DANCE FOR JOY

An Affiliate of the ARTifice Foundation

November 2026

Recital Costume Info

All dancers in Primary 1, 2, 3 and Ballet Joy have been charged a $40 costume rental fee due no later than November 15th. Adult Ballet dancers who opt in will also be charged.

If you have signed up for Auto Bill Pay, PLEASE CONTACT MS AMY IF YOU **DO NOT** WANT HER TO AUTOPAY THE COSTUME FEE. This will be run on November 15th for costume fees only.

This fee covers the costume rental AND a pair of recital tights for your dancer.

This year, there will be a costume fee for ballet and tap, each. *Meaning dancers taking both classes will be charged two costume fees. This does not apply for Adult Tap.*

Thanksgiving Break Reminder

November 24th – December 4th

This year, we are closed November 24th – December 4th for Thanksgiving Break. **We have REGULARLY SCHEDULED CLASSES ON MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23RD.** If you have any questions regarding the tuition policy or our holiday schedule, please be sure to email Ms Amy at amy@danceforjoyga.org.

2025/26 Season Scripture:
November
Psalm 23:1 – The Lord is my shepherd. I shall not want.

IMPORTANT DATES

November 15
Costume Fee Due for Recital Classes

November 24 – Dec 4
Thanksgiving Break – No Class

December 7 – 11
Christmas Theme Week

December 14 – 17
Studio Wide Parent Watch Week

December 20 – January 2
Closed for Christmas

January 4
Classes Resume

February 8 – 12
Valentine's Theme Week

February 15 – 16
Winter Break – No Class

Family Watch Day

Mark your calendars NOW for our Family Watch Day in December! Parents and close family are invited to come to your dancer's class to see all we are learning this season! Your dancers are working hard and we have some fun things to show you! **Family Watch Days will happen during your child's regularly scheduled classes December 14-17th.**

Dancer's Corner

Each month, we will highlight something our classes are learning! Our dancers are learning something new every week!

Mommy&Me and Tiny Tutus: We are working on moving sideways!

Primary 1 Ballet: We are working on dancing along varying pathways and skipping

Primary 1 Tap: We are working on the difference between stomp, stamp and step

Primary 2 Ballet: We are working on Chasse Temps Leve

Primary 2 Tap: We are working on flaps and creating a short combination

Primary 3 Ballet: We are working on grand battement placement, arabesque, and spotting when turning

Primary 3 Tap: We are working on Maxi Ford, Buffalo, and Military Cramp Roll

Ballet Joy: We are working on stretching our legs in tendu, grand battement, and temps leve

Tap for All: We are working on combining two very different steps together

Adult Ballet: We are working on building up to a grande fouetté, assemble, and pique turns!

Adult Tap: We are working on a Maxi Ford, Buffalo and Waltz Clog!