

KDC OCTOBER 2019 NEWSLETTER

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THANK YOU

A huge thank you to all of the students who brought a friend last week for our 1st 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 per child, 10% off each additional per child, *excludes competition team classes and solos/duets/trios, private lessons, and adult fitness) **the final date for registration is Tuesday, October 15th.**

UPDATED SCHEDULE

Our schedule was updated yesterday for cancelled classes. If any of these affected your child, you should have received an email from me yesterday 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

ADULT FITNESS CLASSES

KDC offers adult fitness classes twice a week for our students age 16-adult. We have 2 classes to choose from: ZUMBA (Tuesdays from 7:30-8:30 pm) and WERQ (Thursdays from 7:30-8:30 pm). 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 15th.** 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 15th 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. Recital Songs will be announced during Halloween week (October 24-30). Recital Costumes will not be shown until after they have been ordered, I'm sure they are in stock and will ship on time, and I have completed making our costume book (late November/early December).

OPEN WINDOW

Due to having the window open the 1st week of September and this past week for Bring a Friend Week, we have decided to keep the windows closed for the entire month of October. This will help to keep our students focused, and allow you to see their growth over time. Beginning in November, the window will be open the 1st lesson of each month and will remain closed on the other weeks.

PRE-DANCE AND 5-6 YR OLD CLASSES

We will be performing a short Halloween Dance at the end of our class for the parents of these classes. 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 (THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24-WEDNESDAY, 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 18th 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

KDC GEAR

KDC Merchandise order forms were sent home with our dancers a few weeks ago. We also have extra forms available at the front desk, and online. **Orders will be due by October 15th.** Your child is welcome to wear these pieces to class, so it can count as part of their dance wardrobe! All orders will be back in time for Christmas delivery (most likely late Nov/early December).

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Key event dates for Kelley's Dance Craze:

October Tuition Due: October 1, 2019

Fall Registration Ends: October 15, 2019

KDC Merchandise Orders Due: October 15, 2019

KDC Parent's Night Out: October 18, 2019

Wear your Halloween Costume to Class: October 24-30, 2019

Halloween: Closed October 31, 2019

November Tuition Due: November 1, 2019

Costume Deposits Due: November 15, 2019

Thanksgiving Break: Closed November 28-30, 2019

December Tuition Due: December 1, 2019

KDC Competition Team Holiday Party: December 14, 2019

Holiday Break: Closed December 21, 2019- January 5, 2020

January Tuition Due: January 1, 2020

Classes Resume: January 6, 2020

Winter Registration ends: January 15, 2020

Costume Balances Due: January 15, 2020

Mandatory KDC Competition Team Make Up/Hair Class: January 18, 2020 (12:00-1:30 pm)

Mandatory KDC Competition Team Rehearsal: January 18, 2020 (Long)

February Tuition Due: February 1, 2020

Mandatory KDC Competition Team Rehearsal: February 8, 2020 (Short)

Mid-Winter Break: Closed February 15-22, 2020

Classes Resume: February 24, 2020

Rainbow Dance Competition: February 28- March 1, 2020

March Tuition Due: March 1, 2020

KAR Dance Competition: March 20-22, 2020

April Tuition Due: April 1, 2020

Spring Break: Closed April 4- April 12, 2020

Classes Resume: April 13, 2020

Picture Day Weekend: April 18-19, 2020

VIP Dance Competition: April 24-26, 2020

May Tuition Due: May 1, 2020

Recital Ticket Sales: May 2020 TBA

Recital Program Ads Due: May 23, 2020

Memorial Day: Closed May 25, 2020

Finale/Ballet Production Rehearsal: May 29, 2020

June Tuition Due: June 1, 2020

Last Day of Classes: June 4, 2020

Finale/Ballet Production Rehearsal: June 5, 2020

Dress Rehearsal: June 6, 2020 (Walled Lake Western)

Recital: June 7, 2020 (Walled Lake Western)

KAR National Dance Competition: July 18-22, 2020

I would like to acknowledge both our September and October birthdays at KDC:

September:

Julieta Camacho- 9/3

Sierra Fugitt- 9/4

Mikalah Geistler- 9/6

Gianna DeGolyer- 9/7

Gabriella Cassar- 9/12

Ava Boji- 9/17

Shelby Fugitt- 9/19

Jennifer Ormand- 9/19

Ginalee Gallozi- 9/20

Claire Filthaut- 9/25

Evelyn Dooley- 9/30

Chloe Newman- 9/30

October:

Ryhan Matthews- 10/3

Lily Tomes- 10/3

Emma Lauritzen- 10/7

Layla Dowling- 10/14

Samantha Shaia- 10/16

Ishani Panja- 10/23

Madelynn Stephenson- 10/24

Miss Dani- 10/29

Abigail Groat- 10/31

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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