

# October Newsletter

#### 2018

## Happy October!

We've been in the studio a little over a month, and things are in full swing. Dancers at all levels are reviewing, learning new skills, and working on combos. Leaps have been the name of the game for many of the dancers this year, but turns have also been getting some focus. For younger dancers, we've also been working on balancing in our passe' and releve'. Older dancers new to pointe have been getting acquainted with their shoes and building strength in their feet. I'm very proud of their learning!

The Preschool and Kindergarten classes have been learning about the concepts of space, size, and level. They've been dancing like fairies and giants, dinosaurs and birds. And of course, they love showing their creativity in the freeze dance!

### Some things to note:

\*Please be sure to send dancers in class-appropriate clothes. No jeans, and preferable no baggy clothes for ballet classes. For girls, their hair must be pulled away from the face. Little dancers (PK-K) don't need shoes, and as the weather gets colder, please pull their socks off before class starts. Older dancers should always have their shoes for classes. \*After classes, please remind your littles to NOT leave the studio until you arrive. It is so important to keep them safe!

\*Remember to send water bottles with the kiddos!

\*Mark your calendars :: Recital will be held May 3-4, 2019!!! (This is earlier than the past couple of years).

\*The FALL CALENDAR IS ON THE WEBSITE! There are also hard copies available at the studio. Please mark your calendars with all listed dates!

\*If you've not joined the Fusion News & Notes group, please do so ASAP. Many notes and reminders are posted there!

I'll be back with another update next month. Thank you SO MUCH for being an awesome part of our Fusion Family!

—Miranda

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# Fall Tuition payments due: 10/8 & 11/12 Make-Up for Wednesday classes: Monday, 10/29 NO CLASS: Wednesday, 10/31 (Normal schedule the rest of that week) Thanksgiving Break: November 19-23 Christmas Cabaret: December 16, 2018

Dates To Remember

• Studio Movie Night: December 17

• Winter Break: 12/18-1/4/2019

• Dance Recital:

May 3 & 4, 2019