

# JUST FOR KIX DANCE NEWS

## HAPPY NEW YEAR!

We are so excited to kick off the New Year and are so thankful to have you dancing with us! We are now into the performance and competitive portion of our season. It's fun for the dancers to have the opportunity to show what they have been working on at class. One of the things we are working on throughout this season is the ability for dancers to become comfortable in front of a crowd. Please keep in mind that for many dancers, the first performance of a new routine is very tentative. They are concentrating on the order of the routine rather than performing. You may find that we perform the same routine multiple times. This takes that pressure off the dancers, as once they have mastered the knowledge of the routine and have performed it once, they are able to concentrate more on the performance aspects. You will probably notice their confidence increase, the technical details of the routine will be refined and the expressions on the dancers face transforming them into true performers.

Please know any questions or concerns you have at anytime throughout the season are important to me. Class time is very busy so if you are unable to connect with me at class, feel free to contact me at the email address and/or phone number listed below. I hope that this newsletter is helpful for you. I also keep our website updated with the most current information on our program. Here's to a successful and Happy New Year!

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## Classes and Performance Notes

### UPCOMING EVENTS

January 24th - Just For Kix Winter Show!

Who: All dancers PreK-12th Grade

When: Sunday, January 24th at 2pm

Where: Northfield High School gymnasium

\$7/Adults, \$4/Students

February 27-28th - Eastview United We Dance Competition

Who: Dancers in 4-12th grade

When: February 27th OR 28th - exact date and times to be announced

Where: Eastview High School, Apple Valley, MN

Spectators: \$6/Adults, \$3/Students

Dancer Entry fees (due prior to competition): \$11/1 Routine, \$19/2 Routines, \$25/3 Routines

### WEATHER RELATED CANCELLATIONS

If school is cancelled or closes early, we will not hold Just For Kix classes. If school is held but weather is getting worse as the afternoon approaches, and I decide to cancel class I will do so by posting it on our website, sending out an email to all those I have addresses for, and sending text messages via Remind101. If you have not signed up for the Remind101 App, you can do so by texting @nfdjfk to 81010. Always use your best judgement sometimes the call has to be made early in the day and if conditions are not good for you to get to class, by all means your safety is priority.

- We will be holding our class photos at the dancers regular class time on February 14th and 15th. We hold picture night on a regular class night as we know your lives are busy and we want all dancers in attendance. Picture envelopes will be distributed the week prior to pictures at class. Pictures are optional but we would like all dancers to come dressed in uniform to participate in the group photo even if they are not ordering uniforms. Dancers may wear their hair however you would like for photos but should come in complete uniform.

### JUST FOR KIX TWD COMPETITIONS

- We are getting close to competition season. All of our 4th-12th grade classes will be attending three competitions this year. We will be attending Eastview Competition on February 27th or 28th, Apple Valley Competition on March 13th and Rochester Competition on April 10-12th. Watch for a special TWD Handout that will be coming home soon. Mark these dates on your calendar it is important that all dancers attend. This is one of the highlights for the year for our dancers. It is a great opportunity for them to get out there and compete as well as watch and learn from other great teams.

### MONTHLY PAYMENTS

There are two easy ways to make your payments:

1. Online Payment System at [classes.justforkix.com](http://classes.justforkix.com)

This 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.

- 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.

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## 2016

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FR	SAT
					CLASS FEES DUE 1	2
3	4 Regular Monday Classes	5 Regular Tuesday Classes	6	7	8	9
10	11 Regular Monday Classes	12 Regular Tuesday Classes	13	14	15	16 Extra Tuesday Classes
17	18 No Monday Classes	19 Regular Tuesday Classes	20	21 Make Up Monday Classes	22 Extra Competition Team Classes	23
24 Winter Show, 2pm	25 Regular Monday Classes	26 Regular Tuesday Classes	27	28	29	30
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