



Presenting Workshops with Highly Acclaimed International Tutor

DEVI MAMAK

of Ghawazi Caravan, Australia

www.ghawazicaravan.com

American Tribal Style (ATS) & Flamenco Fusion BELLY DANCE WORKSHOPS

**Saturday 3rd and Sunday 4th March 2012
in Whitianga, Coromandel Peninsula**

SATURDAY 3rd March 2012

10.30am – 12.30pm

TECHNIQUE IN ATS : Level - Open

Getting down to the 'nitty gritty'! In this workshop Devi will give you the tools to help you to get the most out of your ATS technique. We will look at correct ATS posture as well as body alignment and what muscles are needed for certain ATS steps. Devi will then take you into practical ATS drills, using the tools learnt in this workshop to help you to improve and refine your ATS technique.

1.30pm – 3.30pm

INNOVATIVE FORMATIONS : Level – Beyond Beginners to Advanced

Devi is well known for her exciting stage dynamics and formations. In this workshop Devi will present new formations for ATS improvisation as well as staging ideas suitable for both improv and choreography, small and large groups. You will learn new ideas and techniques as well as some of Devi's inspiring formations. If time allows you will learn such formations as The Sea Anemone, Solid Gold, The Radar and FCBD favourite Duelling Duets. The material presented fits perfectly with ATS and other styles of belly dance.

SUNDAY 4th March 2012

10.30am – 1.00pm

ATS/FLAMENCO/GYPSY FUSION: Level - Intermediate to Advanced

Ignite the fire and passion of Flamenco and inject it into your next performance! Learn some exciting new combinations to add to your tribal repertoire. These are Devi's BRAND NEW combinations that will add drama to your next show stopper! Devi will teach you some gorgeous arm, hip and foot variations, that will help give you that "Flamenco" look. You will learn such steps as El Cabalo Blanco, A Seville Romance, Carmen, The Matador, Drama Queen ... just to name a few!

2.00pm – 4.00pm

SOMETHING OLD, SOMETHING NEW, SOMETHING BORROWED, SOMETHING ATS :
Level – Beyond Beginners to Advanced

In this workshop Devi will present a rehash of her steps accepted into the FCBD format. This is material that you are already familiar with (something old), then she'll add some exciting and different ideas of what you can do with some of the steps (something new). She will introduce variations to add to other favourite ATS steps (something borrowed), then fuse it all together for some exciting new combos to add to your repertoire! (something ATS).

SATURDAY NIGHT - HAFLA and DINNER with a performance by Devi

Those who would like, are also welcome to perform – please let us know. There is a small performance area.

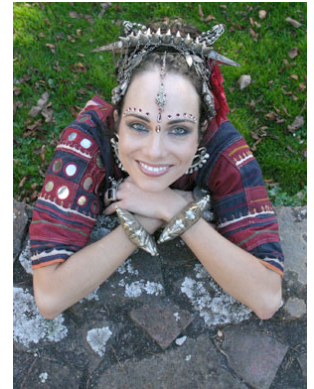
VENUE – Sangam Indian Restaurant, Blacksmith Lane, Whitianga, from 6.00pm onwards.

Indian Dinner with entree, meat and vegetarian curries, rice & naan bread, cost \$25.00pp.

(Dinner is not included in the workshop price. Please advise if vegetarian. BYO; also Licensed)

Devi Mamak... member and Artistic Director of Ghawazi Caravan, is one of Australia's premier ATS Dancers, Teachers and Choreographers, having taught many of the top dancers in the genre. Devi is also well known for creatively fusing other styles such as Flamenco, Indian, Egyptian and Ballet.

She is renowned throughout Australia, NZ, Asia and Europe for her creative, thorough and approachable teaching style, and her beautiful and commanding stage presence. Devi has co-taught Carolena Nericcio's General Skills Certificate on several occasions with some of her own steps being accepted into the ATS syllabus. She has recently returned from filming an instructional DVD presenting these steps with Carolena at the FCBD Studio in San Francisco. For more information about Devi see www.ghawazicaravan.com.



Whitianga is a fast growing seaside town on the east side of the beautiful **Coromandel Peninsula**. Located approx 2 to 2 ½ hours drive from Auckland, Tauranga and Hamilton, Whitianga is surrounded by white sandy beaches and Pohutukawa trees and is a popular holiday destination.

