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September 2025 Newsletter

Dear Parents and Students:

We WILL have dance class on Labor Day, Monday, September 1st.

Class Openings: Non-Performance (Ballet and Jazz Technique, Strength & Stretch, Leaps & Turns) classes, 7/8 Combo (Thursday 5:30-7:00), Intermediate Advanced(Monday 7:30-9:30), Tumbling classes, and hip hop classes are still available. Students interested in auditioning next year for company (competition team) are encouraged to enroll in the Ballet (NP), Leaps & Turns (NP) and Tumbling (NP) classes to improve their technique. Please check with the front desk for times and availability.

Private lessons are available with any instructor or assistant instructor. If your child is having problems with any class, please see the instructor so that they can set-up a private lesson. Costs and availability vary by instructor.

NO STATEMENTS WILL BE PASSED OUT! A payment schedule was emailed to you following your registration. Tuition is due by the **1**st **of each month**. After the 5th of the month, a 10% or \$10 late fee (whichever is greater) will be added to the following month's tuition regardless of the day of the week the fifth falls on. Make sure you are familiar with other policies, such as withdrawals and the final drop date, which are explained in the contract on the <u>back of the registration form/payment schedule</u>.

Auto Charge agreement reminders:

- a. You were required to fill this form out at the time of registration.
- b. Auto Charge Tuition funds, as well as any other fees, will be drafted on the first of each month from your debit or credit card. You will never have to worry about missing the due date again! If for some reason your card does not clear on the 1st, you will be charged a late fee if your balance is not paid by the end of the 5th.
- c. If you have a new card number, please call the front desk to update your card information.

We ask that you drop off and pick up your child on time. Students should be picked up 5-10 minutes of the start or end of class. Thank you for your cooperation.

Many students have been leaving personal items in the studio following their classes. Please take a moment to check your child's bag to make sure they have all of their belongings at the end of their classes. Items found in the studio are put in our Lost and Found. All items left at the end of the month are donated to Goodwill, so please be sure to check for any missing items!!!

Please see guidelines for our dress code.

<u>Ages 3&4 Combo/5&6 Combo</u> → Any PINK leotard, PINK tights, PINK ballet shoes and TAN tap shoes, dance bag, hair in ponytail or bun.

<u>7-11 Age Combo Class</u> → Any style BLACK leotard, PINK tights, tan jazz shoes, tan tap shoes, and pink ballet split-sole shoes, dance bag, hair in ponytail/bun.

<u>12 & Up Advanced Levels</u> → Any style BLACK leotard, PINK tights, black jazz shorts, tap shoes, pink split-sole canvas ballet shoes, dance bag, hair in ponytail or bun.

Tap/Hip Hop → Tap shoes/tennis shoes and any BLACK fitting clothing.

As a reminder, students should only wear dancewear to class, not street clothes or costumes.

Please make sure that your child has the **correct shoes for their classes**! Check with the front desk to see if we have your size. If not, we can order them for you.

If you need to reach us, you can email us at tarisschoolofdance@gmail.com.

We look forward to another successful year! Thank you for your continued support.

Dancingly yours,

Mrs. Tari