# Princeton NOVEMBER/DECEMBERR NEWSLETTER





#### SAVE THE DATE

#### **WEAR YOUR COSTUME TO CLASS:**

#### **NOVEMBER 21st and 25th**

THIS WEEK ALL CLASSES SHOULD WEAR THIER COSTUME AND HAIR PIECES TO CLASS

#### WINTER SHOW

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8TH:** ALL CLASSES WILL PERFORM. DETAILS IN THE WINTER SHOW NEWSLETTER!!

#### **NO CLASS DATES**

Thanksgiving Thursday, November 28th Winter Break December 23rd-Jan 1st

#### **PICTURES**

Week of March 25-28th

#### **SPRING SHOW**

SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH

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## HAPPY HOLIDAYS!!!!

We are off to a great start! It has been great getting to know all the dancers. We have been having so much fun at class, I hope they are enjoying it too! We thank you for your dedication to Just For Kix and can't wait for a great Holiday Season!

#### **CLASS PAYMENTS**

This is your friendly reminder that class payments are due on the first of every month. Please make those payments before you send your dancer to class. There is a late fee of \$10 per dancer if fees are late.

#### **BI-MONTHLY NEWSLETTER**

You will receive an email PDF version of the bimonthly newsletter. These newsletters will have important dates and information for upcoming events. Please be sure to read these. The newsletters can also be found on our website: justforkix.com/danceclasses/princeton-mn

#### E-MAIL

We will send out regular e-mails throughout the season with reminders and general information. Please make sure we have your most current e-mail address on file. If you have a spam blocker, e-mails from Just For Kix may bounce back.

#### **BAND APP**

Band will be used for announcements for bad weather, changes in plans, general information etc.

Scan the QR code



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10	11 Regular Class	12	13	<b>14</b> Regular Class	15	16			
17	<b>18</b> Regular Class	19	20	21 Wear your costumes to class Class at Primary School	<b>22</b> Special Sessions start	23			
24	Wear your costumes to	26	27	<b>28</b> No Classes Happy Thanksgiving!!	29	30			

DECEMBER 2024									
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December Class payment due	Regular Class	*	4	<b>5</b> Regular Class	<b>6</b> Special Sessions	7			
<b>8</b> Winter Show	9 Regular Class	10	11	<b>12</b> Regular Class	13	14			
15	16 Regular Class	17	18	<b>19</b> Regular Class	20	21			
22	No Class	24	25	26 No Class	27	28			
29	30 No Class	31	New Year						

## Need To Know...

# Costumes

Costumes are being delivered on a weekly basis right now. If you receive your costume at class, please try it on as soon as possible. If the costume does not fit and needs to be exchanged, please complete the form on the back of the invoice and follow the return/exchange directions. Costumes cannot be exchanged if they have been worn, are dirty or damaged. The fastest way to get a new costume is to order a new one and send the other one back for a refund. Tights can not be returned if opened. Please make sure you have all the required pieces!!







#### WEAR YOUR COSTUME TO CLASS

The week of Nov 21& 25 I would like all dancers who have received their costume to wear it to class. This will give us the opportunity to trouble shoot any issues and make sure everyone has the correct pieces ordered. Please wear uniform and all accessories, you can save your tights for show day as long as you ordered them through JFK. If your dancer does not have her uniform yet, they should just come in regular practice wear. It is not a problem, but you will get a chance to see by observing the others, what they will need and how the uniform should be worn.

#### Winter Show

Our Winter Show is **Sunday, December 8th**I will be sending out a seperate newsletter with all of the Winter Show information. Watch for the Winter Show Newsletter coming soon!



Winter Show shirts are now available online!
These are not required but something fun to have.
They can be ordered through your dancer's account.

