

## February 2017 Newsletter

### Dear Students and Parents:

Remember, **Tuition and Extra Recital Fees are always due by the 1<sup>st</sup> day** of each month. **After the 5<sup>th</sup>, a Late Fee of \$10 or 10%, whichever is greater,** will be added to the next month's statement on any account with a balance. If you pay on the 6<sup>th</sup> of the month, you are **six days late**. A list of payment options follow:

1. **Automatic Charge** with MasterCard, Visa, American Express and Discover. Set up your automatic charge account and never be late again!
2. **Pay when your child comes to class** at the front desk with Cash, MasterCard, Visa, American Express, Discover or Debit Card.
3. **Call by phone with a Master Card, Visa Card, Discover Card, Amex, American Express, or Debit Card Number** during our operating hours: Mon.-Thurs from 3:00-9:00pm.

We do need everyone to pay tuition on time. It is the only way we are able to have our studio. Thank you!

**Video fees**, which pay for the filming of the recital, and your child's recital video, are due with February tuition. **Printer fees**, which pay for your child's picture in the recital program book, are due with your March tuition. If you have two or more children, they will appear in **one** photo in the book. **If you would like your children in separate or individual pictures, you must pay an additional \$75.00 for each child by March 1<sup>st</sup>**. We begin putting the program book together at this time, so we must know by then.

Some **Important Dates** to remember:

- **Mardi Gras Break – No Class** February 27<sup>th</sup> – March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2017
- **LADM Convention Baton Rouge, LA** - Saturday and Sunday, March 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Baton Rouge, LA
- **Easter Break - NO CLASS** April 17<sup>th</sup> – 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017
- **Picture Days** at the Studio – May 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> 2017.  
A schedule will be posted at a later date. Parent tickets (6 per family) will be given out Picture Day to those who have NO account balances. Extra tickets may be purchased starting at 9:00am on Saturday May 6<sup>th</sup> for \$20.00 each.
- **Extra Rehearsals at the Studio** – Saturday and Sunday, June 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> 2017. More information will follow.
- **Dress Rehearsal at LSU Union Theater** – Thursday and Friday June 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup>. (Rehearsal times will be posted at a later date.) \*Please note that the 3 and 4 year olds will begin rehearsals at 7 am Friday!
- **Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup> - Recital at LSU Union Theater.** Show at 7:00 pm
- **Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> - Recital at LSU Union Theater.** Shows at 2:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

**REMEMBER TO ORDER SHOES AND TIGHTS for the Recital!!** Forms were passed out to all students listing the required items for your child's class. These supplies may be purchased through the Tari Wear Store. Orders must be placed by March 1<sup>st</sup> to ensure that you receive them by Picture Day. Any orders taken after March 1<sup>st</sup> may not arrive by Picture Day.

**Your child's recital music** will be available for purchase at the front desk beginning February 2<sup>nd</sup> for \$6.00 for first class, \$3.00 second class, and \$1.00 for third class. Practicing at home allows students to feel more comfortable with the choreography the following week. You can give the front desk your email address when you purchase the music and the front desk will email your child's recital music.

**NOTICE:** There are **three recital performances:** Friday, June 9<sup>th</sup> at 7pm and Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> at 2:00pm and at 7:00pm. Advanced I, II, and III, Hip Hop II, III, and IV, and Tap I, II and III will dance in **all** shows. Please check your 2016-2017 class schedule for your **child's performance time**. This schedule is posted on our website at tarisdance.com. Please mark your calendars now to avoid conflicts! There will be **no picture make-up day** and **all students are required to attend all of the above dates in order to participate in the recital.**

Dancingly Yours,  
Mrs. Tari