



# Fusion Dance Celebrates 50 Years of Excellence!

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## IMPORTANT!

**Picture times, recital schedule and parent meeting details enclosed!**

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### **Practice at the Rec Center**

**March 9<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>**, at your regular practice times. This includes competition groups! NO COSTUMES!

Ballet Technique Schedule for March 9<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>:

Ballet 1: Thursday, March 12<sup>th</sup> from 4:30-5:15pm at the Rec Center

Ballet 2: Thursday, March 12<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-6:30pm at the Studio

Ballet 3: Wednesday, March 11<sup>th</sup> from 8-9pm at the Rec Center

Ballet 4: Thursday, March 12<sup>th</sup> from 8-9pm at the Studio

**April 6<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>** (Picture Week), pictures will first be taken at Fusion Dance, and then you will head to the Rec Center for practice on the stage. Continue reading the Newsletter for the Picture Times schedule.

There is no Ballet Technique the week of pictures, these classes will be made up the week of double class week.

**April 13<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup>**, at your regular practice times. This does NOT include competition groups! NO COSTUMES!

Ballet Technique Schedule for April 13<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>: **Read carefully, this has changed since the last newsletter.**

Ballet 1: Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup> from 4:30-5:15pm at the Rec Center

Ballet 2: will combine with Ballet 1, Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup> from 4:30-5:15pm at the Rec Center

Ballet 3: Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup> from 8-9pm at the Rec Center

Ballet 4: will combine with Ballet 3, Wednesday, April 15<sup>th</sup> from 8-9pm at the Rec Center

### **Dress Rehearsal**

Recital A: Monday, May 4<sup>th</sup> – 6pm

Recital B: Tuesday, May 5<sup>th</sup> – 6pm

## Recital

### Recital A:

Thursday, May 7<sup>th</sup> – 7pm

Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup> – 5pm

Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup> – 1pm

### Recital B:

Friday, May 8<sup>th</sup> – 7pm

Saturday, May 9<sup>th</sup> – 1pm

Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup> – 5pm

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## Recital Schedule

Please remember when doing the recital schedule, we tried to fit everyone's needs.

The recitals will NOT be able to be changed now that we have set them.

### **Recital A:** the following groups will be performing in Recital A ONLY

6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Monday 6:30-8:00 (I Can Only Imagine, Bills, Mein Heir)

8<sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Monday 6:30-8:00 (Walking in Memphis, Man In the Mirror, Just One of Those Things)

Beginner Ballet, Tuesday, 4:00-4:45 (Broadway Baby)

Preschool Combo Class, Tuesday 5:00-6:00 (Hot Hot Hot, Walk the Dinosaur)

Ok-K Combo Class, Tuesday, 5:00-6:00 (What I Like About You, Crocodile Rock)

3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Wednesday, 4:00-5:30 (Heaven 911, Footloose, Work Me Down)

K-1<sup>st</sup> Grade Combo Class, Wednesday, 6:30-7:30 (Chocolate, Let's Get Together)

1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Combo Class, Wednesday, 6:30-7:30 (Legally Blonde, Surfs Up)

4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Thursday, 6:30-8:00 (Wind Beneath My Wings, House Is A Rockin', Conga Mix)

Boys Hip Hop, Monday, 5:30-6:00 (Drake)

Hip Hop K-1<sup>st</sup> Grade, Tuesday, 4:00-4:30 (Pop, Drop & Roll)

Hip Hop 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Monday, 8:00-8:30 (Clueless)

Pom K-1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade, Tuesday, 4:30-5:00 (Shut Up & Drive)

Pom 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> Grade, Monday, 6:00-6:30 (Toxic Remix)

Mommy & Me, Monday 5:00-5:30 (You've Got A Friend In Me)..... *\*Mommy & Me WILL be in all three Recital A's\**

### **Recital B:** the following groups will be performing in Recital B ONLY

K-1<sup>st</sup> Grade Combo Class, Tuesday, 6:00-7:00 (Chocolate, Let's Get Together)

