

Happy Holidays!

Dear Dancers and Parents

I hope you and your dancer(s) are enjoying the year so far. I am so proud of the progress each class is making. We are guickly 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 newsletter, 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 by cell phone or email. Your questions, comments and concerns are important to me.

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# FOR KIX DANCE NEWS

# Classes and Performance Notes

#### Christmas Performances

Christmas Tree Festival:

All 3 NYM classes will perform at the Christmas Tree Festival on November 28th at 6:00. Dancers should arrive at the festival at 5:30 in uniform.

#### Christmas Show:

Perham Teeny Kix, Tiny Kix, Wee Petites, Wee Kix and Mini Jazz along with all three NYM classes will perform at the Perham Christmas Show on December 9th at 11am at the New HOTL Gym. Dancers should arrive at 10:15 in uniform.

#### Uniforms at Class Day! 11/21/2017

On Nov 21st, 22nd, and 30th I would like all dancers to wear their uniform 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.

#### WEAR A JFK SHIRT TO SCHOOL DAY 12/15/17

On Dec 15th, as a fun thing for the dancers to participate in, we will be wearing any Just For Kix shirts.

#### UniformsUniforms

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. Tights/undergarments may not be exchanged or returned, if opened.

#### DANCER PICK UP - GRADE 3 & YOUNGER

When picking your dancer up after class please come in to the facility to get them. I ask that you come the last 5 minutes and 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 that are 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 Perham Living. They have asked a few things ....

Please keep a close eye on your dancer and siblings. Kids should not be running, climbing, or yelling while waiting. Please pick up after yourself and your dancer when you leave

#### **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 our JFK website, 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 teammates can have a negative or positive effect on the team as a whole. This concept helps dancers to feel a part of something bigger than 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. 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.
- \* \$10 late fee will be assessed to late payments.
- "Auto Pay" to set up recurring Select
- payments to avoid late fees.

\*\* 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

Jan 27 - Winter Show Jan 30-Feb 1st - Pictures Feb 24 - Wahpeton TWD March 3 - Community Show (tentative) March 3-4 - Brainerd TWD March 10 - Alex TWD (tentative) March 24 - Moorhead TWD May 5-Spring Show



\* By aiving 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 Regular Practice	2 Regular Practice	3	4
5	6	7 Regular Practice	8 Regular Practice	9 Regular Practice	10	11
12	13	14 Regular Practice	15 Regular Practice	16 Regular Practice	17	18
19	20	21 Dress in Uniform	22 Dress in Uniform	23 NO Dance - Happy Thanksgiving!	24	25
26	27	28 Regular Practice, NYM Tree Festival Perfomrance	29 Regular Practice	30 Dress in Uniform		

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24/31	25	26 NO Dance	27 NO Dance	28 NO Dance	29	30

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## Early is on Time On Time is Late!

Perham Christmas Show -December 9th, NEW HOTL gym, 11:00.

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Perham Teeny, Tiny, Kind WP, 1st gr WP, Wee Kix, all 3 NYM classes and Mini Jazz. Treats following the show :-)