

March 2024



JUST FOR KIX

Monthly Newsletter



Happy March!

DEAR DANCERS AND PARENTS,

WELCOME TO COMPETITION SEASON!! GOOD LUCK TO OUR DANCERS COMPETING TOMORROW AT BLOOMINGTON KENNEDY HIGH SCHOOL! PLEASE BE SURE YOU'RE REVIEWING COMPETITION NEWSLETTERS AND ARE WATCHING YOUR ACCOUNTS FOR WHEN TWD FEES BILL. TAKING CARE OF THESE FEES QUICKLY IS SO APPRECIATED! IF YOUR DANCER IS NOT ATTENDING A TWD, PLEASE BE SURE TO REMIND YOUR COACHES ASAP!

OUR MARCH STAGE SHOW IS RIGHT AROUND THE CORNER! TICKER LINK IS EXPIRING ON THE 5TH - BE SURE TO ORDER YOUR TICKETS ONLINE! TICKET PRICES GO UP TO \$17/TICKET IF PURCHASED AT THE STUDIO OR DOOR. LINK IS IN YOUR MARCH STAGE SHOW NEWSLETTER AND EMAIL.

THIS PART OF OUR SEASON IS THE CRAZIEST BUT IS TRULY THE MOST FUN! WE HOPE YOU ENJOY AS MUCH AS WE DO!

WITH KIX,
DIRECTOR TORI

COMING UP

Stage Show 3/8

- PreK-1st Grade
Solo, Duet, Small Groups
- 6pm @ Hastings
Middle School

Register for Partner Classes Performing @ Spring Show

- Ice Ice Baby - geared for Mom/Dancer (2nd-12th) - hip hop - Friday nights in May
- Yakety Yak - geared for Parent/Dancer (2yrs-1st grade) - Saturday mornings in May
- Get Up Off That Thing - geared for Dad/Dancer (2nd-12th) - 70s mix dance - Saturday mornings in May
- Dance Crafts/Games - for the young siblings who are doing DadDancer class and need something to do!

Spring Show



May 18th



SHOWS

Save the Dates

MARCH Stage Show
Friday, March 8th
HMS Auditorium
Show Time: 6pm
Teams Involved:
15mos-1st Grade classes &
SDS Dancers

Spring Show
Saturday, May 18th
@ HHS Gyms
Teams Involved:
ALL Performance Teams

March

NOTES

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
25	26	27	28	29	1 CLASS FEES DUE!	2
3 Bloomington TWD	4	5	6	7	8 Stage Show	9
10 LATE FEES BILLED!	11	Spring Break - Studio Closed				
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24 Decorah IA TWD	25	26	27	28	29	30
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BLOOMINGTON KENNEDY TWD

- Teams Competing: Wee Combo, Mini Combo, Boys Hip Hop, Mini Lyrical, Middle Kix, Middle Jazz, Middle Pom, Junior Lyrical, Explosion Hip Hop, Senior Kix, Senior Jazz, Senior Pom

STAGE SHOW

- 15 mos - 1st Grade Classes + SDS Dancers

DECORAH, IA TWD

- Teams Competing: Middle Kix, Middle Jazz, Middle Pom, Junior Lyrical, Explosion Hip Hop, Senior Kix, Senior Jazz, Senior Pom

REGIONAL COMPETITION

Save the Dates

**Bloomington,
MN**

March 3rd

Bloomington Kennedy HS
9701 Nicollet Ave,
Bloomington, MN 55420

Teams Competing:

Wee Combo
Boys Hip Hop
Mini Combo
Mini Pom/Hip Hop
Mini Lyrical
Middle Kix/Jazz/Pom
Junior Lyrical
Explosion Hip Hop
Senior Kix/Jazz/Pom



Billing date:
February 7th



Due Date:
February 23rd

**Decorah,
IA**

March 24th

Luther College
700 College Dr,
Decorah, IA 52101

Teams Competing:

Middle Kix/Jazz/Pom
Junior Lyrical
Explosion Hip Hop
Senior Kix/Jazz/Pom



Billing date:
March 2nd



Due Date:
March 16th

**Eden Prairie,
MN**

April 13th or 14th

Eden Prairie HS
17185 Valley View Rd,
Eden Prairie, MN 55346

Teams Competing:

Monday Firecrackers
Wednesday Firecrackers
Wee Combo
Wee Pom
Wee Hip Hop
Boys Hip Hop
Mini Combo
Mini Pom/Hip Hop
Mini Lyrical
Middle Kix/Jazz/Pom
Junior Lyrical
Explosion Hip Hop
Senior Kix/Jazz/Pom



Billing date:
Around March 15th



Due Date:
April 6th

NATIONALS TWD *SAVE THE DATES*

Saturday, April 20th

Nationals Send Off Party

SDS + Families: 11am-12pm

Qualifying Teams: 1pm-3pm

April 24th-28th

Senior SDS - Wednesday, April 24th

Junior/Middles SDS - Thursday, April 25th

Senior Pom Showcase - Thursday, April 25th

Explosion Hip Hop Showcase - Thursday, April 25th

Mini/Wee SDS - Friday, April 26th

Senior Kick Showcase - Friday, April 26th

Qualifying Teams Competing - Sunday, April 28th

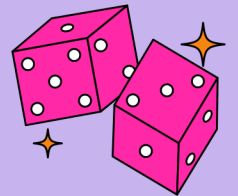
Teams who receive 175 points or more at any Regional Competition above will be entered into Nationals!

