

February/March 2016

DanceWorks

by Amber



Hello! Hope all is well! Please share this newsletter with your child as it includes important information.

Mid-year

Mid-year reports are almost complete. Please share them with your child when you receive them. Thank you for your patience.

Reports:

Late fees:

If your payment was not received by **Feb. 29**, an additional \$10 late fee is added.

There WILL BE CLASSES on THURSDAY, MARCH 24 & MONDAY, MARCH 28.

Recital:

The rehearsals & recital will be held at the BU Haas Center - Mitrani Hall

Mon. & Tues. classes will be held at the Bloom Health & Fitness / CrossFit on : 4/25 & 4/26

Mandatory Blocking rehearsals: Wed. 4/27, Thur. 4/28, & Fri. 4/29 4:00-9:00pm

Mandatory Dress rehearsal: Saturday 4/30 2:00-8:00pm

Recital: Sunday 5/1 2:00pm

**Dancers report at 12:30pm.*

ATTENDANCE THIS WEEK IS MANDATORY in order to have a great show!

Tickets will be available for purchase online starting: **MONDAY 3/14 at 9:00am.**

Picture Days:

Saturday 3/12 & Sunday 3/13 from 8:00am-8:00pm. We will do a group photo for each class and each student has the option to get 2 individual photos.

-The schedule is attached again in this email.

-The Minnig Photography Order Form and a list of FAQs is included in this email.

Finale shirts:

The Finale t-shirt cost is **\$13**. If you have not paid, please do so this week in class as they will be distributed this Sunday at Picture Day.

Bottoms: girls → black ankle-length OR capri leggings - NOT TIGHTS!

boys → black athletic shorts or pants

Girls wearing the adult burnout shirt: **REMINDER** → You will need a **BLACK LEOTARD** or **BLACK TANK/CAMISOLE** underneath the finale shirt.

Costumes:

Costumes will be distributed in class next week if you pay by **FRIDAY, MARCH 4**.

Alterations **ARE NOT** necessary for pictures, but **ARE** for the recital.

For Picture Days (3/12-3/13), discreetly safety-pinning is okay.

Costume

Alterations:

Alterations are your responsibility. I recommend taking costumes to

The Sewing Room for alterations:

The Sewing Room

603 Market St. (Suite B)

Bloomsburg, PA 17815

570-394-3068 ***Located next to W.W. Bridal

Hours:

Monday 11am-7pm

Tues.-Thur. 9am-5pm

Fri. 9am-4pm

→ Recital tickets will be sold ONLINE again this year!

-TICKETS GO ON SALE AT 9:00AM MONDAY, MARCH 14.

-\$8.00 or \$9.00 in advance (difference in price depends on section you choose for your seats)

-\$10.00/ticket at the door

Go online to your ticketing page at www.tututix.com/danceworksbyamber, OR

Call our toll free call center at 855.222.2849

PRINT OUT YOUR TICKET(S) AFTER YOU PURCHASE THEM as they will be scanned upon arrival at the Haas Center.

If your child is in either of the PRE-DANCE classes, you will need a ticket for him/her so that he/she may watch the show with you. **However**, if your child is small enough to sit on your lap and not restrict the view of another audience member, you **DO NOT** need a ticket. **PLEASE** use your best judgement for this.

All other dancers NOT in pre-dance may watch the show from the balcony this year **AS LONG AS THEY ARE WELL-BEHAVED AND QUIET**. There **WILL BE** supervisors present.

If you would rather have your child sitting with you before/after he/she performs, you will need to purchase a ticket.

PARENT VOLUNTEERS: I am asking for **4 parent volunteers** to supervise the balcony. These parents will be responsible for the following:

1. Supervising students in balcony: keeping them quiet, keeping them seated.
2. Keeping students lined up in appropriate classes (seats will be marked).

***Each of these parent volunteers **WILL NOT** have to pay for a ticket as he/she will see the show while in the balcony. **PLEASE EMAIL ME IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING.**

BLOCKING REHEARSAL @ Haas ***Regular dance attire for these nights.

DATE	WED. 4/27	THURS. 4/28	FRI. 4/29
TIME & CLASS	3:45-4:15 Boys Hip Hop	4:00-4:30 Irish	4:00-4:30 African - Tues.
	4:15-4:45 Ballet Combo	4:30-5:00 Irish II	4:30-5:00 African - Thur.
	4:45-5:15 Tap Combo	5:00-5:30 Acro I	5:00-5:30 Hip Hop II
	5:15-5:45 Tap	5:30-6:00 Contemp. - Mon.	5:30-6:00 Acro III
	5:45-6:15 Ballet I	6:00-6:30 Pre-dance (4:30)	6:00-6:30 Acro IV
	6:15-6:45 Ballet II	6:30-7:00 Pre-dance (5:15)	6:30-7:00 Contemp. - Thur.
	6:45-7:15 Ballet III	7:00-7:30 Jazz I	7:00-7:30 Jazz III
	7:15-7:45 Pointe	7:30-8:00 Hip Hop I	7:30-8:00 Hip Hop III
	7:45-8:30 Run entire ballet	8:00-8:30 Acro II	8:00-8:30 Comp. Team Prod.
	8:30-9:00 Olivia - solo	8:30-9:00 Comp. Team HH	8:30-9:00 Comp. Team Cont.

