



September 2018 Newsletter

Welcome to another great year of dance at Heart of the Valley Dance Academy!

Thank you for joining our dance family for the 2018/19 season. We are excited to start dancing!

Parent handbooks are available at the studio for anyone who didn't receive a copy along with your email confirmation. You can use the handbook to answer questions you may have and to find important info on our costume week in October and details on so much more. Copies of our dance calendar are also available!

Please let the front desk know if you have not received any emails and we will be sure to add you to our list.

If you have not yet made a payment for class fees please stop at our desk ASAP to do so. Your last day to receive a discount for paying in full is September 30. Statements are not mailed to families – please use your online account to view balances due and see payments made. Log in details will be emailed in the next week. Please watch for an email from us with “new dance account parent portal” in the subject line.

Please plan accordingly to ensure accounts are paid in full on or before April 15th.

“Costume Week”

Will be held the week of October 21 during regular class time. **One parent must be present for each dancer.** At this class, students will be measured and sized for their costumes; ***students will not be dancing.***

Payment for costumes is also due at this time.

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We will be having monthly Vande Walle candy bar and Kwik Trip gas card fundraisers for those interested in participating!

Profits can be used to covers class fees, costumes, production numbers, summer classes...just about anything!

Candy Bars:

There are 40 bars per box and you will receive 5 of the following in the assorted case: caramel nut, english toffee, chocolate truffle, mint truffle, dark chocolate, peanut butter meltaway, caramel and milk chocolate. Candy bars sell for \$1 and your total profit per box will be \$15. Anyone interested in selling candy bars must get their order to the studio by the first Monday of every month. Candy bars will be available to pick up at the studio in approximately 3 weeks. Candy bars must be paid for when you pick up your boxes.

Kwik Trip:

Earn a 5% profit on the sale of Kwik Trip Gift cards. Cards can be used to buy gas, food or car washes. You buy a \$100 card and Get a \$100 card! Kwik trip sells the cards at a discounted price allowing us to credit the 5% discount to your account. Orders are due the first Monday of every month and must be paid in full when orders are placed. Cards arrive in about 5 days.

No credit card payments are accepted for fundraising orders. No cash refunds of fundraising profits.

Bring a friend to dance week is September 24-17. Each dancer is invited to ask one friend to join them at class. Each friend must have a signed waiver to participate. Friends do not need dance shoes, but should wear comfortable clothing. We will be doing lots of fun activities!

Be sure to check our parent info board in the studio waiting room for updates and reminders on all things dance! You can find Kwik Trip orders forms, our dance calendar and more here.