1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Grade Combo Class, Tuesday, 6:00-7:00 (Legally Blonde, Surfs Up)

5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Tuesday, 7:00-8:30 (I Can Only Imagine, Bills, Mein Heir)

5<sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Wednesday, 4:00-5:30 (Wind Beneath My Wings, House Is A Rockin', Conga Mix)

Beginner Ballet, Wednesday, 5:30-6:15 (Broadway Baby)

Preschool Combo Class, Wednesday, 5:30-6:30 (Hot Hot Hot, Walk the Dinosaur)

Ok-K Combo Class, Wednesday, 6:00-7:00 (What I Like About You, Crocodile Rock)

2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade Combo Class, Thursday, 5:15-6:30 (L.O.V.E., Gone Country)

3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Thursday, 6:30-8:00 (Heaven 911, Footloose, Work Me Down)

Hip Hop 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade, Monday, 4:30-5:00 (Fergie Mix)

Hip Hop 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Monday, 5:00-5:30 (Imma Shine)

Pom 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Grade, Monday, 6:00-6:30 (Party in the U.S.A.)

Pointe 1, Tuesday, 8:30-9:15 (My Heart Will Go On)

Iris & Evan's Duet (King of New York)

Jadyn & Maci's Duet (Feather on the Clyde)

Jemma & Mikayla's Duet (Hit Em Up Style)

Mia & Megan's Duet (Amen)

### **Recital A & B:** the following groups will be performing in BOTH Recital A & B

9<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Sunday, 6:00-7:30 (Hold Back the River, Pump Up the Jam, Come Together)

11<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Sunday, 6:00-7:30 (The Scientist, Jesse's Girl, Good Luck)

Pointe 2, Sunday, 4:15-5:00 (Arwen's Vigil)  
High School Hip Hop, Sunday, 5:30-6:00 (Shining)  
High School Pom, Sunday 5:00-5:30 (Pom Mix)  
All Competition Groups

There will be NO solos performing in recital due to the high number of soloists.

Please have ALL your accessories for your costumes ordered by the middle of March for your items to come in for pictures on April 6<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>. All accessories (tights, earrings, necklace, shoe spray, etc...) that are needed will be available in the costume book by Thursday, February 6<sup>th</sup>.

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## Costumes

The remaining balances on costumes was due January 30<sup>th</sup>. If you have not taken care of this, please do so ASAP. A 15% late fee will be automatically added to the remaining balance if not paid by **TODAY, Monday, February 3<sup>rd</sup>**.

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## Picture Times

Pictures will be taken by *Photography by Fiscus* at Fusion Dance, April 6<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>.

When your child is done with pictures they will head over to the Rec Center stage for practice.

Competition groups ONLY have pictures this week, they do NOT need to report to the Rec for practice afterwards.

There is no Ballet Technique the week of pictures, these classes will be made up the week of double class week.

Monday, April 6 <sup>th</sup> :	Picture Time:
Hip Hop E, Monday, 4:00-4:30 (Drop the Beat)	4:00
Hip Hop F, Monday, 4:00-4:30 (We Call the Shots)	4:15
Lyrical D, Monday 4:30-5:00 (Heal the World)	4:30
Hip Hop 4 <sup>th</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> Grade, Monday, 5:00-5:30 (Imma Shine)	4:45
Pom 3 <sup>rd</sup> -4 <sup>th</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> Grade, Monday, 6:00-6:30 (Party in the U.S.A.)	5:00
Hip Hop C, Monday, 8:30-9:00 (Ladies)	5:15
Hip Hop B, Monday, 8:30-9:00 (Mula)	5:30
Mommy & Me, Monday, 5:00-5:30 (You've Got A Friend In Me)	5:45
Jazz D, Wednesday, 7:30-8:00 (Cold Hearted Snake)	6:00
Jazz C, Sunday, 8:30-9:00 (Canned Heat)	6:15
6 <sup>th</sup> -7 <sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Monday, 6:30-8:00 (I Can Only Imagine, Bills, Mein Heir)	6:30
8 <sup>th</sup> Garde Combo Class, Monday, 6:30-8:00 (Walking in Memphis, Man In the Mirror, Just One of Those Things)	6:45
Hip Hop 6 <sup>th</sup> -7 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> Grade, Monday, 8:00-8:30 (Clueless)	7:00
Pom 6 <sup>th</sup> -7 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> Grade, Monday, 6:00-6:30 (Toxic Remix)	7:15
Hip Hop D, Monday, 5:30-6:00 (I Want It, I Got It)	7:30
Jazz F, Thursday, 4:30-5:00 (No Bad News)	7:45

