# **KDC JUNE 2025 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 reminder 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: <a href="https://27864.recitalticketing.com/">https://27864.recitalticketing.com/</a> If you need extra seats, tickets are now on sale to the public.

## LAST DAY OF CLASSES FOR THE 2024-2025 DANCE SEASON

The last day of classes for the 2024-2025 dance season will be Thursday, June 5th.

# MANDATORY KDC COMPETITION TEAM FINALE REHEARSAL

There is a mandatory Finale Rehearsal at the studio for our whole Competition Team (Starlings/Sparkling/rising/Shooting/Shining/Super/All Stars) on Friday, June 6th from 5:00-6:00 pm with Miss Bri and Miss Gabi.

# **KDC DRESS REHEARSAL**

The KDC Dress Rehearsal is a **mandatory** event for all recital dancers. This will take place on Saturday, June 7th at Walled Lake Western High School. You can find the full Dress Rehearsal schedule, and more helpful info for this important weekend by going to: <a href="https://kelleysdancecraze.com/rehearsal%2Frecitalinfo">https://kelleysdancecraze.com/rehearsal%2Frecitalinfo</a> Please arrive in your first costume of the day with full hair and makeup.

### YEARBOOK DISTRIBUTION

Our Yearbooks will be passed out at Dress Rehearsal. In the case you miss it, any remaining yearbooks will be at the Check In table at Recital. 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 7<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL RECITAL "JUST DANCE"

The KDC Recital is a **mandatory** event for <u>all</u> recital dancers. This will take place on Sunday, June 8th at 1:00 pm at Walled Lake Western High School. All competition team dancers need to arrive by 11:45 am. All Recital dancers need to arrive by <u>no later</u> 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://kelleysdancecraze.com/rehearsal%2Frecital-info Please arrive in your first costume of the day with full hair and makeup. 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!

# 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 13<sup>th</sup> from 12:00-3:00 pm at Spring Mill Pond in the Island Lake Recreation Area.

## MANDATORY KDC COMPETITION TEAM REHEARSALS FOR SENIOR NATIONALS

To help prepare for our upcoming Nationals, we will be holding mandatory rehearsals for all our KDC Competition Team dancers on July 1-2 and July 8-9 from 5:15-8:30 pm. \*See the schedule on our website for more details.

## **KDC SUMMER CAMPS**

KDC will be holding 2 Summer Camps this year: We have "Slumber Party" Camp for ages 3-6 which will run from July 28<sup>th-</sup> August 1st. We also have an "Camping Adventure" Camp for ages 7-11 which will run from August 4<sup>th-</sup> 8th. 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 1 week 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-Friday from 5:30-8:00, August 4<sup>th</sup>-8<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 29, 2025.** \***All dancers must be auditioning for the KDC Comp Team to qualify.** 

# KDC SUMMER INTENSIVE AND AUDITIONS (AUGUST 11-14, AUGUST 18-22)

We are holding a 2 week summer intensive/auditions at KDC (required for all dancers auditioning for the 2025-2026 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 August 1, 2025.

# **KDC FALL SCHEDULE 2025-2026**

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: <a href="https://kelleysdancecraze.com/2025-2026-dance-schedule">https://kelleysdancecraze.com/2025-2026-dance-schedule</a> (scroll all the way down) 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: <a href="https://kelleysdancecraze.com">https://kelleysdancecraze.com</a> 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 2<sup>nd</sup>- Kaileah Woodman

June 3rd- Addison Partridge

June 5th- Amelia Jones

June 6th- Emilia Zygmontowicz

June 9th- Sophia Danylyk

June 9th- Matilda Eldredge

June 12th- Leila Ksar

June 15th- Nicole Kuzmuk

June 15th- Udvitha Ommi

June 15th- Natalie Zulaski

June 22nd- Charlotte Gold

June 22<sup>nd</sup>- Eloise Gold

June 23rd- Charlotte Armaly

June 23rd- Libby Gold

June 24th- Naya Dosov

June 26th- Logan Riley

June 26th- Miss Suzi

June 27th- Emerson Walker

June 28th- Mia Davis

June 30th- Stella Dalton

June 30th- 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.

Mia Davis- nominated by Miss Gabi

Josie Greck- nominated by Miss Bri

**Summer Rosinski-** nominated by Miss Kelley

Leila Tohme- nominated by Miss Ava

Aria Yates- nominated by Miss Zayda

## **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.

Abigail Campbell

Marlowe Dutton

Dakota Ellis

Grace Lejzorowicz

Makayla Lucas

Makenzie Lucas

Bianca Pasquinzo

Lucy Stowell

Iris Wyman

## **CONGRATS TO OUR KDC COMP TEAM!**

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

# STARQUEST DANCE COMPETITION, MAY 2-4, SOLOS, DUETS, TRIOS, AND GROUPS

Mackenzie Schneider's Lyrical Solo "Burn"- 1st Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, 2nd Runner Up for Classic Teen Emerging Artist, Best Costume Award

Harper Bialach, Makayla Lucas, and Maddie Stephenson's Jazz Trio "Oops!...I Did It Again" - 1st Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, Costume Award

