

KDC JULY 2026 NEWSLETTER

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THANK YOU

Thank you all for your love and support this past dance season! Our 8th Annual Recital was a great success, and all of our dancers did a beautiful job! We are now looking forward to our Competition Readiness Program, Summer Intensive/Team Auditions, and Fall classes at KDC. We look forward to welcoming new faces to the studio, along with our returning dancers!

KDC COMPETITION READINESS PROGRAM

Returning this season- We are offering a 4 day session to help new/interested dancers prepare for the Summer Intensive and Team Auditions. They will be taking 3 classes during this program: Tap, Technique, and a Stretch Class, broken down into 2 different age groups.

This program will run Monday- Thursday from 5:00-8:00 pm (July 13th-16th). The program is at a discounted rate of \$100 per dancer. Our goal is to help prepare these dancers to succeed in the intensive/audition process.

***Please do not sign up for this program if you have no intention of auditioning for the team.**

****KDC Competition Readiness Program registration will end on July 10, 2026.
Payments are due on July 10, 2026.**

KDC SUMMER INTENSIVE

If your child is an intermediate to advanced level dancer between the ages of 6-18, and is interested in auditioning for our 2026-2027 KDC Competition Team, we will be holding our KDC Summer Intensive and Team Auditions July 20th-23rd and July 27th-31st.

If you are interested in registering your child for the KDC Summer Intensive and Auditions, please email Miss Kelley directly at: kelleysdancecraze@gmail.com so she can gather feedback from your child's teacher(s) to verify placement, and get them registered. If your child is new to our studio, they will be asked to take a private lesson for determine where they are with each style and will be placed based on age/dance experience/technique level as assessed by a KDC teacher.

***KDC Summer Intensive/Audition Registration will end on July 17, 2026.
Payments are due on July 17, 2026.**

KDC FALL SCHEDULE

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/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 a \$40 registration fee due (per family), along with September tuition. Register now to reserve your spot in class(es) before they fill up- this happens every fall! **Registration for Fall classes will end on Saturday, October 31st.**

UPDATE TO 2026-2027 DRESS CODE AND COMPETITION TEAM CONTRACT

We have updated our studio dress code for all Fall classes- in some cases, the shoes may have changed from what they were last season. Our Competition Team contract will also be updated later in July to reflect any date changes and new policies.

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 July, and wish them all a very special day:

July 2nd- Abigail Prince

July 2nd- Lucy Schmeling

July 10th- Miss Bri

July 11th- Brooke Overby

July 11th- Miss Kylie

July 13th- Paige Eagle

July 13th- Sienna Tamburelli

July 14th- Ella Allison

July 15th- Ania Leal

July 17th- Zaia Bowers

July 20th- Kymoara Woodman

July 23rd- Daphne Warsinske

July 29th- Aurora Swan

July 30th- Blakely Balla

July 31st- Lillian Corbin

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Key event dates for Kelley's Dance Craze (some may have been recently added/updated):

July 2-12, 2026: KDC will be Closed for a Teacher's Break

July 10, 2026: Last Day to Register for the KDC Competition Readiness Program

July 10, 2026: KDC Competition Team Readiness Program Fees Due

July 13-16, 2026: KDC Competition Readiness Program for all new dancers auditioning for the 2026-27 KDC Competition Team

July 17, 2026: KDC Summer Intensive/Team Audition Fees Due

July 17, 2026: Last Day to Register for the KDC Summer Intensive/Team Auditions

July 20-23, 2026: Week 1 of the KDC Summer Intensive

July 27-30, 2026: Week 2 of the KDC Summer Intensive

July 31, 2026: KDC 2026-2027 Competition Team Auditions

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 2026-27 KDC Competition Team families, *Required for all dancers who made the team (KDC Comp Team)

August 22-30, 2026: KDC will be Closed for a Teacher's Break

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

September 9, 2026: 1st Day of classes for the 2026-27 dance season

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

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

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

November 25-27, 2026: KDC Will Be Closed in Observance of Thanksgiving

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

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

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

March 29- April 4, 2027: KDC Will Be Closed for Spring Break

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

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

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

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

*****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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