

FOLEY NOVEMBER / DECEMBER NEWSLETTER



**Our Halloween Shows
were a success!
Great Job Dancers!**

SAVE THE DATE

CLASS PICTURES

Monday, January 29: All classes

PERFORMANCES

See performances at a glance, Pg 4.

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SOCIAL MEDIA

Find us on social media.
Facebook: Just For Kix - Foley, MN
Instagram: justforkix_foley

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. Tights/undergarments may not be exchanged or returned, if opened. You can bring your costume to class and give to your instructor to send back to JFK. Exchanges can take 3-4 weeks. Ordering the new item and returning the other for a refund is the fastest way to receive your items. **Beginning November 5th, please do a refund and reorder to ensure your dancer receives before the show.**

OPTIONAL WINTER SHOW SHIRTS

Winter Show shirts are now available online if interested! 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.



DRESS REHEARSAL

November 27/28/30: 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 all of the right pieces etc. If your dancer does not have their costume 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.



NOVEMBER 2023



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1 November Class payment due	2 Regular Thursday Classes	3	4
5	6 Regular Monday Classes	7 Regular Tuesday Classes	8	9 Regular Thursday Classes	10	11
12	13 Regular Monday Classes	14 Regular Tuesday Classes	15	16 Regular Thursday Classes	17	18
19	20 Regular Monday Classes	21 Regular Tuesday Classes	22	23 No Thursday Classes	24 	25
26	27 Monday Classes- Come in costume	28 Tuesday Classes- Come in costume	29	30 Thursday Classes- Come in costume		

Members Only Merchandise



We are excited for our new team products this season! Get yours today, perfect for the whole family. Order by November 15 for Christmas delivery.

Order now in your dance account, under the "Customwear" tab! ➡

www.justforkix.com/danceclasses

Our program name "Foley" will be in pink on items. The water bottle and tumbler colors are white. ✨



DECEMBER 2023



SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
					1 December Class payment due	2
3 JFK Winter Shows @ 4:30 or 6pm	4 Regular Monday Classes	5 Regular Tuesday Classes	6	7 Regular Thursday Classes	8	9
10	11 Regular Monday Classes	12 Regular Tuesday Classes	13	14 Regular Thursday Classes	15	16
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24 HAPPY HOLIDAYS	25	26 Holiday Break- No Classes this week	27	28	29	30

December 3: Winter Shows for all classes at the Foley High School Gym. A separate show newsletter will be sent out soon.

Groups performing in each show (but not necessarily show order):

4:30pm show: Mini Hip Hop, Wee Hip Hop, Tiny Kix Thu, Wee Petite Thu, Mini Combo, and Wee Combo.

6pm show: Wee Petite Hip Hop, Junior Hip Hop, Pom 2nd-5th, Junior Pom, Tiny Kix Mon, Junior Jazz, Wee Petite Mon, and Junior Kix.

Classes resume on Tuesday, January 2nd.



A reminder that parents are invited in the last 5 minutes of class, the last week of every month all season.

Foley Just For Kix 23-24

Performances At A Glance

	Halloween Show	Winter Show 12/3	Falconette Show 2/12	TWD-Alexandria 2/24	TWD-Brainerd 3/16	Easter Show March 22-24 (TBD)	TWD-Eden Prairie 4/14	Spring Show 4/21
3yrs-1st grade	X	X	X			X		X
Wee classes 2nd & 3rd Combo and Hip Hop		X	X	X	X	X		X
Pom 2nd-5th		X	X	X	X	X		X
Mini classes 4th & 5th Combo and Hip Hop		X	X	X	X		X	X
Junior classes 6th-12th Pom, Kick, Hip Hop and Jazz		X	X	X	X		X	X

Check upcoming newsletters/email for performance details as we get closer to events

REPEAT FROM SEP/OCT NEWSLETTER

What to wear to class

- Dancers can wear any active clothing including leotards, tutus, shorts, leggings, t-shirts, or tank tops. No Jeans please.
- Shoes are required at class. Please be sure that your dancer has either their dance shoes or tennis shoes each week.
- Hair should be pulled back into a pony tail or bun or pulled back from dancers face if too short.
- No gum at class please.



Water Bottles

K-12th grade dancers: please bring a water bottle labeled with dancers name each week to class. Tiny Kix dancers do not need to bring.

Attendance

Make practices and performances a priority - your class and team depends on you! If you are absent, try to meet with a friend to learn the material before the next class or learn the dance using the BAND app.

Supervision

Dancers are supervised during their regular class time. During the time prior to and after the class you will need to watch your children. We want them safe.

Facility/Entering & Exiting

Classes are held at Foley Elementary

- Classes are held in 3 different locations; gym, cafeteria or music room.
- Watch for an email a couple days before classes start with which door to enter and where your class is held in the building.

It is a privilege to hold class at the school. Please remember to always be respectful of our space, bathroom, etc and pick up after ourselves.