→ Dress rehearsal (4/30 - Saturday - 2:00pm start)

- This rehearsal is **MANDATORY** and will be run in the EXACT order of the show. All students need to be present. *If you miss dress rehearsal, you may not participate in the recital as it is unfair to all others involved.*
- Plan to run through the show 2 times. We will do Finale TWICE.
- **Attire:** Full costumes / hair / makeup

→ REHERASAL POLICIES:

-All rehearsals will be closed to the public. Parents and DanceWorks students will be the **only** people allowed in the auditorium during blocking and dress rehearsals. In order for the recital to run as smoothly as possible, it is important to eliminate distractions in the audience.

→ Recital (5/1 - Sunday - 2:00pm)

-All students must be at the Haas at **12:30pm**.

-Dressing areas: There will be signs on doors for designated dressing areas.

→ Videotaping: The recital will be recorded.

You can sign up to order a DVD at one of the picture days.

Cost: TBA

→ Flash photography: No flash photography will be allowed during the recital. It is a distraction to the dancers and to other members of the audience.

Summer Camp:

DanceWorks is hosting a summer dance camp! A great way to find your niche!

WHEN: Monday, August 8 → August 11

WHERE: Bloom Health & Fitness (aerobics room and dance studio)

TIME: Ages 3-5 (10-11:30am) / Ages 6-17 (12:00-3:00pm)

WHO: Ages 3-5 / Ages 6-18

COST: Ages 3-5: \$50 / Ages 6-18: \$100 - *includes camp shirt!*

*****Itinerary and registration form will be available in the Recital Program.**

*****DEADLINE to register is: FRIDAY, JULY 29**

Recital Program:

You have the opportunity to purchase space in the recital program!

This information will be available for pick-up during the Picture Days.

This is so you can:

- 1). include an encouraging note and/or picture of your child in the recital program
- 2). Promote your business with an ad.

Costumes:

Each FEMALE costume includes a pair of dance tights. The total price is listed **AND** the costume balance is listed (if you paid the costume deposit in Nov.).

Reminder: Costume balances are due **TOMORROW, MARCH 4, 2016.**

The theme: ***Dancin' through the Spectrum***

CLASS (in order of weekly schedule)	COSTUME TOTAL	COSTUME BALANCE (-\$20 paid)	HAIRSTYLE FOR RECITAL
Pre-dance (4:30)	Girls: \$60 Boys: \$35	Girls: \$40 Boys: \$15	Girls: Hair in low bun - For Picture Day only: Pin headband around head.
Pre-dance (5:15)	\$44	\$24	Hair in low bun
Hip Hop I	\$49	\$29	Hair in low ponytail - Bobby pin gray/green hat around head.
Acro IV	\$58	\$38	Hair in low teased ponytail
Contemporary - Monday	\$60	\$40	Hair parted over right eye - Low tight bun - Bobby pin flower headpiece to right of bun
Irish I	Girls: \$45 Boys: \$37	Girls: \$25 Boys: \$17	Girls: Hair half up half down & curly
Irish II	\$59	\$39	Soft: Hair half up half down & curly Hard: Hair in a French braid - Red hat
Jazz I	\$60	\$40	Hair parted down the middle - 2 high pig tails (2 plaid scrunchies wrapped around each)
Acro II	Girls: \$55 Boys: \$15	Girls: \$35 Boys: \$0	Hair parted down the middle - 2 low side pig tails
Competition Hip Hop	\$80	paid	Ponytail through hat - Bobby pin hat around head
Competition Production	\$80	paid	Hair in high teased ponytail
African - Tuesday	\$52	\$32	Hair half up half down / Half part is up in a bun instead of hanging down
Acro I	Girls: \$49 Grant: \$19	Girls: \$29 Grant: ---	Girls: low side ponytail
Boys Hip Hop	\$58	\$38	Bobby pin black & white beanie around head.
Tap	Girls: \$60 Diego: \$20	Girls: \$40 Diego: \$0	Girls: Hair in low ponytail - Bobby pin beanie around head.
Ballet I	Girls: \$50 Ben: \$56	Girls: \$30 Ben: \$36	Girls: Hair in low bun - Bobby pin feather headpiece on right side of bun
Ballet II	Girls: \$47 James: \$56	Girls: \$27 James: \$36	Girls: Hair in low bun - Bobby pin feather headpiece on right side of bun
Ballet III	\$37	\$17	Hair in low bun - Bobby pin feather headpiece on right side of bun
Pointe	\$60	\$40	Hair in low bun - Bobby pin feather headpiece on right side of bun
Hip Hop II	\$44	\$24	Hair parted down the middle and in 2 low pigtails
Ballet/Tap Combo	\$60	\$40	Ballet: Hair in low bun Tap: Hair in high ponytail - Bobby pin headband around head (flower over right eye)
African - Thursday	Girls: \$52 Boys: \$39	Girls: \$32 Boys: \$19	Girls: Hair half up half down
Acro III	Girls: \$50 Stefen: \$40	Girls: \$30 Stefen: \$20	Girls: Hair parted over right eye - Low ponytail
Contemporary - Thursday	\$60	\$40	Low messy bun - Bobby pin headband around head.
Competition Contemporary	\$70	paid	Hair back into high messy bun - Pinned
Jazz III	\$45	\$25	Hair in high bun - Bobby pin headpiece around head (feather over LEFT eye)
Hip Hop III	\$60	\$40	Hair half up half down
Senior Solo - Olivia G.	\$45	\$25	---