



# Happy New Year!

**\*\*\*There ARE classes TODAY, Mon. 1/18 even though some schools are off for MLK day.**

**Reports:** Mid-year progress reports are being completed and will be sent home or emailed. We hope to have all completed by the end of January.

**COSTUMES:** Costume balances are due by **FRIDAY, 1/22/21**. Please bring to class this week.  
-Balances are listed on PAGES 3, 4, & 5 of this newsletter.  
-If you pay in cash, PLEASE mark your child's name on an envelope.

**\*\*\*Costumes will be distributed in classes the week of 1/25/21 to those who have paid.**

**\*\*\*We do our best to keep costume costs low. Please remember that alterations are the responsibility of the student. I suggest Kathy at The Sewing Room...she's great! For picture weekend, pinned costumes are fine.**

**Payment plan:** The 3<sup>rd</sup> tuition payment is due the week of → **2/1/21 → 2/5/21**  
**\*\*\*Reminder, if payment is not received by 2/15, there is a \$10 late fee.**  
**\*\*\*If not received by 2/28, another \$10 is added.**

## **Picture Days: Friday 2/5, Saturday 2/6 & Sunday 2/7**

- Attendance is required to be included in the recital program.
- Each student will have 2 individual photos taken. No group photo will be taken this year. For the program, I will select the best individual shot and make a collage for each routine.
- A price list and schedule for the weekend will be sent soon.
- Payment will not be due Picture Weekend. You will be able to order from an online gallery after they are uploaded.
- WHAT DO I NEED FROM YOU RIGHT NOW???** The photographer needs a list of emails and phone numbers. If your # or email has changed since enrolling this fall, PLEASE let me know this week. THANK YOU!

**Dance shoes:** If your child needs new dance shoes (especially for Studio Picture Weekend), PLEASE let me know by **Wed. 1/20** so I can order them.  
**\*\*\*DANCE SHOES ARE NOT TO BE WORN OUTSIDE...incl. hip hop shoes.**

**Finale shirts:** The cost of this year's finale shirt have been included in your tuition price. No separate payment is needed for this.

**Attire:** **For ALL classes:** Please wear the proper attire. PLEASE have hair pulled back. Check the website and/or info packet for appropriate attire.

**Drinks:** Please bring your WATER into class with you. We want to eliminate traveling in and out of the studio as much as possible.

**Magnets:** We have car magnets! Text or email Amber if interested in purchasing!  
Regular logo: \$8                      Boys logo: \$15

## Recital:

Mandatory Blocking rehearsals: Mon. 4/26, Tues. 4/27, Wed. 4/28, Thur. 4/29, Fri. 4/30  
-- 3:30-9:00pm each night

The rehearsals & recital will be held in Bloomsburg - LOCATION: TBD

\*\*\*Remember, if your child isn't present for blocking and/or dress rehearsals, s/he may not perform in the recital.

\*\*\*Please know your child will not need to attend each night as it will depend in which classes s/he is in. There will be a schedule sent out next month so you can plan accordingly.

\*\*\*SCHEDULE will be quite different than other years due to capacity restrictions.

**Mandatory Dress rehearsal:** Friday 4/30 3:00pm - 9:30pm

\*\*\*I am aware that elementary schools dismiss later. I only have the 3:30pm time listed for 4/30 so that people know to start arriving at venue and report to dressing rooms.

<b>Recitals by session:</b>	Saturday 5/1 (Sessions 1 and 2)	1:00-6:00pm
	Sunday 5/2 (Sessions 3 and 4)	2:00-7:00pm

\*\*\*I will not know which classes are in which session anytime soon. It will all depend on how the capacity %s change from now until April. ALSO, keep in mind the formatting could definitely change if and when things improve with the pandemic.

## The theme this year: **DanceWorks Does Broadway**

Each **FEMALE** costume includes a pair of dance tights to be worn for **Picture Weekend, Dress Rehearsal, and the Recital. These are not to be worn for classes.**

The total price AND costume balance are listed below.

(You pay only the **balance** if you paid the \$20 costume deposit/class in Nov.).

\*\*\*If you did not pay the \$20 costume deposit in Nov., the full costume total is due.

