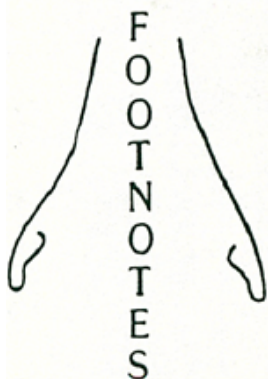




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The Nutcracker

will be presented by 50 students from all over Berrien County, December 2nd at 3pm & 7pm at Lakeshore Community Auditorium. Tickets are available here and 30 mins prior to each show at the theatre.

Visiting Week

We will be discussing all things RECITAL! We can't wait to see you!

Studio A classes: Week of November 13th

Studio B classes: Week of November 20th (*we do have classes Mon-Wed, Thursday classes will have Visiting on Nov 30th)

Studio C classes: Week of November 27th

Cupcakes with Clara

Saturday November 25th from 10am-noon here at Dance Arts.

Enjoy cupcakes and hot cocoa from the land of sweets and mingle with the cast of The Nutcracker. There will be a craft and we will be taking special photos of you with the cast members to capture this special memory for years to come. Space is limited. To register please call Dance Arts 269.429.5711 or visit www.dancearts-sdt.com.

**Payment & Registration must be received by November 20th. Cash or check payment only. There will be no ticket sales at the door. Tickets are \$10 per person.

See Dance!

As we think about gifts for the holidays coming up let me invite you to check out local theatre and professional theatre as "an experience gift" for your dancer. Many great things coming to Morris (South Bend), Miller (Kalamazoo), Grand Rapids Ballet & Chicago (Joffrey Ballet + more) as well as our local theater groups (Twin City Players, Ghostlight Theater, CMW & High School Musicals) here in town that put on amazing shows that have dance or are dance centered. Dance is Everywhere! Treat yourself and your dancer to seeing dance live- it is a vital part of their education! It is WAY better than seeing it on a screen!

WE ARE BLESSED!

It's amazing how the colors change without having to do anything-we just get to enjoy it all! There's such beauty all around us! I challenge you to take your family on a walk and get outside a little to enjoy the beauty that is our town! And wasn't that snow just radiant! #lovewhereyoulive

This is the month of Thanksgiving but PRAISE is everyday for the big & little things! I am blessed by your children/dancers each and everyday! I would like to bless other kids by collecting toiletries for Caring Cupboard. We will be collecting toiletries (facial tissue, body wash, soap, razors, deodorant, feminine supplies, toilet paper, etc) November 13-18. Please bring in and place in container in our front foyer.

I am looking forward to dancing with all of you! I love to see you all shine!
Love,
Ms. Sarah & Staff

Reminders

- *Payment is due the 5th of each month. We have 2 forms of payment this year: cash/check (in the building) and through your parent portal. You may pay with a debit or credit card, or set your account on auto-pay if desired. Late fees will be enforced from here on out.
- *Please put your name in all your dancewear- with many wearing the same colors and sizes it helps us get it back to you if anything is left behind.
- *Please DO NOT wear your dance shoes outside and please help keep our dance floors clean by not wearing street shoes on our refinished floors.
- *See the bulletin board for class photos (you can also access them through your email with the events of the year in the google folder that was emailed out to you.
- *Be sure to check out the bulletin board for notes or upcoming events.
- *Be sure to follow us on social media (Facebook & Instagram) to see the most up-to-date info & reminders.
- *Please remember to stay in the building especially as it is colder and gets dark earlier. Dancers wear coats and warm ups after class to lessen soreness (lactic acid build up in your muscles is a real thing!) Please remember to take home what you bring.
- *Parents continually check the lost and found each week, as it has been already piling up with lots of items

Cookie Dough Fundraiser for our Lighting Fund

Thank you for all your support so far this year! We will be doing a cookie dough fundraiser starting November 6th. Orders are due November 20th.

Additionally if you'd like to make a donation toward our lighting fund you can do that via your Parent Portal- please see your email for instructions.

Make Up Classes

With Halloween and Thanksgiving & general sickness please be sure to check your email about upcoming make up opportunities for missed classes for your dancer. The make up schedule is printed under the front counter. We want to have perfect attendance for everyone this year!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Cupcakes with Clara

Saturday November 25th, 10am-12pm

Register online or at the front office. Must be registered by November 20th.

The Nutcracker

Saturday December 2nd, 3:00pm & 7:00pm

Tickets available at the studio or at the show. Proceeds will benefit the Goodfellows Fund.

Happy Thanksgiving to you and your family!