



# September 2021 Monthly Newsletter

Hello United Dance & Tumbling Parents,

Each month I will send monthly dance reminders out via email. Please let me know if you do not receive an email from me by the 7th of each month. I have attached our 2021 - 2022 Information Packet. Please take a few minutes to read through the packet if you haven't already!

Something **NEW this year!** On our website we have a "For Parents" tab! [Click here to view the tab!](#) All of our monthly newsletters/emails will be uploaded on the website as well, so at any time you can access all of our studio information! **Please use the website to excuse your student if they are unable to make it to class.** We prefer this over emails being sent. It helps the entire staff see the excused absence quickly.

## September Calendar Items:

- **September 1st - 7th: Monthly Tuition Due**
  - A \$10.00 late fee is automatically added to accounts on the 8th of each month. If you are ever not able to pay on time, please let me know prior to the 7th to set up a payment arrangement and to avoid the late fee.
  - See the Information Packet for payment options and information.
  - Automatic Payments are only charged for those parents who have filled out and signed the automatic payment form at the front office.
- **September 6th: Labor Day / No Class Held**
- **September 20th: All students are required to have the correct class attire by this date.** View the attached packet for details. All items are available at the studio store!
- **September 20th - 25th: Dancin' Around the World Week** - This is a special themed dance week! Parents do not need to prepare anything for this class. This is for the following dance classes: Preschool Minis, Kindergarten Classes, Rising Stars Co (Friday, Sept. 24th), and Mini Stars Co (Friday, Sept. 24th)

## Other Information:

- Please send your student to class with a water bottle!
- Parking Lot: Please do not park for more than 5 minutes at a time during drop offs & pick ups. This will help us keep the flow moving smoothly in the parking lot.
- We have United spirit attire available! Students, parents, and siblings are welcome to purchase t-shirts, hoodies, tanks, jackets, etc! We recommend using our sizing kits in the studio to decide which size you would like to order. Visit the office for help! The order deadline is October 31st.



- Upcoming Costume Fee: The costume fees & tumbling unitard performance fees have been added to all accounts. Please plan ahead for this fee so we can order costumes on time! This fee is separate from tuition and was not available to pay until after the registration process. As noted on the website, this is the only required added fee, other than regular tuition. You are welcome to pay any fees early.

### ONCE PER WEEK TYPE DANCERS COSTUME FEES ~ DUE 12/1/21:

- \$70.00 for hip hop classes. This costume includes sneakers.
- \$50.00 for all other once per week type classes (combo classes, jazz, ballet, lyrical)
- \$25.00 for all tumbling students
- \$25.00 for all babies movement students

### COMPETITION TEAM COSTUME FEES ~ DUE 10/1/21:

- \$130.00 for Mini Stars & Rising Stars
- \$215.00 for Jewels, Jr Diamond, Jr Impact, Jr Sapphire, Jr Sparks
- \$280.00 for Jr Explosion, Pre Teen Explosion, Pre Teen Impact, Sr Diamond, Sr Explosion, Teen Premier
- \$345.00 for Sr Elite 1, Sr Elite 2, and Teen Elite

## Information for Competition Team Parents:

- On our original schedule we planned to have a mandatory competition team rehearsal on Saturday, December 4th. We just found out that a major drill team competition will be held on this day causing many of our teachers to have a major conflict. Because of this, the mandatory team rehearsal will be held on Saturday, December 11th. Please mark this change on your calendars.
- For all competition students (with the exception of the Mini Stars and Rising Stars) - Please reserve your St. George Hotel NOW for the nights of March 25th & March 26th. Plan on the competition on March 26th starting early in the morning and ending late in the evening. Hotels sell out during March in St George! So book a hotel as soon as possible!
- For those who participated in the Thriller Camp, we have uploaded practice videos to the website under the "For Parents" tab. Please have your student watch and practice with the video a couple times each week through September and October.
- Parents who have registered for the Epic Convention on September 17th & 18th, please see the attached information page regarding the schedule and further information!

We look forward to working with our awesome students and parents this year!

Thanks for choosing UDC!

Megan Hansen

United Dance Center, Director