

ELITE DANCE STUDIO

December Newsletter

DECEMBER HAPPENINGS

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Happy, Happy, Birthday to all our December dancers. We love to celebrate you!



CHRISTMAS BREAK

There are no classes Friday, December 22nd through Tuesday, January 2nd. Classes resume Wednesday, January 3rd. You can always check our calendar on our website at <http://www.elitedanceslc.com/calendar>.

COOKIES FOR CHRISTMAS SERVICE PROJECT

This year, we are working with "For the Kids." This organization feeds over 400 KIDS PER WEEK. We will be participating in their 12 Days of Christmas project and are collecting tins of cookies for their Christmas treat.

COSTUME FITTINGS IN CLASS

We will be measuring dancers the next couple of weeks for spring recital costumes. Make sure you turn in your Recital Form.

ACRO TESTING – WEEK OF DECEMBER 4TH

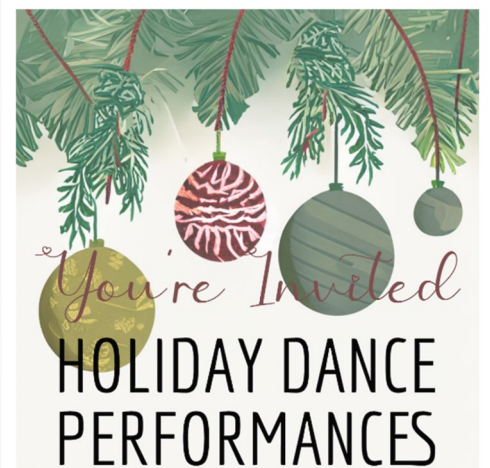
Acro testing is coming the week of December 4th for all classes. Please wear all black.

CHRISTMAS SHOWCASE – WEEK OF DECEMBER 11TH

Our in-house Christmas Showcase is happening the week of December 11th. Listed below are the classes performing, the items to wear to class this week, and time for parents to come watch. All shows will be held in our Black Box Theatre and will be very short.

WHAT TO WEAR: We will have Christmas items and props to go with your dancers' outfits. Come to class in the items listed below. Please wear a slicked back ponytail for our hairpieces and ribbon.

TIME TO COME: Please have your dancers to class right on the hour, so we can get them dressed and ready for the show. Parents can come into the theatre at the times listed below. Our little theatre doesn't hold very many so please no children, just adults.



CLASS	PLEASE WEAR...	TIME TO BE THERE
Allie: Petites Ballet Monday 5:00	black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes	5:30
Alix: Premier Company Monday 5:00	costume for Alix's routine	5:30
Jorie: Elite Choreography Monday 5:00	costume for Jorie's routine	5:30
Demi: Jr. Company Monday 5:00	costume for Demi's routine	5:30
Sadie: Level 2 Ballet Tuesday 4:00	black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes	4:30
Liz: Level 1 Ballet/Pap Tuesday 4:00	black leotard, pink ballet shoes, black tap shoes	4:30
Em/Jadi: Acro/Jazz K-1 Tuesday 4:00	all black, bare feet	4:30
Alix: Jazz 2 Tuesday 5:00	favorite Christmas PJs	5:30
Liz: K-1 Ballet/Tap Tuesday 5:00	black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet, black tap shoes	5:30
Em/Jadi: Jazz 1 Tuesday 5:00	favorite Christmas PJs	5:30
Justin: Level 8 Jazz Tuesday 5:00	company leotard and black bikers	5:30
Justin: Turns and Leaps Tuesday 6:00	company leotard and black bikers	6:30
Sadie: Level 5 Ballet Tuesday 6:00	black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes	6:30
Liz: Level 3 Ballet Tuesday 6:00	black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes	6:30
Em/Jadi: Ladybugs Tuesday 6:00	favorite Christmas PJs	6:30
Alix: Level 5. Jazz Tuesday 7:00	favorite Christmas PJs	7:30
Alisa: Level 3 Jazz Tuesday 7:00	black leotard, pink tights, bare feet	7:30
Sadie: Level 8 Ballet Tuesday 7:00	company black leotard, pink tights, ballet shoes	7:30
Justin: Jr Elite Tuesday 7:00	new costumes for Iconic	7:30
Demi: K-1 Jazz/HH Wednesday 5:00	favorite Christmas PJs, sneakers	5:30
Em/Jadi: Level 1-2 HH Wednesday 5:00	black leggings and a Christmas sweater	5:30
Demi: Hotshots Wednesday 6:00	costume for this routine	6:30
Jadi: Level 4 Jazz. Wednesday 6:00	red and green	6:30
Maria: Level 3-4 HH Wednesday 6:00	ugly Christmas sweater	6:30
Demi: Contemporary Wednesday 7:00	favorite Christmas PJs, sneakers	7:30
Katie: Level 4 Ballet Wednesday 7:00	red and green	7:30
Abbie: Hippity Hoppers Thursday 4:00	black bottoms, red top, sneakers	4:30
Jorie: Level 7 Jazz Thursday 5:00	TBA	5:30
Maria: Teen Jazz Thursday 5:00	red and white	5:30
Liz: 3-5 Year Olds Thursday 5:00	black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes, black tap shoes	5:30
Abbie: Level 5 HH Thursday 5:00	black leggings, green top, sneakers	5:30
Liz: Teen Ballet Thursday 6:00	black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes	6:30
Jorie: Level 9 Ballet Thursday 7:00	TBA	7:30
Abbie: Teen HH Thursday 7:00	white top, black bottoms, sneakers	7:30

