

NOVEMBER 2018 NEWSLETTER

OUR HEARTS GO OUT TO OUR COMMUNITY:

At Aspire, being here for the greater good of our community has always been important to us. We are truly saddened by all the recent losses and devastating events that our community has had to face in the past week. We mourn those who lost their lives in the Borderline shooting, and we are heartbroken for those who lost their homes and have been effected by the fires. We know most of our families had to evacuate in the past week, and we hope more than anything that you are all safe.

Aspire is a place of safety for our young dancers—a place to dance and share feelings, to help each other get through hard times—to be in place of light, positivity, and love. In the upcoming weeks, we will focus on this more than ever.

We will be hosting a fundraiser and community event on Monday, November 19 to help our community through this very hard time. Please go to <u>aspiredancestudio.com</u> for more info.

We are proud to call Thousand Oaks home, and we continue to do all we can to make our city a little bit happier day by day.

Thank you for your support, now and always.

2018 HOLIDAY SHOWCASE!

We are proud to present our 5th Annual Holiday Showcase!

• SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22 10:00am, 12:30pm, & 3:00pm shows

> • SIMI VALLEY CULTURAL ARTS CENTER

• TICKETS: \$15 EACH Tickets will be available at Aspire starting November 26, and at the door the day of the show Early purchase is strongly suggested!

• DANCERS IN THE SHOW:

• All combo classes (ballet/tap and jazz/hip hop), creative movement, all level 1 & level 2 classes, all ballet class (all levels), and the Aspire Dance Company.

 More information can be found at the studio and online at <u>aspiredancestudio.com</u>

#TOstrong #aspireTOSTRONGfundraiser

MASTER CLASS FUNDRAISER for those effected by the shootings and the fires

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 19

4:30-5:30pm: Hip Hop with Aubree Storm 5:30-6:30pm: Lyrical with Cameo Carolyn 6:30-7:30pm: Contemporary with Lydia Purves-Ware 7:00-8:30pm Positive Energy Movement/Improv with Aspire Teachers

All ages and all levels are welcome
All classes will be held by donation–100% of the proceeds will go to helping our community

More info at aspiredancestudio.com

FRIENDLY REMINDERS

- November holiday closures: Monday, November 12 (Veteran's Day), and November 19-25 (Thanksgiving Break). Any classes missed can be made up within 30 days.
- All lost & found items will be donated at the end of every month! Please check the lost & found regularly!
- For every new dancer you refer, you will receive a \$25 credit! (When new student registers for classes.)

NUTCRACKER/HOLIDAY SHOWCASE TICKETS:

• Tickets go on sale Monday, November 26!

• Tickets are \$15 each–general seating • Tickets are available at Aspire, or at the door the day of the show

* (cash only the day of the show) • Last year's holiday shows sold out–get your tickets early!

The Aspire Dance Studio teachers and staff wish you and your loved ones a beautiful Thanksgiving holiday filled with many blessings!

We are so thankful to have you as a part of Aspire and our dance community. HAPPY THANKSGIVING!

Looking Back on October:



Hugs after class!



Aspire Dance Company performing at the Alzheimer's Walk with our friends from The Reserve and Special Needs Hip Hop!



Costume day fun!

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