All Stars Hip Hop "Push"- 2nd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, "Fierce Formations" Award

Rising/Shooting Stars Tap "Bandstand Boogie" - 2nd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Gianna DeGolyer, Alexis Lancaster, and Hailey Schneider's Lyrical Trio "Don't Worry About Me"- 2nd Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Emily Kumpula, Brennan Larson, and Brynn Smutzki's Jazz Trio- 2nd Place Overall, Platinum KDC Jazz Line "Purse First"- 3rd Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Sparkling/Rising Stars Musical Theatre "Ay Caramba" - 3rd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Bianca Pasquinzo and Mackenzie Schneider's Lyrical Duet "You'll Never Walk Alone" - 3rd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, Best Costume Award

Harley Eagle and Paige Eagle's Contemporary Duet "For All We Know"- 3rd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, "Perfect Partnership" Award

Brynn Smutzki's Jazz Solo "Fierce"- 3rd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Winner- Nova Teen Emerging Artist

Sparkling/Rising/Shooting Stars Hip Hop "Cars That Go Boom" - 3rd Place Overall, Platinum

Shining/Super Stars Contemporary "Take Me Home"- 4th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Super Stars Tap "Paint It Black" - 4th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Sparkling Stars Tap "Born To Be Wild"- 4th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, "Wild and Wonderful" Award

Gianna DeGolyer and Alexis Lancaster's Jazz Duet "Post That" - 4th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Brennan Larson's Musical Theatre Solo "Show Off"- 4th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, 2nd Runner Up for Nova Teen Emerging Artist, "Born To Entertain" Award

Vivien Cracknell's Tap Solo "She Works Hard For The Money"- 4th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Hailey Schneider's Lyrical Solo "Build It Up"- 4th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

All Stars Contemporary "Joker"- 5th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Odyssey Award, Costume Award

Whitney Burzynski's Musical Theatre Solo "Model Behavior"- 5th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, 1st Runner Up for Classic Senior Emerging Artist, Costume Award

Maddie Stephenson's Tap Solo "Red Balloon"- 5th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, "Crisp and Clean" Award, Promoted to the next level by the Judges

Libby DeLisle, Marissa Rates, and Hailey Schneider's Lyrical Trio "When We're Older"- 5th Place Overall. Platinum Plus

Avery Burzynski, Chloe Larosa, and Lilley Rays' Lyrical Trio "Start Again"- 5th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Paige Eagle and Marissa Rates' Lyrical Duet "Meant To Stay Hid" - 5th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Costume Award

Bianca Pasquinzo's Lyrical Solo "Once I Was Loved"- 6th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

All Stars Tap "The Chain" - 7th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Chloe Larosa's Musical Theatre Solo "Wallflower"- 7th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, Winner- Classic Teen Emerging Artist

Lucy Powers' Tap Solo "One Fine Day"- 8th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

All Stars Jazz "Sports Mode" - 9th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Paige Eagle's Lyrical Solo "Funeral"- 9th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, 2nd Runner Up for Classic Senior Emerging Artist

Makayla Lucas' Tap Solo "Something's Got A Hold On Me"- 9th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Abigail Campbell's Tap Solo "Valerie" - 9th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Lucy Stowell's Tap Solo "Route 66"- 9th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Shining Stars Tap "Wild Jack" - 10th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Harper Bialach's Jazz Solo "Looking Good, Feeling Gorgeous"- 10th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Shining/Super Stars Jazz "Chromatic" - 11th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

All Stars Lyrical "Like A River Runs" - 12th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Jacqueline Cracknell's Jazz Solo "Vogue" - 12th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Gianna DeGolyer's Jazz Solo "Level Up" - 12th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Marissa Rates' Lyrical Solo "What We've Become" - 12th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

All Stars Musical Theatre "I'm Just Ken"- 13th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Shooting/Shining Stars Musical Theatre "Pop!" - 15th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Amelia Butterfield's Tap Solo "Jailhouse Rock" - 18th Place Overall, Platinum

Shining/Super Stars Jazz "Missy" - Platinum Plus

Shooting Stars Jazz- Platinum Plus

Alexis Lancaster's Musical Theatre Solo "The 20th Century Fox Mambo"- Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Harley Eagle's Jazz Solo "Let It Whip"- Platinum Plus, "Intention To Groove" Award

Lilley Rays' Lyrical Solo "It Must Have Been Love"- Platinum Plus, "Beauty, Power, and Grace" Award

Avery Burzynski's Jazz Solo "Work" - Platinum Plus

Gianna DeGolyer's Tap Solo "Can You Keep Up?"- Platinum Plus

Kaycie DeLisle's Musical Theatre Solo "Grannyland" - Platinum Plus

Libby DeLisle's Contemporary Solo "Sleep Walk" - Platinum Plus

Harley Eagle's Contemporary Solo "Fistful Of Love" - Platinum Plus

Alexis Lancaster's Jazz Solo "Bubblegum"- Platinum Plus

Chloe Larosa's Jazz Solo "Fun"- Platinum Plus

Abigail Campbell and Lilley Rays' Musical Theatre Duet "We Share Everything" - Platinum Plus, Highest in Category, Costume Award

