

KDC AUGUST 2026 NEWSLETTER

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CONGRATULATIONS DANCERS!

We are so incredibly proud of our 2026-27 KDC Competition Team dancers! They worked so hard over the last 2 weeks during our Summer Intensive and Team Auditions. We are so blessed to have 42 team members this season! Way to go girls!!!

KDC FALL SCHEDULE 2026-2027

Registration has already begun for Fall classes, which will begin on Wednesday, September 9, 2026. You may register online anytime. If you have any troubles, or need any guidance for which level of classes to take, please don't hesitate to reach out, and I can take care of things from my end. On September 1st, there is also a \$40 registration fee due (per family), along with September tuition. Register now to reserve your spot in class(es) before they fill up. We already have a number of classes that are already full, or almost at capacity. **Registration for Fall classes will end on Saturday, October 31st.**

UPDATE TO 2026-2027 DRESS CODE

Our 2026-2027 Required Dress Code and Competition Team Requirements have already been updated to reflect any changes. <https://kelleysdancecraze.com/dress-code%2Fshoes>

ADD US ON FACEBOOK, INSTAGRAM, TIKTOK, AND YOUTUBE

If you are an avid user on social media, please add us on Facebook (Kelley's Dance Craze), Instagram (@kelleysdancecraze), TikTok (@kelleysdancecraze) and/or You Tube (Kelley's Dance Craze). Tune in to our website also for all of the most up to date information: <https://kelleysdancecraze.com>
We post a lot of dance related info, pictures, talk about upcoming events, etc. It's another great way for us to get to know each other outside of the studio. We consider all of you our "dance family"!

KDC STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Since so many of our dancers are not here during the summer, we will bring back our Student of the Month program in October 2026, after we've had a month of fall classes.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

KDC would like to acknowledge our staff/students with birthdays in August, and wish them all a very special day:

August 1st- Anara Merritt

August 4th- Daniela Goni Prieta

August 4th- Mackenzie Schneider

August 6th- Liliana Dreisbach

August 7th- Kaycie DeLisle

August 8th- Charlotte Pitsch

August 11th- Marlowe Dutton

August 15th- Lucy Stowell

August 15th- Brooke Thompson

August 17th- Avery Burzynski

August 20th- Chloe Larosa

August 29th- Parker Moody

August 31st- Makayla Lucas

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

August 1, 2026: 2026-2027 KDC Competition Team Announcement

August 1, 2026: August Newsletter Release

August 1, 2026: Last Day to Register for Summer Private Lessons- Session 2 (KDC Comp Team)

August 1, 2026: Summer Private Lesson Fees Due- Session 2 (KDC Comp Team)

August 3-5, 2026: Week 1 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 2 (KDC Comp Team)

August 10-12, 2026: Week 2 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 2 (KDC Comp Team)

August 17-21, 2026: Week 1 of Individual Meetings with 2026-2027 KDC Competition Team families, *Required for all dancers who made the team (KDC Comp Team)

August 22-30, 2026: KDC is Closed

August 31- September 3, 2026: Week 2 of Individual Meetings with 2026-27 KDC Competition Team families, *Required for all dancers who made the team (KDC Comp Team)

September 1, 2026: Annual Registration Fee Due

September 1, 2026: September Tuition Due

September 1, 2026: September Newsletter Release

September 8, 2026: Competition Team Meeting (required for all Comp Team dancers and 1 parent), Team Contract Signing, Commitment Fee Due, Big/Little Sister Reveal, Team Jacket Sizing (KDC Comp Team)

September 9, 2026: 1st Day of Classes for the 2026-2027 Dance Season

September 9-15, 2026: Open Window Week

September 15, 2026: Competition Team Jacket Fees Due (KDC Comp Team)

September 18, 2026: Nationals Staff Support Fee Due (KDC Comp Team)

September 20, 2026: All Stars Hip Hop Choreography Fee Due (KDC Comp Team)

September 20, 2026: All Stars Hip Hop Rehearsal #1, 12:00-3:00 pm (KDC Comp Team)

September 25, 2026: Groove Convention Fee due for all those participating (KDC Comp Team-optional)

October 1, 2026: October Tuition Due

October 1, 2026: 1st Half of Competition Team Costume Fees Due (KDC Comp Team)

October 1, 2026: October Newsletter Release

October 1-7, 2026: Open Window Week

October 4, 2026: Competition Team Pictures with Pamela MacIntyre Photography, 1:30 pm,
*Required for all team members (KDC Comp Team)

October 17, 2026: All Stars Hip Hop Rehearsal #2, 5:00-8:00 pm

October 25, 2026: Groove Dance Convention, Vibe Showplace, Optional (KDC Comp Team)

October 31, 2026: Last Day to Register for Fall Classes

November 1, 2026: November Tuition Due

November 1, 2026: Recital Costume Fees Due- Full Cost

November 1, 2026: November Newsletter Release

November 2-6, 2026: Open Window Week

November 25- November 29, 2026: KDC Will Be Closed in Observance of Thanksgiving

November 30, 2026: Classes Resume

December 1, 2026: December Tuition Due

December 1, 2026: December Newsletter Release

December 1-7, 2026: Open Window Week

December 12, 2026: KDC Competition Team Holiday Party and Secret Gift Exchange (KDC Comp Team)

