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## **WCC Community & Continuing Education Courses Prepare You for Wedding Season**

*Learn to dance, design floral arrangements*

**Bellingham, WA, March 27, 2013** – Wedding season in Whatcom County is quickly approaching, and *Wedding Dance Crash Course*, offered through Whatcom Community College's Community & Continuing Education, will help ensure you're not stuck with two left feet. Whether you're the bride and groom, the parents, in the wedding party, or simply a guest, this class will prepare you to shine on the reception dance floor.

Instructor Janice Shepard will cover the waltz, swing, and a simple slow-style that can be danced to any music, as well as the fundamentals of leading and following. Enroll the entire wedding party, if you can! If you're the bride or groom and have already chosen your wedding dance song, you're encouraged to bring the music on a CD. The five-session course is \$69 per person or \$125 per couple, and runs from April 17 to May 15 from 6:30-8:00 p.m. at the YMCA Ballroom in downtown Bellingham. Partners are recommended, but not required or guaranteed. To register, call 360.383.3200 or enroll online: [www.whatcomcommunityed.com](http://www.whatcomcommunityed.com).

**Want to stock up on even more wedding know-how?** WCC's Community & Continuing Education is offering *Floral Design: Weddings and Special Occasions*, taught by Cheryl Jackson, owner of Courtyard Gardens in Everson. Learn a variety of designs and techniques for creating bouquets, corsages, boutonnieres, cake tops, pew markers and flowers for wedding hair styles in this in-depth course. The three-session course is \$79, and runs April 22 to May 6 from 6:30-8:30 p.m. on the WCC campus. All materials are included in course fee. To register, call 360.383.3200 or enroll online: [www.whatcomcommunityed.com](http://www.whatcomcommunityed.com).

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Whatcom Community College is an accredited, comprehensive two-year college serving more than 11,000 students annually. On its 71-acre campus in Bellingham, WA, and through on-line courses, Whatcom offers transfer degrees, professional and technical training programs, as well as basic education, job skills, and Continuing and Community Education classes. For more information about WCC, visit [www.whatcom.ctc.edu](http://www.whatcom.ctc.edu).

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