

SUPERSTARS

PERFORMING ARTS

NEWSLETTER
MARCH 2024

SPRING BREAK

March 11-17

Spring break is scheduled for Monday, March 11th-Sunday, March 17th.
No classes will be held at the studio during this time.
Classes will resume on **Monday, March 18th**.



RECITAL PICTURES



The recital picture schedule is complete and attached to the end of the newsletter. It will also be posted on our website and outside the 810 studio. Non-competition class pictures are scheduled for **Saturday, April 27th**. Competition Baton, Competition Dance, Competition Hip Hop, and select senior-level classes are scheduled for **Friday, April 26th**. Please check the schedule carefully to ensure that your student arrives to the correct location at the correct time. *Due to the use of multiple studio spaces, it is possible that your student's pictures will be in a different location than their regular weekly classes.* Students should arrive in costume and ready for pictures **10** minutes before their scheduled picture time. If your student is unable to be at pictures, please let us know in advance so that we do not delay our schedule waiting for them. Thank you!

All studio photos will be taken in the **Gym** at the **Crayons 2 Pencils Recreation Center**
515 Sunset Drive, Norwalk

RECITAL COSTUMES

Many of our classes have already received their recital costumes! As a reminder, these are being handed out on a rolling basis, and will continue to be distributed through the first two weeks of April. Should you feel as though your child needs a different size costume, please let us know **IMMEDIATELY**. (*Students may be asked to wear original costumes for pictures until a replacement can be obtained.*) Once your student brings their costume home, please be sure to store the costume and **all** accessories in a safe place. **Lost** or **damaged** costumes will not be replaced.

***It is important to remember that dance costumes are made to stock sizing specifications, and not to the individual measurements of each dancer. Every effort is made to determine the best fit for your student based on our measurements and the costume company's sizing chart. As is the nature of most dance attire, the fit of a costume should be snug, although not restrictive. If your student's costume requires more than a small alteration, please return the costume, in its original packaging, to the studio as soon as possible.*

TIPS & TRICKS

- Have your student try on their costume at home to ensure proper fit.
- Take care of minor alterations immediately. (Sewing in advance is *always* better than safety pinning!)
- Store all costumes and accessories together in a safe place.
- Hang costumes to allow wrinkles to fall out. (For stubborn wrinkles, use a steamer, not an iron on your costume!)
- Hang tutus upside down for extra fluffiness.



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SHOES & TIGHTS

If you have not done so already, it is time to order your **shoes** and **tights** for Pictures **AND** Recital. As a reminder, both shoe and tight orders must be placed at our **810 Main Street** location. Front desk staff will be available to help with sizing/ordering Monday-Thursday evening during regular class hours. For more information on requirements by class type, please visit the **Policies** page of our website.



MARCH AUTOMATIC PAYMENT

March's automatic payment was effective on Friday, **March 1st**.

Please verify that this transaction took place and contact the studio with any questions.

All accounts must be in good standing to receive costumes, and must be paid in full prior to Recital. Thank you.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Upcoming Important Dates

IN-STUDIO DRESS REHEARSAL

MAY 6-10

The week of May 6th-10th, all classes (excluding Competition classes) will have an "in-studio" dress rehearsal. Students should arrive in costume, but will need to bring a change of clothes in case dress rehearsal does not take the entire class. Parents will be invited into the studio during the last 10 minutes of each class to participate as the audience.

RECITAL REHEARSALS

May 30-31 | Norwalk High School Performing Arts Center

Recital rehearsal for all non-competition classes is scheduled for **Friday, May 31st**. Rehearsal will begin at **5:00pm** in the **Norwalk High School Performing Arts Center**. We will start with our youngest students first, and work our way up to our older students. Students should wear their blue tie dye Superstars t-shirt and black bottoms. *Students do not need to wear their costumes for rehearsal.* Upon arrival, students should report directly to the PAC, and wait in the auditorium for their group to be called backstage. Final rehearsal schedules will be released in April, and can be found in the newsletter, on our website, and posted outside our 810 Main Street studio.

All Competition Teams and senior solos will rehearse on THURSDAY, MAY 30th

RECITAL 2023

SATURDAY, JUNE 1st | Norwalk High School Performing Arts Center

We will be holding two recitals this year, and both will take place on **Saturday, June 1st**. Recital A will begin at 1:30 PM, and Recital B will begin at 6:30 PM. All recitals will be held at the **Norwalk High School Performing Arts Center**. Every class will perform in **one** show. Competition teams and select upper-level classes may perform in multiple shows. Recital breakouts will be released in April. Please note that recital breakouts provide a list of which classes will perform in each show; they are NOT the order of the show. Final Recital orders will not be published until May.



