

# KDC JUNE 2026 NEWSLETTER

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## TUITION

If you did not pay your tuition in full when you registered for classes, there is still 1 payment left for the remainder of the dance season. This payment is due June 1st. Your credit card on file will be ran at that time. If you do not have a credit card on file, or would like to pay with a different card, check, or cash, please do so by/before that date (through the mail your parent portal) to avoid late fees. **(\*If tuition is not paid in full by June 1st, your child will not be able to participate in the recital.)**

## RECITAL TICKET SALES

If you have not yet purchased your recital tickets, please do that soon, before they potentially sell out. You can purchase your tickets by going to: <https://27864.recitalticketing.com/> If you need extra seats, tickets are now on sale to the public.

## LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR THE 2025-2026 DANCE SEASON

The last day of classes for the 2025-2026 dance season will be Thursday, June 4th.

## MANDATORY KDC COMPETITION TEAM FINALE REHEARSAL

There is a mandatory Finale Rehearsal at the studio for our KDC Competition Team on Friday, June 5th from 5:00-6:30 pm with Miss Bri and Miss Gabi.

## YEARBOOK DISTRIBUTION

Our Yearbooks were passed out at Dress Rehearsal. In the case you missed it, any remaining yearbooks will be waiting for you at the front desk this week. We are so excited for you to see the finished product!



## KDC RECITAL GIFTS

If you pre-ordered a recital gift for your dancer, it will be available to pick up at the designated table on Recital day, either after you check your child in, or during intermission. Thank you for supporting our KDC fundraiser!

## KDC'S 8<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL RECITAL "HEROES VS VILLAINS"

The KDC Recital is a **mandatory** event for all recital dancers. This will take place on Sunday, June 7th at 1:00 pm at Walled Lake Central High School. All competition team dancers need to arrive by 11:45 am. All Recital dancers need to arrive by no later than 12:15 pm for check in. You can find the Recital packet, and more helpful info for this important weekend by going to: <https://kelleydancecraze.com/rehearsal%2Frecital-info> Please arrive in your first costume of the day with full hair and makeup already done. Our KDC Boosters will be selling water, flowers, and they will also be holding a 50/50 raffle. \*CASH ONLY for all of the above items!

## KDC COMPETITION TEAM BANQUET

Our KDC Boosters are honoring our 2025-2026 KDC Competition Team dancers by throwing them a banquet to celebrate all of their amazing accomplishments this season! The banquet will take place at Baker's in Milford from 6:00-9:00 pm on Wednesday, June 10th.

## NHSDA END OF THE SEASON PICNIC

Miss Bri and Miss Chrissy will be hosting an end of the season picnic for all NHSDA members to celebrate their accomplishments on Friday, June 12<sup>th</sup> from 12:00-3:00 pm at Spring Mill Pond in the Island Lake Recreation Area.

## KDC SUMMER CAMPS

KDC will be holding 2 Summer Camps this year: We have "Storytime Steps" Camp for ages 3-6 which will run from June 15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>. We also have a "Dancing Around the Holidays" Camp for ages 7-11 which will run from August 17<sup>th</sup>-21<sup>st</sup>. Each camp runs Monday- Friday from 9:00 AM- 12:00 PM, and include a daily snack, craft, dance classes, and games all based on our theme. The cost is \$200 per child. **Register now to reserve your spot before these camps fill up! \*Payments are due 2 weeks before each camp begins. \*\*There are no refunds once the payment has been made.**

## KDC COMPETITION READINESS PROGRAM

**Again 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, July 13<sup>th</sup>-16<sup>th</sup>. 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. **\*Payments are not due until July 10, 2026. \*All dancers must be auditioning for the KDC Comp Team to qualify.**

## KDC SUMMER INTENSIVE AND TEAM AUDITIONS (JULY 20-23, JULY 27-31)

We are holding a 2 week summer intensive/auditions at KDC (required for all dancers auditioning for the 2026-2027 team). You can find the schedule right on our website. **Please let Miss Kelley know if you would like to register, so she can place your child in classes, accordingly. \*Students that are new to the studio will need to schedule a private lesson for placement. \*\*Payments for this are due by July 17, 2026.**

## KDC FALL SCHEDULE 2026-2027

The fall schedule has now been released, and you can register now to reserve your spot! We have something for everyone, ages 3- 18. You can view the schedule by going to: <https://kelleysdancecraze.com/2026-2027-dance-schedule> and there is a registration button right on that page of our website.

