



Spot News

E-mail:sdstaunton@gmail.com Website:spotlightdancestudio.com, check out our NEW Website!

Welcome Back Everyone!

Hello Everyone and Welcome Back! We're going into our 19th year here at Spotlight and myself, and all of the instructors are looking forward to another great fun filled year!

I would like to welcome all new students and parents who have enrolled this year. I hope you enjoy your classes.

September is a hectic month. This is the time when if a class is not right for your child, we will place them in the correct one.

Students are placed in a class not only by age but also ability. We want to insure that your child's dance training is not only fun but also educational. Not all students who were dancing together last year will be together again this year. Everyone learns at a different rate and we want to make sure they are comfortable.

We can't place a child based on friendship with another student. This isn't fair to any of the students in the class. We should have all the kinks worked out by October.

In closing I would like to thank everyone for choosing Spotlight Dance Studio for your child's dance education. We appreciate your confidence in us! Thank you.

Miss Sue and The Spotlight Staff

Our First of Three Bring A Friend to Class Weeks!!

September 20—25, 2010

Invite a friend to join you in class during this week. Invitations are available at the front desk or from your teacher.

***Extra Bonus.....if your friend registers and attends classes, you will receive a gift certificate for no registration fee next year!**

*Friends must sign up and remain in classes through the end of the year and paid for their costumes.

Please have referrals put your name on their registration forms.

* Tiny Tots, Pre-School *
* & Kinder Movement *
* Reminder: during the last *
* lesson of every month *
* parents will be invited into *
* the classroom to watch the *
* last 10 minutes of class. *



Join Us!!

Credit/Debit Card Payees:

We can email your receipts every month once we charge your accounts. We have received a few back because the address is "undeliverable".

Please help us by updating your email address.
Thank you!

Our New Website, Facebook Page & More!

If you have not checked out our new website, have a look. We're very excited with our new site and features! Especially the calendar that can notify you of special events, school openings and closings due to weather. And if you have a Smart Phone you'll receive notifications there too!

All you need to do is sign up.

Studio Calendar

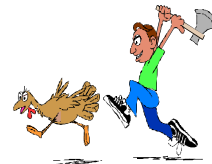
For October, November & December

October—1st Costume Payment Due

CLOSED: Monday, October 11th, Columbus Day

November—2nd Costume Payment Due

OPEN: Thursday, November 11th—*Veteran's Day.*



CLOSED: Wednesday, November 24—Saturday, November 27—*Thanksgiving.*

December—3rd Costume Payment Due

CLOSED: Monday, December 20—Saturday, January 1, 2011—*Christmas Vacation.*

Classes Resume on Tuesday, January 4, 2011.

Please welcome our New Instructors Erika Frank & Laura Norton!

Miss Erika is a Graduate of Dean College with a Bachelors of Arts Degree in Dance, along with being a Graduate of Dance Teacher's Club of Boston Teachers Training Program. She has studied under the direction of Jill Silverman, Nailah Randall-Bellinger, Jose Mateo, and Michelle Da-Silva Ball. This summer, Erika worked as a Residential Counselor for the Boston Ballet Summer Dance Program. *Continued on website*

Miss Laura is currently a student at Wheaton College, pursuing a double major in English and Dance. She studied dance intensively at Spotlight Dance Studio for 15 years, performing as a member of the "In the Spotlight Dance Company" and studied with the Radio City Rockettes for two summers. *Continued on website*

Please see our website www.spotlightdancestudio.com for their complete bios.

Adult Classes

Adult Hip Hop with Erika will be offered on Thursday Nights 7:15pm-8:15pm

Adult Zumba with Katie on Tuesday 4:30-5:15 pm and 7:00-8:00pm

The Cost is \$7.00 per class, a great fun way to stay in shape. Tell all you friends!!

RECITAL INFORMATION 2010

This year's Annual Performance will be Friday, June 17 & Saturday, June 18, 2011 at Bristol Community College in Fall River.

We will do 3 shows this year. After Thanksgiving I'll have posted which classes are in which shows. And all dates having to do with the recital (tickets, etc) will be announced once they are finalized.

Tuition Notification

Due to the recital being later in June than usual I will need to charge **half** of your normal tuition in June. I haven't had to do this in about 8 years. Sorry for late notice but I just learned of my dates last week.

Please make sure you have signed and returned our "Studio Information and Policies" sheet.

ATTENTION

Credit and debit cards returned for "insufficient funds" will be charged a \$20.00 fee. Please make sure your card information is current. Please contact us if you know there will be a "charge" problem. We are happy to work with you.

Policy Change

Used Shoes

If you have used shoes for sale. When they are sold we will apply the \$5.00 credit to your account.

Costumes

Costume payments are split into 3 payments, due the first week of October, November & December.

All students will be measured the month of November. I order costumes in December. Costume companies request **PAYMENT IN FULL** at the time of ordering. So you can understand why I ask for the money early. Costumes are only ordered for students who are "paid in full" at the time of ordering.

Pay your recital bill in full by December 1st and receive \$5.00 off per costumes. Any account with a costume balance due and not paid by December 31st will have an additional charge of \$5.00 per costume.

Child Small & Medium—\$60.00 per costume, includes tights for Tiny Tots, Pre-School & Kinder Movement only.

Child Large—\$65.00 per costume, Child X-Large—\$70.00 per costume.

Adult Small, Medium & Large—\$80.00 per costume.

Adult X-Large & XX-Large—\$90.00 per costume.

The amounts do not include tights or shoes, but do include headpieces, gloves, socks (if included with the costume).

What We Did This Summer.

I kept my husband and myself busy refinishing the floors in studios 1, 2 and 3. They have a nice clean look.

Miss Jen choreographed the Star Players of Bristol County's Production of "Hello Dolly". Miss Jen was joined by current and former students Rachel and Gina Tigano, Amanda Swartz, Sarah Albagaria, Shannon and Nina Hoey and Miss. Laura. They all did a fantastic job. We are very proud of them.

Miss Katie and her husband Steven purchased a home in Taunton and are currently remodeling it.

Miss Laurie taught dance at the Attleboro Y.M.C.A. summer program.

