

MAR/APR/MAY 2024

Pequot Lakes Just For Kix Newsletter - March/April/May (2024)

We are 2 (ish) months away from the end of our 2023-2024 dance season! This season has been so fun and I've enjoyed every class with these girls. It has been such a wonderful first season of directing Pequot Lakes Just For Kix! Looking forward to more years to come. Remember that I may or may not make it to the Spring Show depending on when baby decides to come. We have a lot of events coming up in these next two months, so please read this carefully for important details.

- Madi Hjermstad

NEED TO KNOW

Class Attire

Attire should consist of clothing that allows a wide range of movement. No jewelry, gum, jeans, etc. Appropriate footwear is also needed in dance class - no crocs, flip-flops, etc. Hair must be pulled back into a bun or pony. Early Is On Time - On Time Is Late. Just For Kix Teams start on time! Put forth your best effort to come prepared and ready to dance! Every dancer is needed from COUNT ONE to make a true practice, or performance, effective and organized.

ATTENDANCE

Make practices and performances a priority - your class and team depend on you. If you are absent, meet with a friend to learn the material before the next class, or watch the BAND videos posted to your specific class page. Please let Coach Madi know ahead of time if you can not attend any practices!

CLASS LOCATION

Classes will be held at the Eagleview Elementary School Gym (upper gym and lower gym, depending on which class you are in). Classes meet on Wednesdays!

SUPERVISION

Dancers are supervised during their scheduled class time. Parents may come in for the last 5 minutes of class each day, but sitting in on class can be a distraction.

CONTACT INFORMATION

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March 2024

IMPORTANT DATES

March 9th - St Cloud TWD Competition (Wee Kick/Jazz, Mini Kick, Junior Kick and Mini/Junior Jazz ONLY)

- See the TWD information document for details

March 15th - Crosby/Pillager/Pequot Lakes Community Show!

- Location: Crosby-Ironton High School
711 Poplar St
Crosby, MN 56441
- Who: ALL CLASSES
- Arrival Time: 5:30 PM
- Show Time: 6:30 PM
- What to wear:
 - Costume
 - Hair piece
 - Tights
 - Tan jazz shoes
 - Tiny & Wee Petite Classes -hair in curly high pony
 - Wee, Mini, and Junior Classes - hair in middle part, low bun
- Admission (CASH ONLY):
 - Adults - \$5
 - Student - \$3
 - Children 5 and under get in free

March 17th - Brainerd TWD Competition (Wee Kick/Jazz, Mini Kick, Junior Kick and Mini/Junior Jazz ONLY)

- See the TWD information document for details

March 20th - Spring Special Sessions Begin! Held on Wednesdays in the Upper Gym.

- Teeny Kix (Allie) - 5:30-6:00 PM
- 4th-12th Hip Hop (Allie) - 6:00-6:30 PM
- K-3rd Hip Hop (Allie) - 6:30-7:00 PM
- 7th-12th Spring Technique (Madi) - 7:45-8:45 PM

March 27th - SPRING BREAK!

- No full season or special session dance classes will be held this day.

April 2024 (Spirit Month)

April is going to be a spirit month for dance practices! See each theme below and dress up accordingly for each practice. The person with the best outfit each day will win a prize!

IMPORTANT DATES

April 3rd - Pajama Day

- Wear your pajamas to dance day!

April 10th - Crazy Hair Day

- Let's see your craziest hairdo!

April 17th - Dress Like Your Dance Teacher Day

- Come to dance class dressed up like one of your dance teachers!

Last day of 7th-12th Spring Technique

April 24th - Old Dance Costume Day

- Wear an old dance costume to dance day!
- Last Day of Spring Special Sessions
 - Teeny Kix, K-3rd Hip Hop, and 4th-12th Hip Hop classes will perform at our Spring Show on May 5th.

May 2024

IMPORTANT DATES

May 1st - Last Day of Dance/Spring Show Rehearsal

- ALL CLASSES IN LOWER GYM FROM 5:30-6:30 PM. We will rehearse the show order a few times and play some games to end the dance season! Parents may stay and watch inside the gym.

May 5th - **Viva Las Vegas Spring Show @ Pequot Lakes High School Gym**

- Show Time: 3:30 PM
- Dancer Arrival Time: 2:15 PM (dressed and ready)
- Tickets: Price TBD
- More detailed information in the Winter Show document - will be sent out closer to show date

TUITION

There are three 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.
2. Call Payments into the Home Office. 218-829-7107
Monday-Friday 10:00 AM-3:00 PM
We can take credit or debit card payments over the phone.
3. Mail Payment to the Home Office
Just For Kix
PO box 724
Brainerd, MN 56401

***Monthly Payments are due by the 1st of each month.

- There will be a \$10.00 fee assessed for late payments.
- Any NSF or stopped checks made payable to Just For Kix will be charged a \$20.00 service fee per check.
- Student accounts are always required to be current before any performance. Any student with a balance due will not be eligible to perform with their team.

POTENTIAL ADDITIONAL COSTS

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Here is a glance at additional costs that may be incurred throughout the season:

- Performance admission
- Just For Kix TWD Competition fees and admission
- Show Admission
- Pictures
- Special Session Fees
- Show Shirts/Competition Merchandise
- Custom Program Clothing

CANCELLATIONS

In the event that Just For Kix must cancel classes, we will make the announcement in several locations:

- BAND APP
- Pequot Lakes JFK Facebook Page
- Pequot Lakes JFK Instagram Page
- Via Email

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Custom Wear



Custom Pequot Lakes Just For Kix wear is now available in your JFK dancer account!

- 1. Log in to your account**
- 2. Click on the “customwear” tab**
- 3. Pick out what you want to order!**

***All items will be customized to say “Pequot Lakes Just For Kix” and will be shipped to your director 2-3 weeks after the order has been placed.**