## 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"!

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

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

June 5<sup>th</sup>- Amelia Jones

June 6<sup>th</sup>- Amelia McPhail

June 6<sup>th</sup>- Emilia Zygmuntowicz

June 8<sup>th</sup>- Maverick Treece

June 9<sup>th</sup>- Sophia Danylyk

June 9<sup>th</sup>- Kasen Eldredge

June 9<sup>th</sup>- Matilda Eldredge

June 11<sup>th</sup>- Miss Zayda

June 15<sup>th</sup>- Natalie Zulaski

June 20<sup>th</sup>- Briar Gibson

June 21<sup>st</sup>- Isla Merritt

June 27<sup>th</sup>- Emerson Walker

June 28<sup>th</sup>- Mia Davis

June 30<sup>th</sup>- Stella Dalton

June 30<sup>th</sup>- Emily Kumpula

### **JUNE STUDENTS OF THE MONTH**

We have nominated the following dancers for June Students of the Month. These dancers have gone above and beyond, demonstrating the qualities we are looking for in student of the month (good attendance, great listening skills, ability to apply corrections, and they show an overall love, dedication, and appreciation for dance. Every student who was nominated will receive a special gift (see the front desk). Congratulations to all of you! \*We did not nominate any competition team dancers this month, as they have all won one time this season, and some teachers' (that have less classes) Recital dancers have all won as well. These are the remaining teacher's choices for Recital students.

**Charlotte McLaren-** nominated by Miss Kylie

**Amelia McPhail-** nominated by Miss Zayda

**Roslyn Monge-** nominated by Miss Kelley

**Alyssa Rupert-** nominated by Miss Chrissy

**Zoe Suryapalli-** nominated by Miss Ava

**Cora Thorn-** nominated by Miss Gabi

## CONGRATS TO OUR FIVE YEAR STUDENTS!

Congratulations to all of our students who have been with us for 5 years! \*5 year students will be rewarded with a medal in one of their classes this week. As KDC continues, we will acknowledge our 5, 10, and 15 year students.

Amelia Butterfield

Olivia Dutton

Kendall Kelemen

Dani Petri

Emma Powers

Adaline Reynolds

Alyssa Rupert

Ellie Smith

Kymoara Woodman

Natalie Zulaski

## CONGRATS TO OUR KDC COMP TEAM!

Last month, our KDC Competition Team competed at Starquest Dance Competition. Our results are listed below:

STARQUEST DANCE COMPETITION, APRIL 30- MAY 3, SOLOS, DUETS, TRIOS, AND GROUPS

**Super Stars Lyrical "Dancing After Death"**- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

**Gianna DeGolyer's Tap Solo "Latch"**- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up for Senior Classic Emerging Artist, Highest Score in Category, "Complete Clarity" Award

**Lilley Rays' Lyrical Solo "It's Not Easy Being Green"**- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up for Junior Classic Emerging Artist, Highest Score in Category

**Paige Eagle, Hailey Schneider, & Mackenzie Schneider's Lyrical Trio "Snowing"**- 1<sup>st</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, Costume Award

**All Stars Hip Hop "Without Me"**- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Rising/Shooting Stars Musical Theatre "That's How We Do"**- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum

**Sparkling Stars Jazz "Supergirl"**- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum, Highest Score in Category, Costume Award

**Makayla Lucas' Lyrical Solo "Moon River"**- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up for Junior Nova Emerging Artist

