

SEPT/OCT NEWS



From the Director

CLASS PLACEMENT

Students are placed in a class by age and ability. Not all students who were dancing together last year will be together again this year. Everyone learns at a different rate and I do not want to move students in a level they are not comfortable with. Please do not ask me to place your child into a class he or she does not belong or because their "friend" is in that same class. It is important to me that your child receives an outstanding dance education in a positive, enjoyable atmosphere. Please speak to me directly if you have any questions.

Sincerely, Miss Sharon

Special points of Interest:

- Bring a friend in Oct
- Costume deposits due Nov. 2nd-7th.
- We will be closed Nov 25th-28th for Thanksgiving.
- Nov.30- Dec.5th we will be choosing costumes. Parents are encouraged to attend.
- **Saturday December 12th FINAL COSTUME PAYMENTS DUE (SAT. HRS 9:00 - 12:00)**

HAPPY HALLOWEEN TO ALL STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES!

STUDIO NEWS

We have a new web site with lot's of helpful information. Be sure to check it out. WWW.IGRDC.COM

Miss Jessica is back for a second year to teach hip hop on Tuesdays and Thursdays. Miss Karissa is officially one of our pre-school teachers on Saturdays. Bios coming soon! I got married this summer on July 26th to Brian Fernandes. Some of you have seen him in the office. My new name is now Sharon Fernandes. Wedding photos coming soon on the web site.

DANCE CLOTHING

Check out all the new dance clothing items. We now carry leotards, dance shorts, capris, skirts, ballet sweaters, dance bags and more!!

RECITAL COSTUMES

All costume deposits due **NOVEMBER 2nd- 7th**. We will be choosing costumes and discussing plans for our recital the week of **Nov.30th -Dec 5th**. This week is very exciting for the students as

well as Miss Sharon and staff. Parents need to be present if they want to have any input on costume selections. The price of the costumes will be determined at this time.

All balances on costumes must be paid in full by **Saturday December 12th**. Reminder a \$10 late fee per costume will be added after this date

NEW OFFICE HOURS

Monday 3:45 - 7:00

Tues-Thurs 4:00 - 8:00

Saturday 9:00 - 12:00

Please schedule your tuition payments accordingly.

TUITION

Please remember tuition is due the first week of every month. After the 15th of the month a \$10.00 late fee will be charged.

PARKING

Please be sure to keep our handicapped parking spot available for those who need it. Also Our friends at JD Byrider have asked us not to park directly in front of their building. More parking is available

around the corner near Merle Norman.

WEATHER CLOSINGS

Do **NOT** assume dance classes have been cancelled when Dartmouth Schools are closed. Please call the studio one hour prior to class or log onto our website to check for cancellations due to weather.

MONDAY HOLIDAYS

Just a reminder that we are OPEN all Monday Holidays. Our school calendar is posted in the waiting area as well as on our web site. WWW.IGRDC.COM

SAFETY ISSUES

Parents please remember during pickup and drop off to "watch for students" crossing in the parking lot. Orange cones have been placed outside the front door as a safety reminder. **PLEASE BE CAREFULL AND GUIDE "YOUR" CHILD WHEN CROSSING!**

Thanks, Miss Sharon and Faculty

SEPT/OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS 2009

Sabrina Arruda 7	Emma deLacy 10	Lila Goodchild 4	Aelis Martins 11
Isabella Bowling 7	Victoria Dias 12	Adriana Graca 4	Ashley McConnell 15
Victoria Camara 10	Ilanah Esplana 7	Courtney Hebert 16	Jillian Medeiros 4
Gabriella Carvalo 4	Macy Fernandes 13	Elizabeth Irwin 15	Braely Neto 8
Rachel Choubah 13	Samantha Fernandes 14	Jasmine Kennedy 5	Rena Oliver 16
Jillian Cole 12	Brooke Ferreira 7	Anias Kingston 4	Olivia Perreira 7
Alexandra Costa 7	Aliyah Fonseca 6	Alexis Liolios 11	Lauren Rego 10
Madison Costa 15	Haley Forsblom 11	Adriana Liolios 3	Destiny Soares 13
Kelsey DesRoches 13	Maya Gonzales 14	Amy Manny 9	Alexa Theodore 16