NORWALK PICTURE SCHEDULE**Competition Baton****LOCATION: CRAYONS 2 PENCILS RECREATION CENTER****515 Sunset Drive, Norwalk****FRIDAY, APRIL 26TH**

Picture Time	Class Day	Class Time	Routine Name	Class Instructor	Shoe Style
6:00	Wednesday	-	AC/DC	Dana/Tatum	Jazz
6:10	Wednesday	-	Senior Trio	Dana/Tatum	Jazz
6:15	Wednesday	-	5,6,7,8	Dana/Tatum	Jazz
6:25	Wednesday	-	Welcome to the Dark Side	Dana/Tatum	Jazz
6:35	Wednesday	-	Let's Get Loud	Dana/Tatum	Jazz
6:45	Wednesday	-	Baseball	Dana/Tatum	Jazz

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Picture Time	Class Day	Class Time	Class Name	Class Instructor	Shoe Style
6:45	Wednesday	8:45 PM	Senior Trio	Ashley/Annie	Lyrical
6:50	Monday	5:30 AM	Competition Hip Hop I/II Tech	Ms. Ashley	Black Sneakers
7:00	Monday	8:45 PM	Competition Hip Hop III	Ms. Ashley	White Sneakers
7:10	Wednesday	5:00 PM	Pointe	Ms. Annie	Pointe
7:20	Monday	6:15 PM	Competition Hip Hop II	Ms. Ashley	Black Sneakers
7:30	Monday	5:00 PM	Competition Hip Hop I	Ms. Ashley	Black Sneakers
7:40	Monday	8:15 PM	9th-12th Hip Hop	Ms. Ashley	White Sneakers
7:50	Thursday	6:00 PM	Junior Tap & Jazz	Ms. Jinessa	Jazz
8:00	Thursday	7:00 PM	Preteen Tap & Jazz	Ms. Alecia	Jazz
8:10	Thursday	8:00 PM	Senior Tap & Jazz	Ms. Alecia	Jazz
8:20	Wednesday	8:00 PM	Advanced Lyrical/Contemporary	Ashley/Annie	Socks
8:30	Monday	6:00 PM	Junior Competition Team	Ms. Annie	Jazz
8:40	Monday	8:30 PM	Preteen Competition Team	Ms. Annie	Jazz
8:50	Wednesday	7:00 PM	Senior Competition Team	Ashley/Annie	Jazz
9:00	Monday	6:00 PM	Junior Competition Team	Ms. Annie	Tap
9:10	Monday	8:30 PM	Preteen Competition Team	Ms. Annie	Tap
9:20	Wednesday	7:00 PM	Senior Competition Team	Ashley/Annie	Tap
9:30	-	-	Tap Line/Production	Ashley/Annie	Tap

NORWALK PICTURE SCHEDULE
Non-Competition Classes
LOCATION: CRAYONS 2 PENCILS RECREATION CENTER
515 Sunset Drive, Norwalk
SATURDAY, APRIL 27th

Picture Time	Class Day	Class Time	Class Name	Class Instructor	Shoe Style
9:30	Tuesday	7:30 PM	Lyrical II	Ms. Jinessa	Lyrical
9:40	Monday	6:30 PM	Baton I	Ms. Bethany	Jazz
9:50	Tuesday	6:00 PM	Tap/Ballet/Tumbling (Tues. PreK I)	Ms. Emily	Ballet
10:00	Tuesday	6:00 PM	Baton II	Ms. Bethany	Jazz
10:10	Tuesday	6:30 PM	Tap & Jazz II (3rd-5th)	Ms. Jinessa	Jazz
10:25	Monday	6:45 PM	Hip Hop (1st-2nd)	Ms.. Ashley	Sneakers
10:40	Tuesday	6:45 PM	Tap/Ballet/Tumbling (Tues. PreK II)	Ms. Emily	Ballet
10:50	Monday	7:00 PM	Baton III	Ms. Bethany	Jazz
11:00	Monday	7:15 PM	Hip Hop (3rd-5th)	Ms.. Ashley	Sneakers
11:15	Tuesday	8:00 PM	Hip Hop (Tues K-2)	Ms. Emily	Sneakers
11:25	Tuesday	5:00 PM	Tap & Jazz I (1st-2nd)	Mr. Kay	Jazz
11:40	Tuesday	7:30 PM	Tap/Ballet (Tues. Kindergarten)	Ms. Emily	Ballet
11:50	Tuesday	6:00 PM	Lyrical I	Mr. Kay	Lyrical
12:05	Monday	7:45 PM	Hip Hop (6th-8th)	Ms. Ashley	Sneakers
12:20	Thursday	6:00 PM	Tap/Ballet/Tumbling (Thurs. PreK I/II)	Ms. Kelsey	Ballet
12:30	Wednesday	5:30 PM	Kindergarten Hip Hop (Wed)	Ms. Claire	Sneakers
12:45	Thursday	7:15 PM	Elementary Hip Hop (Thurs. 3rd-6th)	Ms. Kelsey	Sneakers
12:55	Wednesday	6:30 PM	Cheer I (K-2nd)	Ms. Claire	Sneakers
1:05	Wednesday	6:00 PM	Kindergarten Tumbling	Ms. Ashlynn	Barefoot
1:20	Wednesday	7:30 PM	Cheer II (3rd-5th)	Ms. Claire	Sneakers
1:30	Wednesday	7:00 PM	Tumbling I (1st-2nd)	Ms. Ashlynn	Barefoot
1:45	Thursday	5:15 PM	Tap/Ballet/Tumbling (Thurs. PreK I 5pm)	Ms. Alecia	Ballet
2:00	Wednesday	8:00 PM	Tumbling II (3rd-5th)	Ms. Ashlynn	Barefoot
2:15	Wednesay	8:30 PM	Intermediate Tumbling	Ms. Ashlynn	Barefoot