**Boys Hip Hop** will practice ONLY on Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup> at 5:30pm at the Rec Center.

Your picture time will be Monday, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 5:15pm at the studio with your regular 5:30pm practice to follow.

This is due to costumes not being shipped until after picture week.

**Hip Hop 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Grade** will practice ONLY on Monday, April 6<sup>th</sup> at 4:30pm at the Rec Center.

Your picture time will be Monday, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 5:00pm at the studio following your regular 4:30pm practice time.

This is due to costumes not being shipped until after picture week.

Tuesday, April 7 <sup>th</sup>	Picture Time:
Beginner Ballet, Tuesday, 4:00-4:45 (Broadway Baby)	4:00
Hip Hop K-1 <sup>st</sup> Grade, Tuesday, 4:00-4:30 (Pop, Drop & Roll)	4:20
Pom K-1 <sup>st</sup> -2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade, Tuesday, 4:30-5:00 (Shut Up & Drive)	4:40
Ok-K Combo Class, Tuesday, 5:00-6:00 (What I Like About You, Crocodile Rock)	5:00
Preschool Combo Class, Tuesday, 5:00-6:00 (Hot Hot Hot, Walk the Dinosaur)	5:20
Jazz H, Thursday, 4:00-4:30 (Walk That Runway)	5:40
Lyrical F, Wednesday, 5:30-6:00 (Never Grow Up)	6:00
K-1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Combo Class, Tuesday, 6:00-7:00 (Chocolate, Let's Get Together)	6:20
1 <sup>st</sup> -2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Combo Class, Tuesday, 6:00-7:00 (Legally Blonde, Surfs Up)	6:40
1 <sup>st</sup> -2 <sup>nd</sup> Grade Combo Class, Wednesday, 6:30-7:30 (Legally Blonde, Surfs Up)	7:00
Jazz E, Thursday, 8:00-8:30 (How Sweet It Is)	7:20
5 <sup>th</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Tuesday, 7:00-8:30 (I Can Only Imagine, Bills, Mein Heir)	7:40
Pointe 1, Tuesday, 8:30-9:15 (My Heart Will Go On)	8:00

Wednesday, April 8 <sup>th</sup>	Picture Time:
5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Wednesday, 4:00-5:30 (Wind Beneath My Wings, House Is A Rockin', Conga Mix)	4:00
4 <sup>th</sup> -5 <sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Thursday, 6:30-8:00 (Wind Beneath My Wings, House Is A Rockin', Conga Mix)	4:20
Jazz G, Thursday, 4:00-4:30 (Bell Bottom Cruise)	4:40
Lyrical E, Wednesday, 7:30-8:00 (Be Brave)	5:00
2 <sup>nd</sup> -3 <sup>rd</sup> Grade Combo Class, Thursday, 5:15-6:30 (L.O.V.E., Gone Country)	5:20
3 <sup>rd</sup> -4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Wednesday, 4:00-5:30 (Heaven 911, Footloose, Work Me Down)	5:40
3 <sup>rd</sup> -4 <sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Thursday, 6:30-8:00 (Heaven 911, Footloose, Work Me Down)	6:00
Beginner Ballet, Wednesday, 5:30-6:15 (Broadway Baby)	6:20
Preschool, Wednesday, 5:30-6:30 (Hot Hot Hot, Walk the Dinosaur)	6:40
Ok-K Comb Class, Wednesday, 6:00-7:00 (What I Like About You, Crocodile Rock)	7:00
K-1 <sup>st</sup> Grade Combo Class, Wednesday, 6:30-7:30 (Chocolate, Let's Get Together)	7:20
Lyrical C, Sunday, 8:00-8:30 (Look Up Child)	7:40
Lyrical B, Sunday, 8:00-8:30 (Pull Me Out)	8:00