DATES:

Saturday 3rd & Sunday 4th March 2012

VENUE: Whitianga Town Hall, Monk Street, Whitianga. Central to shops/cafes/accommodation etc.

**WEEKEND WORKSHOP FEE \$230.00 (late registration \$270)
EARLY PAYMENT DEADLINE FOR REDUCED FEE – 30th November 2011**

Your booking will not be accepted until your cheque has been cleared or direct credit payment received.

No substitutions accepted. No refunds given. No individual workshops available; full weekend only.

No photographic or recording devices during workshops, though an opportunity *may* be available to film a summary at the end of the workshop (at Devi's discretion).

Workshops are attended at your own risk.

Your Hosts: This is the fourth time workshop organisers Tracy and Margy (Accredited ATS Teachers) have hosted Devi in NZ. We pride ourselves on quality, well organised workshops at stunning NZ locations for a memorable workshop experience.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

www.americantribalstyle.co.nz



For workshop registrations & info please contact:

Tracy Miller 07 867-1129 or 0274 781 991 E: stu.tracy.miller@xtra.co.nz

South Island contact: Margy Morris 021 02600 952 E: margyathome@clear.net.nz

WORKSHOP SPACES ARE LIMITED – first come, first served

You can register either by:

- **Filling in the online registration at <http://www.americantribalstyle.co.nz/Workshops.html>**
- **Filling in form below & posting**
- **Emailing your information**

***Make cheques payable to:
Tracy Miller – Tribal Belly Dance
and post to***

**PO Box 171, Whitianga 3542
or Direct Deposit to:
Kiwibank 38-9004-0922097-00
using your name as a reference**



REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Name:
Address:
Phone:
e-mail :

WEEKEND WORKSHOP	\$230.00 if paid before 30 th November 2011 (late registration \$270) Minimum non-refundable deposit \$115.00, balance \$115 due before 30 th November 2011	\$
HAFLA & DINNER (not included in workshop price) Saturday 3 rd March 2012 Sangam Indian Restaurant BYO & Licensed. Drinks extra	Reserve me ____ seats please at \$25.00 per person Please advise if vegetarian. Must be pre-paid in advance.	\$
I will be paying by <input type="checkbox"/> cheque <input type="checkbox"/> direct deposit	TOTAL PAYMENT	\$

TRAVEL & ACCOMODATION

Go-Kiwi Shuttle Service

Daily shuttles to Whitianga from Auckland, Auckland Airport, Tauranga and Hamilton.

Auckland Airport to Whitianga: Departs 1 – 1.30pm Arrives 4.15pm

Whitianga to Auckland Airport: Departs 7.15am Arrives 10.30am

See website for full timetable & fares.

Ph 07 866-0366

E: info@go-kiwi.co.nz

www.go-kiwi.co.nz

Intercity Coachlines

www.intercity.co.nz

ACCOMMODATION:

Motels/Apartments:

Marina Park Apartments – 5 min walk to workshop venue

84 Albert St, Whitianga Luxury 1 & 2 brm apartments, heated pool, spa, located beside marina

Ph 0800 743 784

E: Maureen@marinapark.co.nz

www.marinapark.co.nz

Peninsula Motel – 5 min walk to workshop venue

93 Albert St, Whitianga

Ph 07 866 5607

E: info@peninsulamotel.co.nz

www.peninsulamotel.co.nz

Mana-Nui Motel – 2 min walk to workshop venue

20 Albert St, Whitianga

Ph 07 866 5599

E: mananui@xtra.co.nz

www.mananui.co.nz

Albert Number Six – 3 min walk to workshop venue

6 Albert St, Whitianga

Ph 07 866 0036

E: stay@albertnumbersix.co.nz

www.albertnumbersix.co.nz

Backpackers:

Turtle Cove Backpackers – 5 min walk to workshop venue

14 Bryce St, Whitianga

Ph 07 867 1517

E: welcome@turtlecove.co.nz

www.turtlecove.co.nz

Cats Pyjamas Backpackers – 3 min walk to workshop venue

12 Albert St, Whitianga

Ph 07 866 4663

E: info@cats-pyjamas.co.nz

www.cats-pyjamas.co.nz

And for a fabulous, luxurious treat don't miss:

www.thelostspring.co.nz

For a map of Whitianga and further information on accommodation & attractions:

Visit these websites:

www.whitianga.co.nz

www.thecoromandel.com