No Distraction Environment

Parents will be invited in the last 5 minutes of class the last week of each month to see your dancers progress. Routines will also be videoed most weeks and put on the Band App. Instructions for you to join your class are found on last page of this newsletter. Pre-school parents should stay onsite in your vehicle during class, but K-12 grade parents are free to run other errands during class. Parents should walk in and pick up all 3yr old-3rd grade dancers inside the building and older dancers if desired. Parents are not allowed to wait in the building during classes but can walk dancers in for drop off and pick up inside the building. Please arrive no more than 5 minutes before your class begins. If your dancer is in the first class of the night, instructors are setting up beforehand and will open the door when they are ready for dancers to enter. Classes run back to back, so please wait in the hallway out of the way of parents picking up the class before if possible. Wait until the instructor opens the door to release the class before entering. We will walk dancers out to the hallway for pick up. This environment works best for learning!

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COSTUMES

*Costume orders are due by
September 30*

SIZING: If your dancer needs to be sized for a costume yet, let their instructor know at class.

RETURN/EXCHANGE POLICY: If you are unhappy with your costume or need a different size simply follow the steps and complete the forms on your return form that came with your item(s) and send it back within 10 days. Only uniforms that have not been worn and are not damaged, stained or used will be exchanged or refunded. Tights, undergarments and hair pieces may not be exchanged after they have been removed from the packaging.

Please allow 2-3 weeks for exchanges of in stock items, and 4-6 weeks for back ordered pieces. For faster processing, order new pieces online first in your student account and send in pieces for refund after. You can give returns/exchanges to your instructor at class to be sent back to Just For Kix.

What Class Am I In?

Just For Kix offers an array of dance classes, and it can be difficult to remember the name of your child's class. Here, I've listed the age/grade by the class name for your convenience.

Tiny Kix (3-5 years)

Wee Petite/Hip Hop (K & 1)

Wee Combo/Hip Hop (2nd & 3rd)

Pom (2nd-5th)

Mini Combo/Hip Hop (4th & 5th)

Junior Kix/Hip Hop/Jazz/Pom (6th-12th)

Classes/Cancellations

By the of our dance season, we will average 32 classes. Some months will only have 3, but others may have 5. We average 4 per month and will hold make-up practices and have dancers come early to performances to make up that time. If school is let out early or closed due to weather, we will not meet.

CLASS PAYMENTS AND AUTO PAY

Class payments are always due on the 1st of each month. To make your life easier you can sign up for auto pay and your payment will come out automatically on the 1st of each month.

HOW TO SIGN UP FOR AUTO PAY: (you need to do this every year)

Log into your dancers account at www.justforkix.com/danceclasses

1. Go to the "Payment/Classes" portion of the account.
2. Under the AutoPay column check with classes you want to be on Auto Pay. If you are in more than one class you must check it for each class.
3. Under the "Edit Credit Card" portion of the account you can select the card you want the payment to process on.
4. Log out

There will be a \$10.00 fee assessed to late payments. Student accounts are always required to be current prior to any class or performance. Any student with a balance due will not be eligible to practice or perform with their team.

Foley Just For Kix Band Pages 23-24 Season

Program wide Band for everyone to join for
general announcements and

Google calendar feed <https://band.us/n/a8a89e7eYaNbM>



Class Band Pages: for weekly class videos and class specific information



Tiny Kix Mon

<https://band.us/n/a1a07bK9gfl2G>



Tiny Kix Thu 5:30

<https://band.us/n/a7a577K1ga0ea>



Wee Petite Mon

<https://band.us/n/a5a873Kag8A15>



Wee Petite Thu

<https://band.us/n/a1ae76K5gdbce>



Wee Petite Hip Hop

<https://band.us/n/a2ac70Kcg4bc6>



Wee Combo

<https://band.us/n/aba47bK5gfb5u>



Wee Hip Hop

<https://band.us/n/a0a87aK0g2cdX>



Mini Combo

<https://band.us/n/a8af7aKfg1cfV>



Mini Hip Hop

<https://band.us/n/afa376K2gfG9Y>



Pom- 2nd-5th

<https://band.us/n/a1ad70K0g8Fen>



Junior Hip Hop

<https://band.us/n/aead75K2g0hc4>



Junior Kix

<https://band.us/n/a1a07bK9gfl2G>



Junior Jazz

<https://band.us/n/a7a577K1ga0ea>



Pom 6th-12th

<https://band.us/n/a2af7bK2gb0aK>

Notifications

If you're not getting
Band notifications:

1. Check your device's
Notifications Settings
- Go to you device's
[Settings] > [Notifications]
> "BAND" app > turn on "
Show notifications"

2. Check the BAND
app's Sound and
Alert Settings
1) On the BAND app, go to
the More Tab (Profile
Picture on the bottom
right corner) > [Settings] >
[Push Notifications] >
Check if [Pause] or [Repeat
Do Not Disturb] are
enabled.* If you enable
these features, you won't
get any notifications
during the specified time.
2) On the BAND app, go to
the More Tab (Profile
Picture on the bottom
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> [Push Notifications] >
enable Sound and
Vibrate under "In-app
Notifications"