**Avery Burzynski & Chloe Larosa's Lyrical Duet "Volcanic"**- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Gianna DeGolyer, Alexis Lancaster, & Hailey Schneider's Lyrical Trio "Count Me In"**- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**All Stars Lyrical "Mama This One's For You"**- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, "Beath of Fresh Air" Award

**All Stars Tap "Eleanor Rigby"**- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

**Shining/Super Stars Jazz "Pump The Breaks"**- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

**Rising Stars Jazz "Pose"**- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum

**Alexis Lancaster's Lyrical Solo "Don't You Remember"**- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Teen Elite Dance Winner

**Paige Eagle & Marissa Rates' Lyrical Duet "Waiting Room"**- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Lou Corbin & Lana Juras' Jazz Duet "Bump"**- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Sparkling/Rising Stars Lyrical "Future Me"**- 4<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum, Highest Score in Category

**Abigail Campbell & Lilley Rays' Jazz Duet "Gotta Get To It"**- 4<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Makayla Lucas & Maddie Stephenson's Tap Duet "My Boyfriend's Back"**- 4<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum

**Whitney Burzynski, Gianna DeGolyer, & Marissa Rates' Contemporary Trio "Love Me"**- 4<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**All Stars Contemporary "Orange Juice"**- 5<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Super/All Stars Musical Theatre "Satisfied"**- 5<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, Teen Odyssey Award

**Sparkling/Rising Stars Tap "Boogie Woogie Bugle Boy"**- 5<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum

**Sparkling Stars Hip Hop "I Bring The Boom"**- 5<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum, Highest Score in Category

**Whitney Burzynski's Lyrical Solo "I Have Nothing"**- 5<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, 2<sup>nd</sup> Runner Up for Senior Classic Emerging Artist, Costume Award

**Maddie Stephenson's Musical Theatre Solo "Sally Brown"**- 5<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, "The Whole Package" Award

**Select Large Group Jazz #1 "Outta Love"**- 6<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, "Timing Queens" Award

**Mackenzie Schneider's Lyrical Solo "I've Come To Realize"**- 6<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, 1<sup>st</sup> Runner Up for Senior Elite Dancer

**Hailey Schneider's Open Solo "Girl I Am Now"**- 6<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

**Shining/Super Stars Contemporary "Shake It Out"**- 7<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Gabriella Cassar's Lyrical Solo "Forever Young"**- 7<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Shining Stars Musical Theatre "Jet Set"**- 8<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Lana Juras' Musical Theatre Solo "So Much Better"**- 8<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum

**Chloe Larosa's Musical Theatre Solo "Screw Loose"**- 9<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

**Shining Stars Lyrical "Open Hands"**- 10<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Paige Eagle's Contemporary Solo "Hurt For Me"**- 10<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Avery Burzynski's Jazz Solo "Friday I'm In Love"**- 11<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Teen/Senior Photogenic Award of Distinction

**Super Stars Tap "Bills"**- 16<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum

**All Stars Jazz "Alien Superstar"**- 17<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum

**Libby DeLisle's Contemporary Solo "The 30th"**- 19<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Marissa Rates' Lyrical Solo "Tell Him I Miss Him"**- 20<sup>th</sup> Place Overall, Platinum Plus

**Kaycie DeLisle's Musical Theatre Solo "I Want The Good Times Back"**- Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

**Gianna DeGolyer's Lyrical Solo "We'll Be Fine"**- Platinum Plus

**Alexis Lancaster's Jazz Solo "Elevator"**- Platinum Plus

**Select Large Group Jazz #2 "Code Red"**- Platinum

**Shining/Super Stars Hip Hop "Money Moves"**- Platinum

**Shining Stars Tap "Do It Like This"**- Platinum, Highest Score in Category

**Shooting Stars Lyrical "Hang On A Little Longer"**- Platinum, Costume Award

**Shooting Stars Jazz "I Am 100%"**- Platinum

**Rising/Shooting Stars Hip Hop "Chapstick"**- Platinum

**Starlings Tap "Sea Cruise"**- Platinum, Costume Award

**Starlings Jazz "Signed, Sealed, Delivered"**- Platinum

**Whitney Burzynski's Musical Theatre Solo "My Days"**- Platinum, Highest Score in Category, Teen/Senior Photogenic Award of Distinction

