SEPTEMBER NEWS

Season 19



RECITAL FEES

Our love of dance is best expressed in our annual recital and the time to plan our 2027 recital is now! All participating dancers must pay a non-refundable fee of $90 on or before October 15th and $100 after October 15th. The recital fee secures our venue, provides one recital T-shirt per dancer, one physical program per dancer and a recording of the recital for each family. Your credit card will be charged the recital fee unless you inform us that your child is unable to participate in the recital before October 15th. Costumes are a separate fee and students are invited to accompany a parent to the studio during the week of October 19th to see their costumes for the first time and place their costume order. Each ticket to the show is $10+ fees and will be available for purchase in May. Company students participating in Tap Line will receive one All-Show wristband. The recital will be held at Houston Christian University on May 22nd. Our tech rehearsals will be held May 3rd & 4th.

WATER BOTTLES

Combo class students should leave water bottles with their guardian. Also, please assist younger dancers with going to the restroom before class begins. We want to prevent as many spills and potty accidents as possible!

DRESS CODE

Now is a great time to make sure students have not outgrown their dancewear from last year! Please review the Dress Code Guide and purchase all dance shoes from Memorial Dancewear. When wearing crop tops, please be sure to also wear a cover-up to and from the studio!

LABEL BELONGINGS

Please label your dancer's shoes with their last name or their initials inside the shoe. This is especially helpful for the younger students to ensure that all shoes go home in the correct bags.

MDC MAHJONG

Mama's Night Out

Trade dance bags for mahjong tiles and join us for a night of bites, drinks and mingling with MDC mamas!
https://evite.me/xaTuPgHyVB

CALENDAR

- September 7- Closed for Labor Day
- September 21-24- Open Curtain Week - Part 1
- September 28-October 1- Open Curtain Week - Part 2
- October 2- MDC Mahjong Mama's Night Out
- October 15- Recital Fee Due
- October 19-23- Costume Ordering (no classes)
- October 26-29- Costumania
- November 23-26- Closed for Thanksgiving
- December 7-10- Winter Showcase (Schedule TBA)
- December 14-January 3- Closed for Holiday

OPEN CURTAIN WEEKS

We are excited to welcome you into the studio! The first opportunity for you to view your child's class will take place this month during our designated Open Curtain weeks. Please check the website's fall class schedule page for your dancer's studio.

- Drop-off will occur as normal and visitors will be invited to stand in the hallway once the class has settled inside the classroom.
- Due to space constraints, please have no more than two visitors per student and strollers are not permitted.
- Parking will be limited - please do not park in the fire lane!
- To protect our students and respect the wishes of all parents, there is to be no videography or photography.
- Classes should run as normal as possible and we ask that you do not interact with the students through the viewing windows.
- You are free to watch all or a portion of your dancer(s) class(es).
- Pick-up will occur as normal and visitors of younger students will be asked to wait for their dancer at their appropriate pick-up waiting area.

OPEN CURTAIN PART 1

September 21-24

Classes that take place in studios 1, 3, 5 & 6

OPEN CURTAIN PART 2

September 28-October 1

Classes that take place in studios 2 & 4

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