#### SPECIAL SESSIONS

We have 3 fun special session classes dancers can register for to perform in the Winter Show. Classes will be held Friday, Nov 22 and Dec 6th @ PIS gym

**Light Dance (2-12th gr)** Dance in the dark with glow sticks. 5:15-6:15pm

**Mother Daughter K-5th grade**: Dancers grab your moms!! It's time to dance!! 6:15-7:15pm

**Mother Daughter 6-12th gr:** Mom's join your dancer and learn a fun routine to perform in the show. 7:15-8:15pm

### Cancellation

In the event that Just For Kix must cancel class, we will make the announcement in several locations. If school is cancelled or let out early for weather emergencies, we will not have class. Please note that all staff drives from out of town-sometimes road conditions are worse for them vs where we hold class. Everyones safety is the most important thing.

Will will announce via:

- •EMAIL
- Facebook
- Post to Band

## Important information for class

## What to wear....

- Dancers can wear any active clothing including leotards, tutus, shorts, leggings, tshirts, or tank tops. Clothing should not be baggy; loose fitting clothing makes it difficult for instructors to see the lines of a dancer's body, which is necessary for proper instruction.
- Shoes are required at class. Please be sure that your dancer has either her dance shoes or tennis shoes each week.
- Hair should be pulled back into a pony tail or bun. If dancer's hair is too short for a pony tail, please have as much of it pulled back out of the face as possible. No jewelry or gum at class please.

#### Water Bottles:

Please bring a labeled water bottle for dancers in K-12th grade. Preschool dancers do not need a water bottle-please do not send one with them.

#### Attendance:

Please make practices and performances a priority - your class and team depends on you! If you are absent, meet with a friend to learn the material before the next class.

#### Supervision:

Dancers are supervised during their regular class time. Although we may have several classes the same day, during the time prior to and after the class you will need to watch your children. We want them safe.

## Entering and exiting...

- Dancers should enter and exit through the main entrance. We ask that you do NOT arrive any earlier than 5 minutes before your class starts.
- Parents of dancers in preschool through 3rd grade can walk your dancer into class as well as come to pick them up at the end. Dancers in 4-12th graders can enter on their own (if they are comfortable) and will be dismissed to find their adults at the end of practice.
- We strongly encourage parents to wait in their car after they
  walk their dancers in and then come back in at the end of
  classes for pick up. If you must wait- Please no running around
  or going into various rooms in the building. We are only
  allowed to be in the practice space (gym) and the one
  particular hallway between the two gyms. The cafeteria will not
  be open for parents to sit in this season. Please be respectful
  of the facility.
- This year we will invite Tiny Kix and Wee Petite parents into the room the last 5 minutes of class. For our 2-12th grade classes we will invite you in the last 5 minutes of class on the last practice of the month. This is subject to change. Dancers focus best with no distractions in the practice space.
- Dancers may not invite friends who are not enrolled in Just For Kix to the building unless there is a parent present or it has been cleared with me

# WE OFFER A NO DISTRACTION ENVIRONMENT

Over the years, we have found the most productive way to run classes is without the distraction of parents and siblings in the room. We only have a short time each week, so every minute is important. Occasionally I will allow spectators in the last five minutes of class so you can see the progress we are making.



## **Special Sessions**

Moms!!! Join your dancer and learn a fun routine to perform in the Winter Show. Each dancer performing needs to register (moms do not need to register)

#### Mother Daughter K-5th grade

6:15-7:15pm

November 22nd December 6th

\*Moms dress as "old ladies" dancers dress as "reindeer"- provide costume from home.

#### Mother/Daughter 6-12th grade

7:15-8:15pm

November 22nd

December 6th

\*Dancers and Moms wear Winter Show T-shirt and black leggings or Shorts

#### Light Routine 2-12th grade

Learn a fun light routine where you dance in the dark with glow sticks!

Always a popular class!

