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Dear Amateur Dancer;

The Rocky Mountain Chapter of USA Dance will be sponsoring the second annual **Colorado Amateur Competition** (CAC). This all-amateur competition will be taking place on Saturday September 24, 2005 at The Shrine Center. The competition will be the final event of the fun filled National Ballroom Dance Week.

The competition will be open to all amateur dancers regardless of their previous competition experience or whether or not they are competition members of USA Dance. The only requirement will be that you are at least a Social USA Dance member. Please review the enclosed entry form for styles, dances, and age categories.

We are hopeful that every amateur dancer and dance lover will support this endeavor by the Rocky Mountain Chapter of USA Dance. For those of you who participated last year, you will remember that it was a fun filled day of dancing. We truly expect to improve on last year's event. The most important aspect of the event is to encourage more ballroom dancing and to promote amateur dancing in Colorado. This will be a day where we can come together to support our friends and their dance efforts. It will be a day to make new friends and see old ones. It will be a day to recognize the dancing ability of our dance community; and a day to realize that while dancing takes place in any number of environments, we all can support and enhance one another.

Even if you do not currently have a dance partner, all you need to do is ask one of your fellow students if they would like to participate and then enter into the event that you feel most comfortable in, i.e. beginner cha cha or intermediate waltz. It's a great way to improve your dancing whether your primary dance activity is getting together with friends socially, dancing at weddings or competing.

Entry forms will be at every studio in the Denver/Boulder/Colorado Springs area and also they are posted on our web-site <u>http://geocities.com/usabda2004</u>. If you have any questions, or concerns, or you need a competition entry form or you would like to volunteer to help with the planning of the competition, please do not hesitate to call or e-mail me.

Sincerely yours;

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