



JOE AND KATHLEEN WOOD ARE DANCERS OF THE MONTH FOR JUNE 2009

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The Ballroom Dance Club is pleased to feature Joe and Kathleen Wood as Dancers of the Month for June. If you frequent the Sunday and Wednesday Open Dance sessions, you've surely noticed this talented couple cutting a rug.

Joe and Kathleen moved to SaddleBrooke for two very good reasons. Joe loved to play tennis and they both love to dance. The couple began dancing in Newberg, Oregon, when Joe suggested they take line dancing lessons. After many lessons and line dances, they decided Western couples dancing looked like fun, so they took that on as well. Later, friends suggested they take ballroom dance lessons in Hillsboro, Oregon. They took two lessons each week for several years and also enjoyed many weekend dances. Joe and Kathleen were assistant dance instructors and part of group performances.

Joe and Kathleen say their favorite dance is the waltz. What Kathleen likes best about dancing with Joe is that he is a strong, precise leader. Joe says Kathleen follows really well and is so wonderfully graceful.

The Woods love the challenge of learning new dances and patterns and have taken Bob Osborne's classes in SaddleBrooke. They are eager to learn more of the Samba and they say a big goal is to learn the Quickstep.

Kathleen and Joe are frequent travelers and always look for places to dance while they are away. They encourage everyone to learn to dance because dance brings such enjoyment to life. One look at them and you'll know that's true.