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**SHIMMY, SHIMMY, HO HO HO! BELLY DANCE TOY DRIVE
SHAKES UP HOLIDAY CHEER FOR KIDS IN NEED**

Phoenix, AZ, Dec. 1, 2011 - On Sunday, Dec. 11th at 2:30 pm, fun-loving Phoenicians are invited to shake up some holiday cheer - belly dance style! Mahin, Artistic Director of Zahr Jamil Middle Eastern Dance Company and She's Got Hips Productions will be teaching a one hour "Fun with Belly Dance" class at Eightlim Yoga (8828 N. Central Ave. #301) to collect donations for the Marines Toys for Tots program. Class is free with the donation of a new, unwrapped toy.

"Everyone is invited to come out and dance" says Mahin. "You don't need to be a dancer to have fun for this great cause. And who knows, you just might pick up a few cool dance floor moves!" When asked why she chose to hold this event, she responded "As bellydancers, we make a career out of spreading joy at celebrations. So many families are having a tough year and we wanted to make this Christmas a little brighter for the kids."

EVENT DETAILS:

Shimmy, Shimmy Ho, Ho, Ho Toy Drive

Sunday, Dec. 11th

2:30 pm

Eightlim Yoga, 8828 N. Central Ave. #301, Phoenix, AZ

ABOUT MAHIN

Mahin has been teaching and performing Middle Eastern belly dance in the Phoenix area for over 10 years. She is the author of the internationally published "*Daily Bellydance Quickies*", a national workshop instructor and free-lance writer for *Shimmy Magazine*.

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