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 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM at 507-210-5425. You may also contact me by email. Your questions comments and concerns are important to me.

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# **EOR KXX DANCE NEWS**

### Classes and Performance Notes WINTER SHOW SHIRT ADAPTIVE CLASS

Winter Show Shirts are now available online! Ordering allows you to purchase the shirt before the event, ensuring that you will get the size you would like. Show day t-shirts are limited. We encourage you to order your dancer's shirt online with your account at classes.justforkix.com

If you cannot order online, you can also place your order by calling 218-829-7107. Please allow an extra two weeks for processing phone orders.

## WEAR YOUR UNIFORM TO CLASS: MONDAY AND THURSDAY

ON JANUARY 2ND & 5TH; Monday and Thursday dancers will need to wear their received uniforms to class. This will give us the opportunity to trouble shoot any issues and make sure everyone has the correct pieces. If you dancer does not have a uniform, they can come in regular practice wear. It is not a problem, then they will be able to observe the others and how the uniform should be worn.

## JANUARY 6, 2017: WEAR A JFK SHIRT TO SCHOOL DAY

On January 6th, as a fun thing for dancers to participate in, wear any JFK shirt to school! Invite your friends to our show!

## UNIFORMS

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

## **DANCER PICK UP GRADES 2 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.

We are so excited to offer another special session of our Adaptive Class. This is for the special needs community and will be held for 4 weeks starting December 2nd. This gives the dancers an opportunity to learn dance fundamentals, stretching and team building activities. Sign up can be done at classes.justforkix.com

## 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 they day, please know I will post any cancellations on KATE radio,our JFK website, facebook, and will send out and email. 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. You can reinforce these concepts at home by helping your dancer to 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 then themselves and helps them to develop thinking processes, leadership and motivational skills that will benefit them throughout their lives.

## MONTHLY PAYMENTS

There are two easy ways to make your payments: 1. Online Payment System at

- justforkix.com/danceclassesThis 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

More details will follow on these events: Mark your calendars!

Winter Show January 8TH 2:00 and 4:30.

Picture day held during class: January 23-26

ALDT Showcase: January 30 (5th& 7th kix, wee jazz) Eastview TWD: February 25th-26th: Middle Kix 6th & 7th and Middle Jazz

Decorah TWD: March 25 (4th grade-12th grade kix & jazz, Wee Jazz)



\* 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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2016	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	20	21	22 hip hop begins( mid- dle and Jr.)	23 hip hop begins (wee)	24 No dance- HAPPY THANKSGIVING!	25	26
	27	28	29	30			

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				CLASS FEES DUE 1 Lyrical begins (wee)	2 Adaptive begins	3	UEG
4	5	6	7	8 Wee Lyrical	9 Adaptive Class	10	2016 • Remember •
11	12	13	14	15 Wee Lyrical	16 Adaptive Class	17	Early is on Time On Time is Late!
18	19	20	21	22 Wee Lyrical	23	24	
25	26 WINTER BREAK : NO CLASS	NO CLASS 27	NO CLASS 28	NO CLASS 29	30 NO CLASS	31	A.R. A.