

# KDC OCTOBER 2018 NEWSLETTER

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## THANK YOU

A huge thank you to all of the students who brought a friend last week for our 1<sup>st</sup> annual "Bring a Friend" week. It was a great success, and the kids all had a fun time! Our best form of advertisement is word of mouth, and for that, I appreciate all of you ☺

## FINAL DAYS OF REGISTRATION

We are coming to the end of registration for our fall classes. If you have a friend who wants to join, or your child would like to add another class at a discounted rate (5% off the second class, 10% off each additional, \*excludes competition team classes and solos/duets/trios, private lessons, and adult fitness) **the final date for registration is Monday, October 15.**

## UPDATED SCHEDULE

Our schedule was updated over the weekend for classes that are not running, classes that have been added, and time changes. If any of these affected your child, you should have received an email from me over the weekend stating the change. **\*Make sure to always check the website first to ensure you are seeing the most up to date information. [www.kelleysdancecraze.com](http://www.kelleysdancecraze.com)**

## REFUNDS AND TRIAL CLASSES

There will be no refunds given after the first class. KDC does not offer trial classes at this time.

## ADULT FITNESS CLASSES

KDC now offers adult fitness classes throughout the week for our students age 16-adult. We have 4 classes to choose from: Sculpt Fusion, Yoga, Werq, and Zumba (\*see the schedule for details). You can drop in anytime for \$10 each, or purchase a multi-class punch card at a discounted rate.



### COSTUME DEPOSITS

A deposit of \$50 (per costume/per class) will be added to your account this month. **The due date for this is not until November 15<sup>th</sup>.** If you would like to pay ahead of time, you are welcome to, otherwise it will be automatically deducted from the card you have on file at that time. Any costume deposits not paid until after the 15<sup>th</sup> of November will accrue a late fee of \$15 each. The balance of these costumes will be due in January. The balance covers the full costume cost, accessories if chosen, and tights. If you have any questions regarding this, please see the front desk.

### COSTUMES/SONGS

Costumes have already been selected and we will begin measuring students in late October/early November. Once I have the correct version of the song fully edited, it will be made available to you for your child to practice with at home.

### OPEN WINDOW

Beginning in October, the window will only be open the 1<sup>st</sup> lesson of each month. This will help to keep our students focused, and allow you to see their growth over time. The window will remain closed on the other weeks.

### PRE-KINDERDANCE CLASSES

We will be performing a short Halloween Dance at the end of our class for the parents on Wednesday October 24<sup>th</sup> (Miss Kelley's Pre-Dance Tap/Ballet), Saturday October 27<sup>th</sup> (Miss Gabi's Pre-Dance Jazz/Ballet) and Tuesday October 30<sup>th</sup> (Miss Kelley's Pre-Dance Tap/Ballet and Miss Chrissy's Pre-Dance Ballet/Jazz). Parents will be invited into the classroom the last 5-10 minutes of class. Halloween costumes will be permitted as long as they can't trip over them, and pieces won't come on and off constantly. Phones, video cameras and cameras are welcome 😊

### HALLOWEEN WEEK (WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 24-TUESDAY OCTOBER 30)

All of our KDC dancers are welcome to wear their Halloween costumes during these days. Please be sure your child won't get overheated in their costume while dancing. Leave accessories at home that may become a problem. All KDC dancers will receive a special Halloween treat in their classes (if your child has more than one class, they will receive it in their last class of that week).

## PARENTS NIGHT OUT

Our KDC Booster Club will be hosting a parents night out for dancers ages 3-10 on Friday, October 26 from 6:30-9:00 pm. Dancing, crafts, and treats will all be provided! \$15 per child. Flyers will be passed out in next week's classes!

## WATER BOTTLES

We encourage our students to bring a water bottle to class. We also have water bottles available at the front desk for \$1.

## LABEL SHOES/BRING A DANCE BAG

ALL dancers' shoes should be labeled with their name/initials (**on the inside of the shoe**). We would also prefer if the students brought their shoes into the classroom in a bag (it doesn't have to be a dance bag necessarily, just a bag.) I have many students bring in just a pair of shoes or a shoe box that looks like somebody else's and they are very easy to mix up. In the past, I have had different students leave shoes behind, neither of which had been labeled. For our competition dancers or dancers taking multiple classes, this would be especially helpful to save time between classes.

## LOST AND FOUND

Our Lost and Found box (located next to the front desk) will be cleared out at the end of this week. Please be sure to check here for missing items before they are donated.

## ABSENCES

If your child is going to be absent due to illness, school events, or for any other reason, please call the front desk and let us know right away so we may pass on the news to their teacher(s). 248-313-0326

## SALE

Beginning this month all of our dance wear (leotards, tights, dance skirts and sweaters) will be marked down to half off! After they are sold, we will no longer be selling any of it through the studio- these make great Christmas presents! \*Limited sizes available.

## KDC GEAR

I will be adding a page to our website this week to purchase KDC gear (hoodies, tank tops, bags, etc). All of the items will have our KDC logo on them. **Orders will be due by October 30.**

## **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

### **Key event dates for Kelley's Dance Craze:**

Registration Ends: October 15, 2018

KDC Parent's Night Out: October 26, 2018

Halloween: Closed October 31, 2018

Costume Deposits Due: November 15, 2018

Thanksgiving Break: Closed November 22-24, 2018

Holiday Break: Closed December 22, 2018- January 2, 2019

Classes Resume: January 3, 2019

Costume Balances Due: January 15, 2019

Spring Break: Closed March 30- April 6, 2019

Classes Resume: April 8, 2019

Good Friday: Closed April 19, 2019

Picture Day: April 27-28, 2019

Memorial Day: Closed May 27, 2019

Last Day of Classes: June 6, 2019

Dress Rehearsal: Saturday June 8, 2019 (Walled Lake Western High School)

Recital: Sunday June 9, 2019 (Walled Lake Western High School)

**We are looking forward to an awesome year with you and your child! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to email me anytime.**

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