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March 2011 Newsletter

Register Now for Summer Classes and Camps

6 Week summer schedule begins Tues July 5th

Includes Dance and Theater classes

Princess Camp Aug 1-5 (ages 2-7)

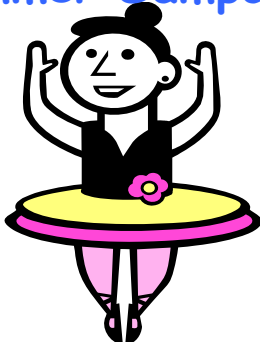
Dance Intensive Aug 8-12 (ages 8-18)

Fun performance classes (ages 3 to teen) including kids hip hop, kids belly dance, kids drama/voice, teen hip hop, teen belly dance, teen drama/voice, tumbling for all ages and skills, ballet dance intensive week (ages 8-18), ballet, tap and jazz medal testing (students ages 8 to adult), Kinetic Dance Company (ages 16+, apprentices 14+)

Summer Sampas Pavilion Performance is set for Thursday August 18th from 6-7:30pm

See our Summer 2011 Class Schedule for further details!

Summer Sampas Pavilion



CPAM Apparel Orders

Our standard t-shirt is now a memory t-shirt. The front of the shirt will look the same as always, and the back will have your child's name and all the CPAM students' names under the Title of "The Great Ones 2011". Check out this and the other spring and summer CPAM gear. The winter clothes will still be available too if you missed out in the fall. All orders need to be passed into the tuition box by Thursday March 31st.

*Theater and Drama/Voice students will use these T shirts for Professional Photo Day

"Oklahoma" The Musical

Our production of "Oklahoma" is well underway with so many of our students participating as dancers, singers and actors! We also had a huge turnout of new students and students returning to us from past productions.

All competition students Level 3,4,5 and the Kinetic Dance Company and apprentices are wanted and needed as dancers for this show!

We are still accepting students to be part of the chorus concert. These chorus actors will still have many opportunities to shine!

Rehearsals are:

Ages 10-Adult, Wednesdays, 5:30-7:30

Ages 5-9, Saturdays, 2-4pm

The performance dates have changed to Thursday May 12th and Friday May 13th. The day show is on May 12th at 9am and is for students at the School for Exceptional Studies only. All Oklahoma students must confirm that they will be available for this morning show. The evening show open to all is on May 13th at 7pm at the School for Exceptional Studies (233 Haverhill Street, Lawrence, MA).

Pilates on Fridays

Join us from 6:30-7:15 for a great workout of major muscle groups that strengthens core muscles as well as stretches and lengthens the muscles of the legs, spine and arms. All serious dance students should consider Pilates as part of their training, and students Level 3 and up (teen to adult) will especially benefit from this class. An exercise/yoga mat is recommended.

Recital Reminders

Bring your own CD to your dance teacher if you would like a copy of your recital songs. PLEASE LABEL IT WITH A SHARPIE: NAME AND CLASS TYPE/DAY

Costume balances are due this month. Check out the costumes in the costume photo book at the desk!

A contest: Drop inspirational quotes in the tuition box. We might use yours to decorate the studio!

Merrimack Valley's Got Talent

Last Auditions March 26th! (by appointment)

Open to anyone ages 5 to adult in the Merrimack Valley who want to showcase their special talents...some ideas are singing, comedy, musical instruments, and dancing.

After auditioning, performers receive valuable feedback from our directors and will find out if they have been chosen to progress to finals in the spring to compete for Cash Prizes.

The Talent Show Finals set for the spring will present performers with a 1st place prize of \$300, 2nd place prize of \$100 and 3rd place prize of \$50 as well as many trophies for other contestants.

Reminder to Parents on Costumes

- ✓ Costume balances should be fully paid. Costumes cannot be sent home unless full balance is paid.
- ✓ When costumes arrive students will try them on in class to be sure the sizes are correct.
- ✓ Parents will be invited into the dance studio to view students in the costumes.
- ✓ Any stitching, adjusting or instructions will be explained to parents.
- ✓ An announcement will be made on when the costumes can be taken home.

Up-Coming Highlights

April 2nd

Recital Tickets for "The Great Ones" reserved seating, first come first served, no limit on # of tickets. Chaperones (2) needed for each level, Pre Dance & Ballet, Intro Ballet/Tap, Level 1 all styles, Level 2 all styles. Chaperones receive 2 complimentary tickets. See the desk staff. Dad's and big brothers are needed as Doorman and as Ushers.

May

27th, 28th & 29th Professional Recital Photos

July

Summer Classes Begin on Tues July 5th

Upcoming Events

Off Broadway Production of "Oklahoma"

Ticket sale: April 13th Adults \$10 Children \$5

Show date: May 13th at 7pm

Place: Old Lawrence High, 233 Haverhill Street

CPAM Apparel Order Due

Saturday March 31st

Parental Permission Slip

Please fill in this permission slip and return it to the tuition box ASAP.

Student's Name: _____

I (parent signature) _____

Give the Center for Performing Arts Methuen permission to use photos taken in classes for recital slide show, promotional like magazines, TV, newspapers and CPAM website. I waive them from any liability resulting from this.

- OR I do not want my above child photographed for any reason.