

# Twinkle Toes Tabloid



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All the news that's fit  
to print (any maybe a  
few other tidbits)  
about Dancing With  
the Stars  
2009

Remember our Motto:

Vote Early  
and  
Vote Often

Mark Your Calendar

February 7, 2009  
Sunset Events Center  
Fort Collins, Colorado  
Tickets \$50  
For more information:  
970-472-4156

The Prize



## All Star Lineup for '09

**T**his years dancers have some rather large shoes to fill based on the success of last year's Dancing With the Stars. **The 2008 event raised over \$30,000**— to benefit Canyon Concert Ballet.

Check out The Dancers

**Gary Hixon** and his partner **Amy Hughes** will be doing the cha cha (though folks will more likely be looking at what in the world Gary is wearing!)

**Chris Otto** and his dance partner **Theresa Borak**.

**Berin Wachsmann** and his partner in life as well as dance, **Jillian**

**Wachsmann**.

**Mike Guerriero** and his partner **Kim Carter** are rumored to be rockin' out to Jail House Rock.

**Dan Eckles** and his dance partner **Stacy Montes**.

**Kellee Lotz** and her dancer **Fred Fuller** will be "fox trotting" their way around the dance floor (and hopefully into your wallets.)


**Carolina Westers** and **Fred Knight** are going to sizzle on the floor with a too-hot-to-handle salsa.

**Nancy Haboush** and partner **Andrew Munoz** plan to wow the audience with an energetic lindy

hop.

**Gretchen Gaede** and **Chris McCullough** (defending champion) have a cha cha to charm you.

**Merry Hummell** and **Chris McCullough** (yes, he's dancing twice) have something wild in mind, but they aren't saying what.

 You may have noticed that some of the dancers are keeping their plans top secret. The TTT (Twinkle Toes Tabloid) promises to go undercover if necessary to get the scoop. Stay tuned!

## The Arts Don't Come Cheap

Canyon Concert Ballet works to bring quality productions to Northern Colorado. And quality comes with a price tag.

Please consider these statistics provided by CCB:

- It costs \$4000 for each

performance at the Lincoln Center. That's just to open the doors.

- Dance shoes alone cost \$10,000 a year.
- Costumes and scenery run over \$5500 for a performance.

- The ticket price covers only about half of what the audience sees.

Dancing With the Stars is one way to fill up the bank account for CCB. Keep that in mind as you vote for your favorite dancers.

## Flash is Cash

This catchy phrase was uttered by Jane Sullivan, President of the Canyon Concert Ballet Foundation, AND winner of the 2008 Dancing with the Stars fundraising event.

Granted, our audience is pretty darned savvy and looking for flash and sizzle.

Here's the good news: The amazing lineup of dancers for 2009 are primed and ready to provide as much flash and sizzle as the audience



one of the most fun charity events of 2008.

Watch for regular issues of the

can stand!

Buy your tickets early because the Sunset Events Center will sell out. And take it from us at TTT—you do NOT want to miss this exciting event.

Last year it was

Twinkle Toes Tabloid for complete updates and information about your favorite dancers.

They're working hard to get ready for the show. Health club memberships are on the rise; personal trainers are getting a boost to their business, holiday goodies are being passed up—all in the name of getting in the best possible performance shape. Why not reward their effort with a vote or two? Or two hundred! Call the CCB office and they will happily take your donation. **970-472-4156**

## Woo Hoo...Do You Yahoo?

Want to stay totally up to date on everything that's happening with our intrepid team of stars and dancers? Go to [www.yahogroups.com](http://www.yahogroups.com) and sign up to become a member of our group: CCB\_DwStars

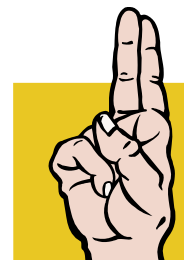
We'll post photos, video, and who knows what else. Support your faves (and everyone else) by joining. And

send the info to everyone you know. This is all about creating BUZZ.



What is a Yahoo Group? Well it's kind of like a blog (that's short for web log). It's a way to stay in touch electronically.

We promise not to overwhelm your inbox if you sign up.



## Pass it on...

Send this newsletter to everyone you think may be interested. We want to tell the world about this VERY FUN event.

Look for our next issue early in January. And Happy Holidays from everyone at Canyon Concert Ballet and Dancing With the Stars.