



Come and Learn Scottish Country Dance!

Looking to try something new? Join the **Fun, Fitness, and Friendship** offered by **Scottish Country Dance (SCD)**! SCD is the social and ballroom dance of Scotland that is danced ALL OVER THE WORLD! It is historical (dates back to the 17th Century), it is contemporary (new dances

written daily), it is an ancestor to some US dance forms like Contra and Square Dancing, it is international*, it is evolving, **AND it is taking US campuses by storm!**

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nope, you don't need to be Scottish! • Nope, you don't need a partner! • Nope, you don't need previous dance experience! • Nope, you don't need a kilt or any Scottish attire! | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Yes, you and your friends can dance together! • Yes, all are welcome! • Yes, you need soft-soled shoes [ballet/jazz shoes, socks, or worn-out athletic shoes without much grip]. • Yes, bring a water bottle. |
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Social, Fun, and Good for the Body & Mind!
Bring friends! Or come to meet new friends!

The Milwaukee Scottish Country Dancers (MkeSCD) with the UWM Celtic Studies program is offering a SOCIAL DANCE CLASS near the UWM Campus (in the gym of the Zao Church, across the street from the Union) on Thursday evenings 7-8:30PM. The 2024 Spring/Summer session 4/4 thru 8/29 (with no class 5/16, 7/4, 7/25, 8/1). The focus of this class will be to dance and learn with the energy and pacing appropriate to young adults – the Royal Scottish Country Dance Society (RSCDS) considers youth those 35 and under** -- still, adults of all ages are most certainly welcome! We typically dance in multiple groups of 6-8 people to lively fiddle, accordion, pipe, and piano music recorded by world class musicians, but on occasion we even have live music! New Dancers are always welcome! It is an open class!

This class has the advantage of being on the UWM campus as well as on a bus line! Parking is available on the street, in the Union parking lot, or at the Zelazo Center parking lot. Class costs are solely for the facility rental and will be pay-what-you-can at each class (suggested \$3-5 cash). Please share this flyer with everyone you know who might be interested!

Teacher: Rebecca Renee Winnie is fully certificated by the RSCDS after a full career as a music educator. She teaches with the Milwaukee and Madison Scottish Country Dancers. Questions can be emailed to Rebecca at mkescd.rww@gmail.com.

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*RSCDS lists 360 groups including these countries: Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Canada, Cyprus, Denmark, France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, Monaco, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Poland, Portugal, South Africa, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Ukraine, United States, and, of course, the UK [England, Northern Ireland, Scotland, Wales].

** Although the class is for adults, teens ages 14-17 are welcome if accompanied by a parent/guardian. Families indeed enjoy dancing together!

