



# Paulette's Dance & Tumbling

## February/March 2024

### Dance Newsletter

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Happy 2024 to all my dancers and parents! Time is flying by and I hope everyone had a great holiday and some rest time. I'm looking forward to a great 2024 with all my dancers!

In the next few months you will be receiving important information regarding recital, rehearsal, dance photos, recital shirts, etc. Please take the time to check your dancers' bag each week for details.

#### **Costumes**

All costumes have been ordered and will be arriving in the next month or so. Please make sure that you have your shoes purchased at this time. I have also placed orders for tights for all classes that need this. Tights along with any invoices for other items will be sent out as they arrive. If there are any outstanding payments owed, your dancer will not receive their costume until past dues are paid. The recital will be approaching us fast!

#### **Recital Dates**

A reminder that the **Recital is Saturday, May 11, 2024 at the Heatilator Performing Arts Center (Mt. Pleasant Civic Center) in Mt. Pleasant.** Rehearsal will be Saturday morning (the same day) starting at 8:00 a.m. There will be a 4:00 Recital for Keosauqua, Mediapolis and West Point dancers, and a 7:00 Recital for Donnellson dancers. If your dancer takes a solo, duet, or trio, you may be asked to perform in both recitals. The next few months you will be receiving the recital order and rehearsal times for your dancer.

Recital tickets will be on sale starting April 1<sup>st</sup>. There will be a limit of 8 tickets per family. Tickets will be \$10.00 for adults and \$5.00 for children. Tickets will be available to purchase from my website and/or Facebook page. I will let everyone know once the ordering link is set up and ready for purchase.

#### **5-year AND 10-year award recipients**

I have compiled a list of dancers who have taken classes for 5 and 10 years and will be presenting the awards during the beginning of the recital. If you believe your dancer has taken for 5 years (or 10 years) please let me know as soon as you can so I can add your dancer to the list.

##### **5-YEAR**

Ciana DiSanto  
Hadley McLaughlin  
Avery Pech  
Abbigail Rappenecker  
Mikaela Estrada

##### **10-YEAR**

Madison Keck  
Chelsea Patton

#### **Dance Recital T-Shirts**

Dance recital T-shirt form is attached to this newsletter. Please return form and payment due by April 1<sup>st</sup>.

### Dance Photos Dates:

Forms will be given out next month. Dancers will need costumes, hair done, and all accessories for these, including shoes for their specific dance. Even if you do not purchase photos please attend so everyone can be in the group picture. If your dancer has not received their costume by that time we will schedule another time to take the individual and/or group photo.

**West Point** - Photos taken on Tuesday, April 2nd

**Keosauqua** - Photos taken on Wednesday, April 3rd

**All Donnellson Classes** - Photos taken on Thursday, April 4th

**Mediapolis** - Friday, April 5th

### Other

As we approach the recital, it will be helpful if the students could practice their routines at home on the weekends, or as time permits.

### Inclement Weather

Just a reminder that during inclement weather please check my Facebook page for canceled classes, or you may text me.

## MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

- DANCE PHOTOS:
  - West Point - Tuesday, April 2<sup>nd</sup> - at Library
  - Keosauqua classes - Wednesday, April 3rd
  - Donnellson classes (Mon. & Thurs.) - Thursday, April 4th
  - Mediapolis classes - Friday, April 5th
  
- May 11, 2024 - Rehearsal practice:
  - 8:00-10:00 a.m. (4:00 Recital performers - dancers from Keosauqua, Mediapolis and West Point)
  - 10:00-12:00 p.m.
  - (7:00 Recital performers - Donnellson dancers)
  
- May 11, 2024 - DANCE RECITAL
- 4:00 Recital - Keosauqua, Mediapolis and West Point dancers
- 7:00 Recital - Donnellson dancers