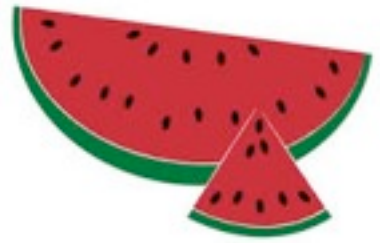


FUN 'N' DANCE LTD. - JUNE NEWSLETTER 2017



CONGRATULATIONS (!!!) to all of our students for doing such an **incredible** job of dancing at the two performances of “Mary Poppins & the Banks Family,” we are extremely proud of you. Also, a ‘BIG’ thank you to the many parent volunteers who helped make our year-end performance a success. This is the last newsletter of the school year; it contains information about registration and the last week of classes.

REGISTRATION FOR 2017/2018

Registration for the 2017/2018 school year will continue to the end of term (i.e. June 17) and throughout the summer, both within the school and for the general public. A tentative schedule for the 2017/2018 school year is currently available. When registering your child, we require fees to be paid by either 10 postdated cheques dated the first of each month from **September 1, 2017 to June 1, 2018** OR by 3 termly postdated cheques dated **September 1, 2017, January 1, 2018 and April 1, 2018**.

As classes can fill up quickly once registration is open to the general public, we would like to encourage current students to sign-up before the end of June so that they are guaranteed a space for next year. We encourage siblings and friends of current students to sign-up at this time too. Registration is available over the phone by calling **403-289-9240** or by e-mailing prattrj@telus.net. To help us with our planning for next year, if you know that your child will not be returning to dance classes in the fall, a phone call, e-mail or a letter stating this would be *greatly* appreciated. Should you have any questions regarding registration for next year, please contact **Miss Julie** at **403-289-9240** or by e-mail at prattrj@telus.net, she would be happy to answer them.

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SUMMER DANCE CAMPS

We are *very excited* to be offering two Fun 'n' Dance camps this summer. We would like to run an Intermediate dance camp for students aged *7 to 12 years old* from **July 10 - 14** and an Acrobatics camp from **July 31 - August 4**. We currently have spaces available in both camps and registration forms are available on the notice board at the studio, from your child's teacher and via email.

Should you wish more information on our camps, then please email Miss Julie at prattrj@telus.net.

LAST WEEK OF CLASSES

The last week of classes will begin on **Monday, June 12** with the final day being **Saturday, June 17**. Please find a schedule detailing classes and times below and on the Fun 'n' Dance Ltd. notice board.

Monday, June 12

Miss Natasha's Classes

- 4.30 – 5.30PM **Grade 3 Ballet** - "*Choreography Class*" - *students will be choreographing their own dances*
- 5.30 – 6.45PM **Grade 4 Ballet** - "*Choreography Class*" - *students will be choreographing their own dances*
- 6.45 - 8.00PM **Inter. Fdn. Ballet** - "*Choreography Class*" - *students will be choreographing their own combinations*
- 8.00 - 9.30PM **Adv. Fdn. Ballet** - "*Lyrical/Contemporary*" Class

Miss Julie's Classes

- 4.30 - 5.30PM **Grade 2 Ballet** - "*Bring-a-Friend*"; *all students are welcome to bring along one friend to try out ballet, the friend need not have any previous dance experience and should come dressed in comfortable clothing and footwear that they are able to dance in.*
- 5.30 - 7.00PM **Grade 5 Ballet** - '*Free*' Ballet class with emphasis on turns and jumps
- 7.00 - 8.00PM **Adv. Fdn. Pointe Class** - *learn a piece of classical repertoire on pointe*
- 8.00 - 9.30PM **Adv. 1 Ballet Class** - '*Free*' Ballet class with build-up to Advanced 2 work

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LAST WEEK OF CLASSES (continued):

Tuesday, June 13

Miss Dehla's Classes

- 4.15 - 5.15PM Junior Hip-Hop
5.15 - 6.15PM Acrobatics 1
6.15 - 7.15PM Intermediate Contemporary
7.15 - 8.15PM Acrobatics 2
8.15 - 9.15PM Stretch & Strengthen

