PDC October Newsletter

Studio Closures:

The Studio will be CLOSED

Monday, October 8th for Columbus Day!

The Studio will be **CLOSED**

Wednesday, October 31st for Halloween!

** REMINDER **

A \$20 LATE ASSESSMENT FEE will be applied to your account if payment has not been paid by the 15th of that month. After the 15th of each month, account statements will be emailed to those with account balances.

No refunds or credits will be granted due to missed classes. A makeup class will be offered. Billing statements will only be provided to those whose accounts are past due or whose accounts reflect new charges.

Please be sure to check out the Dance Bulletin Board next to the main door where important notices and information will be posted and updated monthly.

Water & Snacks

Waters and snacks are available at the studio for a dollar. All proceeds benefit The PDC Competition Team. Prepaid snack/water punch cards are available for \$10 at the front desk.

Monthly Tuition for October is now due!

Payments

If you are paying **Monthly**, payment is due by the 10th of each month.

If you are paying **Quarterly**, payment is due by the 10th of September, November, January and March.

Costumes: Costume deposits of \$55 per costume per class will be due by November 15th. If your child's costume(s) cost more than the \$55 initial deposit, you will be notified as to that amount, and it will be applied to your account by February 28th, 2019. This will be due by Marth 10th. Costumes are not required for non-recital classes such as Wiggles & Giggles and Dancing is Fun.

Absent Policy

Please **CALL** the studio directly when you or your child will be absent from class.

Do NOT Facebook the message
Do NOT Text the Teacher or Annette

The Desk Person needs to get the message and that person will inform the teacher. Phone: (860) 963-7073 - Thank you!

Butter Braids & Lyman Orchards Crisp Fundraiser

The Competition Team is selling **Butter Braids & Lyman Orchards Crisps!**Please see a Competition Team member or the Front Desk to place an order.

Orders are due by Oct 15th

for delivery on Nov 15th.

Proceeds will help cover the cost of the
Competition Fees for Nationals

Parents Night Out!

The next Parents Night Out is...

Saturday, October 20th – 5pm to 10pm

Price: \$20 for the first child - \$10 for each additional child from the same family. Pizza, Popcorn & Water will be provided ~ Children may also bring their favorite snacks or drinks! ~

A fun night with Activities and a Movie! Friends & Family Welcome!

Register by Monday, October 17th.

Sign up at the front desk.

Max 20 kids: first come, first serve. Sign up early to ensure your spot!

Mark your calendars for the upcoming Parents Night Out dates:

> Saturday, November 24h Saturday, December 15th Saturday, December 22nd

This is the perfect opportunity to get your holiday shopping done or just have a night out!

Proceeds to benefit The Putnam Dance Center Competition Team

New Classes

Dancing is Fun – ages 3 ½ - 5 ½

Tuesdays 4:45p – 5:30p starting 10/16

Beg Modern – ages 9+

Fridays 6p - 6:45p starting 10/12

Acro Classes

Tuesday, **Beginning & Intermediate Acro**, we will leave the door open to Studio B on the last week of the month, so you may watch your child.

If it gets too noisy and distracts the dancers, we will invite the parents in to watch with the doors closed on a designated day. That day will be announced, via email, a few weeks ahead of time.

Emails

Email is the best way to update you with information and keep you up to date. Please be sure we have your preferred email address as well as a secondary parent's email address if necessary.

Also, please check regularly for any updates from the studio.

PDC Logo wear:

Putnam Dance Center logo wear is available. Order forms are available at the front desk. Orders <u>must</u> be placed and paid for by **October 30**th in order to be delivered before Christmas.

Hooded and Zip-up Sweatshirts, Sweatpants, Studio Jackets, Competition Team Jackets and more...

Other items hanging are also available for purchase or order. Please see Front Desk for more information or an Order Form.

Dance Workshops

Intermediate and Advance dancers:

Dance Masters of America hosts a dance workshop once a month.

Please take advantage of these classes if you are able to.

A brochure is posted on the bulletin board at the studio.

Please "LIKE" us on Facebook! The Putnam Dance Center

Up to the minute updates like studio closures, studio events, fundraisers and more...

If at any time during the course of the year you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask! (860) 963-7073.

Studio Policies:

In order to get the most out of each class and not disrupt the harmony of the Putnam Dance Center, we need your cooperation. Everyone that comes to The Putnam Dance Center should be respectful of other families in the waiting room and to keep voices low and not to use words we do not want our children to hear.

We have outlined, updated and made some changes to the Studio Policies.

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Please remember to grab and review a copy located at the Front Desk.

Good listeners make good dancers and also make class enjoyable for all!

Arriving On Time: It is very important that dancer arrive to class on time as the warm-up is the most important part of each class. Being late is also disruptive to the flow of the class.

Dress Code: You will find the proper way to dress for each class on the back of the tuition sheet. If your child is not properly dressed, they will not be allowed to participate.

Dancewear & Shoes: We sell
Revolution shoes and dance wear at the studio and they will be available for purchase throughout the year. Please ask at the desk for more information about ordering and pricing.

If a student withdraws from the Putnam Dance Center

You must notify us by phone: (860) 963-7073 or e-mail: annettehebard@att.net. At that time, you are financially responsible for the remaining balance on your account minus any potential refund based on the date of receipt of withdrawal notification, not when the student started missing classes.



Dates to Remember:

2018-2019

October 8th – Closed (Columbus Day)
October 31st – Closed (Halloween)
November 21st - 24th – Closed
(Thanksgiving Break)
Nov 26th – Dec 1st – Bring A Friend Week!
December 24th - January 1st – Closed
(Winter Break)
April 15th – 20th – Closed (April Vacation)
April 28th – Picture Day at The PDC
May 8th, 9th, 10th – Tentative Rehearsal Dates
May 11th – Tentative Recital

Happy Birthday to...

Abigail Andrade
Tricia Apicelli
Tiana Bergeron
Devon Boucher
Erin Canty
Drew DiCicco
Lily Drowne
Maya Gustavesen
Tillie Ledogar
Lauren Mayotte
Sophia Rose Newell
Chloe Nieminen
Hannah St. Pierre
Odette Tripodi

Please write names or initials inside all shoes, outerwear and dancewear. So much gets left behind that after 90 days we donate to charity. We don't want you to lose your belongings!

Bring a Friend Week!

Mon, November 26th through Sat, December 1st

Bring a friend that is age/level appropriate for the class. Friends do not need dance experience to participate.