Avery Burzynski and Chloe Larosa's Lyrical Duet "Vienna" - Platinum Plus

Libby DeLisle and Harley Eagle's Contemporary Duet "Not My Responsibility"- Platinum Plus

Emily Kumpula and Grace Lejzorowicz's Tap Duet "Good To Go"- Platinum Plus

Sparkling Stars Lyrical "It's Not Gonna Rain" - Platinum, Costume Award

Rising/Shooting Stars Lyrical "Breathe Again" - Platinum

Rising Stars Jazz "Delete" - Platinum

Starlings Jazz "Up & Down"- Platinum

Starlings Tap "Material Girls"- Platinum

Lillian Corbin's Lyrical Solo "I Know"- Platinum

Grace Lejzorowicz's Tap Solo "One Way Or Another"- Platinum

Whitney Burzynski- Runner Up for Teen/Senior Photogenic Marissa Rates- Runner Up for Teen/Senior Photogenic

Dani Petri- Runner Up for Petite Photogenic

Studio Award- Studio Superlative Award "Superb Stage Presence"

We are so proud of all of you!



<sup>\*</sup>Results from Starquest Nationals will be listed in our August Newsletter

# **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

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

June 1, 2025: June Tuition is Due

June 1, 2025: June Newsletter Release

June 1, 2025: 2025-2026 Fall Schedule Release, Registration Begins

June 2-5, 2025: Open Window Week

June 5, 2025: Last Day of Classes for the 2024-2025 dance season

June 6, 2025: Mandatory Comp Team Finale Rehearsal, 5:00-6:00 pm (KDC Comp Team)

**June 7, 2025:** Mandatory Dress Rehearsal for All Recital Students, Times in your Recital packet (Walled Lake Western)

June 8, 2025: KDC's 7th Annual Recital "Just Dance", 1:00 pm show (Walled Lake Western)

June 9-29, 2025: KDC Will Be Closed for a Teacher Break

June 13, 2025: NHSDA End of the Year Picnic, 12:00-3:00 pm

June 16, 2025: Solo/Duet/Trio Offers for Current KDC Comp Team Dancers Will Be Emailed Out

June 30, 2025: Fees Due for Summer Private Lessons- Session 1 (KDC Comp Team)

June 30- July 2, 2025: Week 1 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 1 (KDC Comp Team)

July 1-2, 2025: Nationals Rehearsal Dates for our KDC Competition Team, 5:15-8:30 pm

July 7-9, 2025: Week 2 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 1 (KDC Comp Team)

July 8-9, 2025: Nationals Rehearsal Dates for our KDC Competition Team, 5:15-8:30 pm

July 14, 2025: Registration Ends for our "Slumber Party" Summer Camp for ages 3-6

July 15, 2025: Fees Due for our "Slumber Party" Summer Camp for ages 3-6

July 15-20, 2025: Starquest Nationals, Virginia Beach Convention Center (KDC Competition Team)

July 21, 2025: Registration Ends for our "Camping Adventure" Summer Camp for ages 7-11

July 22, 2025: Fees Due for our "Camping Adventure" Summer Camp for ages 7-11

July 22, 2025: Fees Due for Summer Private Lessons- Session 2 (KDC Comp Team)

July 22-24, 2025: Week 1 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 2 (KDC Comp Team)

July 28, 2025: Registration Ends for our KDC Competition Readiness Program

July 28- August 1, 2025: KDC "Slumber Party" Summer Camp for ages 3-6, 9:00 am-12:00 pm

July 29, 2025: Fees Due for our KDC Competition Readiness Program

July 29-31, 2025: Week 2 of Summer Private Lessons- Session 2 (KDC Comp Team)

August 1, 2025: KDC Summer Intensive and Team Auditions Fees Due

August 4-8, 2025: KDC "Camping Adventure" Summer Camp for ages 7-11, 9:00 am-12:00 pm

August 4-8, 2025: KDC Competition Readiness Program (5:30-8:00 pm)

August 8, 2025: Last Day to Register for the KDC Summer Intensive and Team Auditions

August 11-14, 2025: Week 1 of the KDC Summer Intensive

August 18-21, 2025: Week 2 of the KDC Summer Intensive

August 22, 2025: KDC 2025-2026 Team Auditions

August 23, 2025: KDC 2025-2026 Competition Team Announcement

August 25-29. 2025: Individual Meetings with NEW Competition Team families, and any returning compfamilies that want to touch base

September 1, 2025: Annual Registration Fee Due, \$40 per Family

September 1, 2025: September Tuition Due

September 1, 2025: September Newsletter Release

September 1-2, 2025: KDC is Closed in Observance of Labor Day

**September 2, 2025:** Mandatory KDC Competition Team Meeting, Team Contract signing, Commitment Fee Due, Big/Little Sister Reveal, 6:00 pm (KDC Comp Team)

**September 3, 2025:** 1st Day of Classes for the 2025-2026 Dance Season

\*\*\*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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