*In all of Miss Dehla's Tuesday classes, there will be a 'beach theme'! Students can come dressed in beach/summer attire that they can dance in and bring along a snack to share with their friends if they would like. ***Please remember ONLY NUT FREE food items and if a student has a food allergy, they may want to provide their own snack - thank you!***

Miss Rene's Classes

- 4.15 - 5.00PM Beginner Tap/Jazz - today will be 'beach day'! Students can come dressed in beach/summer attire that they can dance in
5.00 - 6.00PM Beginner Tap (9 - 12 years) - a 'fun' tap class

*In both classes, students can bring along a snack to share with their friends if they would like. ***Please remember ONLY NUT FREE food items and if a student has a food allergy, they may want to provide their own snack - thank you!***

Miss Amanda's Classes

- 6.00 - 7.15pm **Intermediate Jazz** - Regular dance class
7.15 - 8.15PM **Intermediate Tap** - watching jazz and tap footage and having some snacks *(The Inter. Jazz students are welcome to stay for this class)

Wednesday, June 14

Miss Julie's Classes

- 4.30 - 5.30PM **Grade 3 Ballet** - "Preparation for Pointe class" - please wear convertible ballet tights if possible and Miss Julie will teach some exercises specifically aimed at building strength for pointe work and talk about proper foot care
5.30 - 6.45PM **Grade 4 Ballet** - "Character Class" - please bring along your character skirt and shoes and we will be learning some dances from other countries

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LAST WEEK OF CLASSES (continued):

Wednesday, June 14

- 6.45 - 8.00PM **Inter. Fdn. Ballet** - Warm-up followed by "Repertoire" - learn a piece of repertoire from one of the classical ballets
- 8.00 - 9.30PM **Adv. Fdn. Ballet Class** - 'Free' Ballet class with build-up to Advanced Fdn. work

Miss Natasha's Classes

- 4.15 - 5.15PM **Grade 2 Ballet** - "Choreography Class" - students will be choreographing their own dances
- 5.15 - 6.45PM **Grade 5 Ballet** - warm-up followed by lyrical/contemporary combination
- 6.45 - 7.15PM **Preparation for Pointe** - learn a ballet variation
- 7.15 - 8.00PM **Intermediate Pointe** - learn a ballet variation
- 8.00 - 8.45PM **Beginner Pointe** - learn a ballet variation

Thursday, June 15

Miss Dehla's Classes

- 3.30 - 4.30PM **Jazz Level 4**
- 4.30 - 5.15PM **Jazz Level 1**
- 5.15 - 6.00PM **Tap Level 1**
- 6.00 - 7.00PM **Jazz Level 5**
- 7.00 - 8.00PM **Adv. Contemporary**
- 8.00 - 9.00PM **Senior Hip-Hop**

*In ALL of Miss Dehla's Thursday classes, there will be a 'beach theme'! Students can come dressed in beach/summer attire that they can dance in and bring along a snack to share with their friends if they would like. ***Please remember ONLY NUT FREE food items and if a student has a food allergy, they may want to provide their own snack - thank you!***

Saturday, June 17

Miss Julie's Classes

- 9.45 - 10.30AM **Pre-Primary Ballet**
- 10.30 - 11.15AM **Primary Ballet**
- 11.15 - 12.15PM **Grade 1 Ballet**

** In all of these classes, it will be "Bring-a-Friend"; all students are welcome to bring along **one** friend to try out ballet, the friend need not have any previous dance experience and should come dressed in comfortable clothing and footwear that they are able to dance in.*

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LAST WEEK OF CLASSES (continued):

Saturday, June 17

12.15 – 1.45PM **Advanced 1 Ballet** - *'Free' Ballet class with build-up to Advanced 2 work*

1.45 - 2.45PM **Advanced Pointe Class** - *learn a piece of classical repertoire on pointe*

Miss Natasha's Classes

10.00 - 11.00AM **Inter. Ukrainian** - *Miss Natasha & a guest teacher*

11.00 - 12.00PM **Adv. Ukrainian** - *Miss Natasha & a guest teacher*

Miss Julie, Miss Natasha, Miss Dehla, Miss Amanda and Miss Rene look forward to seeing all of our students during this final week of classes.

LOST & FOUND

During the last week of classes, all of our *'lost and found'* items will be placed on a table in the lobby area just inside the main door of the community centre. We would greatly appreciate all students taking a look to see if any items belong to them (particularly water bottles, of which we have MANY!!). Any items not claimed by June 17 will be taken to the "Goodwill". Thanks so much for your help in this matter.

