Dancin' News

Northwest Ballet School & Company

~ 4th Quarter Newsletter ~ March 18th through May 23rd, 2024 ~ www.northwestballet.com ~ (406)755-0760 ~ www.facebook.com/NWB.CO

4th Quarter Tuition is Due

If you owe tuition for 4th Quarter, bills have been emailed from info@northwestballet.com. Please bring your payment in to the tuition box located at, or mail to, the *Dance Art Center*, 1411 - 1st Ave. West, Kalispell, MT 59901. Fees are due in March and may be brought with you when you come in to classes. We have Venmo (@NorthwestBallet-inc), or if need be, credit cards can be swiped at the DAC during office hours, 4:00-6:00pm Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays. Be aware a late fee of \$12 will be charged to accounts which are overdue. *ALSO, any accounts that are overdue will be unable to purchase tickets for the recital*, so please make sure you have a zero balance! Any questions can be directed to Marisa Roth at (406)755-0760.

Spring Break!

No classes will be held at the NWB in both Kalispell and Whitefish from March 24th-31st. Be safe & enjoy!

Spring Student Showcase Recitals 2024

Costumes will arrive for distribution during students' class times in May. Please know how important attendance is during these last few months, as the only times the teachers have with their students is during their classes! The pictures of all the costumes will be available for viewing in the waiting room in April. If your child is in more than one dance class, you have been e-mailed a bill for any additional costumes. Please know due to recital time, for March and April we will not be hosting any Observation Days during classes.

---->Kalispell's Dance Art Center:

Ticket sales start May 6th in the office at the DAC, and are available Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 4:00-6:00pm, checks & cash only, *no credit cards!* \$15 Adults & \$10 Children (3-12 years), lap babies free.

Dress Rehearsal, Friday, May 17th, Glacier High School Performing Arts Hall (approx. 5:00-9:30pm).

Performance, Saturday, May 18th, GHS at 7:00pm.

---->Whitefish's O'Shaughnessy Center:

Dress Rehearsal, Friday, May 17th, Glacier High School Performing Arts Hall (approx. 4:00-5:30pm).

Performance, Saturday, May 18th, GHS at 2:00pm. **Tickets** will be sold at the door, \$15 Adults & \$10 Children (3-12 years), lap babies free.

---> "Final Countdowns" with all performance details will be handed out the beginning of May with picture order forms and video order forms.

Northwest Ballet Company

The NWB Company presents their 44th Annual Mother's Day Production, "*Alice In Wonderland*"! Performances are at the Bigfork Center for the Performing Arts, Saturday, May 11th at 2pm w/ Alice's Parade and at 7:30pm; and Sunday, May 12th at 4pm. The links for reserved tickets will be on our Facebook page and website soon. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to see your talented local Ballet Company in action! A family friendly funny show for all ages!!

Montana Dance Arts Association (MDAA)

The Spring Workshop will be held in Missoula this year, April 6th & 7th. The NWB's older dancers will be attending that weekend to dance and audition for scholarships to summer dance programs. More information is available on MDAA's website, montanadancearts.org, or by talking to Miss Marisa.

Let's Go Dance

Don't forget about the DAC's very own in-store dance supply shop, *Let's Go Dance*. Elaine Leatzow has all your recital needs: hair nets, tights, hair pins, etc. Come see her in the NWB's office, or contact her at letsgoldinc@gmail.com.

Upcoming Events

~The Northwest Ballet Company will be hosting Company Auditions on Saturday, April 27th. All those eligible will receive information before that time. ~The *Dancin' at the D.A.C.* Summer Workshop Intensive will be held the week of June 17th at the DAC in Kalispell. Packets with more information will be available in May, as well as on our website.

Congratulations to our NWB Co. Graduates!

Homeschooler Savanah B. will be hanging out with her dog and going on hiking adventures next year. GHS graduate Anastazia L. plans to take a gap year and work full time, saving money to obtain her real estate license and eventually move out of Montana, to start her career. And WHS grad Miki F. is planning on taking classes at FVCC, and enjoying more time with family and friends. Y'all will be missed, but we wish you blessings in this new chapter of your lives! Thank you for sharing your love of dance with your NWB family all these years!