

Studio `91 Dance-Apalooza

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The Show is quickly approaching! Please take the time to read the newsletter carefully for important information. The June Show will be held on June 13th at the Cumberland Valley Performing Arts Center at Noon and 6 p.m. Please make sure you know when you perform!

Costume Distribution Week

*Monday March 16th - Satur-
day March 21st*

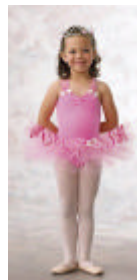


Please note that many class times have been altered during this week. This is to help alleviate overcrowding in the parking lot. We ask that the parents and dancers try to be prompt when arriving and exiting during costume distribution week. This will keep the parking lot traffic flowing and allow for as many parking spaces as possible. We appreciate your help and consideration during this exciting and hectic week!

**In a separate file attachment, you will find the costume distribution relief schedule. Please review it carefully. Open house for MOM'S ONLY!*

Costume Delivery

Please note that all tuition accounts must be paid-in-full to date in order to receive June Show costumes. If you have any questions or concerns about your account please email Michelle our accountant.



Warm-Up Suits

Studio `91 will be offering warm-up suits for sale. Sample sizes will be available in the upstairs waiting room from March 11th to March 21st. The suits will be a great way to make any group of Studio `91 dancers look sharp and uniform. They can be worn to and from class, National Dance Week Celebrations, Pumpkinfest, etc.



Important Dates

Please mark your calendars for the following important dates and special programs:

- **March 1st**—Tuition Payment #7 is due
- **March 4th-March 10th**—Studio Closed for Disney Performance (classes were made up before the Christmas Holiday)
- **March 16th-March 21st**—Open House Costume Distribution. MOMS ONLY! See Attached Schedule
- **March 30th-April 4th**—Photo Days. See Attached Schedule. MOMS ONLY

Photo Week

Photo sessions are scheduled for **March 30th –April 4th at the studio**. Please make sure you check the photo schedule listed on the photo envelope to be received at open house to find your dancer's photo time. There is no need to make up these classes, as your photo time is considered your class time. **Please do not wear costumes to the studio**. All costumes should be brought to the studio in some type of protective plastic, or garment bag.



Please make sure all costumes, tights, headpieces, props, and shoes are labeled with your dancer's name or initials prior to your photo date. If you have purchased new ballet slippers that need to be sewn, please have that done for photos. Even if you do not plan to purchase individual photos, please plan to attend class photo times in order to be in the group picture. (Group photos will be available for purchase and will be printed in the Keepsake Program.) **Moms, you must stay to dress dancers for photos; do not drop them off alone during photo week.**

In a separate file attachment, you will find the photo week relief schedule. Please review it carefully.

Break-a- Leg



Disney Dancers

Pink About It



**Remember to
do your breast
self exam**



National Dance Week

Don't forget National Dance week in April! We will kick it off on April 19th at the Capitol. Information for first grade and up was distributed in February for dancers old enough to participate in the workshops being held that day. If your dancer is able to participate in the workshops please return the registration form with payment by **April 11th**. Prior to the workshops **Dancers of all ages** are invited to participate in the **FREE** Kickline event. Hope to see you there!



June Show Keepsake Program

Information regarding our June Show Keepsake Program is attached this March newsletter. These are beautiful souvenirs of our performances which include pictures of all the dancers. These books are costly, but you can help defray some of the cost by selling or placing ads in the Program. **The ads are due by April 6th.** Marsha Blessing, a dance mom, has once again volunteered to coordinate the Keepsake Program ads. Thanks Marsha! If she has any questions regarding your ad, she may be giving you a call.



Are You Considering A New Look?

Please think ahead to the June Show. Performance jewelry is the **ONLY** jewelry allowed to be worn during the June Show. Newly pierced ears usually need six weeks before the earrings can be removed. Please consider not trying a new shorter hairstyle too close to the show. All dancers do need to have their hair pulled back for the performance. Thank you for your cooperation!



