

### NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

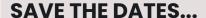
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NO CLASSES

ON THANKSGIVING!

THURSDAY,

NOVEMBER 23



WINTER SHOW DRESS REHEARSAL (in studio)

Week of Dec. 11th-15th During regularly scheduled classes

#### **WINTER SHOW**

Sunday, December 17th at St. Cloud State - Ritsche Auditorium

### **CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION WEEK**

December 18th-22nd in all regularly scheduled classes

### **VALENTINES SHOW**

Pre K-1st grade only (in studio) Saturday, February 10th - Times TBD

#### **SPRING SHOW**

Saturday, May 18th - Times TBD

### **LAST WEEK OF CLASSES**

MAY 20th-22nd - Master classes will be offered for all ages! There will be no classes on Thursday, May 23rd.

#### **NO CLASS DATES**

Thanksgiving - Thursday, November 23rd

Winter Break - December 25th-Jan 7th Spring Break - March 25th-March 29th



We are so excited to be getting close to our Winter Show! The first couple months of class have been AMAZING and we truly value any feedback you and your dancer(s) can give. If you ever have questions, comments, or concerns, please reach out to stcloud\_mn@justforkix.com.

### **COSTUMES**

Costumes should be ordered for the Winter Show and have been coming in every week! I will send out another message in December asking about missing costume pieces. Don't worry if your costume has not arrived yet! They fill them according to class, not by order date!

### **CLASS PAYMENTS**

This is your friendly reminder that class payments are due on the first of every month. Please make those payments before you send your dancer to class. There is a late fee of \$10 per dancer if fees are late.

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BE ON THE LOOKOUT NEXT MONTH FOR A MISSING COSTUME FORM THAT WILL BE FILLED OUT BY ANYONE WHO IS WAITING ON A WINTER SHOW COSTUME!
GET READY FOR TICKET SALES ON DECEMBER 1ST
CHECK THE TENTATIVE SHOW ORDER IN THIS NEWSLETTER
CHECK OUT THE NEW SPECIAL SESSIONS STARTING THIS MONTH!

### PREPARING FOR OUR WINTER SHOW

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17TH AT ST. CLOUD STATE - RITSCHE AUDITIORIUM

### **COSTUMES**

You should have your dancer's costume ordered if they plan on participating in our Winter Show! These costumes will be coming in almost every day and instructors will hand them out in class. Our main office works MIRACLES to get you costumes, even if ordered late. Please make sure you have ordered everything needed.

### **BAND APPS**

As our classes start/continue learning their routines for the Winter show, make sure you ask your instructor about the Band Group for your class! Students can then practice routines at home to make sure they are prepared. These were in the body of your October Newsletter. If you didn't receive them, please email and let us know! stcloud\_mn@justforkix.com.

### HAIR AND MAKEUP FOR OUR SHOWS

I will be sending out information in our December 1st Newsletter on hair and makeup. We also have a red lipstain available in our studio store that stays on and doesn't smudge! A&B Placement teams will be required to have this for competitions.

### TICKETS FOR OUR SHOW - Go on sale on December 1st at 9:00am!

Tickets for our shows will be sold online. This allows you to choose your own seat and not have to wait in line the day of the show! We will still sell tickets at the door, but prices will be slightly higher.
TICKETS WILL GO ON SALE ON DECEMBER 1ST AT 9AM. Sales will end the day before our show, Dec. 16th at 5pm. THEY SELL FAST SO IF YOU WANT PREMIUM SEATING, DON'T WAIT TO PURCHASE!

**ADULTS - PRESALE: \$14** 

STUDENTS - PRESALE (high school and under): \$11
TICKET PRICE AT THE DOOR THE DAY OF THE SHOW: \$15 FOR ALL AGES

\*Children on laps do not need to purchase a ticket. Dancers in the show do not need to purchase a ticket.

You can copy and paste this link to purchase your seats here: https://28357.danceticketing.com/landing.cfm?loc=4

You can also Scan this QR code for the ticketing website:



### **ORDER OF WINTER SHOW PERFORMANCES**

On the next page are our tentative Winter Show performance orders.

Please take a look at which show your dancer is in. If your dancer has any quick costume changes (1 dance) please let us know so we can adjust the show order. Having 2 dances for a quick change is possible. We have staff that can help and we can also pause the show.

If you have more than one dancer in our studio, they may be in different shows. We try and accommodate if we can. We have shortened the shows so it should make things easier. If you have any requests for changes please send them to scstudiomanager@justforkix.com.

NO CHANGES WILL BE MADE TO THE SHOW ORDERS AFTER DEC 1ST.

