

TURNING POINTE DANCE STUDIO

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IMPORTANT DATES

Jan 8 - Classes Resume for 2018

Jan 25 - CLI Master Class 7:30-8:30

Jan 27 - WINTER PJ PARTY

Feb 19 - 23 - Family Week No Classes

March 8 - CLI Master Class 8:00-9:00

March 30 - Good Friday No Classes

April 13 - Festival of Stars Dress Rehearsals

April 14 - Festival of Stars 'GALA'

April 19-22 - Dance To Dreams - U of L

April 25-29 - Showtime - Sherwood Park

May 22-25th Year End Rehearsals

May 26 & 27 - Year End Performances

June 8 - 10 - Tentative Ballet Exams

welcome, 2018

Happy New Year

Welcome back, we hope everyone had a great Christmas break and were able to relax and spend time with family. The teaching staff would like to thank everyone for their thoughtful Christmas presents. Let's start the new year with some positive attitudes and proper attire & hair!!

SESSIONAL CLASSES we still have room in our sessional classes to register!! All schedules & classes are subject to change due to enrolment.

WINTER PJ PARTY - due to the crazy winter weather we had to postpone our Christmas Party to Saturday January 27th

JUNIOR PARTY 4:00 - 6:00 PM

SENIOR PARTY 6:30-8:30 PM

Make sure you come dressed in your favourite Christmas PJ'S and feel free to bring a pillow & blanket to get comfy during the movie! Please remember to bring your perishable foods for the food bank!

Costume Shipment Dates

Revolution -February 1st

Weismann's - February 1st

Hamilton's - TBA

Kelle - February 15th

Curtain Call - February 20th

Art Stone - February 1st

Congratulations to all the dancers & Miss Fenton on such a great production of the Nutcracker! We were so proud of everyone involved in this production!



PANCE ATTIRE & PROPER HAIR

It is very important that all of our dancers arrive to EVERY ONE of their classes with the proper dance attire, shoes and hair pulled back in a bun for ballet and at least a ponytail or bun for all other classes.

The Festival Society has brought in some supplies to the bathroom but they are only there for emergency help not to supply each dancer weekly. So please have a supply of elastics, bobby pins, hair pins, hairspray etc in your child's dance bag at all times.

HOODIE ORDERS

The hoody order has arrived and all items can be picked up at the front desk during office hours.

We still have TPDS WEAR available for purchase if you are looking for some items!

If you were unable or would like to order more dance wear we will be doing another order SOON!

Hairpieces, Necklaces & Makeup Onders

This year it will be mandatory for all classes from Pre-primary and up to purchase their own diamond necklaces, earrings and hairpieces through the studio for year end show and dance competition. Curly hairpieces for pre-primary to grade I and straight all ages higher. Samples & order forms are available at the front desk. If you we have all the appropriate ones from last year you will not need to order new ones. We will also be ordering makeup again this year more info to come

PRICES POSTED AT THE FRONT DESK & ORDERS DUE BY: Jan 20th



April 13 - 14th

This year the Crowsnest Pass Dance Festival Society will be a GALA on the Saturday April 14th where our festival soloist, duos, trios, & private groups will be performing during the evening.

Dress rehearsals will be held on Fri April 13th. We will post more info on the GALA when we have it available.

If your child will be unable to attend to perform their solo, duo, trio, small group please let us know as soon as possible so we can make adjustments to our schedule and show orders.

CLI Studios

We thoroughly enjoyed our first class of the season with Katheryn McCormick in Contemporary and can't wait for our next two classes. We still have spaces available for our next two classes. You don't want to miss them. It is still not to late to sign up at the front desk. Fees will be \$110 for the classes.

This opportunity is only open to dancers **11 yrs and up** and our classes have to be limited from **25 - 30 dancers**. And the best thing you don't have to travel out of town to receive these classes.

Our Next classes will be held on Thursday Jan 25 7:30-8:30 & Thursday Mar 8th 8:00 - 9:00 pm

Please see the front desk to reserve your spot today as space is limited.

Please see the front desk ASAP

YEAR END SHIRTS & DVDS

This year we will be ordering our T-Shirts & Year End DVD's at the same time together and all orders must be done by March 15th!

Order forms will go out towards the end of Feb.

Classique Dance Wear

We would just like to remind you Classique has set up shop in the back room, so if you are in need of any tights, shoes, etc please see the front desk for assistance in purchases or orders!

THE BACK ROOM

Please ensure that all dancers and parents are cleaning up after themselves in the back area. Putting all the boots on the racks, bags in the cubby holes and throwing all of your trash in the garbages etc. Ensure everything is in your lockers and not laying around the floor area. Please show your love for our studio by helping us keep it tidy. The back room is not a gym so please NO RUNNING AROUND, keep

FESTIVAL PRIVATES & STUDIO ROOM BOOKINGS

It is your responsibility to make sure you know your time and day and week of your private. If you cannot make your private YOU must find someone to switch with or you will be billed for the missed lesson. All rescheduling or switching of privates must be done through MISS MEAGAN ONLY. All privates schedules will be posted on FACEBOOK and emailed out. They do tend to change so make sure you are checking frequently to see if your times have moved etc. Please let Miss Meagan know if you do not receive an email.

