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REGISTRATIONS STILL AVAILABLE!

WELCOME BACK! We hope everyone had a great Christmas. Our Spring Semester begins Thursday, January 4, and as usual we are offering a 5% discount on tuition when you pay for the full semester.

You will receive a \$25.00 credit by referring a new student. The student must give your name, be enrolled, and pay one month's dance fee for you to receive the \$25.00 credit.

CONGRATULATIONS to Jamie Schkade for winning the CHRISTMAS BASKET. The correct amount was 68 and we actually had 2 winners guess the exact amount so we had a drawing and Jamie won. Way to go!

Please "LIKE" us on Facebook. We post a lot of news on there including any studio closings due to weather. You can also check our phone message on the studio phone (573-636-4528) or our website page www.5-6-7-8dancercenter.com.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us by phone, email or at the studio.

HAPPY NEW YEAR!
Sherry and Pauline



RECITAL COSTUMES—All paid-in-full Recital Costumes have been ordered. If you have not paid for your costumes, it was NOT ordered. Please come in and pay this first week to insure your costume arrives in time for pictures.

Some of the costumes are beginning to arrive. Most of our recital costumes will not be delivered until sometime in March but there are a few that were 'in stock' items and they are the ones that are arriving early. We never know in advance which costumes are 'in stock' so we are very pleased when some of the styles arrive in January.

If your costume has arrived, you will be given the costume with accessories and a form to sign that you have received all these items. Please make sure you give that signed form to your teacher or leave it at the front desk.

Since we have several new parents this year, here is some information about the care of the Recital Costumes. Take them out of the bags and hang them upside down for a while to fluff the skirts and to get the wrinkles out. If the costume has feathers, spray the feathers with hairspray before hanging up to keep the feathers intact. If you have any other questions, please check with your dancer's teacher or the front desk.

**RECITAL
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2018**

**Saturday,
May 19, 2018**

Miller Performing Arts Center

12:15 p.m.—1:30 p.m. — Solo and Duet Extravaganza

2:00 p.m. — Recital

Recital — Dress Rehearsal will be held Friday, May 18th, at 4:30 p.m. at the Miller Performing Arts Center. Specific information will be available later but please mark your calendars.

REMINDERS



*It's never too late to
REGISTER for CLASSES*

JANUARY FEES ARE DUE

January 4, 2018

\$5.00 Late Fee Charge

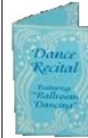
After January 15th

*We take Visa, MasterCard, and Discover
and have automatic payment available.*

Ask at the front desk.

**SPRING SEMESTER
JANUARY 4 - MAY 19, 2018**

STUDIO CLOSED-SPRING BREAK
March 26-April 1, 2018



We are continuing the tradition of offering ads in the Recital Program. If you own a business, know of someone who does, or just want to say something special to your dancer, we will have ad space available in our recital program. Forms with all the details will be available at the "INFORMATION CENTER" later in January.

RECITAL FLOWERS

Our Competition Team Members sell Roses as a fundraiser for parents, grandparents, friends to give to their dancer(s) the day of the recital. There is a sign up sheet at the at the front desk. Single Rose = \$5.00 and 3 Rose Bouquet = \$10.00. All orders must be paid for by May 2, 2018, and the flowers will be available for pick up on recital day in the main lobby at the Miller Performing Arts Center.



**Thanks so
much for
participating
in our**

**Christmas Program at
St Joseph Cathedral
School Gymnasium.**

**It was a great success.
Thanks to all our dancers
and teachers.**

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TEAM NEWS

TEAM COMPETITIONS FOR 2018

STAGE ONE

FEBRUARY 16-17-18, 2018

Kirkwood PAC
801 W Essex
Kirkwood, MO 63122

BEYOND THE STARS

MARCH 16-17-18, 2018

Scottish Rite Cathedral
3627 Lindell Blvd
St. Louis, Mo

**PAYMENT DUE =
JANUARY 8, 2018**

ELITE DANCE CUP

APRIL 20, 21, 22, 2018

William Chrisman High School
1223 N Noland Road
Independence, Mo

**PAYMENT DUE =
FEBRUARY 5, 2018**



TEACHER OF THE MONTH

Tiaunna Vontay Warren

Tiaunna Vontay Warren is 37 years young whom hails from St. Louis, Mo. At the age of 5, she started dancing all styles, including ballroom, with hip hop being her primary focus. At the age of 10, her mentor was a back up dancer for MC Hammer so she had the privilege to perform I'm Chicago on stage with MC Hammer, her mentor and 30 other dancers as her debut. Over the next 7 years, she would go on to create the hip hop dance groups The Show Stoppers and Enuf Ced. These groups won numerous titles in the tri-state area. While directing these groups, she also taught dance for free to kids who's parents couldn't afford classes (which she still does) and formed a successful cheerleading squad with equal success. In 1998, she came to Lincoln University and hit the ground running. She cheered two years for Lincoln University. But in 2000, LU brought back their band and she created the Lincoln University Blue Flame Dancers. She successfully ran that squad for 11 yrs. In 2002, she joined LU's Dance Troupe under the direction of Theresa Ferguson assisted by the incomparable Phillip Clemmons. There she met the men that would forever change her. Phillip Clemons trained her Russian Point and hip hop jazz. Ledell Watts with his creativity expanded her mind and helped her master Jazz funk and Martha Graham technique. Under the direction of Theo Jamison, she learned and fell in love with the techniques of Katherine Dunham which is her favorite style and she will be certified to teach it in the spring of 2019. Theo is also one of the last dancers to be trained under the Katherine Dunham personally. Under Wesley Lee Williams Jr. she fell in love with West Indie movements and various forms of African Dance. These art forms are her future to teach for they are her true passion. She graduated from Lincoln University with BA in Sociology. She starts her Master Degree program in the fall.

Thanks to those that participated in the 5-6-7-8 Magnabilities Competition Dance Team Fundraiser. A total of \$ 225.63 was posted to the accounts of those team members.

Thanks to those that participated in the Mary Kay Competition Dance Team Fundraiser. A total of \$ 250.00 was raised and split among all team members.



Bailey Nichols' College Sorority, Mizzou Alpha Delta Pi, has chosen the charity of Ronald McDonald House. PLEASE help us support this worth while cause and POP IT AND DROP IT (donate your can pop tabs). Thanks so much for your help.



Jocelyn Ford and Nathaniel Dickinson dancing at the Christmas Program.

DANCE CLASS OF THE MONTH

**HIP HOP B, WEDNESDAY
7:00 PM - 7:45 PM**

Must be approved by teacher.
This is a 45 minute class consisting of hip hop dance technique.
Come join these dancers with Miss Tiaunna.

SNOW OR BAD WEATHER



If the schools in Jefferson City cancels or dismisses classes early due to weather conditions, dance classes are also cancelled for that day. If in doubt as to whether or not classes will be held, please check our studio phone and listen to the message (573-636-4528), website or call our cell phones. Sherry (573-619-2219); Pauline (573-230-4535)

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