

COMPANY NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER

REMINDER FROM OCTOBER NEWSLETTER:

Firecrackers Hip Hop-Saturday November 3rd 9-1

No reh for Specialty on Friday November 2nd as previously stated.

November 9th Reh-

ALL Company pictures 3:00-4:00—Wear your new company apparel (leggings and bras and tanks) Bring studio jackets also.

Reh-Patricks Piece-4:00-7

Reh ALL dancers Production-ALL DANCERS 4-7

Wednesday November 28th & Thursday November 29th- Patrick's piece 9-10p.m.

***Studio newsletters went out today also. Remember....you DON'T pay a recital fee. It is included in your company payments. If you are in a rec class and want to perform with them, you only have to pay for a costume of \$65. Let Lesley or your teacher know if you are performing with your rec classes or not. We would LOVE to see perform with them.

CLOGGING SHOES-All dancers should have clogging shoes by now. IF we didn't get a used pair back in your size, we have plenty of new shoes available.

DANCERS LOUNGE-We are having a HUGE problem with company dancers and the messes and food and drink they are leaving in the lounge. Please remind your dancer to clean up after herself if she eats or studies in the lounge. Dancers are also leaving messes and garbage outside on breaks. If this continues to be a problem, we will close the lounge down until further notice. It has really become ridiculous. We provide the lounge for the girls to eat and study. We hope to continue to offer this to the dancers.

BALLROOM-Come take a FREE Ballroom class! Thursday November 8th ages 8-12 4:00-5:00pm Tuesday November 13th ages 12 + 4:00-5:00pm. Make sure you email or come in the office to save your spot. We would LOVE to see our companies come work on posture, and ballroom basics before the convention season!

NEW EQUIPMENT-You will notice or hear about our new equipment for our Body Alignment and pre pointe classes with Miss Lindsay. Ask your dancers how they are being used. This equipment saves the girls from having to buy all the items and transporting them. There will be a rental fee of \$20 each year but for our companies this year, there is NO FEE. If you paid one to Miss Lindsay, talk to her or Lesley. Please take care of these expensive items. We are in the process of building shelves and cabinets to store them in studio 2.

Justin's Extra piece-Auditions will be Thursday November 1st from 9-10. This piece will rehearse on Thursday nights from 9-10 (no Reh Thursday November 29th). Ideally, he would like 12 dancers. If you are in this piece, there will be a one time choreography fee of \$125 *based on 12 dancers, and then a simple costume will need to be purchased. Please remember this piece will cost additional competition fees.

Make-up-All company dancers are required to come to our make-up/hair clinic. This will be Thursday November 15th @ 8pm (no Pointe Class this day). This year we will be doing new make-up. With so many new dancers joining us, we are going to start fresh with products and style. The Dancers mom that will be doing our Mary Kay make-up sales is going to donate the commission made from the sales to our studios DRINKING FOUNTAIN. We have tried for years to fund raise for one and we appreciate her willingness to work with us and Support EDS dancers.

Bag: \$35.00-Required

Eye primer: \$12 Required

2 eye colors: \$16.00- Required

Finishing spray: \$18-Highly Suggested

Cheek color: \$12.00-Optional

Mini eye brushes:\$2.00-optional

Mini cheek brush: \$2.00-optional

***Other items will also be available*

These items can be purchased on the day of the clinic. This make-up will be used for festival of trees.

~If you haven't picked up your **earrings**, come get them today. Also ALL companies need eyelashes. You will use

the **brand Ardell Wispies**. If you are young, you can use the Ardell Baby wispies. We have a few for sale in the office.

—All company dancers need red glitter lips that can be purchased at Groove.

-Hair Style will be the same as last year. We will quickly go over this on the make-up day. Hair and make-up will be passed off during January Reh and first bag check.

COMPANY SHOWCASE will be Saturday Feb 9th. We just got confirmation from Summit Academy Draper campus (1285 E 13200 S) that we can use their awesome stage. All company routines and solos and duets will be doing this showcase. **This is a required performance for any company member competing. We are shooting for 6pm for the show to start. We will let you know more info and ticket pricing soon.

Don't forget **Jump Convention fees** are in your cart and will run with November tuition Tuesday November 6th. The amount is \$270 for the convention and teacher fees. Jump comp fees are \$55 per dancer/routine. Companies routines Competing at Jump will be announced soon. Unless your teacher has talked to you, we won't be taking any solos to Jump.

-if you are wanting to book a hotel for Jump, I would do that Asap.

~We are so excited to announce our **Master Classes in November & Decemberr**. The Amazing Derek Saunders from Ballet West will be doing two Master Classes! Wednesday November 14th he will be doing a contemporary class for Beg/Int dancers ages 8-12 from 7-8:15pm AND Int/Adv dancers ages 12+ will be from 8:15-9:30. Wednesday December 12th a Ballet Master class with Beg/Int dancers ages 8-12 from 7-8:15pm AND Int/Adv dancers ages 12+ will be from 8:15-9:30 and doing a HEELS class. These are required classes for all company members. These classes are only \$5 per class and will be put in your carts and run Thursday November 8th.

COSTUMES-With your company payments, you will be seeing your 2 costumes coming home that were included in these fees. If you are in an additional hip Hop, Production, and or a clogging company...you will see separate costume fees go into your carts as we order them. This will most

likely take place this month and next month so check your carts for detailed payments.

Pieces and parts of costumes are coming home now. Please put them safely away in your luggage after you have tried them on. Please don't lose these as company costumes are ordered from all over and are not available after we have ordered these.

PRODUCTION COSTUMES-Some groups in the production will be get a floral robe. With so many different ages and sizes, we couldn't find something to fit everyone. You need to make this into some sort of "pajama style". It can be a nightgown, shorts, or romper. These need to be ready to use at our first rehearsal in January so don't procrastinate as it will take some work on your end. **Boys talk to Molly on what you need to get.

***We are looking for someone artistic to create a headboard for this piece. We have a giant box that we want to cut out a shape and decorate to look like a bed. Anyone interested in doing this, we will trade in competition fees:) Email Lesley if you are interested.

ST GEORGE-I would suggest booking your hotels or condos for St. George sooner than later. There are 5 competitions taking place and many soccer and baseball tournaments.

Company Apparel-If you are missing required items for company members, come into the office and see if we have your size. Youth leggings should be here this week.

Competitions fees-We are starting to register for competitions starting next month. Please pay close attention below to competitions fees and due dates. Your team fees will just be put in your cart on the dates below. We have also listed the location and dates of each competition.

We will not run solo fees until you talk to us but know that if you don't register with our teams, you might not get registered at all so please be prepared. IT takes a lot of time to register for competitions, you must have the solo sheet turned in to be registered.

TEAM & SOLO/DUET FEES

-Jump(Feb 22-23) Provo \$270

Solo \$135, Duet \$75 each, Group \$55 per routine, Fees Due November 1st

-AOS Thanksgiving Point (March 2-3)—CLOGGERS ONLY
\$25 group (clog solos only) Fees Due January 1st

-Motion Tour (March 29-30 Hurricane)
Solo \$95, Duet \$55 each, Group \$32 per routine, Fees Due December 1st

-Amplify or Motion tour April 12-13. Location TBA
Solo \$95, Duet \$55 each, Group \$32 per routine, Fees Due December 1st

-BOLD (April 26-27 Kingsbury Hall)
Solos \$100 Duets \$75 each Group \$32 per routine, Fees due January 1st

****Cards that decline will be charged a \$10 late fee per competition. If you DON'T want your card run.....a check or cash MUST be brought in before these dates.**
