



Rhythm & News

April 2023 

COVID Policies & Procedures

If you test positive for COVID-19, stay home for at least 5 days and isolate from others in your home. You are likely most infectious during these first 5 days.

- Wear a high-quality mask if you must be around others at home and in public.
- Do not go places where you are unable to wear a mask.
- Do not travel.
- Stay home and separate from others as much as possible

If you are interested, you can add dance gear to sell as well.

- Tuition is due the first of the month unless you have already made different arrangements with Pauline or Sherry. **Our handbook states there is a \$5 monthly late charge on all tuition paid 15 days late or more.**


Mom's Dance: Beginning April 13th, Thursdays 6-6:30 in the Tap room.

Dad's Dance: Beginning April 12th, Wednesdays 6:45-7:15 in the Ballet room.

Reminders

- Spring Session 1/2 – 5/20
- Guess the number of jelly beans and win the easter basket goodies. PLEASE ONLY 1 GUESS PER DANCER. The drawing for the winner will be drawn on Monday, April 3rd.
- **SUMMER CLASSES:** June 5th -27th. Schedule will be available in April.
- Check out our used dance shoes and used dance wear in the front lobby.



- **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, watch the Facebook page for updates. 
- **Spring studio hours:**
Monday-Thursday: 4:30pm – 9pm
Wednesday AM: 11:30am – 12:30pm
Saturday: 9:45am – 11:30am





Spring Recital

“Life’s a Dance”

- **DATE:** Saturday, May 20nd 2023
- **WHERE:** Miller Performing Arts Center
- **Dress rehearsal is Friday, May 19st 2023.** We will start promptly at 4:30pm and the doors to Miller Performing Arts Center will open at 3:30.
- **Stay tuned for the recital line-up and show times.**



- **Recital Pictures: May 5th & 6th.** Check at the front desk for picture lineup.
- **Recital Programs:** If you own a business, know someone who does, or just want to say something special to your dancer, we will have space available in our recital program. Forms with all of the details will be available at the front desk. To meet our printing deadline, & paid in full by **April 13th, 2023.**



- **Recital Costumes:** Costume fees:
Toddlin’ Twos= \$60
YE, Variety, Level 1&2= \$70
Level 3 & up= \$80
- **Recital Tickets:** Sunday, April 16th, 2023 from 1:00pm- 3:00pm; \$13
- **Parent helpers:** we will need several parent helpers at the recital. You will sit with younger classes in the balcony during the show. If you would like to help, please sign up at the front desk. You will get in to the recital for free.
- **Videography:** the recital will be videotaped. Forms will be available after we finalize all the details.



Costume Tips

- Recital costumes will start to come in. With this being said, here are a few tips to adequately care and the costumes: tutus are to be hung upside down to fluff, costumes with feathers are to be sprayed with aerosol hair spray before hanging up to keep the feathers intact.
- There will be a list at the front desk with information on hair styles, accessories, dance shoe color, etc.

Facebook Like us on Facebook!

[5678 Dancer Student/Parents Facebook page:](#)

We post info & dances to the private page so the dancers can practice at home & parents can stay up to date about current information. Since this is a private page, **Pauline Carter Kuntz** a friend request along with a short message including your dancer’s name & you will be added to the group page.

Got F.R.I.E.N.D.S?

- Earn a **\$26 credit** by referring a new student. The student must give your name, be enrolled, & pay one month’s dance fee to earn the credit.

Gift Certificates

- Who doesn’t love a gift certificate? This would be a great gift to go

towards dance tuition. Stop by the front desk for more information.



Contact us!

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Good luck

to our competition dance team in
Kansas City!

If you would like to support our team,
watch the Facebook page for a
livestream link to watch our dancers
compete.

Competition Team

- Competition fee totals are available at the front desk.
- Team awards: 4/30 at Capital City Productions (719 Wicker Lane) from 1-2:30
- **REMINDER:** All Tuition, Team, and Competition Fees must be **paid in full through March 31, 2023**, by April 1, 2023, in order for your dancer to audition for TEAM for the 2023-2024 season.

2023 Dance Competitions

April 21-23 – **Platinum Performance Plus** –
Kansas City
Liberty Performing Arts

NATIONALS: July 5-9 – **Platinum Performance Plus** – Kansas City
Kansas City Music Hall
301 West 13th St
Payment DUE MAY 8th

Congratulations to 5-6-7-8 Dancer's Dance Team at Inferno Dance Competition & Talent on Parade Dance Competition!

We are so proud of everyone!



Senior Spotlight

Jaelie Bott



- **How long have you been dancing?**
This is my 16th year dancing and 13th year competing.
- **What is your favorite memory from dancing?**
All of Encore's Monday Starbucks trips
- **What are some of your proudest accomplishments?**
My proudest accomplishments are winning title at P3 and Inferno, getting a titanium with Scout, and winning nationals with the whole team!
- **Will you continue to dance after high school?**
Yes! I will dance in college and hope to use it as well in my future career.
- **What is your favorite style of dance?**
My fav style is tap 🥰
- **What is some advice you would give to your teammates or anybody that is dancing?**
My best piece of advice would be to cheer everyone on because you don't know how hard they worked to get there.
- **If you could choreograph a dance to any song what would it be and why?**
I would choreograph a production number to the song Fine Lines by Harry Styles because the passion behind the song is so striking!
- **What are your plans after graduation?**
After graduating I am committed to Lindenwood University to major in dance and health sciences on an occupational therapy track. With my dance degree I will specialize in tap!

Danika Korenberg



- **How long have you been dancing?**
I have been dancing for 5 years.
- **What is your favorite memory from dancing?**
My favorite memory is laughing with friends in the waiting room before class starts.
- **What are some of your proudest accomplishments?**
My proudest accomplishments are becoming more confident in myself, learning new things, and becoming proud of myself through dance!
- **Will you continue to dance after high school?**
I would like to continue to dance after high school.
- **What is your favorite style of dance?**
The only style of dance I do is hip hop but I really enjoy watching jazz.
- **What is some advice you would give to your teammates or anybody that is dancing?**
Some advice I would give is to be patient with yourself. Not everything will come at once and it takes time.
- **If you could choreograph a dance to any song what would it be and why?**
There are so many songs that I would love to choreograph to. One song would be Lovely by Billie Eilish. I have always felt a connection to that song and I feel like expressing it through dance helps better understand the song.
- **What are your plans after graduation?**
I am going to work after high school. I have many offers to colleges but am not ready to go. I want to attend college when when I have decided on the right path for me.