



Paulette's Dance & Tumbling

January/February 2026

Dance Newsletter

Happy 2026 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 2026 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 the **Recital is Saturday, May 9, 2026 at the Heatilator Performing Arts Center (Mt. Pleasant Civic Center) in Mt. Pleasant.** Rehearsal will be Friday afternoon, May 8, 2026 starting at 4:30 p.m. Recital will begin at 4:00 for all dancers on Saturday. 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 1st. 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

Addelyn Wilson
Ari Weinberg
Bella Clark-Blindt
Scarlett Clark-Blint
Madison Green
Margaret Biddenstadt

10-YEAR

Catherine Brinkschroeder

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Our Inspire Dance Competition Team is selling Jim's Greenhouse Certificates for \$10.00. Please see me if you would like to purchase any.

UPCOMING ITEMS

Dance Recital T-Shirts

- Dance recital T-shirts order forms will be handed out in March. Forms and payment will be due April 10, 2026.

Dance Photos

- Photos will be taken the first week in April:
 - April 7th - West Point classes
 - April 9, 2026 - All Donnellson classes
 - Mediapolis - TBD

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. Please let me know if you need the song list for your dancer.

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 7th
 - ALL Donnellson classes - Thursday, April 9th
 - Mediapolis classes - TBD
- Friday, May 8, 2026 - Rehearsal practice:
4:30-9:00 p.m. (All dancers) - Schedule will be sent out
- **Saturday, May 9, 2026 - DANCE RECITAL**