

Dear Parents and Students,

Welcome to the third session of our studio year. I hope everyone enjoyed their holidays. May this new year bring peace, happiness, good health, and harmony to all.

This newsletter is **overflowing** with important upcoming events including Parent Watch Week & the Student Presentation plus teasers for Picture Day, Summer Programs and more!

Parent Watch Week is a wonderful opportunity to watch your dancer and see what their normal class is like. Students are encouraged to attend classes from other levels, not only to support their peers, but to also see the differences in the classes and levels and what they are working towards. Parent Watch Week is open to family, but not the general public i.e., Mom/Dad/Siblings/Grandparents. Uniform requirements are noted on page two of this newsletter and available on the website under, *Uniforms*.

The Student Presentation is a time to see your dancer perform on stage. A fantastic introduction to the stage for those students participating in the Spring Production, it is also the performance opportunity for those students who are not in our end-of-the-year show. Reminder, the Student Presentation is *required* for students participating in the production.

I hope your dancer is enjoying this dance year as much as I, and the teachers, are. Looking forward to a wonderful third installment, and as always, please reach out should you have any questions!

Sincerely,

Becky Arden  
*Executive Director*

## Important Dates:

- January 11 \_\_\_\_\_ 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuition Payment Due
- January 15 \_\_\_\_\_ School Closed – MLK Jr Day
- January 17 \_\_\_\_\_ Administrative fee due (unpaid tuition)
- January 22 \_\_\_\_\_ Classical Rehearsal fee due  
*(select students only)*
- February 5-16 \_\_\_\_\_ **Parent Watch Week**  
*(more details on 2<sup>nd</sup> page and sent via email)*
- February 19 \_\_\_\_\_ School Closed – Presidents Day
- March 1 \_\_\_\_\_ **Student Presentation Tickets on sale**  
*(more details on 2<sup>nd</sup> page and sent via email)*
- March 11 \_\_\_\_\_ 4<sup>th</sup> Tuition Payment Due
- March 17 \_\_\_\_\_ Administrative fee due (unpaid tuition)
- March 25-April 1 \_\_\_\_\_ School Closed – Spring Break
- April 8 \_\_\_\_\_ 2<sup>nd</sup> Production Fee & Program Ads Due
- April 13 \_\_\_\_\_ **Student Presentation**  
*(more details on 2<sup>nd</sup> page and sent via email)*

## Office Hours:

Monday: 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.  
Tuesday: 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.  
Thursday: 5:00 – 8:00 p.m.  
Friday: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.  
Saturday: 9:30 – 11:30 a.m.

## Hours of Operation:

Monday: 4:00 – 9:00 p.m.  
Tuesday: 3:45 – 8:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: 9:45 a.m. – 12 p.m.  
& 4:30 – 9:00 p.m.  
Thursday: 4:00 – 9:00 p.m.  
Friday: 4:30 – 9:00 p.m.  
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

School newsletters will be available on our website. The last newsletter will come out on March 11.

## Tuition:

Tuition can be paid via credit card, cash, or check, either in person at the office or mailed to PO Box 578, North Beach, MD 20714. **Any payments made online or via telephone incur a \$3.00 convenience fee that must be added to your payment total.** Payments are due regardless of attendance and holidays. Tuition and all other fees are non-refundable and non-transferable.

A grace period of **5 consecutive days** will be honored. Payments received after that 5-day grace period will result in a \$25 administrative fee.

## Weather:

If the studio will be closed due to inclement weather, an email will be sent & notice posted to the studio social media pages. *Our school is not in the North Beach flood zone.* **We follow the Calvert County Public School system for inclement weather only.**



# PARENT WATCH WEEK

*A chance to see your dancer in class!*

## Feb 5 - 15

### Schedule:

- Mon 2/5: Pre-Ballet I, Pre-Ballet III, Vaganova I
- Tues 2/6: all regular classes
- Wed 2/7: Fairytale Ballet, Pre-Ballet III, Jazz I, Jazz II
- Thurs 2/8: Pre-Ballet II, Vaganova I, Intro to Pointe
- Fri 2/9: all regular classes
- Sat 2/10: all regular classes
- Mon 2/12: Vaganova II, Jazz Contemporary III, Jazz Contemporary IV
- Wed 2/14: Vaganova III, Stretch/Yoga, Vaganova II
- Thurs 2/15: Vaganova III, Tap III

**Don't Forget Your Camera!**



Note: Adult classes are not part of parent watch week

Uniform requirements for Tap, Jazz, Musical Theater, & Contemporary classes are the same as regular class uniform. Pre-Ballet I, II, & III wear a pink skirt over their regular uniform. Vaganova I & II wear a black tie skirt over their regular uniform. Vaganova III wears their white leotard with attached skirt. Additional details are available on our website, under Uniforms.

# STUDENT PRESENTATION

**APRIL 13**  
**3:30 p.m.**

Tickets: \$20 each

## ON SALE MARCH 1st

**Two Tickets per student available to purchase.**  
Starting April 1st, any unsold tickets will be available on a first come, first serve basis.

**Picture Day** will be Sunday, April 28<sup>th</sup> held by Legacy photos. More details will be sent via email as the date nears.

# SUMMER PROGRAM

## June 17 - 28

Mon - Fri  
9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

ages 3-5 & 6-8

\$30 registration fee

Cost: \$250

classes include Ballet, Tap, & Jazz!



## July 8 - 26

Mon - Fri  
9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

ages 9+

\$50 registration fee

Cost: \$745

Guest Teachers, classes in Ballet, Variations, Pointe, Broadway, Contemporary, & more!



### **Early Bird Discount!**

Pay registration fee by March 1st & receive \$50 off tuition.

### **Early Bird Discount!**

Pay registration fee by March 1st & receive \$70 off tuition.

