

NORTH BEACH SCHOOL OF DANCE

FIRST
NEWSLETTER

WELCOME TO OUR DANCE FAMILY

DEAR PARENTS & STUDENTS

I would like to take this opportunity to welcome everyone to the studio. We are honored and grateful that you have chosen North Beach School of Dance as your new dance family. To all returning students & families, it is wonderful to have you back at the studio. Thank you for continuing to dance with us.

As always, thank you for trusting us to pass our love of dance and dance traditions to your dancer, and instill and cultivate their love for dance and the arts. Please know we are just an email or phone call away should you have any questions or concerns.

Gratefully,
Becky Arden
Executive Director

OFFICE HOURS & STUDIO HOURS OF OPERATION:

Office Hours:

Mon: 5 - 8 p.m.
Tues: 5 - 8 p.m.
Wed: 10 - 11:30 a.m.; 5 - 8 p.m.
Thurs: 7:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Fri: 5 - 7 p.m.
Sat: 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.
Sunday: Office Closed

Hours of Operation:

Mon: 4 - 8:30 p.m.
Tues: 3:45 - 9 p.m.
Wed: 9:45 a.m. - 12 p.m.; 4:30 - 8:30 p.m.
Thurs: 4:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Fri: 4:30 - 8 p.m.
Sat: 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
Sunday: Office Closed

All newsletters are available on the studio website.

IMPORTANT DATES

AUGUST 31
FIRST DAY OF CLASSES

SEPTEMBER 1
FIRST TUITION DUE

SEPTEMBER 6
ADMINISTRATIVE FEE
DUE (UNPAID TUITION)

SEPTEMBER 7
STUDIO CLOSED -
LABOR DAY HOLIDAY

OCTOBER 5 - 10
BRING A FRIEND WEEK

OCTOBER 14
PRODUCTION SIGN UP
DEADLINE
(1ST PRODUCTION FEE &
COSTUME FEE DUE)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

TUITION:

Payment can be made via cash, check, and credit card. **A grace period of 5 consecutive days will be honored. Payments received after result in a \$25 administrative fee.**

The easiest way to complete payment is through your Studio Pro portal. **Accounts opted into Auto Pay will have tuition processed on the tuition due date.**

Payment can also be completed in-person during office hours.

WEATHER:

Any weather-related closures will be emailed, posted on the studio website, and social media accounts. *The studio is not in the North Beach flood zone.*

We follow the Calvert County Public Schools for inclement weather only!

UNIFORM:

All uniform requirements can be found on [our website](#). Students must be in the proper uniform for class. We ask that students arrive and depart with street clothes overtop of their dance uniform. Dance shoes should not be worn outside of the studio as it will ruin the shoes.

STUDIO CALENDAR:

The studio calendar, found on our website [here](#), has all dates for the entire studio year. Details about events will be emailed & shared on Studio Pro.

CELL PHONES & ELECTRONIC DEVICES:

To help provide a safe, respectful, and distraction-free learning environment, personal electronic devices—including cell phones, smart watches, tablets, and similar devices—must remain powered off or on silent while students are participating in studio activities.

- Electronic devices are not permitted inside dance studios or dressing rooms at any time.
- Students may use electronic devices only in the lobby before or after class.
- Photography, video recording, or social media use within dressing rooms is strictly prohibited.
- Any student found using an electronic device in a restricted area may be asked to surrender the device to studio staff for the remainder of their visit. Devices will be returned directly to a parent or guardian at dismissal.

STUDENT SAFETY:

Students are not allowed to leave the studio without adult supervision, unless a current, signed authorization form is on file. The electronic form is available under “Waivers” in your Studio Pro Account or in Google Forms [here](#).

PATIENCE IS KEY:

The first few weeks of the school year are busy - the lobby is busier and more congested, foot traffic is higher as students and parents adjust to our studio and policies, the office is bustling with payments, registration, and new parent questions. Teachers are settling into classes along with students and completing evaluations to ensure proper class & level placement. We appreciate your patience and understanding as everyone gets situated into the new year.

PARKING:

Please park in designated areas only.

Signs on the street indicate residential versus public parking. Please do not park in residential spots. The driveway in front of the studio is private parking.

Parking is available at the North Beach community center, on 3rd Street, and along Bay Avenue.

ARTSFEST:



Don't miss our performances at Artsfest from 12:30 - 1:15 p.m. on both Saturday, Sept. 19th & Sunday, Sept. 20th at the Fairy Lolly Pavilion. Tickets are available on Annmarie Garden's website & at the door.



BRING A FRIEND WEEK

Oct 5 - 10

All participants must have a completed form to participate.

Form is available electronically & will be emailed.



If your friend registers during Bring A Friend Week, receive tuition discount!

Sibling wonders what you do at dance?
Friend wants to know more about the studio?
Bring them to check out a class!

If your friend enrolls during Bring A Friend Week, you receive a discount on the next tuition installment!

NEW THIS FALL!

ADULT JAZZ

A CLASS FOR EVERY BODY. EVERY AGE. EVERY LEVEL.

MONDAY NIGHTS
6:30 - 7:30 PM
AGES 18+

MOVE. EXPRESS. FEEL ALIVE. ♥

Dance is for everyone. ♥

FLEXIBLE OPTIONS
BY CLASS • BY MONTH
BY 9 WEEK INSTALLMENT

Contact us for pricing information! ♥

BOOST YOUR CONFIDENCE ♥
MOVE YOUR BODY ♥
LOVE THE MUSIC ♥
HAVE FUN. MAKE FRIENDS. ♥

YOU DESERVE TIME FOR YOU. ♥

Whether you're returning to dance or trying something new, this class is your time to *shine.* ♥

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Not just a class. A COMMUNITY. ♥

NEW CLASS ALERT!

Interested in a fun dance class, where we spend as much time laughing together as dancing?! Come try the Adult Jazz class, Monday evenings from 6:30 - 7:30 pm.



HALLOWEEN:

Students are encouraged to wear their costumes (as long as they don't inhibit the ability to dance!) during the week leading up to Halloween! We can't wait to have some seriously spooky fun, with themed classes that whole week!

DID YOU KNOW?

We have a [private Facebook group](#) for parents & students. It's an opportunity to post reminders & information as well as a place parents can ask questions to other parents & the studio.

Thank You for Reading!

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