### TENTATIVE WINTER SHOW ORDER

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### **11:00AM SHOW**

Senior Kix
Tiny Kix Monday
Dazzler Ballet/Lyrical
Pre Petite Monday
Sparkler Kick
Dazzler Hip-Hop
Firecracker Kick Thursday
Placement Lyrical Production
Intermission

Hip Hop Production
Mom and Me routine
Firecracker Hip-Hop Thursday
Dazzler Jazz
Firecracker Jazz Thursday
Dazzler Kick
Placement Jazz Production

### **1:30PM SHOW**

Senior Kix
Tiny Kix Tuesday
Twinkler Kick
Firecracker Ballet/Lyrical
Dynamite Jazz
Pre Petite Tuesday
Twinkler Ballet/Lyrical
Firecracker Kick Tuesday
Placement Lyrical Production

### **Intermission**

Hip-Hop Production

Mom and Me routine

Twinkler Jazz

Firecracker Jazz Tuesday

Starlite Kick

Twinkler Hip-Hop

Dynamite Kick

Placement Jazz Production

### TENTATIVE WINTER SHOW ORDER

### **4:00PM SHOW**

Senior Kix
Tiny Kix Wednesday
Pre Petite Wednesday
Starmaker Lyrical
Showstopper Jazz
Starlite Kick
Pre Petite Hip-Hop
Starmaker Hip-Hop
Placement Lyrical Production

### **Intermission**

Hip-Hop production

Mom and Me routine

Starmaker jazz

Rising/Shooting Kick

Wishing Starz

Showstopper Kick

Placement Jazz Production

### **WINTER SHOW T-SHIRTS**

Our theme this year is "Old Fashioned Holiday!"
You will see our production number has this theme. If you would like to purchase a show shirt you can use the QR code below! They will be delivered to the studio and handed to your dancer before our Winter Show. We will also have shirts available for purchase at the Winter Show!



### SPECIAL SESSION CLASSES COMING UP!

We are excited to share some of our special Sessions this year! These are shorter 3-6 week classes during our season that can be added as extra classes throughout the year. You can find these on our website now!

**MOM AND ME DANCE ROUTINE - K-12th grade** 

Nov 10th- Dec 15th

Fridays (Times Vary By Age)

starts soon Moms learn a dance WITH your dancer! This will be performed in our Winter Show!

**ADULT KICK/JAZZ ROUTINE** 

November 15th - December 13th

Wednesdays 7:15-8:15pm

Calling all former dancers!! Come learn a Kick/Jazz routine with us this winter and bring back your old dancing skills! You will learn a routine that will be performed in our Spring Show!

TURN TECHNIQUE - 4th-12th grade

Feb 14th-March 20th

Wednesdays from 7:15-8:00pm

If you are wanting to improve your leaps this is a class for you! You will be learning new drills and exercises to get your leaps & jumps higher and more powerful!

**ADULT HIP-HOP ROUTINE - 18+** 

April 16th-May 18th

Tuesdays 7:30-8:30pm

Calling all adults 18+! Time to get moving with a fun and energetic Hip-Hop class! You will learn a routine that will be performed in our Spring Show!

STRETCH/STRENGTH & TECHNIQUE \*ONCE A

**MONTH** 

Septemeber 13th - May 8th Wednesdays 4:00-5:15pm

Looking for extra technique? Join us the second wednesday of each month for a technique class!

SDS PERFORMANCE CLASS

October 4th - May 1st Wednesdays 4:00-5:15pm

Want extra feedback on your solo, duet or small group? Join us on the first Wednesday of each month to get critiques from staff!

MUSICAL THEATRE SPRING SHOW OPENER

K-12th grade

April 19th-May 18th

Fridays 4:00-5:00pm

We are creating a musical theatre based opening number for our spring show in this class! It will open our Spring Show! Look out for show theme soon!!

FATHER AND ME DANCE ROUTINE - K-12th grade April 19th-May 18th

Fridays (Times Vary By Age)

Fathers learn a dance WITH your dancer! This will be performed in our Spring Show!

Stants Soon!

**NEW ONE-DAY POP UP SESSIONS!!!** 

PIROUETTE TECHNIQUE - SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12TH FOR 2ND-12TH GRADE **DANCE TEAM PREP - SUNDAY, MARCH 3RD FOR 6TH-12TH GRADE** 

SPRING SESSIONS COMING...

ACRO, WALKOVERS, FRONT AERIALS, SIDE AERIALS, ADVANCED ACRO TRICKS AND MORE! Stay tuned for dates and times!!!

# Keep these in your calendar! They are on our website now if you want to register!

2023-2024

### ONE DAY YOUTH CAMP

PRE K-3RD GRADE

### **AUGUST**

**THURSDAY AUG. 24** 5:00-6:30P **BEACH THEMED CAMP** 

### **SEPTEMBER**

**SATURDAY SEPT. 23** 30-11:00A BLUEY THEMED CAMP

### **OCTOBER**

**SATURDAY OCT. 14** 2:30-11:00 HEMED CAMP

### **DECEMBER**

SATURDAY DEC. 2 9:30-11:00AM



### **JANUARY**

**SATURDAY JAN. 13** 9:30-11:00AM



FROZEN THEMED CAMP

### **MARCH**

FRIDAY MAR. 15 5:00-6:30PM



### 2ND-12TH GRADE

### TOGETHER WE DANCE COMPETITIONS



With the new year comes competition season for 2nd grade and up! These are called "Together We Dance" competitions or TWD's. This is a competition where Just For Kix programs all over the country come and compete with each other! It's such a memorable and exciting event for dancers. Below is what you need to know!

