

Steppin' Out Dance Centre

September 2023

Newsletter

Welcome Back

Welcome back dancers! We have been proudly serving the Saco/Biddeford/Old Orchard Beach area for 32 years! Our student's safety, well-being, and self-esteem are our highest priority. We are glad you have chosen our studio! We want to make sure that you and your dancer are happy. If the class you choose is not the right fit for you, we are flexible in moving you around. Take the month of September to try as many classes as you need until you find the best fit.

Office Hours and Tuition

Office hours are Tuesdays from 4-7pm and Saturdays from 9am-11:30am. During tuition week (the 1st-7th of each month) we will be open every night from 4-7pm. Tuition should be paid at the first class of the month in order to avoid a late fee. A \$10 late fee will be automatically applied to any tuition paid after the 7th of the month starting in October. Tuition can be paid by using any of the following methods: cash (in person only), check (in person or by dropping in our mailbox/drop slot in the lobby), or Venmo (@Steppin-Out-Dance).

Peanut Free Facility

As a reminder, our studio is a peanut free facility! Please do not bring snacks containing peanuts or tree nuts of any kind into our facility. Our students' health and safety is our highest priority. Thank you for your assistance with this!

Welcome Our Newest Instructors

We are so excited to be welcoming two new instructors to our faculty this season. Glorianna Kittredge is a longtime dancer and assistant with us and we are beyond excited to be having her as an instructor this season. You can find her teaching Pre-Hip Hop (3-5yrs) and Hip Hop (4-6yrs) on Fridays. Kate Truman has been a guest choreographer for us for many years including choreographing for our competitive team and Sr Jazz Team. This year we are welcoming her as our Ballet and Pointe instructor on Monday nights. Be sure to visit our website to learn about all of our amazing instructors!

Bring a Friend Week and Referral Raffle

Bring a Friend Week will be Monday, September 25th- Saturday, September 30th! Your friend can join you in your dance classes for free! If your friend registers for any class, you will receive a free Steppin' Out Logo T-Shirt and a goodie bag.

Did you refer a friend to our studio this year? If so, your name will be entered into a raffle for a \$100 Steppin' Out Gift Certificate! We will be picking the winner on October 7th, so let us know by then who you referred to us!

Free Classes for Parents this Month

Dance parents can try a free class during the month of September. Adult classes we offer include our Tuesday 5:15 Teen/Adult Tap with Nicole, Wednesday 6:00 Teen/Adult Contemporary and Wednesday 7:00 Teen/Adult Hip Hop with Rosebeth, and Thursday 7:30 Adult Fusion Jazz with Andrea. Join in with your kids love for dance and get ready for our family numbers coming this Spring.

Saco Harvest Fest

On Saturday, October 21st, come see our Performance Team dancers do a special Halloween Performance!

Christmas Show/Charity Event

Our Christmas Show will be held on Sunday, December 17th at Thornton Academy in Saco. We are welcoming suggestions for a local charity to donate this year's proceeds to.

Recital 2024

Don't forget to mark your calendars for our 33rd annual Recital! Our show will be held on **Saturday, June 8th, 2024** at Sanford Performing Arts Center!

Let us know if you have any questions!

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