

Steppin' Out Dance Centre

November 2023

Newsletter

Now Due - Tuition and Costume Payments:

Tuition is due the first week of the month and can be paid any of the following ways: cash directly to the office, check to the office or dropped in our drop box, or via Venmo (@Steppin-Out-Dance). Just a reminder that all discounts, including family discounts, only apply if tuition is paid in full on or before the first class of each month. A \$10 late fee is automatically applied if tuition is not paid by the 7th day of each month.

If you have not paid your costume balance of \$75 per costume, please do so by December 15th to ensure your child's costumes are ordered. If costume fees are not paid by December 15th, a \$10 late fee **per unpaid costume** will be automatically applied to your account.

Email - Very Important:

Just as a reminder, if you have not been receiving our emails, please let our office staff know as we send out our monthly newsletters and the latest updates via email.

Thanksgiving and Christmas Break:

We are closed Wednesday, November 22nd through Saturday, November 25th in observation of the Thanksgiving holiday. We will also be closed Thursday, December 21st through Monday, January 1st in observation of the Christmas and New Years Holidays. To see the dates of all holiday closures, please visit our website, steppinoutdancecentre.com.

33rd Annual Christmas Show:

Our 33rd Annual Christmas Show will be held on Sunday, December 17th from 1-3pm at Thornton Academy's Linnell Gymnasium. Join us for an afternoon of dancing, fun, and even a visit from Santa! All of our dancers will be performing in this year's show! We will have a separate handout with our December Newsletter that will list what your dancer should wear for the show. A monetary donation will be accepted from all attendants at the door and there will be various raffles to raise money for this year's charity. If you or someone you know works for a business that would like to donate a raffle item, please let the office staff know. The baskets and tickets will be available in our dancewear store in December.

Recital Costumes:

Measurements are being taken during classes this month. Please let us know if you would prefer a specific size. Sizes come in S, M, and L for both children and adults. Some costumes are offered in XL child and XL adult. Costumes are non-refundable and non-exchangeable. Costume pictures will be posted on the online parent portal in January. Please see your students' teacher or the office staff for tights and shoe colors. Make sure to order your tights and shoes early in order to have them in time for the recital.

Maine Celtics Halftime Performance:

Our Performance Teams have once again been invited to perform at the Maine Celtics as their halftime show on Sunday, February 25th. If you would like to come watch and support our dancers, you can purchase your tickets online. They are \$15 and include a free Maine Celtics Hat. We have very limited seats so make sure you get your tickets early. The game will start at 1pm. The link to purchase tickets is:

<https://fevo-enterprise.com/event/SteppinOutDance>

