military family where he learned the value of discipline and hard work. His upbringing and work ethic have driven his approach to both dancing and teaching. Darren began with line dancing at age 14. His passion for Country Western, combined with seeing a video of the famous Latin dancer Bryan Watson, inspired him to enter the world of partner dancing and pursue competitive goals. Darren's accomplishments and polished technique are a reflection of his ambition and dedication. After winning a UCWDC World Championship in 2005 as an amateur, Darren turned pro and, in 2009, began teaching at Go Dance. His combination of humor, honesty, professionalism and patient and clear instruction make Darren's classes enjoyable for students at any level. While the emphasis is on perfecting technique, his delivery insures his students also have a good-time learning. His specialties include competitive Country Western and West Coast Swing.

Darren & Hilary began their professional partnership as one of the couples on the Go Dance Swing Team, taking first place at the U.S. Open Swing Dance Championships in 2013. Switching their focus to Country Western dancing, they won the 2015 Division One ACDA National Championships within their first year on the circuit. That same year they placed second in Division One at the UCWDC World Championships, which moved them into the highest country-dance division, Masters, where they have been competing for the past year. They have also won multiple top teacher awards, and are very proud to have several championship-winning students.

ADC "VARIETY DANCE", SATURDAY, MARCH 25

Darren & Hilary will also be performing at the ADC Variety Dance on Saturday evening at the ASDC, 4915 Hawkins NE. Doors open at 7pm.

WORKSHOP REGISTRATION (*starts Feb 1st, by mail only*)

The Workshop registration form is on the backside of this flyer or you can print one from the ADC website at www.nmdance.com. We will try to maintain an equal gender balance in all the classes. Register early by mail to reserve your spot and to avoid a wait list!

LIMITED PRIVATE DANCE LESSONS

There are just a few openings available for coaching with Darren or Hilary on Saturday (morning or afternoon). Private lessons are just \$70 an hour per person/couple! To schedule, please call Rosemarie Stansbury at 505-235-2272

The ABQ Dance Club Presents...

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March 25 & 26, 2017, Albuquerque Square Dance Center (ASDC), 4915 Hawkins NE

NOTE: WE WILL ACCEPT WORKSHOP REGISTRATIONS STARTING FEBRUARY 1ST (See back side for more details!)

PRE-REGISTRATION BY MAIL ONLY, STARTING FEB. 1ST (or postmarked no later than Monday, March 20th).

To register or cancel after this date, please call Susan Kellogg at 505-299-3737.

To schedule a private lesson, contact Rosemarie Stansbury at 505-235-2272.

(Preference for private lessons will be given to members who are registered for all workshops.)

SATURDAY, March 25th, Workshop Schedule

Students must know beyond basics to take all classes except for class #1. No partners needed. Rotation of partners in classes.

10:30am - 11:30am (1) West Coast Swing -- Make it FUN-damentals All Levels!

11:45am - 12:45pm (2) Waltz -- Elegance on the Floor Intermediate

12.45pm - 2:15pm 1.15 Hour LUNCH BREAK / Practice (Dine out or feel free to bring your own lunch!)

2:15pm - 3:15pm (3) CW 2-Step -- Movin' Out! Fun Leadable Social Moves Intermediate

3:30pm - 4:30pm (4) Night Club -- Smooth & Classy Intermediate

7:00pm - 10:30pm - Dance Party at the ASDC (pay at door) Members (or anyone joining): \$5; Guest \$8.

Join us for some hot dancing and a special West Coast Swing dance performance by Darren & Hilary!

SUNDAY, March 26th, Workshop Schedule

9:00am - 10:00am (5) Rumba -- The Dance of Romance (15 min of basic technique for all levels, ending w/more advanced moves)

10:15am - 11:15pm (6) Cha Cha -- Latin on Fire...How to Sizzle (Level: same as above)

11:15 pm -12:00pm 45-Minute LUNCH BREAK / Practice (Feel free to bring your own bag lunch!)

12:00pm - 1:00pm (7) West Coast Swing -- Fun & Easy Whip Variations

1:15pm - 2:15pm (8) West Coast Swing -- "Cool Moves" - Making a Statement!"

Workshop Fees/Deadlines: "Early Bird" prices end Thur. Mar 23. Add \$5 late fee after March 23rd. Single participants are encouraged to register early to ensure a proper balance of Leaders/Followers. Anyone on a wait-list will be notified by Tues, Mar 21

Subsidized Cost for Members: \$12 per class or \$84 for ALL classes (Observing: \$10 per class/\$12 guest)

Non-Members: \$16 per person per class; All Classes: \$104*

*Save \$24 (the cost of a membership!) if taking all classes. To join the ADC go to: www.nmdance.com

Workshop DVD available only to workshop participants/observers: 1-Day workshop \$20 (Sat. or Sun.) – must be in at least one workshop for given day; or 2-Day Workshop DVD \$25 for those participating in both Sat/Sun Workshops (Order DVD and pay day of workshop - cash accepted or separate check –no CC).

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Make check payable to the ADC and mail by March 21st to P.O. 50355, ABQ, NM 87181. No refunds after March 23rd.

Please circle classes desired:

Leader _____ Phone _____ SAT: (1) (2) (3) (4) / SUN: (5) (6) (7) (8)

Follower _____ Phone _____ SAT: (1) (2) (3) (4) / SUN: (5) (6) (7) (8)

Total Enclosed (add \$5 late fee after Thursday, March 23): _____

Liability: Instructors, the ADC, and ASDC assume NO responsibility or liability for injuries, damages, or losses sustained while attending workshops/dance. I have read and agree to the terms listed above. Forms will NOT be accepted without the signature of EACH registrant.

Signature (Leader)

Signature (Follower)