

Cantarella School of Dance

Official School of Albany Berkshire Ballet



Fall 2017

Newsletter

Hello Families

Welcome to the 2017-2018 Dance season at CSOD. We hope the first couple weeks of classes have gone well for everyone so far. As a reminder, we strive to maintain a professional atmosphere for all students, therefore our dress code will be enforced at all levels and styles.

- ◆ All girls wear white tights and white ballet slippers for ballet.
- ◆ All boys must wear black pants, white T-shirt, white socks,, black ballet slippers.
- ◆ Hair must be worn in a bun, no bangs.
- ◆ Skirts are allowed the first week of each month. First week of each month is also junk week.
- ◆ Please check the brochure for other dress code requirements.
- ◆ Please be sure that students arrive ready for class.
- ◆ Use the restrooms before class.
- ◆ Please be on time!
- ◆ Please call the studio at 442-1307 if you will miss class or be late.

Academy & Jr. Company News

Thank you to the Jr. Company, Academies and Dance Team dancers. You did a great job dancing at the Lenox Apple Squeeze on Saturday, Sept 23rd

Thank you to all the families that have already been a tremendous help. You are truly appreciated!

Studio closed on below dates

- ◆ Columbus Day - Mon. October 9th
- ◆ Veterans Day - Saturday November 11th
- ◆ Thanksgiving Break
Tues November 21st – Sun 26th

Dates to remember

If you have not made your first tuition payment please do as soon as possible to avoid a late fee. Payment was due September 8th.

Late fees will be in effect starting September 30th

- ◆ Costume order forms will be going out soon Please return by October 21st
- ◆ Q2 Tuition Saturday November 4th
- ◆ Nutcracker Tea Party Sunday November 12th
- ◆ Parent Observation Tues Nov 13th -Mon Nov. 18th

Recital

Each year we have a recital in June giving our dancers a chance to perform and show what they have learned this past year. It is a really great show and one we hope you and your families will be able to attend! This year's show will be held on Saturday June 2nd, 2018 at the Lenox Middle/High School. Please keep in mind that we will have MANDATORY dress rehearsal on Friday June 1st for all dancers involved in the show! Mark your calendars and save the dates!

Happy September Birthdays

Khloe Amankwah
Gianna Arace
Juliana Bourassa
Eliza Cass
Rose Larocca
Julia Rhind
Meryn Smith

Happy October Birthdays

Teagan Demler
Remi Engel
Lucy Gregg
Isabel Gunnet-Shoval
Siena Heaton Wellenstein
Noelle Huntley
Margaret Jennings
Linnea Keiser-Clark
Prisha Paudel
Mia Violet Pelkey
Layla Soules
Jaqueline Thoresen Toolan
Oliver Torres

Happy November Birthdays

Madilyn Auge
Aubree Bryant
Nila Ferioli
Lily Haskins-Vaughan
Olivia Kriedeman-Hubbard
Caroline Kump
Ava Palmer
Serena Rhind
Leila Sevilla O'Brien
Aurora Smedvig
Elizabeth Tsyronouwa

Nutcracker News

- ◆ Congratulations to those who auditioned for the Albany Berkshire Ballet's "The Nutcracker"!
- ◆ A reminder that rehearsals for "The Nutcracker" began Saturday, September 23rd.
- ◆ Please check the Parent Guide for times; remember you are only allowed one absence.
- ◆ Pittsfield Show dates: December 2nd & 3rd