**Reminder:** Costume balances are due **JANUARY 22, 2021.**

### **COSTUME PRICES and HAIRSTYLES**

for Studio Picture Weekend (2/5, 2/6, 2/7), Dress Rehearsal, & Recital

**ARE ON THE NEXT 3 PAGES 😊**

CLASS (in order of weekly schedule)	COSTUME TOTAL	COSTUME BALANCE (-\$20 paid)	HAIRSTYLE FOR RECITAL & PIC WEEKEND
<b>MONDAY</b>			
African	\$60	\$40	SUPER HIGH teased ponytail
Acro I	\$60	\$40	Low pigtail braids / Scrunchy on right wrist SEE PIC BELOW
COMP - "Day-O" / "Hair"	—	—	<b>Hip Hop:</b> Hair parted down middle / 2 messy space buns / green piece pinned in back and then looped through each bun / PIN <b>Jazz:</b> Hair half up half down / pink and orange bands around middle of forehead and then under half ponytail - PINNED HEAVILY
Acro IV	\$60	\$40	Low neat bun
Tap I	\$60	\$40	High ponytail
Contemporary I	\$56	\$36	Low ponytail / Hair parted over left eye / Lace hairpiece pinned over right eye
Ballet I (5:30 & 6:30 classes)	\$58	\$38	High ballet bun / hairpiece pinned right of bun
Ballet/Tap Combo - Mon. & Wed. Classes	\$60	\$40	<b>Ballet:</b> High bun - flower hairpiece pinned to right of bun / <b>Tap:</b> High ponytail - bandana tied in double knot on top of ponytail
COMP - "I Hope I Get It"	—	—	Hair parted over right eye / Low neat bun
<b>TUESDAY</b>			
Tap II	\$60	\$40	Hair parted over right eye / low neat bun / red band around middle of forehead / pinned
Irish II	\$50	\$30	Half up half down - curly
Acro III	\$60	\$40	French braid
Pre-dance II (6:00)	\$56	\$36	Low bun / Hair parted over left eye
Jazz II	\$60	\$40	High ponytail
Irish I	\$60	\$40	Half up half down - curly
Hip Hop II	\$50	\$30	Low ponytail
Irish III	\$60	\$40	Half up half down - curly
Contemporary II	\$60	\$40	Hair half up half down

WEDNESDAY			
Tiny Dancers	\$46	\$26	High bun
Pre-dance I	\$55	\$35	Low side ponytail to the right side
Jazz I	\$58	\$38	High ponytail / Hairpiece in front of ponytail
Ballet/Tap Combo - Mon. & Wed. Classes	\$69	\$49	<b>Ballet:</b> High bun - flower hairpiece pinned to right of bun / <b>Tap:</b> High ponytail - bandana tied in double knot on top of ponytail
Ballet II	Girls: \$60 / Ben: \$25	Girls: \$40 / Ben: \$5	High ballet bun / hairpiece pinned right of bun
Ballet III	Girls: \$60 / Boys: TBD	Girls: \$40 / Boys: TBD	High ballet bun / hairpiece pinned right of bun
Pointe	\$58	\$38	High ballet bun / hairpiece pinned right of bun
THURSDAY			
Acro II	\$60	\$40	Low ponytail / feather hairpiece on right side of ponytail
Hip Hop I - Miss Melody	\$56	\$36	High dog-ear pigtails - SEE PIC BELOW
Hip Hop I - Miss Lexi	\$60	\$40	High ponytail with neon hair extension looped and pinned in ponytail
COMP - "Ironic"	—	—	Hair parted over right eye / low ponytail
COMP - "21 Guns"	—	—	Hair parted over right eye / low neat bun
COMP - "You Will Be Found"	—	—	Hair parted over right eye / Low ponytail / scrunchy around pony & pinned
Contemporary III	\$60	\$40	Hair parted over right eye / low neat bun / rhinestone piece pinned to right of bun
Jazz III	\$60	\$40	Girls: Super high ponytail / black scarf tied around ponytail
Hip Hop III	Girls: \$60 / Boys: \$62	Girls: \$40 / Boys: \$42	Hair parted over right eye / low neat bun
Lexi - solo	—	—	Hair parted in middle / Low neat bun / hairpiece
Natalia - solo	—	—	Hair parted down middle / Low neat bun / slicked
Bethany/Gabby duet	—	—	Hair parted over right eye / low neat bun
Grace/Maddie duet	—	—	Hair in HIGH ponytail / hairpiece over ponytail
Maddie/Sarah duet	—	—	Hair parted over right eye / low neat bun
Hannah/Anastasia - duet	—	—	High bun / hairpiece pinned on right side of bun
Emma/Manasa - duet	—	\$14 - hairpiece	Hair parted over right eye / low neat bun
Anastasia/Caroline/Marissa - trio	—	—	Hair parted over right eye / low neat bun
Emma Miller - senior solo	\$65	\$65	Dancer's choice
Emma Morgan - senior solo	\$78	\$78	Dancer's choice

Morgan Mungo - senior solo	\$55	\$55	Dancer's choice
Manasa Sharma - senior solo	\$80	—	Dancer's choice
Bianca La Fata- senior solo	\$49	\$49	Dancer's choice
Erica Miller- senior solo	\$50	\$50	Dancer's choice
Kyra McKinnon - senior solo	\$65	\$45	Dancer's choice
Sam Wolfe - senior solo	\$62	\$62	Dancer's choice
Caroline Stout - senior solo	\$55	\$55	Dancer's choice



→ Low pigtail braids  
(Acro I)



→ Dog-ear pigtails  
(Hip Hop I w/  
Miss Melody)



→ High ballet bun  
(ALL BALLET)  
<https://images.app.goo.gl/F9geQuyKkEo6X3FN6>  
Above link is tutorial on how to create bun.



→ French braid  
(Acro III)

**\*\*\*NEW\*\*\* WEBSITE**

[www.danceworksbyamber.com](http://www.danceworksbyamber.com)

**FACEBOOK**

Search: DanceWorks by Amber, LLC & ask to join!

**INSTAGRAM**

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**THANK YOU AGAIN**

for taking the time to read this newsletter.

I know it is a lot of info, but it's the best way to communicate with all of you.

Much thanks and appreciation for you,

Amber