**Brennan Larson's Musical Theatre Solo "The Girl In 14G"**- Platinum, "Leap, Leap, Leap" Award, Teen/Senior Photogenic Award of Distinction

**Lucy Powers' Tap Solo "The Boy Does Nothing"**- Platinum, Costume Award, Junior Photogenic Award of Distinction

**Grace Lejzorowicz's Jazz Solo "Mama Knows Best"**- Platinum, Teen/Senior Photogenic Award of Distinction

**Abigail Campbell's Musical Theatre Solo "Bonjour, Paris!"**- Platinum, Costume Award

**Brynn Smutzki's Jazz Solo "Beautiful"**- Platinum

**Emily Kumpula's Jazz Solo "Clumsy"**- Platinum

**Lou Corbin's Lyrical Solo "Follow The Sun"**- Platinum

**Rosie Dupre's Jazz Solo "I Slay"**- Platinum

**Lucy Stowell's Jazz Solo "I'm A Showstopper"**- Platinum



**Shooting Stars Tap "Heist"**- High Gold

**Amelia Butterfield's Tap Solo "Something New"**- High Gold

**Amelia Jones' Tap Solo "Faith"**- High Gold

**Dani Petri**- Mini/Petite Photogenic Award of Distinction

**Kelley's Dance Craze**- Visually Stunning Studio Award

We are so proud of all of you!  

## **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

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

**June 1, 2026:** June Tuition Due

**June 1, 2026:** KDC Pre-Order Recital Gift Fees Due

**June 1, 2026:** The Fall Schedule will be Released and Registration will Begin for the 2026-27 season

**June 1, 2026:** Last day to Register for our "Storytime Steps" Summer Dance Camp for ages 3-6

**June 1, 2026:** "Storytime Steps" Summer Dance Camp Fees Due

**June 1, 2026:** June Newsletter Release

**June 1-4, 2026:** Open Window Week

**June 4, 2026:** Last Day of Classes for the 2025-2026 Dance Season

**June 5, 2026:** Mandatory Finale Rehearsal, 5:00-6:30 pm (KDC Comp Team)

**June 7, 2026:** KDC's 8th Annual Recital "Heroes Vs. Villains", Walled Lake Central High School, 1:00 pm show

**June 8-14, 2026:** KDC Will Be Closed for a Teacher's Break

**June 10, 2026:** KDC Competition Team Banquet, Bakers in Milford, 6:00-9:00 pm

**June 12, 2026:** NHSDA End of the Year Picnic, 12:00 pm, location TBA

**June 15-19, 2026:** "Storytime Steps" Summer Camp for ages 3-6

**June 19, 2026:** Last Day to Register for Summer Private Lessons- Session 1 (KDC Comp Team)

**June 19, 2026:** Summer Private Lesson Fees Due- Session 1 (KDC Comp Team)

**June 22-24, 2026:** Week 1 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 1 (KDC Comp Team)

**June 29- July 1, 2026:** Week 2 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 1 (KDC Comp Team)

**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, 2026:** Last Day to Register for our "Dancing Around the Holidays" Summer Dance Camp for ages 7-11

**August 3, 2026:** "Dancing Around the Holidays" Summer Dance Camp Fees Due

**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:** "Dancing Around the Holidays" Summer Dance Camp for ages 7-11

**August 24-28, 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 31- September 2, 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:** 1<sup>st</sup> Day of classes for the 2026-27 dance season

**September 15, 2026:** Competition Team Jacket Fees 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 29- April 4, 2027:** KDC Will Be Closed for Spring Break

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

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

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

~Kelley Paronish

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