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Welcome Back

Welcome back to all of our returning students and welcome to our new families. Hopefully everyone had a safe and restful summer and is looking forward to another dance year. There are several new and exciting things going on at the studio this year.

We have made several improvements to our studio over the summer. We have painted walls, repaired and refinished floors and much more. Hopefully, you will enjoy the updates. In addition, we have new studio software that enables us to communicate better with parents and students. Please be patient with the staff as we learn the new system.

We are thrilled to announce that we have two new instructors. We would like to welcome Nia Lighter and welcome back Jenica Tremberth to our studio family. We are also now offering Zumba all year long!

I am looking forward to another great year of dancing at Ann Parsley School of Dance.

Sincerely,
Amber Megna Michalik
Owner

What's New - At a Glance

New Studio Software

Our new studio software allows us to communicate better with families at the studio. Please make sure we have a valid email address on file. We hope to eventually be able to add online registration with this software.

Bring a Friend to Dance Week-Sept 26th - Oct 1st

Hair Flowers and \$10 Leotards

We are selling clip on hair flowers for \$3 a piece. There is an assortment of styles and colors. Please purchase at the front desk. All leotards are now only \$10.

Studio Clothing

Studio clothing will be available for order in October. Order forms will be at the front desk. See page 4 for more information.

Recital Tickets

Recital tickets will now only be available for sale at the Macomb Center box office or on the Macomb Center website. See page 3 for more info.



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Dates to Remember

- Sept 26th - Oct 1st Bring a Friend to Dance Week
- Oct 23rd - Oct 29th Halloween Week
- Oct 31st No classes, Halloween
- Nov 19th Recital Costume Forms Due
- Nov 23rd - 26th Thanksgiving Break, Resume Nov 29th
- Dec 19th - Jan 2nd Christmas Break, Resume Jan 2nd
- Dance classes DO NOT have a “mid-winter” break
- April 2nd - 7th Spring Break, Resume April 9th
- May 14th - 17th Studio Pictures
- May 28th Memorial Day, no Classes
- June 11th Last day of Regular Classes
- June 12th -13th Recital Studio Rehearsals
- June 14th Recital Dress Rehearsal
- June 16th Recital –1pm

Closures due to inclement weather will be announced on our website and telephone voice mail

Don't forget to wear your Halloween costume to class the week of Oct 25-Oct 30 (no class on Monday, October 31st)



*“To dance is to be out of yourself. Larger, more beautiful, more powerful”
-Agnes De Mille*

Shoe Order Form

Ann Parsley School of Dance is providing an order form for shoes beginning the first week of classes. Below is a list of shoes needed for each class. Please see the front desk for an order form. Any brand shoe may be used for tap, ballet and hip hop as long as it is the same style and color of shoe. Jazz shoes must be Revolution.

Class	Level	Shoe Style/Type	Color
Lyrical	All	Capezio Foot Undies	Nude
Jazz	All	Revolution Slip on Jazz Shoe	Tan
Ballet	All	Ballet Slippers-any brand If ordering, Revolution Canvas Pink will be ordered.	Pink
Tap	Beg-Tap III	Mary Jane style shoe with buckle-no laces-any brand If ordering, Revolution U-shell Tap Shoe will be ordered.	Black
Tap	Tap IV-Adv	Jazz/tap shoe-any brand If ordering, Revolution Revolution Jazz Tap Shoe will be ordered.	Black
Hip Hop	All	Hip hop sneaker-any brand If ordering, Revolution Sneaker will be ordered.	Black

Recital Information

PICTURES: May 14-17, 2012 at the Studio

THEME: "Games"

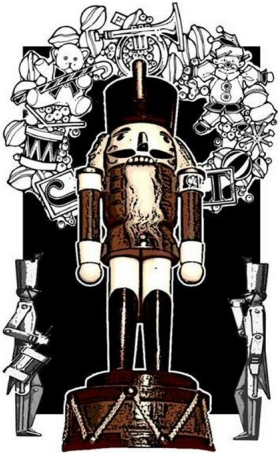
TICKETS: Tickets go on sale Friday, June 1, 2012 at the Macomb Center for the Performing Arts box office. Tickets will also be available online at www.macombcenter.com. **THE STUDIO WILL NO LONGER BE SELLING TICKETS.** There is no ticket limit. Students cannot perform in the spring recital until all balances have been paid.

STUDIO REHEARSALS: Tuesday, June 12 & Wednesday, June 13-Students are required to make all scheduled rehearsals

DRESS REHEARSAL: Thursday, June 14, 2012 (Times to be announced)

PERFORMANCES: Saturday June 16, 2012 at 1 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Macomb Center for the Performing Arts (Hall Road at Garfield)



Save the Date

The Macomb Ballet Company Presents

The Nutcracker

December 2-3, 2011

Macomb Center for the Performing Arts

www.macombballet.org

Ann Parsley School of Dance would like to
welcome our new staff members

Nia Lighter and Jenica Tremberth

Bring a Friend to Dance Week

Sept 26th - Oct 1st

Bring your friend to dance class, free of charge, all week long
If your friend enrolls and dances until the end of the year, you receive a free summer class!

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Studio Clothing/Merchandise

Ann Parsley School of Dance will have order forms for studio clothing/merchandise available in October. If you have a style or design idea, please email the studio. Designs and colors will be available to view at the front desk as well as sizing charts. All clothing will need to be ordered as we do not have space to stock items.

Studio merchandise makes a great Christmas gift for your dancer!

Make-up Policy

There are no refunds, credits or transfers of tuition for missed classes.

Students may make-up classes during the year with any other class of the same level or lower-even if it is not the same type of dance.

ZUMBA

APSD is now offering Zumba every Monday from 8-9pm!

Cost is \$48 for 6 weeks
Or \$10 drop in

(Zumba must be paid separate from regular tuition and is not part of the family plan)
Join the party!

Just a reminder that tuition is due the first lesson of the month

Payment Policy

- Tuition is based on a 4-week month. Some months are longer and the extra classes equal those missed during shorter months. There is no pro-rated tuition for missed weeks. We strongly encourage students to make up any missed classes.
- Tuition is due by the **first lesson** of the month. It is the parent/guardian's responsibility to make payments to the Office Manager at the desk.
- **Full year payments receive a 10% discount if paid for by check or cash. Full year discount paid for by credit card receive a 5% discount.** Full year payments must be made by the end of September. There will not be a discount for full year payments after September.
- Monthly statements are not mailed unless accounts are delinquent.
- There are no refunds, credits or transfers of tuition for missed classes, snow days or if a student drops in mid-month.
- You may make-up classes during the year with any other class of the same level or lower, even if it is not the same type of dance.
- Payments will be **considered late on the 15th day of the month.** A \$10.00 Late Fee will be added to all accounts that carry a balance each month on any tuition/costume balance. **THESE FEES WILL NOT BE WAIVED UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCE.**
- Classes will be suspended for all accounts that are over 30 days past due.

"Dancing with the feet is one thing but dancing with the heart is another"
-Anonymous



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