



HAPPY NEW YEAR

Please read through all the following information!
**Important information regarding the Parent Meeting and
Remaining Costume Balance is enclosed!**

We hope your Christmas was wonderful! It's always so fun to be with family and friends. We would like to THANK YOU all for the wonderful cards, notes, letters, and gifts at Christmas, you did not have to - that little extra thank you means so much to us!

Practice at the Rec Center

April 22nd–28th at your regular practice times. NO COSTUMES!

Dress Rehearsal

Recital A: Monday, April 29th – 6pm

Recital B: Tuesday, April 30th – 6pm

Recital

Recital A:

Thursday, May 2nd – 7pm

Saturday, May 4th – 5pm

Sunday, May 5th – 1pm

Recital B:

Friday, May 3rd – 7pm

Saturday, May 4th – 1pm

Sunday, May 5th – 5pm

If you know you have a MAJOR conflict with either Recital A or B, please let the front desk know by **JANUARY 17th**. We will let you know soon which recital you will be in!

Costumes

You can find your dancer's costume in the costume book located at the front desk! The TOTAL costume price (includes initial deposit + remaining balance) can also be found in the costume book. All costumes are to be paid for by **Thursday, January 31st**. Any costumes not paid for by **Monday, February 4th** will have an additional 15% added to the remaining balance. If you are signed up for Automatic Withdrawal, your remaining costume balance will be automatically taken out of your account on **Friday, February 1st**. If you do not wish for your remaining balance to be taken out automatically, you have until **Tuesday, January 15th** to notify us otherwise.

If you have any questions regarding your costume balance, please visit our Front Desk during office hours, Monday – Thursday from 4:00-8:00pm.

Recital Music

Everyone has been charged a music fee of \$5.00. If you notified the front desk for your dancer(s) to not receive their music (deadline to notify was November 29th) your account was not charged. Emails with your dancer(s) music will be sent within the month. If you are signed up for Automatic Withdrawal and still owe your music fee, the \$5.00 fee will be automatically taken out with your remaining costume balance on **Friday, February 1st**. If you do not wish for this fee to be taken out automatically, you have until **Tuesday, January 15th** to notify us otherwise.

If you have any questions regarding your music fee, please visit our Front Desk during office hours, Monday – Thursday from 4:00-8:00pm.

Weather Cancellations

If you are wondering if classes will be cancelled due to snow, look online or call the studio after 2:00pm. Please be advised that when we do our scheduling for the year, we allow one snow day per class. If your class misses more than one day due to weather, we will make-up those missed classes during the months of March and April when the weather is usually a little more cooperative. So please be on the lookout for emails from Fusion Dance regarding make-up classes. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us during office hours, Monday-Thursday, 4:00-8:00pm, 712-792-4933.

Pictures

Pictures will be at the studio April 8th – 10th, and April 14th.

The schedule for picture times will be sent via email, be on the lookout!

Extra Reminders

Do not send any mail to the address of 1111 Plaza Dr (studio location), send it to P.O. Box 1252, Carroll, IA 51401 (there is no mailbox at the studio).

"My tap shoes are too tight!"

"I can't wear them anymore!"

"My ballet shoes are too small!"

We are hearing these comments from a lot of kids because they were going to wear their shoes till Christmas and now it is January and we need new ones. Please check your children's shoes; we can get them for you.

Please be sure your dancer is coming to dance class dressed and looking like a dancer with proper attire and shoes. For girls please bring your own hair ties to keep your hair back.

Watch Week

Watch week will be held March 3rd – 14th.

Check the schedule below for your watch week and mark your calendars!

There will be a MANDATORY PARENT MEETING the last 10-15 minutes of each class during watch week to discuss recital costumes, costume accessories, hair, recital etiquette, etc.

If you cannot make it, please ASK ANOTHER PARENT to take notes for you!

Sunday, March 3rd:

All classes

Monday, March 4th:

4:00-5:30 (4th – 5th)

5:00-5:30 (Boys Hip Hop, Preschool – K – 1st)

5:30-7:00 (6th – 7th)

7:30-8:00 (Hip Hop 6th - 7th - 8th)

8:00-8:30 (Pom 6th – 7th – 8th)

Tuesday, March 5th:

4:00-4:30 (Hip Hop K – 1st)

4:30-5:00 (Pom K – 1st – 2nd)

5:00-6:00 (OK – K)

6:00-7:00 (K – 1st)

Wednesday, March 6th:

4:00-5:30 (4th)

5:30-6:30 (Preschool)

6:30-7:30 (K – 1st)

Thursday, March 7th:

4:30-5:15 (Ballet Technique 1)

5:30-6:30 (1st – 2nd)

6:30-8:00 (3rd – 4th)

Monday, March 11th:

4:30-5:00 (Hip Hop 2nd – 3rd)

5:00-6:00 (1st – 2nd)

6:00-7:30 (8th)

6:30-7:00 (Hip Hop 4th – 5th)

7:30-8:00 (Pom 3rd – 4th – 5th)

Tuesday, March 12th:

4:00-4:45 (3 – 4 year olds)

5:00-6:00 (Preschool)

6:30-8:00 (5th – 6th)

8:00-8:45 (Pointe 1)

Wednesday, March 13th:

4:00-5:15 (2nd – 3rd)

5:15-6:00 (3 – 4 year olds)

6:00-6:30 (Boys Hip Hop, 2nd – 3rd – 4th)

6:00-7:00 (OK – K)

6:30-8:00 (7th)

8:00-9:00 (Ballet Technique 3)

Thursday, March 14th:

5:30-6:30 (Ballet Technique 2)

6:30-7:45 (2nd – 3rd)

8:00-9:00 (Ballet Technique 4)

Important Dates

February 17th: Fusion Dance Competition Team Showcase

March 3rd – 14th: Watch Week & MANDATORY Parent Meeting the last 15 minutes of your dancer(s) class

March 8th-10th: Celebrity Dance Competition (Competition Team ONLY)

March 22nd-24th: Bravo Dance Competition (Competition Team ONLY)

April 4th-7th: Talent on Parade Dance Competition (Competition Team ONLY)

April 8th – 10th and 14th: Pictures with Fiscus Photography

April 21st: NO Dance (Easter)

April 22nd-25th and 28th: Practice at the Rec Center

April 29th-30th: Dress Rehearsal at the Rec Center

May 1st: NO Dance

May 2nd-5th: Recital at the Rec Center