



"In The Wings"

TDS Monthly Newsletter

FEBRUARY 2019



★ TDS STAR OF THE MONTH ★

Each month, all TDS dancers are eligible to receive our "Star of the Month" award, nominated by our faculty.

"Star of the Month" recipients receive:

- \$25 tuition credit **OR** \$25 gift certificate to *Village Dancewear* in Sturbridge, MA – their choice!
- A TDS Star of the Month certificate
- Dancer's photo on Facebook, website, studio bulletin board + Recital 2019 program

CONGRATULATIONS
Cadence Duval

You are our February 2019
TDS Star of the Month!

FEBRUARY BREAK

We are **CLOSED** for ALL regularly scheduled dance classes during February School Vacation Week:
Monday 2/18 – Saturday 2/23

IMPORTANT: Class Attendance

Dancers that miss EIGHT (8) or more classes after December 1st, 2018 will not be allowed to perform in our annual Recital (held June 15th, 2019 at Bartlett HS).



Our dancers & faculty are working hard on the Recital routines and it is difficult to choreograph and practice with classmates missing.

Please make sure you are coming to class on time and ready to dance. We encourage our students to be team players and fully participate in their classes from start to finish.

Save the Date!

4th Annual TDS Recitals
Saturday, June 15th 2019

Bartlett High School
Webster MA

Dress Rehearsal
Beginner Levels + Up
Friday, June 14th at 4:30pm
Bartlett High School

TDS Minis Dress Rehearsal
All Pre-Dance & Kinderdance Classes
Saturday, June 8th
The Dancer's Sole
Studio II



Costume Picture Day

with Mike Nyman Photography

Friday, May 17th & Friday, May 31st
in Studio I

Reserve your dancer's spot(s) online
anytime:

<https://mikenymanphotography.com/project/tdsw/>

Parent Observation Week
Monday, February 4th – Saturday, February 9th, 2019



Come see what your dancer has been learning this year!
Recital dances are well underway and our students have been working very hard ☺

Friendly Reminders

- Observation weeks are open to parents + grandparents only. We recommend leaving younger siblings at home, as we do not want to distract our dancers/teachers during class.
 - Photos/Videos welcome. Please do not post videos of choreography online.
- No street shoes allowed on the dance floor! Salt/sand ruins our floors and can be harmful to our dancers' bare feet. Slippers are always welcome for our guests!



It's RECITAL COSTUMES Time!

Recital costumes are arriving! Instructors will distribute and have dancers try on to check for sizing – size exchanges will take place if necessary.

Once your dancer receives her/his costume, please:

- HANG on a hanger in a safe place at home
- DO NOT WEAR until Picture Day in May 2019
- Keep accessories together with each costume
- Minor alterations are the responsibility of each dancer/parent (i.e. tucking straps)

Dancers will be trying on their costumes in class - please remember to come dressed in dance attire to all your classes. This means tights, leotard and proper shoes. The studio's dress code for each class must be followed throughout the entire dance year. We appreciate your cooperation!

CARDIO FOR A CURE

Sunday 2/23/19 :: 3p-4:30p

at The Dancer's Sole

Cardio Barre w/ light refreshments & raffle baskets to follow

\$15 per person

100% of proceeds go to National MS Society through Team Michelle Strong

<http://main.nationalmssociety.org/goto/team-michelle-strong>

Reserve your spot 2/10/19 via text/call/email:
Kayla 774.402.0887 kmhortance1@gmail.com
Jamie 774.230.2934 Jamie.Dunn0123@gmail.com

Thirsty? Need an after-school snack?
Forget your water bottle at home?

COLD BOTTLED WATER & SNACKS,
Always for sale in the office & Studio II

50¢ - \$1.00



And don't forget! We also have

BALLET BUCKS

Pre-paid snack/water cards,
available for purchase in the office

Just \$5!

SPIRIT WEEK

Monday, February 11th
through
Saturday, February 16th

Prized Awarded for the Best Dressed Every Day AND Overall for the Week!



Monday, February 11th



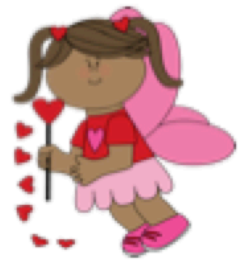
Tuesday, February 12th



Wednesday, February 13th



Thursday, February 14th



Friday, February 15th



Best Wishes to all of our
TDS Dancers attending
HALL OF FAME
The DCU Center :: 2/22 – 2/24

- Addison Aho "Clap Snap" (Miss Greta)
- Quinn Cushing "I Have Nothing" (Miss K)
- Jocelyn Evans "Fragile" (Miss Greta)
- Leah Garvey "Can You Do This" (Miss K)
- Lexani Lewis "Amazing Mayzie" (Miss Greta)
- Jessica Lorkiewicz "On An Evening In Roma" (Miss K)
- Jessica Lorkiewicz "Say You Love Me" (Miss K)
- Virginia Mayville "Trapped" (Miss K)
- Emma Raps "Fathers & Daughters" (Miss K)
- Quinn Cushing & Emma Raps "Tears Of An Angel" (Miss K)

February Birthdays at TDS



Addison Aho
Liv Cushing
Elizabeth Jolliff
Cecilia McKay
Ember Merrell
Lily Mueller
Amelia Potem

Enjoy Your Special Day! 😊



*"If you want to become fearless –
choose love."*

- Rune Lazuli