

February



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HAPPY VALENTINE'S DAY

We have so many words in our vocabulary. But don't forget the most important 3 words this month and everyday- I LOVE YOU!

Love,
Ms. Sarah, Miss Rhonda, Miss Lisa, Miss Betsy, Miss Ashley, Miss Anna, Miss Hazel

Visiting Week

Come see the sneak peek of recital dances starting this month!

Studio A classes: Week of February 24th

Studio B classes: Week of March 3rd

Studio C classes: Week of March 10th

Attendance & Commitment

We celebrate achievement and therefore we believe Attendance is VERY important!!!

During recital time, as each class needs to learn, work, & grow together it is imperative they are here for the class they are registered for. Each class does a completely different dance than any of the other classes. Each dance is unique and special to the class performing it. Regular attendance and commitment to your dancer's class time is what gives them the confidence in achieving a terrific recital experience. If you do miss a class for sickness or school events, please call & leave a message or email your teacher, prior to the class. We trust that you have committed to us and helping your dancer be their best.

We thank you for honoring your commitments with us & teaching your dancer about time management & prioritization.
Currently your dancer has _____ absences. We encourage you to make up your class ASAP.

Recital 101

- Costume rental/cleaning fees (\$5/class) are due **March 10th**.
- Each class will perform on the night of their class- Monday June 2nd, Tuesday June 3rd, Wednesday June 4th or Thursday June 5th

My dancer is performing _____ at the _____ show

Recital is a fun & rewarding experience when everyone involved has patience, kindness, & understanding. Cooperation is the key ingredient... between parents, teachers, students, & classmates. It takes good old fashioned TEAMWORK!

With a dance recital, both students & parents continue to complete their dance education by learning more about space, patterns, music, choreography, costuming, & rehearsing- that are not a regular part of academic classwork, yet an integral part of the dance world. Everyone doing their part...it will be as good as you are! And I know it will be GREAT! Because YOU are a part of this team... everyone will shine with pride and the feeling of accomplishment. So, I thank you in advanced because "Tour of Michigan" Mini Recitals will be a memory to last a lifetime!

Experience Trip

Each year we offer an experience trip so that our dancers get to see what the world of dance is like in different parts of our country. Dance is a very marketable and widespread career and we love to show them HOW to make dance a career, by offering these trips.

We are SO excited to share that we will be going to **Los Angeles, Spring Break 2026!**

If you are interested in attending this trip or hearing more about it we will be having a parent info meeting on Friday April 25th at 6:30pm. This trip will be for dancers ages 10-21 and will include 2 classes at the biggest most famous dance studios in the LA area, flights and sightseeing and SO MUCH MORE!

The Dance Arts Performing Core
With Special Guests
Lake Michigan Dance Company
Present

Velocity

Velocity- a specification of an object or dancer's speed & direction

Saturday February 8th
at 2:00pm & 6:00pm

Tickets are \$6 for children & \$12 for adults (age 13+) & include a special Q&A with the dancers & choreographers

Dance Arts
2425 W. Marquette Woods Rd
Stevensville MI

Tickets are purchased at the door

DANCE ARTS DAPC PERFORMING CORE

Come see our amazing 8 DAPC dancers!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Valentine's Friday Dance Night

Friday February 14th, 6:30-8:30pm

We love to offer these fun opportunities throughout the year to dance and hang out, bring friends, and eat pizza! Parents enjoy a night out! Ages 5-16. \$12/person.

Call Dance Arts or register online www.dancearts-sdt.com

Cinderella

Saturday March 22nd, 3:00pm and 7:00pm

This is our 50th anniversary of SDT and this will be one to remember as 50+ dancers from Southwest Michigan will present this classical ballet. Tickets are \$8 for children 12 and under, \$15 for adults 13 and up. Tickets will be available for purchase here at the front office starting March 1st as well as at the door 30 minutes prior to showtime. All proceeds from the show will benefit Lory's Place.

~Dance Arts~

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