

"The Last Disco" dance contest held at UCSD

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An evening of dazzling dance, handy hoofing and terpsichorean artistry is guaranteed at "The Last Disco," the ultimate disco dance, scheduled to begin at 9 p.m. Saturday, June 2, at the University of California, San Diego.

The master of ceremonies will be Monti Rock III, best known to young audiences as the flashy disc jockey in the film "Saturday Night Fever," though he has managed to survive in show business with his outrageous act for almost two decades.

The extravaganza will take place in the Blue Aragon Ballroom, otherwise known as the Main Gym. Tickets cost \$5.50, general admission, and \$4.50 for UC San Diego students, and tickets can be purchased at the UCSD Central Box Office.

Thousands of dollars worth of prizes will be awarded not only to winners of the disco contest, but to anyone with the nerve to enter one of the contests. First prize is \$100 and a car stereo from Eric the Red. Jewelry, clothes, hairstyling, records and other prizes will be given away during the evening.

One of the evening's main attractions will be the master of ceremonies himself, an entertainer who was once described as "the male Marlene Dietrich."

"I'm like the kid next door who went wrong," says Rock. His taste in clothing leans towards the gaudy, and he has never been accused of operating within the confines of propriety.

"The Last Disco" is sponsored by the UC San Diego University Events Office and K-105 FM radio. For more information on tickets, phone 452-4559.

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