Thursday, April 9 <sup>th</sup>	Picture Time:
Solos & Duets	4:00
Jazz A, Sunday, 7:30-8:00 (Slave to the Rhythm)	4:15
Jazz B, Sunday, 7:30-8:00 (Black Cat)	4:30
Lyrical A, Thursday, 9:00-9:30 (Who Am I)	4:45
Hip Hop A, Sunday, 8:30-9:00 (Mula)	5:00
Senior Group, Sunday, 4:30-5:00 (W.O.M.A.N.)	5:15
Pointe 2, Sunday, 4:15-5:00 (Arwen's Vigil)	5:30
High School Pom, Sunday, 5:00-5:30 (Pom Mix)	5:45
High School Hip Hop, Sunday, 5:30-6:00 (Shining)	6:00
9 <sup>th</sup> -10 <sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Sunday, 6:00-7:30 (Hold Back the River, Pump Up the Jam, Come Together)	6:15
11 <sup>th</sup> -12 <sup>th</sup> Grade Combo Class, Sunday, 6:00-7:30 (The Scientist, Jesse's Girl, Good Luck)	6:30

All Sunday high school classes will report to the Rec Center starting at 7:00pm to run their dances.

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### Double Class Week

April 20<sup>th</sup>-26<sup>th</sup>: During this week dancers will be attending class at their regular class time along with additional time. This gives students the opportunity to watch other dancers perform and help build confidence for the upcoming recital. The additional times will be given out at the parent meeting during watch week.



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## Easter Break

The studio will be closed Sunday, April 12<sup>th</sup> for Easter Break. We understand there is no school Monday, April 13<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, April 14<sup>th</sup>, however, we WILL still be holding classes the week of Monday, April 13<sup>th</sup>-Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup>, as that is our practice week at the Rec Center on stage.

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## Recital Tickets

Recital tickets will go on sale to dance families ONLY starting Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup> during regular business hours. You will be allowed to purchase any amount of tickets at this time. All remaining tickets will go on sale to the public on Monday, April 20<sup>th</sup>.

Also, please know that your account must be paid in full before you can purchase tickets, this includes April, May, and any other outstanding balances. If you are enrolled in automatic withdrawal your April and May payments will come out as scheduled.

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## Finale Practice

All 75 minute and 90 minute classes will practice for finale at the Rec on Thursday, April 16<sup>th</sup> from 7:30-8:15pm.

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## Watch Week

Watch week will be held February 23<sup>rd</sup> – 27<sup>th</sup> & March 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>.

Check the schedule below for your watch week and mark your calendars!

**There will be a MANDATORY PARENT MEETING the last 10-15 minutes of each class during watch week to discuss recital costumes, costume accessories, hair, recital etiquette, etc. If you cannot make it, please ASK ANOTHER PARENT to take notes for you!**

### Sunday, February 23<sup>rd</sup>:

All Classes

### Monday, February 24<sup>th</sup>:

4:30-5:00 (Hip Hop 2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup>)  
5:30-6:00 (Boys Hip Hop)  
6:00-6:30 (Pom 3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>)  
6:30-8:00 (6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> Ballet/Tap/Jazz Combo)  
8:00-8:30 (Hip Hop 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>)

### Tuesday, February 25<sup>th</sup>:

4:00-4:30 (Hip Hop K-1<sup>st</sup>)  
4:30-5:00 (Pom K-1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup>)  
5:00-6:00 (Preschool Ballet/Tap Combo)  
6:00-7:00 (1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Ballet/Tap Combo)

