

Hello Dance Families,

Please read below for our November studio updates. We are currently in full Winter Recital prep for all classe. Time is flying by!

Special Sessions: We have a few special sessions starting this Sunday!

-Dance With Me (18-36 months)

-Pre-3rd Mother/Daughter

-4th-12th Mother/Daughter

*Our Mother/Daughter classes are currently on the smaller size. We will need at least 12 mother/daughter combos to hold the class. If you are interested, please register by Thursday :)

November Class Payments: November class fees are now due. Please take care of this by the 10th to avoid the late fee.

Winter Recital: Our "Hoedown Christmas" Winter Recitals will be held on Sunday, December 10th in the OHS gym. More information to come on Friday!

Winter Jazz Production (Jazz dancers only): For our jazz opener/winter jazz production we ask all jazz dancers to wear black shorts, a black tank top, and a flannel button shirt.

Uniform Sizing: Uniforms are supposed to fit tight/snug like a swimsuit. We do not want baggy/loose uniforms.

-Now that it is November, uniform exchanges can take weeks to be fulfilled. It will be much faster to reorder the correct size and we can refund the item that does not fit. If you go this route, please write "refund" on the green slip so we can get that processed for you!

-Label: After trying on a uniform and ensuring everything fits, please take a sharpie and label every item! This is VERY important.

SDS Dancers: All Solo, duet, and small group choreographer placements will be sent out on Friday! Bring on the SDS season!

2023-2024 Remind:

-Pre-School - 1st Grade: Text the phone number 81010 and send the message @pre1jfk -2nd-6th Grade: Text the phone number 81010 and send the message @26jfk

-7th-12th Grade: Text the phone number 81010 and send the message @712jfk

-Competition Teams: Text the phone number 81010 and send the message @compjfk24

2023-2024 Performance Dates:

-October 29th- Pre-3rd Grade Halloween Recital - Confirmed Date

-December 10th - Winter Recital (all dancers)- Confirmed Date

-Spring Recital - May 18th (all dancers)- Confirmed Date

*Pre-3rd Grade Spring Stage show will be scheduled after we receive final competition dates/times

2023-2024 Competition Dates:

-February 24th-25th - Eastview High School

-March 2nd-3rd - Bloomington Kennedy

-April 6th-7th- Apple Valley

-April 24th-28th: Nationals competition (confirmed date).

*Teams will need to place high gold or higher point wise at 2 of the 3 competitions to qualify for nationals.

Studio/Victoria Health Update: Some of you may be aware, but I was recently diagnosed with a rare autoimmune disease after battling a number of symptoms the last few months. Currently, the disease is attacking my skin and muscles which have created physical changes that kiddos are starting to pick up on at classes. I have already started some medications and will be starting more aggressive treatment in the next few weeks. I want to assure you that things are taken care of staff and studio wise, and I will be present as much as my body will allow. Treatment will include IVIG infusions, low dose chemo, and immunosuppressants. The only thing I ask is that if your child is sick, PLEASE keep them home to

eliminate the risk of spreading germs. If your child did not attend school during the day, they should not be at dance. If they have had a fever in the past 24 hours, please keep them home. I greatly appreciate your cooperation in this!

If you have any questions please create a separate email reply so nothing is missed in the mass email. Thank you for choosing JFK! Have a great week!

-Victoria and JFK Staff