Don't forget once you start learning your solo, duo, etc it is your responsibility to be practicing at home so you are prepared for your next private having your instructor review instead of using your time to move forward to the next section.

You can book studio space at the front desk to practice your privates.

Open spaces are available at the following times:

Mondays 3:45-9:00 pm (ONLY when Monday privates) **Tuesday** 2:30-3:45 pm & 8:30-9:30 pm **Wednesdays** 2:30-4:15 pm & 8:15-9:30 pm **Thursdays** 3:00-8:30 pm **Friday** 1:00-9:30 pm **Saturdays** 9:30 am - 3 pm **Sundays** 7:00 - 8:00 pm

Once music has been cut Miss Christina can either email you your music or you can bring in a labelled USB memory stick and she can place all of your music on their.

Birthday Parties

If you are looking for a fun idea for your child's next birthday party don't forget about our dance parties. We have many packages options to choose from. Go to our website, click on the link for birthday parties and check out all the details. Parties are only available on Sundays.

Contact the front desk to book your

Hair & Makeup Tutorial

Make-up tutorial from last year will be posted on the website for those new families to use as a reference when preparing for both dance competitions and year end show. If you have any questions please don't

PROP BUILDING

We will be holding our
ANNUAL prop building day
on Saturday March 3rd and
would love volunteers to
please help again with this
again this year. Volunteering
to help will go towards your
volunteer hours for the end
of the year, so if you are
artistic or handy with a
hammer let us know!

SESSIONAL CLASSES REGISTRATION

We will be holding another registration for our sessional classes in both Hillcrest & Pincher Creek is already available ONLINE.

See below for more information

All schedule & classes are subject to change due to enrolment in each individual class.

PINCHER CREEK - \$130 for session (8 weeks long)

Jan 8- March 5th (No Class Feb 19th)

4:15 Tinytots A (3-4 yrs)

5:00 Tinytots B (3-4 yrs)

5:45 Kindercombo (5-6 yrs)

6:30 Primary / Grade 1 Ballet (7+)

7:00 Jazz / Hip Hop Combo (7+)

7:45 Try All Combo

HILLCREST - \$195 for session (12 weeks long)

Jan 8- March 29 (No Class Feb 20-23rd)

MONDAY

10-10:45 MOM & TOT Sessional - 12 weeks Nov 6-Dec 11, Jan 8 - Feb 12

TUESDAY

3:30 - 4:15 Tinytots

5-6 Recreational Acro (6-9 yrs)

6:00-6:45 Ballet (7-8yrs)

THURSDAY

4:15-5:00 Ballet (6-7 yrs)

5:45-6:30 Kindercombo (5-6 yrs)

5:45-6:30 Beg Jazz / Hip Hop Combo (6-9 yrs)

6:30-7:30 Beginner Acro (10+)

6:30-7:15 Try All Combo - Jazz/HipHop (10 +)



Exam dates have been confirmed for

June 8-10, 2018

Exam Fees are listed beside each grade

All exam fees will be due by February 15th, 2017

Primary's (Wednesday Exam Students) \$125 Grade 1's (Wed Exam Students) \$130 Grade 2's (Wed Students) \$135

Inter's (as directed by Miss Fenton) \$275

Grade 4's (Tues/Wed Students) \$140

Adv i's (as directed by Miss Fenton) \$285

Required Dance Attire for Exam Levels

Primary Ballet

- Pink Sleevless Bodysuit
- · Pink Ballet Skirt
- Pink Leather Ballet Slippers (full sole)

Grade 1 - Grade 4 Ballet

- Navy scooped neck sleeveless bodysuit
- Navy waist elastic
- Pink microfiber tights
- Pink leather ballet slippers (full sole)
- Character shoes (black canvas)

Inter & Senior Ballet

- · Black sleeveless Mondor bodysuit
- · Black waist band
- Pink microfiber tights
- Soft blocs with pink ribbons
- Pink pointe shoes with pink ribbons

OFFICE HOURS FOR JANUARY

MONDAY: 10:45 - 1:15

TUESDAY-WEDNESDAY: 3:00 - 6:00

THURSDAY: 3:00 - 7:30

FRIDAY: 1:00-6:00

SATURDAYS: CLOSED

SUNDAYS: CLOSED

When facebooking or texting instructors messages be aware that they will contact you within 24 hours. Try to be courteous and understand when sending messages.

Audition for the School of Alberta Ballet Summer Intensive 2018

Calgary, AB
School of Alberta Ballet
906 12th Ave SW, 2nd Floor
West Annex

MON JAN 29th

8:30-10 Junior Audition 10:15-12:00 Senior Audition

Jr Audition for students in grade 5-9 in upcoming seasons, Sr Audition for students entering 10-12 & post secondary school

go to <u>schoolofalbertaballet.com</u> for more information