

SWING DANCE SUNDAY

THE GROVE PARK INN RESORT & SPA
JANUARY 24, 2010

FEATURING

THE RUSS WILSON ORCHESTRA

The amazing Big Band & Swing Dance Weekend gets even better this year with a brand new event—Swing Dance Sunday! Join us for the entire weekend experience or just for a special blow-out day and night of Swing Dance music featuring a workshop with Michael Gamble and Jaya Dorf and a concert and dance with music from the Russ Wilson Orchestra.

On Sunday afternoon, package holders will be treated to a special two-hour workshop with Michael Gamble and Jaya Dorf. Michael and Jaya are involved in teaching, organizing, and devoting themselves to the growth of the dance community. In addition to organizing Lindy Focus, Sugar Foot Stomp, Enter the Blues, and Southern Belle Swing Bash, they have taught workshops in over 25 U.S. cities. They have attended and led multiple regional teacher training seminars and have helped to organize, operate, and judge a variety of contests of every dance style associated with the Lindy Hop world. We know you will enjoy learning some new skills or brushing up on basics to get ready for the big dance.

The ballroom will come alive again on Sunday night with concert and dance music from the Russ Wilson Orchestra! Russ and his orchestra faithfully recreate the sounds of 20's and 30's hot jazz and dance music. Selections feature music made famous by Ben Bernie, Bert Lown, Ben Pollack, Fletcher Henderson, Chick Webb, Duke Ellington, Paul Whiteman and many others. In addition to the orchestra, participants will be treated to dance music as coordinated by DJ Michael Gamble. Michael won the Invitational DJ Competition at the Charles Towne Liberty Jam in Charleston, SC, and the invitational DJ battle at the grand opening of Vintage Rhythm studios in Nashville, TN. He has also been the music coordinator for several competition weekends, including Harvest Moon Melee, the great Battle of the Cities, and the Southeast Lindy Hop Championships at Lindy Focus. With this much great music, you won't want to leave the dance floor all night!

Dancers will not want to miss this wonderful day filled with the best of music and the opportunity to enjoy our large dance floor supplemented by two auxiliary floors. Come join us and be a part of the inaugural Swing Dance Sunday at The Grove Park Inn Resort & Spa!

Sunday, January 24

- 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Make your plans to attend the **20th ANNUAL BIG BAND & SWING DANCE WEEKEND** by booking your package and selecting your seats for 2011. - Concierge Desk, Great Hall
- 10-10:45 a.m. Learn about the people and events that make up the history of this legendary resort with a **GUIDED HISTORY TOUR**. – Great Hall, sign up at Concierge Desk
- 2-4 p.m.* Learn new steps and warm up old skills at a **BASIC SWING DANCE WORKSHOP** with Michael Gamble and Jaya Dorf. – Grand Ballroom
- 7-8 p.m. **WILL CALL** desk open for ticket pick-up. – Grand Ballroom Foyer
- 7:30 p.m.* Doors open for the inaugural **SWING DANCE SUNDAY CONCERT & DANCE**. – Grand Ballroom
- 8 p.m.-12 a.m.* Sing and swing dance the night away with music from the **RUSS WILSON ORCHESTRA** and **DJ MICHAEL GAMBLE**. – Grand Ballroom

Event Schedule and Entertainment are subject to change.

* Package holders or tickets required.

Tickets are Non-Refundable and must be presented at the door to gain admission to the events. Dress Code is consistent with that of the entire resort, Resort Casual, unless otherwise noted.

Swing Dance Sunday Packages start at \$179.00

For reservations or information call:

The Grove Park Inn Resort & Spa (800) 438-5800 or (828) 252-2711

Or visit us online at <http://www.groveparkinn.com>

General Admission Tickets

Sunday night - \$15

Available starting August 1, 2009

(800) 438-5800

All tickets will be held at Will Call prior to the event.