Teams will compete on April 27th or 28th



PREP FOR SPRING SHOW

May 18th



PURCHASE YOUR SHOW SHIRT - WEE COMBO, MINI COMBO, MIDDLES, SENIORS - DEADLINE APRIL 15TH

SAVE THE DATE - SPRING REHEARSAL - FRIDAY, MAY 17TH - TIMES TBD

NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR MAKING SHOW PROPS - LET ME KNOW IF YOU'RE INTERESTED!

NEED TO KNOW

CLASS ATTIRE

CLOTHING SHOULD ALLOW FOR MOVEMENT. WE ASK THAT YOUR DANCERS DO NOT WEAR JEANS, JEWELRY, OR CHEW GUM DURING PRACTICE. HAIR SHOULD BE PULLED BACK INTO A PONY TAIL OR BUN. DANCE OR TENNIS SHOES SHOULD BE WORN.

NO DISTRACTION ENVIRONMENT

OVER THE YEARS, WE HAVE FOUND THE MOST PRODUCTIVE WAY TO RUN CLASSES IS WITHOUT THE DISTRACTION OF PARENTS AND SIBLINGS IN THE ROOM. WE ONLY HAVE A SHORT TIME EACH WEEK, SO EVERY MINUTE IS IMPORTANT. OCCASIONALLY I WILL ALLOW SPECTATORS IN THE LAST FIVE MINUTES OF CLASS SO YOU CAN SEE THE PROGRESS WE ARE MAKING.

ATTENDANCE

MAKE PRACTICES AND PERFORMANCES A PRIORITY. YOUR CLASS AND TEAM DEPENDS ON YOU! IF YOU WILL BE ABSENT PLEASE COMMUNICATE WITH YOUR COACH ASAP.

RESPECTING THE SPACE

PLEASE KEEP YOUR DANCERS IN THE LOBBY WHILE WAITING FOR CLASSES. STUDIO 1 IS ONLY FOR REGISTERED ACRO DANCERS AND OTHER TEAMS USING THE SPACE FOR DANCE PURPOSES. PLEASE CLEAN UP THE COLORING TABLE IF YOUR KIDS USE IT. LET COACHES KNOW OF ANY SPILLS/BIGGER MESSES RIGHT AWAY.

JOIN US ON BAND

IF YOU ARE NOT YET IN YOUR CLASS BAND - TALK TO YOUR COACH BEFORE OR AFTER CLASS AND THEY'LL ASSIST YOU IN GETTING LOGGED IN AND ADDED!



BRING TO CLASS

BE SURE TO BRING A WATER BOTTLE. MOST DANCERS HAVE A DANCE BAG TO STORE SHOES, HAIRTIES, ETC



CHECK YOUR EMAILS

MAKE SURE YOUR EMAIL ADDRESS IS CORRECT ON YOUR END OF THE WEBSITE. A LOT OF INFO IS SENT THIS WAY!



UNIFORMS ARE COMING

CHECK OUR UNIFORM TABLE! BE SURE TO TRY IT ON RIGHT AWAY. IF SIZING IS INCORRECT, FILL OUT THE BACK OF THE INVOICE. WE CAN RETURN THEM AS LONG AS THEY ARE UNWORN.



GET IN TOUCH WITH US

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Some months have less practices and some have more. Will my Monthly Fee change?

Our dance season is 36 practices GUARANTEED (no matter if there's 2 practices in a month or 10). These 36 practices are split in 9 EQUAL monthly payments August through April, no MAY Payments this year! We have OVER-SCHEDULED our classes so some may not need a make up class!

Are there any registration deadlines?

Not necessarily - registering early for your classes helps us TREMENDOUSLY in planning. On the back end of each class is hiring a Coach/Assistant Coach, choosing choreography best for that class, lesson planning, etc. If you're waiting until the last minute to register, we may have already adjusted our schedule, combined ages, made changes to better fit those registered and better suit our Coaches schedules. DON'T WAIT! It's best to register AT MINIMUM, a week before that class begins - but the earlier you can register, the better!

FAQs:

Can I have my dancer try a different style before signing up?

YES - if that style is new to your dancer, absolutely they can try a class before signing up. I recommend trying at least a month of a new style. Or try a special session of that style.



Hastings Just For Kix 2023-24

Scan this QR code and join!

Are there any cancellation fees?

NO - we do not penalize for cancelling your registration, whether it was your decision or we had to cancel a class. The only fee that is non-refundable is the registration fee. The registration fee (\$20) is an annual fee billed each summer. It is good for all classes in the current season.

When are uniform orders due and how do I do that?

Can a Coach help me?

Uniform orders are due **September 15th**. All the step by step info for ordering uniforms can be found in the Hastings Just For Kix 2023-24 Info packet. You can also find this on our website under Newsletters. Any Coach is happy to help you size your dancer. We'll follow the size guides provided to you on our website and on our program Band.

How long do uniforms take to come in?

It depends. Uniforms that were ordered before June are coming in quick! Orders made after that are batched in uniform groups by uniform type. Example: Uniform A is being produced and shipped out so all orders made before that happened, will be fulfilled. All orders made after, will be fulfilled with the next batch. Most of our uniforms will be coming in October/November. Shoes are a 1-2 week turn around so order those right away so your dancer can practice in them! With our Winter Show in January, we have plenty of time for any returns or exchanges.