

**USA DANCE AWARDS Volunteer and Chapter of the Year 2012/13**

*The award for Volunteer of the Year for 2012/13  
is proudly presented to  
**Chikako Massey**  
Greenville NC Chapter #6046*

Chikako is a past president that continues to support the chapter through volunteerism.

Chikako is the chapter coordinator for the dance instructors and lesson for the monthly dances in addition to coordinating the front desk volunteers. This past year she organized a two-day workshop, a first for the Greenville area. She was instrumental in make their Mall Ball a success, scheduling the performers and arranging a grand finale to close the show. She continues to assist the chapter with her experience and was unanimously selected by the Board for the Volunteer of the Year.

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*The National Chapter of the Year 2012/13  
is proudly presented to the  
**Los Angeles County Chapter # 4031**  
in recognition of their outstanding performance programs.*



The Chapter of the Year comes from the South West District 6 - Chapter #4031 Los Angeles County Chapter, Jerry Hernandez, President.

Besides sponsoring monthly dances, Chapter #4031 is involved with such events as the Pasadena Tournament of Roses, the K-12 Dancing Feet program, and they have a Senior Outreach Program. The chapter also donates funds to other USA Dance chapter events and competitions. They have an expanded National Ballroom Dance Week event “The Art of the Dance” which is showcased along with “Dancing with our Starts” to raises funds so support their K-12 programs. A new outreach program this year called “Partner Dances” has led to an increase in their membership.

In addition, the Chapter recently participated in the fundraiser “Adopt a Doctor” dedicated to helping doctors in third world countries.