

Starz Dancer

Denver Dance Starz Competition Team Newsletter

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Almost Over!

Can you believe this dance season is almost over! We just have 1 month left - but what a busy month it will be, as we prepare for KAR and the Recital.

Recital Info

The dress rehearsal schedule is attached to this newsletter. This will be the FINAL review. If there are any problems, please let me know immediately. Tickets go on sale Monday, May 18.

Recital Pictures

Don't forget: Recital pictures will be taken at the Annex on Saturday, May 30. Pictures will begin at 9:30 a.m. and will take ALL day. All ballet and lyrical pictures will be taken on this day.

Fall Registration

Fall registration will be done a little differently this year. All Competition Team dancers will receive their registration packet via e-mail on Sunday, May 17. The registration packet will contain all information necessary to make your decision for the 2009-2010 season.

Registration itself will take place at the MAIN studio on FRIDAY, MAY 29 from 3:00-7:00 p.m. Your dancer will receive their registration card at their class the week of May 18. Please have the card filled out and SIGNED by both you and your dancer BEFORE coming to Registration on May 29.

Registration cards will ONLY be accepted during the Registration Hours listed above. Your registration fee MUST accompany your registration. NOTE: if you indicated on your Intent form that you were definitely NOT returning, you will NOT receive information. If you have changed your mind, please let me know prior to May 17.

Recital Memorabilia

LAST CALL for Recital Memorabilia pre-orders. All pre-orders MUST be in by Saturday, May 16. We will have a limited amount available at the dress rehearsal and recital. They will be sold on a first come basis.

Yearbook Ads

LAST CALL for Yearbook ads. All submissions AND payment MUST be in by Saturday, May 16. NO ads will be accepted AFTER that date.

Congrats, Grads!

Congratulations to these DDS Graduates:
Alyssa Bell - Legacy High School
Rochelle Kwasniewski - Brighton High School
Ky Lehecka - Horizon High School

Congratulations

Congratulations to these dancers who participated in the Brighton Kiwanis Stars of Tomorrow:

Kadin Mestas - 3rd place Junior Division
Alicia Hammack - 2nd place Senior Division
Kaitlyn Lawrence - Showmanship
Karlie Mestas - Participant
Adrianna Hammack - Participant

Competition Team Fees

Your FINAL payment for the 2008-2009 season is DUE June 1. For those of you returning to the competition team next year, your new payment schedule will begin **July 15**. We will be switching our payment schedule to the 15th of each month for the upcoming year. You will receive your 2009-2010 statement and payment schedule following the recital.

KAR

The KAR schedule was sent out last week. If you did not receive it, please let me know so I can resend. The FINAL rehearsal schedule of this season is attached. Please remember that all rehearsals next weekend, May 8-9 and all classes the week of May 11-15 are MANDATORY.

GOOD LUCK and HAVE FUN!!!

Summer Schedule

The Summer Schedule came out April 30. There are limited spots available in all classes, so if you are interested, please sign up ASAP. Reminder to ALL Pointe and Prepointe dancers: POINTE or PREPOINTE class is MANDATORY this summer if you are planning to continue in pointe next fall. NO EXCEPTIONS.

Important Dates

May 2	9:30	Competition Team Recital Pictures
May 15-16		KAR - Colorado Sprgs.
May 29	3:00-7:00	Comp Team Registration
May 30	9:30	Rec Recital Pictures
June 4-5		Recital Dress Rehearsals
June 6		Recital
June 8		Summer Classes Begin

In the Know

Parents are REMINDED that it's YOUR RESPONSIBILITY to stay informed on ALL the latest info regarding performances, costumes, extra rehearsals, etc. Please do NOT rely on your dancer (no matter how old they are) as they do not always communicate information.

It is important that you stop into the studio on a weekly basis to check up on what's going on. You can also **consult the website, your group moms or e-mail me for all the latest info.**

Perfect Attendance

Please review the Perfect Attendance list. This is for attendance through April 30. If there is a problem, please let us know by May 10. No changes will be made after May 10.

Dancers cannot miss any classes for ANY reason. Competition Team dancers are only eligible for Perfect Attendance in their 3 mandatory classes and cannot miss any of these classes in order to achieve perfect attendance.

Alejandra Arevalo
Amanda Arts
Morgan Boies
Amanda Calrich
Cassie Cittadino
Kayla Cittadino
Alexis Cooper
Alyssa Derouen
Dominique Derouen
Evita French
Crystal Guevara
Ali Hagman
Whitney Lyday
Isabelle Milani
Jaymie Milani
Aspen Miller
Kendra Stonehocker
Emmalee Sulley
Hannah Villarreal

