



Happy Holidays!

Dear Dancers and Parents,
I hope you and your dancer are enjoying the year so far. I am so proud of the progress each class is making. We are quickly approaching the start of our performance season. The teams are excited to show you what they have been working so hard on.

Communication is key to a successful season. Please refer to this news-letter, our website justforkix.com/danceclasses, and my emails for details you need to know. Although class nights can be busy, please feel free to contact me outside of class time. The best time to reach me by phone is from Monday thru Friday before 3pm at 320-224-5518. You may also contact me by email. Your questions comments and concerns are important to me.

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JUST FOR KIX DANCE NEWS

Classes and Performance Notes

WINTER SHOW SHIRTS

Winter Show shirts are now available online! Purchasing a Winter Show shirt is optional. Ordering now allows you to purchase a Winter Show shirt for your dancer before the event, ensuring that you get the size that you would like. Show day t-shirt sales may not be available in all locations and size choices may be limited. We encourage you to order your show shirt online through your dancer's student account at justforkix.com/danceclasses, however, if you cannot order online you can call in your order to the home office at 218-829-7107. Please allow an extra two weeks for processing on phone orders.

WEAR YOUR UNIFORM TO CLASS

On November 28th I would like all dancers who have received their uniform to wear it to class. This will give us the opportunity to trouble shoot any issues and make sure everyone has all of the right pieces etc. If your dancer does not have her uniform yet, she 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 she will need and how the uniform should be worn. At the end of each class we will also go through each class's hair style for performances, so parents please be sure to come in for the last 5 minutes of class.

Jazz/Hip Hop should wear their uniform to their class on Tuesday November 29th.

UNIFORMS

Uniforms are being delivered on a weekly basis right now. If you receive your uniform at class, please try it on as soon as possible. If the uniform does not fit, and needs to be exchanged please complete the form on the back of the invoice and follow the return/exchange directions. Uniforms cannot be exchanged if they have been worn, are dirty or damaged.

DANCER PICK-UP GRADE 3 AND YOUNGER

When picking your dancer up after class... Please come into the facility to get them. I ask that you come the last 5 minutes, we will perform for you, we will give brief announcements and then I will

dismiss students to you. Classes run back to back so dancers not picked up will need to wait in the class area until their parent arrives.

FACILITY NOTES

We are so thankful to be able to hold classes at Rice Elementary. They Rice Elementary staff as well as the Just For Kix staff do ask a few things of our dancers/dance families. Please use only the hallway outside of the gym on Monday or the cafeteria on Tuesday. Please respect this and do not go into other areas of the building. Also, please do not arrive more than 5 minutes prior to class. We want to continue to be able to use this great facility. Thank you for your help with these things.

SUPERVISION

Dancers are only 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. Any siblings waiting also need to be supervised.

CANCELLATIONS

As we enter the winter season, weather related cancellations can become an issue. We follow the school policy. If school has been cancelled or let out early we will not hold class. If you are in doubt as the weather conditions are worsening throughout the day, please know I will post any cancellations on our Just For Kix -Rice MN Facebook page, our JFK website, I will send out an email, and send a text alert to those who have signed up for text alerts. Often we need to make this call early in the day and based on the information we know. Please always use your best judgement based on the conditions and where you live.

TEAMWORK

One of our main focus areas at class is the concept of teamwork. We try to work lessons relating to the responsibilities, challenges and benefits of being part of a team into our weekly classes. Please help your dancer think about how important they are to their team and how their actions related to practice, attendance and attitudes toward fellow team mates can have a negative or positive effect on the team as a whole. This concept helps dancers to feel apart of something bigger and gain confidence.

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.
 2. \$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.

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 9th - Winter Show at Mississippi Heights Elementary in Sauk Rapids at 7:30pm. A show newletter will be sent home with your dancer closer to the show date.

December 26th, 27th, and January 2nd and 3rd - No Dance Classes Winter Break

January 9th - classes resume with Picture Night. All dancers should come at regular class time in your uniform for pictures.

Jan 13th - Make up class for Jan 16th. Pre school 5-5:30pm, Grades K-3 5:30-6:30pm, and Grades 4-12 6:30-8:00pm

* 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.

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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	
		CLASS FEES DUE 1 Jazz/Hip Hop class	2	3	4	5	
6	Regular class	7	8	9	10 Special session Lyrical grades 4-12 from 6:30-8:00pm	11	12 Make up class at SRRHS Auxiliary gym. Pre-school 9-10am All Grades K-12 10:15-12pm
13	Regular class	14	15 Jazz/Hip Hop class extended Grades 2-5 6:00-7:30pm and Grades 6-12 7:30-9:00pm	16	17 Special session Lyrical grades 4-12 from 6:30-8:00pm	18	19
20	Regular class	21	22 Jazz/Hip Hop class extended Grades 2-5 6:00-7:30pm and Grades 6-12 7:30-9:00pm	23	24 Happy Thanksgiving - No Lyrical class	25	26
27	Regular class	28	29 Jazz/Hip Hop class	30			

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Early is on Time

On Time is Late!

