

December 2023 Newsletter

Happy Holidays to all of our dance families! We wish you a joyous holiday season. We are so grateful to teach your wonderful children and see them each week! The studio will be closed **Friday, December 22 – Tuesday, January 2**. Classes resume on Wednesday, January 3, 2024.

Costume balances have been posted to your portal account and will be withdrawn from your Auto-Pay account on **December 30, 2023**. If you want to pay for your costumes by check or cash, please make sure they are sent in by December 22 at the latest. A \$10 late fee will be added to your bill if payment is declined. **Your child's costume will NOT be ordered until the payment is received in full.** If your payment is late, the order will go in separately and you will have to pay extra shipping fees and there is no guarantee that the costume will arrive in time for picture day/recital. Most costumes are made to order and take months to arrive. Costumes are NON-REFUNDABLE.



Holiday Spirit Week!

Feel free to dress up in your fun Holiday/Winter themed attire December 15-21! Ugly sweaters, Pajamas, festive hats, t-shirts, headbands etc. are all welcome!



Winter Weather

If the studio needs to close due to winter weather, there will be a post on **WFMZ** as well as a post on our website www.studiowestdancecentre.com, and our Facebook and Instagram pages. Closings will be posted at least one hour prior to

class times. Please note that we do NOT follow school winter weather closings. Many times, when the schools are closed, we are still able to hold our classes in the evenings.

Our Studio West Christmas tree is up in the lobby! Each year students add ornaments to our tree to make it special. If you'd like to add an ornament, please do! Please label your child's name and year if you can. The kids love looking for their ornament year after year.



Save the Dates!!!

Costume balances due: December 30

Winter Break: Friday, December 22- Tuesday, January 2 (Competition dancers will rehearse on January 2!)

President's Day: Monday February 19- Closed

Spring Break: March 28-April 1 Closed

Picture Week: April 22-26

Memorial Day: Monday, May 27 Closed

Dress Rehearsal: Friday June 7, 2024 at Miller Symphony Hall (a full schedule will be out this spring. All classes will be assigned a 5-10 minute time slot in the evening after 4pm).

Recital: Saturday June 8, 2024 at Miller Symphony Hall

Our recital theme this year is **Wild About Dance!**

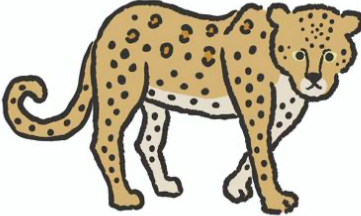


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