### **HOW TWD COMPETITIONS WORK**

If your dancer is in a competition class (2nd grade and up), you will automatically be billed for their competitions through their dance account.

If you are unable to make it to a competition, please let us know ASAP, as it affects our teams' formations and practices. We can then take the charge out of your account if you are unable to attend! Once dancers have paid for their competition fees in their account, they will receive a wristband at the competition. Dancers who have not paid will not get a wristband and will not be allowed to take the floor. As each date gets closer, we will send out more detailed information on each event.

### **ENTRY FEES**

\$42.00 for first routine \$20.00 for second routine (additional) \$11.00 for third routine (additional) \$10.00 for each additional performance (additional)

### **ENTRY FEES for Rochester Nationals Competition:**

\$47.00 for first routine \$21.00 for second routine (additional) \$12.00 for third routine (additional) \$11.00 for each additional performance (additional)

### **SPECTATORS AT EVENTS**

There will be NO ADMISSION FEES for spectators at any of the TWD Competitions! At many of the TWDS, they have gone to a no-gate policy. The dancers pay an upfront entry fee. This is something they have gradually started changing over to. Nationals, Streator, IL, Brandon, SD, Grand Island, NE, have all been that way for several years. All other competition companies orchestrate it this way. Since the COVID pandemic, they have decided to make this change for all of these events. This will eliminate contact with staff at the admission tables.

### TWD TEAM COMPETITIONS

Exact schedules of competition days typically come out 1-2 weeks before a competitoion.

# ST CLOUD TECH TWD at Tech High School SATURDAY, MARCH 9TH

- Dynamites (K-1st grade)
- Twinkler Kick
- Twinkler Jazz
- Twinkler Ballet/Lyrical
- Twinkler Hip Hop
- Dazzler Kick
- Dazzler Jazz
- Dazzler Ballet/Lyrical
- Dazzler Hip Hop
- Showstopper Kick
- Showstopper Jazz
- Starmaker Jazz
- Starmaker Lyrical
- Starmaker Hip Hop
- Senior Kix

# BRAINERD TWD at Brainerd High School SATURDAY, MARCH 16TH

- Dynamites (K-1st grade)
- Sparklers
- Starlites
- Shooting Stars
- Rising Stars
- Dream Team
- Elite
- Elite Hip-Hop
- Dream Team Hip-Hop

# EDEN PRAIRIE TWD at Eden Prairie High School SATURDAY, APRIL 13TH

- Twinkler Kick
- Twinkler Jazz
- Twinkler Ballet/Lyrical
- Twinkler Hip Hop
- Dazzler Kick
- Dazzler Jazz
- Dazzler Ballet/Lyrical
- Dazzler Hip Hop

- Showstopper Kick
- Showstopper Jazz
- Starmaker Jazz
- Starmaker Lyrical
- Starmaker Hip Hop
- Senior Kix
- Sparklers
- Starlites

- Shooting Stars
- Rising Stars
- Dream Team
- Elite
- Dream Team Hip-Hop
- Elite Hip-Hop
- Elite Select
- Elite Pom

# JUST FOR KIX UPDATED 10/26 NATIONALS

IN ROCHESTER, MN. AT THE MAYO CIVIC CENTER

APRIL 24TH-28TH

ALL JFK TEAMS 2ND-12TH GRADE WILL BE AT

NATIONALS!

### **WEDNESDAY APRIL 24**

8TH-12TH GRADE SDS COMPETITION

### **THURSDAY APRIL 25**

POM SHOWCASE (7TH-12TH GRADE SPECIAL SESSION POM CLASS)
HIP-HOP SHOWCASE FOR ELITE HIP-HOP
4TH-7TH GRADE SDS (solos/duets)

### **FRIDAY APRIL 26**

SENIOR KIX SHOWCASE
K-3RD GRADE SDS(solos /duets)

### **SATURDAY APRIL 27**

ALL TEAM ROUTINES EXCEPT ELITE HIP-HOP, ELITE POM, & SENIOR KIX This includes all Twinklers, Dazzlers, Showstoppers, Starmakers!

We suggest reserving a hotel as soon as possible if you have a dancer who has to be in Rochester for more than one day! Some families choose to book a hotel the night before a competition if you did not want to travel on competition day. Schedules for time of day that your dancer is performing do not come out until about 2 weeks prior to the competition. Some make reservations just to be safe. Hotels will also let you drops rooms 24 hours before your reservation.