5:15-6:15pm

November 22nd

December 6th

All classes at Princeton Intermediate School

## Register in by November 18th

All special session classes will dance in both Winter Shows





#### 2025-26 EXCITING NEWS



We are reaching out to all dancers who will be in 2nd grade and up (25-26 school year) about our Tampa Performance Tour called the Reliquest Bowl (formerly the Outback Bowl). Just For Kix organizes the pregame and halftime show for the Reliaquest Bowl in Tampa, FL. They have been leading this production for the past 25+ years! We are offering this optional tour to our Princeton Families.

It takes place around the week of December 27th-January 2nd (dates are approx). Dancers learn routines through video, and then head to Florida where we put these productions together in one week! Dancers from all around the country come together. For your tour week, we do excursions like Disney world, a dinner cruise, have a beach day on Clearwater Beach, and of course, PERFORM for a stadium of over 60,000 people!

We are beyond excited for this opportunity & experience We will be having an informational meeting on **November 11th at 7:15pm to learn more about this tour.** 

Please attend if you are wanting to get more details about what this trip entails! Head to the link below to find out more information as well:

https://www.justforkix.com/danceclasses/performance/reliaquest-bowl/

#### Some general information regarding age and cost as this is my most asked question-

This trip is open to dancers in 2-12th grade for the 25-26 school year

Each dancer needs an adult chaperone in attendance on this trip.

The cost has not been set for the 25-26 trip- the quad package could be between \$1800--2000.00 per person plus airfare to give you a general idea. Dancers can fundraise for this trip as a team.





























# Princeton Together We Dance (TWD) Competition Schedule 2025

## Saturday, January 25th Rocori High School Cold Spring, MN

Wee Kix (2-3rd grade)
Wee Hip Hop (2-3rd grade)
Mini Pom (2-5th grade)
Mini Kix (4-5th grade)
Mini Hip Hop (4-5th grade)
Mini Jazz (2-5th grade)



#### February 22 or 23rd Alexandria High School

#### Alexandria MN

Mini Pom (2-5th grade)
Mini Kix (4-5th grade)
Mini Hip Hop (4-5th grade)
Mini Jazz (2-5th grade)
Middle Kix (6-7th grade)
Middle Hip Hop (6-7th grade)
Middle Jazz (6-9th grade)

Junior Kix (8-9th grade)
Junior Hip Hop (8-9th grade)
Junior Lyrical (6-12th grade)
Junior Pom (6-12th grade)
Senior Kix (10-12th grade)
Senior Hip Hop (10-12th grade)
Senior Jazz (10-12th grade)

## March 29 or 30th St Cloud Tech High School St Cloud, MN

Wee Kix (2-3rd grade)
Wee Hip Hop (2-3rd grade)
Mini Pom (2-5th grade)
Mini Kix (4-5th grade)
Mini Hip Hop (4-5th grade)
Mini Jazz (2-5th grade)
Middle Kix (6-7th grade)
Middle Hip Hop (6-7th grade)

Middle Jazz (6-9th grade) Junior Kix (8-9th grade) Junior Hip Hop (8-9th grade) Junior Lyrical (6-12th grade) Junior Pom (6-12th grade) Senior Kix (10-12th grade) Senior Hip Hop (10-12th grade) Senior Jazz (10-12th grade)

#### April 12 or 13th - Eden Prairie High School Eden Prairie, MN

Middle Kix (6-7th grade) Middle Hip Hop (6-7th grade) Middle Jazz (6-9th grade) Junior Kix (8-9th grade) Junior Hip Hop (8-9th grade) Junior Lyrical (6-12th grade) Junior Pom (6-12th grade) Senior Kix (10-12th grade) Senior Hip Hop (10-12th grade) Senior Jazz (10-12th grade)

## May 1st and 2nd- Rochester Nationals Rochester MN

Junior Kix (8-9th grade)- Friday Junior Hip Hop (8-9th grade)- Friday Senior Kix (10-12th grade)- Friday Senior Hip Hop (10-12th grade)- Thursday Senior Jazz (10-12th grade)- Friday