# JUST FOR KIX DANCE NEWS

## **HAPPY NEW YEAR!**

We are so excited to kick off the New Year and are so thankful to have you dancing with us! We are now into the performance and competitive portion of our season. It is fun for the dancers to now have the opportunity to show what they have been working on at class. One of the things we are working on throughout this season is the ability for dancers to become comfortable in front of a crowd. Please keep in mind that for many dancers, the first performance of a new routine is very tentative. They are concentrating on the order of the routine rather than performing. You may find that we perform the same routine multiple times. This takes that pressure off the dancers, as once they have mastered the knowledge of the routine and have performed it once, they are able to concentrate more on the performance aspects. You will probably notice their confidence increase, the technical details of the routine will be refined, and the expressions on the dancers face transforming them into true performers.

Please know any questions or concerns you have at anytime throughout the season are important to me. Class time is very busy so if you are unable to connect with me at class, feel free to contact at the email address and/or phone number listed below. I hope that this newsletter is helpful for you. Keep it in a safe place so you are able to refer back to it. I also keep our website updated with the most up to date information on our program. Here's to a successful and Happy New Year!

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# **Classes and Performance Notes**

**STAGE SHOW PERFORMANCE- FEB 11** 

Stage Show 10:00am @ Cambridge PAC

Performance for Both Tiny Kix, Wee Petites and Wee Kix. This performance is at the Cambridge Isanti High School in the PAC. Please enter door 1 of the school.

Dancers need to arrive at 9:40am and meet in the PAC. Please find your class and sit quietly with them. Dancers should arrive in uniform ready to dance.

A small admission fee will be charged to cover the rental of the facility, custodian and sound tech.

### **WEATHER RELATED CANCELLATIONS**

If school is cancelled or closes early, we will not hold Just For Kix classes. If school is held but weather is getting worse as the afternoon approaches, and I decide to cancel class I will do so by posting it on our website and Facebook. I will send out an email to all those I have addresses for. Always use your best judgement sometimes the call has to be made early in the day and if conditions are not good for you to get to class, by all means your safety is priority.

## JUST FOR KIX TWD COMPETITIONS

We are getting close to competition season. All of our 4th-12th grade classes and Hip Hop will be attending 2 competitions this year. We will be attending Sauk Rapids on January 29th and Brainerd on March 25th. Watch for a special TWD Handout that will be coming home soon. Mark these dates on your calendar it is important that all dancers attend. This is one of the highlights for the year for our dancers. It is a great opportunity for them to get out there and compete as well as watch and learn form other great teams.

#### **CLASS LOCATION CHANGE**

February 2nd and February 9th: We will be having class at the High School in the cafeteria.

#### **CLASS PICTURES- JAN 12TH**

We will be holding our class photos for ALL classes on Jan 12th at the times below:

Tiny Kix 1 (Pre): 4:45pm

Wee Kix (2-3gr): 5:00pm

Tiny Kix 2 (Pre): 5:15pm

Wee Petites (K-1): 5:30pm

Mini Hip Hop (2-6): 6:00pm

Mini Kix (4-5gr): 6:45pm

Middle Kix (6-7 gr): 5:45pm

Middle Hip Hop: 7:15pm

Junior Kix: 7:45pm

Jazz 8:30pm

We will take the group picture first and then do individuals. Group picture will be taken 10 minutes after arrival time. Do not be late!

Please arrive on time ready to go.

Picture envelopes will be distributed the week prior to pictures at class. Pictures are optional but we would like all dancers to come dressed in uniform to participate in the group photo even if they are not ordering uniforms. Dancers may wear their hair however you would like for photos but should come in complete uniform.

Pictures will be in the CIS- Cafeteria

#### MONTHLY PAYMENTS

There are two easy ways to make your payments:

1. Online Payment System at

www.justforkix.com/danceclassesThis is the fastest, easiest way to make payments and manage your dancer's account.\*\$10 late fee will be assessed to late payments. Select "Auto Pay" to set up recurring payments to avoid late fees.

3. Call Payments in to the Home Office. 218-829-7107 Mon. - Fri. 8:00am - 4:30pm (CST)We can take credit or debit card payments over the phone.

\* Student accounts must be current to perform in the Winter Show. Any student with a balance due will not be eligible to perform with their team.

# **SAVE THE DATE**

January 29: TWD Competition

Feb 11th: Stage Show

March 4th: Community Show all classes.

March 25: TWD Competition

Tentative Spring Show date: April 29th.



<sup>\*</sup> By giving us your check, please be aware that you are authorizing Just For Kix to make a one-time electronic debit from your account at the financial institution indicated on your check. This electronic debit will be for the amount of your check. No additional amount will be added to the amount.



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FR	SAT
CLASS FEES DUE 1	2	3	4	Fregular Classes (Jazz meets until 9:45pm)	6	7
8	9	10	11	Class Pictures in Cafeteria- see other side	13	14
15	16	17	18	Regular Classes (Jazz meets until 9:45pm)	20	21
22	23	24	25	26 Regular Classes (Jazz meets until 9:45pm)	27	28
29 TWD Competition Sauk Rapids	30	31				

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5	6	7	8	Regular Classes- Location Change	10	11 Stage Show Performance- See other side
12	13	14	15	16 Regular Classes	17	18
19	20	21	22	Regular Classes	24	25
26	27	28				