CHRISTMAS TUTUS

Some of the dancers will be wearing darling Christmas tutus we purchased from Etsy. After the shows, these will be available for purchase for \$20. There is a limited amount, so first come first served.

SPRING RECITAL 2024 – “PUMP UP THE JAM”

We know it seems early to be thinking about a spring dance recital, but it will come quickly! Our recital is scheduled for Saturday, May 18th at Churchill Junior High. If you are performing, you should have filled out a Recital Form. (Attached here and on the website.)

PERFORMANCES

Performing is optional. This is a fantastic opportunity for dancers to showcase what they have been working on all year.



COSTUME FITTING DAY

Any dancer interested in performing at the May recital will be measured in class over the next couple of weeks. We will send reminders, post on social media, and have signs in the Studio windows.

Dancers that DO NOT come to classes these weeks and make a deposit are not guaranteed a costume, and we will assume you are not performing. Due to delays in shipping, any costume not ordered this week will not be guaranteed to arrive in time.

Costume orders placed AFTER this week...
(This will only happen if we are able to still order in time.)

1. Will have an additional \$15 shipping fee.
2. Will need to make an appointment to be fitted, which will be \$15.



COSTUMES

We pride ourselves in making sure our dancers look and dance age appropriately. Parents are welcome to come and see costumes before they are ordered. We also invite you to listen to the music we use and observe choreography we teach.

RECITAL PACKAGES \$175 (NON-COMPANY)

The recital package includes 17recital costume, hair piece, recital t-shirt, recital video, and recital fees, which includes: facility rental, insurance, administration, paid staff, music, lighting, all print, janitorial, etc.

NOTE: If you are in multiple classes, you only purchase a separate costume for each additional class; you do not pay the whole recital fee. Each additional costume is \$75.

HOUSKEEPING ITEMS

TUITION

Tuition for the month of December is the regular amount. Tuition is based on a 9-month dance calendar year and will not be prorated for missed classes. Months with missing classes and months with extra classes all even out. With dress rehearsals and extra practices, all 36 weeks are accounted for. We will always be fair.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS! MAKE SURE YOU PRACTICE OVER THE BREAK!



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Office Hours Are Monday-Thursday from 4-8 p.m.

RECITAL FORM

Dancers wanting to be in the May 18th recital need to fill out this form and turn it in by December 1st. A physical copy needs to be turned into the studio or you can scan it and email the studio.



Recital fee is \$175 per dancer, which includes costume, recital tee, recital DVD and more (read details in the November newsletter, this can be found on our website).

*\$75 for each additional costume

Recital fees will run Dec 15th.

DANCER: _____ T-Shirt Size: _____

CLASS(s) Name, day/time, teacher:

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____