### Wednesday, February 26<sup>th</sup>:

4:00-5:30 (5<sup>th</sup> Ballet/Tap/Jazz Combo)  
5:30-6:30 (Preschool Ballet/Tap Combo)  
6:00-7:00 (OK-K Ballet/Tap Combo)  
6:30-7:30 (1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> Ballet/Tap Combo)

### Thursday, February 27<sup>th</sup>:

4:30-5:15 (Ballet Technique 1)  
5:15-6:30 (2<sup>nd</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> Ballet/Tap/Intro. Jazz Combo)  
6:30-8:00 (3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Ballet/Tap/Jazz Combo)

Monday, March 2<sup>nd</sup>:

5:00-5:30 (Hip Hop 4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>)  
6:00-6:30 (Pom 6<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>)  
6:30-8:00 (8<sup>th</sup> Ballet/Tap/Jazz Combo)

Tuesday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>:

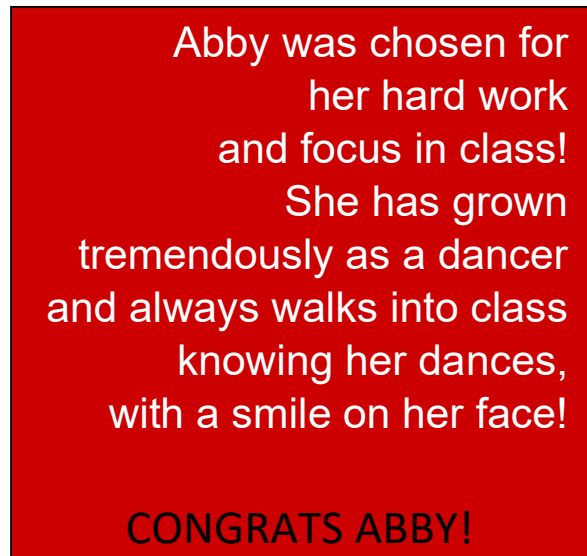
4:00-4:45 (Beginner Ballet)  
5:00-6:00 (OK-K Ballet/Tap Combo)  
6:00-7:00 (K-1<sup>st</sup> Ballet/Tap Combo)  
7:00-8:30 (5<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Ballet/Tap/Jazz Combo)  
8:30-9:15 (Pointe 1)

Wednesday, March 4<sup>th</sup>:

4:00-5:30 (3<sup>rd</sup>-4<sup>th</sup> Ballet/Tap/Jazz Combo)  
5:30-6:15 (Beginner Ballet)  
6:30-7:30 (K-1<sup>st</sup> Ballet/Tap Combo)  
8:00-9:00 (Ballet Technique 3)

Thursday, March 5<sup>th</sup>:

5:30-6:30 (Ballet Technique 2)  
6:30-8:00 (4<sup>th</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> Ballet/Tap/Jazz Combo)  
8:00-9:00 (Ballet Technique 4)



**Important Dates**

- February 16<sup>th</sup>: Competition Team Showcase (Rehearsal at 11am, Show at 2pm, located at the Rec)
- February 23<sup>rd</sup> – March 5<sup>th</sup>: Watch Week & MANDATORY Parent Meeting
- February 28<sup>th</sup> – March 1<sup>st</sup>: Bravo Dance Competition (Competition Team ONLY)
- March 9<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>: Practice at the Rec Center
- March 13<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>: Celebrity Dance Competition (Competition Team ONLY)
- April 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>: Talent on Parade Dance Competition (Competition Team ONLY)
- April 6<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup>: Pictures with Fiscus Photography
- April 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>: No Ballet Technique due to pictures (will make up class during double class week)
- April 12<sup>th</sup>: NO Dance (Easter)
- April 13<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup>: Practice at the Rec Center
- April 20<sup>th</sup> – 26<sup>th</sup>: Double Class Week
- May 4<sup>th</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup>: Dress Rehearsal at the Rec Center
- May 6<sup>th</sup>: NO Dance
- May 7<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup>: Recital at the Rec Center