

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. Please know, 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 is to take 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. 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 will be keeping 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

CARDINAL DANCE TEAM INVITATIONAL

Saturday, January 6th

Performance at Alex High School for ALL Teams.

Refer to the performance schedule that is attached to the newsletter and sent out in email.

BASKETBALL HALFTIME PERFORMANCES

~ Tuesday, January 16th

Performance for: Wee Mini Hip Hop & Jr Hip Hop

~ Monday, February 5th

Performance for: Middle Kix, Wee Kix & Wee Kix/Jazz

~ Tuesday, February 20th

Performance for: Mini Kix & Senior Kix

For all basketball performances dancers should arrive at 7:15pm to AAHS, dressed in uniform with hair done. Meet in the Commons Area, main entrance #1. We will perform at approximately 7:45pm. Following the performance dancers can be picked up in the Commons Area.

MINNEWASKA HIGH SCHOOL DANCE SHOW

Thursday, February 1

Performance for: Tiny Kix, Pre Petites (Mon & Thur), Wee Petites (Mon & Thur), Mini Jazz, Middle Jazz.

Dancers should arrive to Minnewaska Area H.S. at 6:00pm dressed in uniform with hair done. The show begins at 6:30pm.

CLASS PICTURES

We will be holding team and individual photos on January 15th & 16th. Picture envelopes will be distributed the week prior. 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. Dancers may wear their hair however you would like.

PICTURE SCHEDULE

Monday – January 15

- 4:45-5:00pm – Boys Hip Hop
- 5:00-5:30pm – Thursday Wee Petites
- 5:15-5:45pm - Thursday Pre Petites
- 5:30-6:00pm – Monday Pre Petites
- 6:00-6:45pm – Mon Wee Petites
- 6:45-7:45pm – Mon Middle Kix
- 6:45-7:45pm – Mon Senior Kix
- 7:30-7:45pm – Tue Senior Jazz
- 7:45-8:45pm – Mon Middle Jazz

Tuesday – January 16

- 4:45-5:15pm – Tue Tiny Kix
- 5:15-6:15pm – Tue Wee Kix and Wee Kix/Jazz
- 5:45-6:15pm – Thur Wee Mini Hip Hop
- 6:15-6:45pm – Tue Jr Hip Hop
- 6:30-7:00pm – Thur Mini Kix
- 6:45-7:00pm – Thur Mini Jazz

JUST FOR KIX TWD COMPETITIONS

- All of our 2nd-12th grade classes will be attending 2-3 competitions this year. Foley TWD Competition on Sunday, January 28, Alexandria on Saturday March 10 and Moorhead on Friday, March 23.
- Watch for a special TWD Handout that will be coming home soon.

MONTHLY PAYMENTS

There are two easy ways to make your payments:

1. Online Payment System at justforkix.com/danceclasses
This 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.
2. Call Payments in to the Home Office.
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.

SPECIAL SESSIONS

We have exciting special sessions this winter/spring to add to your dancers experience and to enhance our spring shows. You can register for any of these classes online.

INTRO TO DANCE
TAP
BOYS HIP HOP
TEENY KIX
DAD & DAUGHTER

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FR	SAT
	CLASS FEES DUE 1 Happy New Year! Studio Closed. Mon classes are on Fri 1/5	2 Regular Tue Classes Resume	3	4 Regular Thur Classes Resume	5 Mon Classes Resume (makeup from 1/1)	6 Performance for ALL at Cardinal Dance Invite at AAHS (see attached schedule)
7	8 Regular Mon Classes & Intro to Dance Session Begins	9 Regular Tue Classes	10	11 Regular Thur Classes	12	13
14	15 Picture Night (refer to picture schedule)	16 Picture Night (refer to picture schedule) & Basketball Performance (Wee Mini HH & Jr HH)	17	18 Regular Thur Classes	19	20 Special Session Tap Classes Begin
21	22 Regular Mon Classes	23 Regular Tue Classes	24	25 Regular Thur Classes	26	27
28 Foley TWD (Wee Jazz, WeeMini HH, Mini Kix/Jazz, Middle Kix/Jazz, Jr HH, Sr Kix)	29 Regular Mon Classes	30 Regular Tue Classes	31			

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				CLASS FEES DUE 1 Regular Classes, Performance at Minnewaska HS (refer to schedule)	2	3
4	5 Regular Classes, Basketball Performance (Middle Kix, Wee Kix, Wee Kix/Jazz)	6 Regular Tue Classes	7	8 Regular Thur Classes	9	10 Special Session Tap Classes
11	12 Regular Mon Classes	13 Regular Tue Classes	14	15 Regular Thur Classes	16	17
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25	26 Regular Mon Classes	27 Regular Tue Classes	28			

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