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Important Dates & Notes

PICTURE DAY: Sunday June 6th. The schedule has been handed out in class, and is also available on our website (along with the Dress Rehearsal Schedule) under the menu item News. You may order group and individual photos on the day of the photo shoot. If you don't want to purchase photos, still attend since we hang the class photos in the studio, and the dancers look forward to seeing their photos each year. Payment is cash or cheque only, and is paid directly to the photographer. Please note: Full hair, make-up and costumes are required for picture day. A summary of the details is given out with your child's costume.

LAST DAY OF CLASSES: Mon. June 7th.

DRESS REHEARSAL: June 9th, 10th & 11th. Location - Wilfrid Laurier University Theatre Auditorium, 75 University Ave., Waterloo. Full costume is required for the dress rehearsal, including leg wear and dance shoes. Hair and makeup do not have to be done, although hair must be pulled back and neat. Check the summary handed out with your child's costume for details. In order to keep on schedule, and to ensure dancer's full concentration, parents may not view dress rehearsal, but must wait for their child in the lobby.

YEAR END SHOW: A NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM

Saturday June 12th. There are two shows: 12:00pm & 5:30pm. These are the times the shows START. Please be sure you know in which show (s) your child is dancing. Check the summary sheet handed out with your child's costume, or the posting at the studio. If your child is scheduled to perform in both shows they must do both to participate. Change room numbers/assignments for your child will be handed out at the dress rehearsal.

FALL REGISTRATION: The fall schedule is now out, and you may register during regular office hours. Registering early ensures you will get into the class and time of your choice. It also helps us know if we need to add new classes or cancel existing classes.

SUMMER DANCE CAMP REGISTRATION: We are still taking registrations for summer camps. You can print the forms from our website. Payment may be made online at our website through PayPal, or at the SSDC office.

TAX RECEIPTS: Your Jan-June 2010 tuition tax receipt is attached. Please save it for filing your 2010 income tax. A \$5 charge will apply for replacements.

Year-End Show Tickets

Tickets go on sale at the studio on Friday May 28th at 4:00pm. You may buy tickets any time during our regular studio hours. Seating is assigned. Prices INCLUDE GST. Once bought, tickets are not refundable.

Adult - \$20.00

SSDC Student - \$10.00

Child (12 and Under) - \$10.00

Tot (4 and Under) - \$5.00

Exact change is appreciated if you are paying with cash. You may also pay with a cheque. We do not have debit.

There are monitors in change rooms for students to watch the shows. Your child must have a ticket to come into the Theatre Auditorium to watch with you, whether before or after they dance. **Because of fire regulations, regardless of age, all children/infants must have a ticket, even if they will be sitting on your lap.** Change rooms are supervised by adult volunteers.

Year-End Show DVDs

You may order a DVD copy of the show, and we are now collecting orders at the office. We need a minimum number of DVD orders to make the DVDs. You may pay by cash or cheque when you place your order. *Cheques are made out to Aaron Davis, not Sam's Steps Dance Centre.* If you have ordered one of the year-end show DVDs before, you can expect the same professional quality, custom menus and multi camera shoot.

Please remember that you may not film the year-end show. You may videotape your child in their routine during the last week of classes. Speak with the office to set up a time to do so. Also, FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY is NOT allowed at the year-end show, since it distracts the dancers and appears on the recording for the DVD.

WATER & SNACKS: In the past month, money has been missing from the "honour system" collection cup for snacks and bottled water in the lunchroom. Please talk with your dancers that they must pay for the snacks and water, and that the money belongs to the parents' fundraising committee for our dance companies. Thank you for your help with this matter!