



Valley City Just for Kix Newsletter – Welcome Edition!

Hello Dance Families! 🌟🌟

We are beyond excited to welcome you to a brand-new season of Valley City Just For Kix! We can't wait to see all of our dancers back in the studio, making memories, learning new skills, and having fun together. Please take a few minutes to read through this newsletter—it's filled with important information to help your season get off to a great start!

📌 Class Information

- Classes are held **every Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday** at our Valley City Just For Kix Studio: **Studio 29, 141 2nd St. NE, Valley City, ND 58072**
- Stay connected!**
 - 👉 Join our **BAND App** for studio updates. - [HTTPS://BAND.US/N/A4A2A709U3X5J](https://band.us/n/a4a2a709u3x5j)
 - 👉 Follow us on **Facebook** and **Instagram** for reminders, photos, and news. -
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Be sure to check emails that are sent from: **valleycity_nd@justforkix.com**

📅 Studio Schedule 2025–26 (Weekly Order)

Class	Grades	Day/Time
Wee Kick/Jazz Combo	K–2nd	Mon 3:45–4:45 pm
Tiny Kix	2yr–PreK	Mon 5:00–5:30 pm
Hip Hop Technique/Tricks	3rd–12th	Tue 3:30–4:00 pm
Mini Hip Hop	3rd–4th	Tue 4:00–4:45 pm
Middle Hip Hop	5th–12th	Tue 4:00–5:00 pm
Tiny Hip Hop	2yr–PreK	Tue 5:45–6:15 pm
Mini Kick/Jazz Combo	3rd–4th	Tue 6:15–7:15 pm
Mini/Middle Ballet/Lyrical	3rd–12th	Tue 7:15–8:00 pm
Middle Kick/Jazz Combo	5th–12th	Thu 3:30–5:00 pm
Wee Ballet/Lyrical	K–2nd	Thu 4:15–5:00 pm
Wee Hip Hop	K–2nd	Thu 5:00–5:45 pm
Solo/Duet Open Practice	K–12th	Wed 6:00–7:00 pm



👉 **REGISTER ONLINE** [HTTPS://WWW.JUSTFORKIX.COM/DANCECLASSES/VALLEY-CITY-ND](https://www.justforkix.com/danceclasses/valley-city-nd)

What to Wear to Class

- All dancers should wear **athletic clothing** such as leggings, shorts, t-shirts, tank tops, or leotards. Tiny classes follow the same rule.
- **NO jeans** in class.
- Hair should be pulled back securely.

💡 Remember: The studio gets warm! Layers are always best. During the winter, it can also get cold, so please send your dancer in layers to keep them comfortable.

Class Readiness

Please help your dancer get the most out of class by following these reminders:

- Come **ready to dance**—hair up, dressed, and water bottle filled.
- Be early! 🕒 *Early is on time, on time is late.*
- Use the restroom before class begins and eat a snack.



Uniforms & Costumes

- **Uniform orders are due by October 15th** to guarantee arrival before the Winter Show.
- Orders placed after the deadline may not arrive in time.
- **Costumes** will show up at the studio as they arrive. Sometimes it may take weeks for them to come in, so please be patient as orders are fulfilled. They will be set on the table in the entry way.

17 Studio Expectations

- No jeans or gum in class. Dance shoes/tennis shoes should be worn.
- **Respect the space: No messes, theft, or vandalism. Leave valuables at home.**
- Supervision: Students are supervised during class only. **Dancers who are at the studio between classes or before classes are not supervised.** During these times, they are expected to treat others with respect and follow the rules. If this does not happen, dancers will not be allowed to stay during these times.
- We promote a **No Distraction Environment**—parents/siblings wait outside (we have a lobby with chairs). Occasionally, we'll invite you in for the last 5 minutes to see progress!
- **First-Time Dancers** - If this is your dancer's first time in class, please remember it may take a few weeks for them to fully warm up and feel comfortable in the studio. Every child adjusts at their own pace—some jump right in, while others prefer to observe first. Both are completely normal! ❤️ Trust the process, and with consistency and encouragement, your dancer will find their rhythm and confidence.

- Attendance is vital—your team depends on you! If absent, please let coaches know.

Respect & Kindness Expectations

As our dancers grow, we have noticed an increase in drama, mean comments, and unkind behavior among some during class. While we understand this age group is learning how to navigate friendships and communication, we also want to ensure every dancer feels safe, supported, and excited to come to class each week.

- If a dancer is rude or disrespectful to coaches or teammates, they will receive **one reminder** about appropriate behavior.
- If the behavior continues, they will be excused from class and a parent or guardian will receive a phone call.
- If any dancer is continually involved in negative behavior or drama, they may be sent home for the day.

We truly value every one of our dancers and love watching them grow both as performers and as people. These moments are learning opportunities, and with your support, we know we can help guide them to be respectful, kind teammates.

Competitions & Performances

Our performance teams attend **TOGETHER WE DANCE (TWD)** competitions each season.

- **Wee Petite and Wee teams** will attend the close competitions.
- **Mini teams and up** will attend all of the competitions.

More information will come as competitions don't start until after winter break.

- In addition to competitions, we will have **Winter and Spring Shows**, as well as **Halloween and other performances**.

Dates will be sent out as soon as they are confirmed.



Communication and Instructors!

This year, I am teaching and living in **Carrington, ND**. I love dance and believe in the amazing program we are building together. With this being said, **communication is going to be key** throughout the season. Especially with me and other instructors.

We are fortunate to have a wonderful team of instructors:

- Brinklyn – Director
- Kristen- Head instructor
- Tessa – Head Instructor
- Katie - Instructor



We are here to support your dancer and make this season the best yet! Check out our Instagram or Facebook for staff introductions!! [HTTPS://WWW.FACEBOOK.COM/JUSTFORKIXVALLEYCITY/](https://www.facebook.com/JustForKixValleyCity/)
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Stay Connected


- Expect **monthly calendar emails** with important updates & events.
- Watch for **Power Pack emails** from JFK Home Office—packed with skills videos, motivational quotes, and sales.
- **BAND App**: Get announcements quickly (weather, schedule changes, etc.).
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We are so excited to dance with you this season! Thank you for being part of our Just For Kix family. Together, we'll make it an incredible year of growth, confidence, and FUN!

From,

Brinklyn Johnson ☺



Together, We Are The Valley City Just For Kix Family 💕