

# October News 2023

\*\* We ask that all dancers wear **PROPER DANCEWEAR FOR ALL CLASSES!**

Visit the website for the dancewear requirements. All dancers also must wear their hair in ponytail/pigtails/braids for classes – Ballet class MUST be a bun. We will NOT permit any dancers into the classroom without the proper requirements...a note will be sent home if your dancer is not in correct attire. NO SUMMER SHORTS, T-SHIRTS ETC...

BOYS – NO sweat pants please...Black jazz pants or semi-fitted shorts. (Not for Hip Hop, but Tap & Jazz)

## Office Hours

\* Use the lockbox outside of office hours for cash payments.

Saturday Sept. 30<sup>th</sup> 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

Thursday Oct. 5<sup>th</sup> 5:30-7:30 PM

Saturday Oct. 14 9:00 AM – 1:00 PM

## DATES TO REMEMBER:

**October 1st** **Deadline to sign-up for a solo, duo or trio.**

**October 5<sup>th</sup>** **ALL costume deposits due.**  
**(\$75.00/class. Cards on file will be charged)**

**October 5<sup>th</sup>** **Exam fees due.** (Dancers will be notified if taking a December exam).

**October 7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>** **Thanksgiving Weekend**

Saturday October 7<sup>th</sup> & Monday October 9<sup>th</sup>

**\*NO Classes\***

Classes run as usual on Friday October 8<sup>th</sup>.

**Halloween Dress-up** Monday Oct. 23<sup>rd</sup> – Saturday Oct. 28<sup>th</sup> (Feel free to dress up ☺)

**October 16<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup>** **Watch Week! Please limit to dance parents as we do not have a lot of space in the studios.**

**October 31<sup>st</sup>** Halloween – NO CLASSES!

## DD CLOTHING & MERCH:

The DD Clothing/Merchandise is ON-LINE this year and we have some new and exciting products to offer! Check out all our products @

<https://dancedimensions.orderpromos.com/>

**DEADLINE to order is Saturday October 14th!**

## SOLO/DUO'S/TRIO'S: \*\*DEADLINE – OCT. 1<sup>st</sup>!

Any dancer (with a minimum of one year experience) can sign up to do a **Solo, Duet, or Trio** for our upcoming competition/performance season.

They will perform at our SPRING SHOWCASE ~ Sunday March 10th at the Regina Performing Arts Center, and they will also attend the two competitions also held at the theatre in April.

(Showcase Competition – April 11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> & Dance Invasion May 1<sup>st</sup> – 4<sup>th</sup>).

Register by filling out a form (on the studio lobby bulletin board) and hand it into your teacher or the office by the deadline!

## COSTUMES:

We will start measuring all our dancers for their costuming in the beginning of October. Please be sure

to have your dancer wear their bodysuits/form fitted yoga clothing for us to measure accurately! We will determine the size of costume for your dancer as we know how dance costumes/fabric fits and be sure to leave room for them to grow! They will use the costume for all competitions & our year end recital. NOTE: Tights are not included when we charge costumes, so watch for the tight order form and type of tights your dancer will need for her class.

Costumes are ordered in and complete, with the exception sometimes of straps that need to be sewn down.

If you or someone you know is a **SEAMSTRESS** and interested in doing costume alterations, please email the studio and we will create a list to make available to our families. ALL alterations for the costumes are up to each individual as costumes are ordered "off the rack" and not made specifically for a dancer.

**Costume deposit (\$75/class) due October 5th. (CC on file will be charged).**

## **STUDIO REMINDERS:**

~Please remember that our lobby area is a dancer only zone, and when you drop your dancer off for class use that time to run some errands or get a coffee

~Drop off and pick up for classes should be 5-7 minutes before and after.

~DO NOT park on the north side of the studio in the driveway towards the alley. Teachers use the left side against the building for parking but it is against fire regulations to block the right side. Thank you.

~No peanut products allowed at the studio due to SEVERE allergies!

~ Class fees are due ON OR BEFORE the first of each month! NO CHEQUES!

We encourage all our dance families to fill out a pre-authorized credit card form as we now have limited office hours. Thank you!

~ Any accounts one-month overdue will be charged a 5% late fee on the first of the month!

~Please put all of your clothing shoes etc. into your dance bags in the lobby area. (We are not responsible for any items left unattended. There is also a set of lockers to use to lock your wallets/phones in. (You must bring a combination lock yourselves for these).

~ Please clean up after yourselves in the "kitchen" area of the studio!  
(Make sure all garbage gets put into the garbage cans!)

~ Dancers & Parents: We ask that you please refrain from "loading up" on junk food (slurpees, straws full of sugar, etc.) between dance classes. Make healthy snack choices so you are not jumping off the walls in your classes on a sugar buzz! **NO POPCORN OR SLURPEES IN THE STUDIO!**

~ Please remember that regular attendance to classes is imperative! We tend to cover a lot of steps etc. each week and when a dancer misses often it is very difficult for them to catch up!

Please update any email/address changes in the office regularly...be sure we have your email for ALL newsletters! Read the studio bulletin boards for all dancer related information and expect a newsletter the first week of each month on the website

[www.dancedimensionsregina.ca](http://www.dancedimensionsregina.ca)

[Follow us on Facebook & Instagram for updates as well ☺](#)

**Call 781-6151 with any questions, or email us at**

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**Thanks! Kara & Staff**