



The Spotlight

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The First Two Months

The first weeks of classes have been great! All the students seem to be enjoying themselves and I look forward to instructing them everyday. Please see the front desk to verify the classes your child is in since we are still in the process of enrolling and switching some students around. I thank you for all your patience and dedication to getting your students to class on time and dressed properly. If you still have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask. We would like to assist you in as many ways possible.

Costume Deposits

On next month's statement, November, you will notice a charge for costumes (\$75 each class). This is a balance which will cover all of your student's costumes. Remember, those who are in a combination class will have two costumes, one for ballet and one for tap. These balances are due no later than December 10^h to ensure all costumes are ordered and here for recital on time. Students taking unlimited classes need to notify Ms. Alyssa or Ms. Diana of which classes they will be participating in the recital.

Lobby Etiquette

It is extremely important to remember the rules of the lobby and restrooms. Please be considerate of the rules and others while waiting for your children to finish:

- Maintain quite voices
- Use walking feet

- No major food is permitted, only healthy snacks
- Water only in the lobby
- Monitor younger children at all times **including in the bathroom**
- Students do not leave the lobby into the parking lot without an adult or supervision
- Please do not leave trash in the parking lot

Adult Funk Fitness Class From Professional Dancer Greg!

Greg Fountain will be offering a Funk Fitness class for all adults on Saturday, October 9th from 5-6pm. The cost is \$15 and you may pay at the door, but it is cash only. If you prefer to pay online, check our facebook page for the link. The class is limited to 20 adults so reserve your spot. There is a sign up sheet in the lobby for those ready to grind it out!

Master Hip Hop Classes Open to Everyone!

Greg Fountain from Step it Up Revolution will be here Saturday, October 9th to offer master classes in hip hop for all students. The cost will be \$25 per student, per class. Class times are as follows: beginning/intermediate will be 11am – 12:30pm and intermediate/advanced will be

12:45 – 2:15. These classes are open to anyone wanting to attend and have fun!

Headshots

We will be having professional headshots taken on Sunday, October 17 at 1pm at the studio. This is **MANDATORY** for all competition students acting, vocal, dance and tumbling. Please wear a solid color top that compliments your skin and hair tone. Hair done nicely (not pulled back) and minimal/day makeup. If you have any questions regarding what to wear please ask Ms. Alyssa or Ms. Beth.

A Note From Your Teacher

Please make sure to mark your name in all your dance shoes. Also, please check your dance bags for any extra shoes that are not yours. We have many students missing 1 shoe. I also want to wish everyone a Safe and Happy Halloween!!!!

Loves – Ms. Alyssa ☺

Halloween Fun Week!!!!

The week of October 25th, any student can wear their Halloween costume to dance. Please limit the make up as they might be sweating as we will still be doing movement. I will be focusing on fun creative dance activities in class that week. It's just a fun way to celebrate the week!



Event Calendar

- 10/7 Hip Hop Choreography with Greg 5-9pm. **NO REGULAR DANCE CLASSES THAT DAY**
- 10/8 Hip Hop Choreography with Greg 5 – 9pm **NO REGULAR DANCE CLASSES THAT DAY!** All Acting classes are normal times.
- 10/8 Beginning Vocal will be 4:15 – 4:45 only for today
- 10/9 Hip Hop Workshops
Beg./int 11am-12:30pm
Int./adv 12:45 – 2:15pm
- 10/9 Adult Funk Fitness 5-6pm
- 10/10 Hip Hop Choreography Cleaning 11am – 2pm
- 10/11 October Tuition Due
- 10/16 Acro Practice
9:30 – 12:30 Gold
2:00 – 5:00 Ruby
- 10/17 Headshots 1pm
- 10/22 **YES CLASSES!**
- 10/25 – 10/29 Wear your Halloween costume to class
- 11/6 Core & Strength Workshop 11am-1pm
- 11/6 Advanced Vocal practice 10am – 12pm
- 12/10 Costume Balances **DUE** (they will be put on your statement in November)