UNIFORM LISTS FOR SEPTEMBER

Just in case anybody is getting a 'head start' on their uniform shopping for next year, here is a list of uniform requirements for each level in ballet, jazz, tap, hip-hop, acrobatics, lyrical, contemporary and Ukrainian.

Storybook, Pre-Primary & Primary Ballet

- Pink short-sleeved bodysuit with round neck, (Mondor style #1635)
- Wrap over skirt in pink to match bodysuit (Mondor #6100)
- Pale pink ballet tights or pink ankle socks (Mondor style #167)
- Pink leather ballet slippers with elastic across the instep
- **BOYS:** plain white T-shirt with black/navy shorts, white ankle socks and white ballet slippers

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UNIFORM LISTS FOR SEPTEMBER (continued):

Grade 1 & Grade 2 Ballet

- Lavender sleeveless bodysuit with round neck (Mondor style #1645)
- Pale pink ballet tights (Mondor style #310, #314, #316, #319 & #345 or pink ankle socks (Mondor style #167))
- Pink leather ballet slippers with elastic across the instep, split soles are NOT acceptable
- Black character shoes (with **low** heel) and elastic across the instep
- Character skirt

Grade 3, Grade 4 & Grade 5 Ballet

- Navy blue, sleeveless bodysuit with gather at chest and matching waist elastic (Mondor #1633) OR *Black bodysuit (Mondor style #1633, #1645, #1613) ***Grade 5 only**
- Pale pink ballet tights (Mondor style #310, #314, #316, #319 & #345)
- Pink leather ballet slippers with elastic across the instep, split soles are NOT acceptable
- Black character shoes (**Grade 3 Ballet** and up require a **higher** heel, **1.25 inches**, on their character shoes)
- Character skirt

Intermediate Foundation Ballet

- Black bodysuit (Mondor style #1633, #1645, #1613)
- Pale pink ballet tights
- Pink leather ballet slippers with elastic across the instep
- Pointe shoes with ribbons *(once Miss Julie has indicated student is ready to go on pointe)
- Black character shoes (**Grade 3 Ballet** and up require a **higher** heel, **1.25 inches**, on their character shoes)
- Black character skirt

Intermediate Ballet/Grade 6, Advanced Foundation/Grade 7 & Advanced 2 Ballet

- Black bodysuit (Mondor style #1633, #1645, #1613)
- Pale pink ballet tights
- Soft pointe shoes with ribbons
- Pointe shoes with ribbons (once Miss Julie has indicated student is ready to go on pointe)
- Black character shoes (**Grade 3 Ballet** and up require a **higher** heel, **1.25 inches**, on their character shoes)
- Character skirt

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UNIFORM LISTS FOR SEPTEMBER (continued):

Intermediate & Advanced Ukrainian Classes

- Lavender sleeveless bodysuit with round neck (Mondor style #1645)
- Navy blue, sleeveless bodysuit with gather at chest and matching waist elastic (Mondor #1633) **OR** black bodysuit (Mondor style #1633, #1645, #1613)
- Pale pink ballet tights (Mondor style #310, #314, #316, #319 & #345)
- *Inter. girls* - Red leather ballet slippers with elastic across the instep, split soles are NOT acceptable
- *Adv. girls* - red teacher shoes with elastic across the instep
- **BOYS:** plain white T-shirt with black/navy shorts, white ankle socks and black ballet slippers

All Jazz, Tap, Lyrical, Contemporary & Stretch/Strengthen Classes

- Black bodysuit of any style
- Beige jazz tights
- **BEIGE** jazz shoes
- Black tap shoes

Hip-Hop Classes

- Sweat pants or loose-fitting pants (**NO JEANS**) and T-shirt
- Jazz shoes or **clean** runners

Acrobatics Class

- Tight -fitting shorts and a T-shirt and bare feet.

*Miss Julie, Miss Natasha, Miss Dehla, Miss Amanda and Miss Rene would like to thank ALL of our students and their families for a **GREAT** year of dance and hope that they have a safe and fun summer! Hope to see you in September, first day of classes is **Monday, September 11.***