December 19, 2026- January 3, 2027: KDC Will Be closed for Holiday Break

January 1, 2027: January Tuition Due

January 1, 2027: Winter Half Year Class Registration Due

January 1, 2027: January Newsletter Release

January 4, 2027: Classes Resume

January 4, 2027: Moxie Dance Competition Fees Due (KDC Comp Team)

January 4-8, 2027: Open Window Week

January 12, 2027: Hall of Fame Dance Competition Fees Due (KDC Comp Team)

January 15, 2027: 2nd Half of Competition Team Costume Fees Due (KDC Comp Team)

January 30, 2027: Makeup Kit Fees Due (KDC Comp Team)

January 30, 2027: Hair/Make Up Class- Required for all NEW Competition Team dancers (KDC Comp Team), Early Morning TBA

January 30, 2027: Mandatory KDC Competition Team Rehearsal (KDC Comp Team), All Day Event

February 1, 2027: February Tuition Due

February 1, 2027: Winter Class Recital Costume Fee Due- Full Cost

February 1, 2027: February Newsletter Release

February 1-5, 2027: Open Window Week

February 13-21, 2027: KDC is Closed for Mid-Winter Break

February 22, 2027: Classes Resume

February 23, 2027: Groove Dance Competition Fees Due (KDC Comp Team)

February 27, 2027: Mandatory KDC Competition Team Rehearsal (KDC Comp Team), All Day Event

March 1, 2027: March Tuition Due

March 1, 2027: March Newsletter Release

March 1-4, 2027: Competition Dancers performing at Moxie can't miss any classes this week (KDC Comp Team)

March 1-4, 2027: KDC Spirit Week

March 1-4, 2027: Open Window Week

March 5-7, 2027: Moxie Arts Challenge, Berman Center for the Performing Arts, KDC Comp Team (Optional Solos/Duets/Trios)

March 8-11, 2027: Competition Team Dancers can't miss any classes this week (KDC Comp Team)

March 8-11, 2027: KDC Spirit Week

March 12-14, 2027: Hall of Fame Dance Challenge, Vibe Showplace, KDC Comp Team (Full Team)

March 14, 2027: Starquest Dance Competition Fees Due (KDC Comp Team)

March 27- April 4, 2027: KDC Will Be closed for Spring Break

April 1, 2027: April Tuition Due

April 1, 2027: April Newsletter Release

April 5, 2027: Classes Resume

April 5-8, 2027: Open Window Week

April 9-10, 2027: Picture Day Weekend with Pamela MacIntyre Photography (Comp- Friday and Saturday)

April 11, 2027: Picture Day Weekend with Pamela MacIntyre Photography (Recital Classes-Sunday)

April 19-22, 2027: Competition Team Dancers can't miss any classes this week (KDC Comp Team)

April 19-22, 2027: KDC Spirit Week

April 23-25, 2027: Groove Dance Competition, Hartland Performing Arts Center, KDC Comp Team (Full Team)

May 1, 2027: May Tuition Due

May 1, 2027: May Newsletter Release

May 2, 2027: Informational Competition Team Meeting for all New/Interested families

May 3-7, 2027: Open Window Week

May 10-13, 2027: Competition Team Dancers can't miss any classes this week (KDC Comp Team)

May 10-13, 2027: KDC Spirit Week

May 14-16, 2027: Starquest Dance Competition, Walled Lake (TBA), KDC Comp Team (Full Team)

May 19, 2027: Recital Tickets Go On Sale for all Competition Team Families, 6:00 pm, *A Code Will Be Required

May 20, 2027: Recital Tickets Go On Sale for all Recital Families, 6:00 pm, *No Code Required

May 22, 2027: Dress Rehearsal (*Mandatory for all Comp and Recital dancers), Walled Lake Central High School

May 31, 2027: KDC Will Be Closed in Observance of Memorial Day

June 1, 2027: June Tuition Due

June 1, 2027: June Newsletter Release

June 1-7, 2027: Open Window Week

June 13, 2027: KDC's 9th Annual Recital, Walled Lake Central High School

June 14-15, 2027: Mandatory Nationals Rehearsals, KDC Comp Team

June 20-24, 2027: Groove Nationals, Orlando, FL, KDC Comp Team (Full Team)

July 1, 2027: July Newsletter Release

July 2, 2027: Last Day to Register for Summer Private Lessons- Session 1

July 2, 2027: Fees Due for Summer Private Lessons- Session 1

July 6-9, 2027: Week 1 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 1, KDC Comp Team

July 9, 2027: Last Day to Register for the KDC Competition Readiness Program

July 9, 2027: Fees Due for the KDC Competition Readiness Program

July 13-16, 2027: Week 2 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 1, KDC Comp Team

July 13-16, 2027: KDC Competition Readiness Program

July 16, 2027: Last Day to Register for the KDC Summer Intensive/Team Auditions

July 16, 2027: Fees Due for the KDC Summer Intensive/Team Auditions

July 19-22, 2027: Week 1 of the KDC Summer Intensive

July 26-29, 2027: Week 2 of the KDC Summer Intensive

July 30, 2027: 2027-2028 KDC Competition Team Auditions

July 31, 2027: KDC 2027-2028 Team Announcement

August 1, 2027: August Newsletter Release

August 6, 2027: Last Day to Register for Summer Private Lessons- Session 2

August 6, 2027: Fees Due for Summer Private Lessons- Session 2

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August 16-18, 2027: Week 2 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 2 (KDC Comp Team)

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*****MORE DATES WILL BE ADDED SOON*****

We love teaching your child(ren)! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to email me anytime.

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