Dancers in the Spotlight

- *Congratulations to Juliana Foley and Jenna Archer for their performance of Rockin' Around the Christmas Tree at the Broad Street Talent Show.*
- *Congratulations to Olivia Brown in her upcoming performance in the Cedar Cliff High Schools Musical called Pinafore on March 12, 13, and 14th.*
- *Congratulations to Gabbie Harker in her upcoming performance at the Dutch Apple Diner Theatre in "High School Musical"*
- *Congratulations to Emily Noll, Megan Wilson, and Taylor Gilmore in the upcoming roles in the Northern Middle School's production of Swamp Romp*
- *Congratulations to Megan Harbert in her upcoming performance in "Les Miserable" and her role in The King and I at Allenberry Playhouse this summer.*

'Twas the Night Before Christmas...

Our bi-annual performance of "Twas the Night Before Christmas" December 2009 is in the works. To be eligible to participate you must have already attended extra classes (Special Ballet, Extra Tap, Extra Jazz, and Junior Jazz) during the 2008-2009 dance season. In addition you must attend ADSI being held July 23rd to July 28th and be signed-up for the 2009-2010 dance season, including specialty classes. Information will be distributed as soon as possible.

Wanted Dancer DVD/Video Clips

We are looking for current video of our dancers, performing at talent shows, musicals, etc. We would like to add these clips into our video montage to be played prior to the June Show. Please drop off a non-returnable copy in the office by May 1st. Thanks for your help





Dressing Room Moms Needed

Dressing Room Moms are still needed for several classes! Please see someone in the office to sign up. **Remember, you can still watch your dancer perform when you help back stage!!** Thanks for all of your help and support.

We still need Moms for.....

Afternoon Show:

- Mon. 5:45-7:00
- Mon. 6:30-8:30 5th
- Tues. 12:30-1:15
- Tues. 1:15-2:15
- Tues. 4:15-5:15
- Tues. 5:30-7:30
- Tues. 6:15-8:15
- Wed. 4:30-5:30
- Wed. 6:20-8:45 2nd Arab.
- Thurs. 6:30-8:30 7th
- Sat. 9:30-10:15
- Sat. 10:15-11:15
- Sat. 11:15-12:25

Evening Show:

- Mon. 4:15-5:15
- Mon. 5:30-6:30
- Mon. 6:30-8:30 1st Arab.
- Tues. 5:30-6:30
- Tues. 6:30-8:30
- Wed. 5:30-6:15
- Wed. 6:30-8:45 3rd Arab.
- Wed. 6:30-8:45 Pas de Chat
- Thurs. 4:30-5:15
- Thurs. 5:30-6:30
- Thurs. 5:45-7:00
- Thurs. 6:30-8:30 4th



Note from Friends of Studio '91

We are in the process of restructuring our parent organization Friends of Studio '91. We are currently in need of help in the following areas: Treasurer with an accounting background; a secretary; and a co-president.

We will be holding a Spring Fundraiser. This will provide funding toward our ADSI Summer Dance Camp choreographers and expenses. Friends is hoping to sponsor an additional choreographer for ADSI this summer. This will help to keep camp cost down for each individual dancer. The fundraiser will be assorted trash bags. We are asking each dancer to sell a minimum of 5 rolls each. A brochure will be handed out to each dancer mid March.

This fundraiser will help out the general ADSI Camp and will not be applied to individual accounts.

Thank you to Lee Ann Paxton for stepping up and offering to head our Friends of Studio '91 organization.

If you are interested in becoming an officer for Friends of Studio '91 you can email janice@studio91.com or Lee Ann at lagraffiti@comcast.net.

May the stars
always pointé you
to...

*Studio '91 and ADSI
(Always Dancing
Summer Intensive)*

**Save the date:
July 23 - 28, 2009
Information to be distributed
soon!**