

I would like to welcome all new and returning students. There will be three newsletters sent home throughout the dance year to keep everyone informed and updated as to what is happening within the dance studio. PLEASE READ THE NEWSLETTERS THAT ARE SENT HOME. All pertinent information will be listed in the newsletters; tuition due dates, vacation reminders, and further information.

### RECITAL COSTUMES

**Costumes will be ordered for each student and a non-refundable costume deposit is required before placement of order. Costume deposits are due the week of October 3rd. Costumes are ordered according to a child's chest, waist, hips, and girth. Extra large costumes sizes for children and adults have an additional cost. Costumes are not made for each individual child; therefore slight alterations may be needed. In January, costume balances will be handed out and the costume board with costume pictures will be located in the lobby.**

#### Costume deposits are as follows:

**\$40.00 deposit for one costume**

**\$85.00 deposit for two costumes**

**\$130.00 deposit for three costumes**

**\$180.00 deposit for four costumes**

**\$225.00 deposit for five or more dances.**

### June Recital

Our 7th Annual Recital will be held at Millbury High School on Saturday June 2nd, 2012. Both the recital and dress rehearsal will be held at Millbury High School. The mandatory dress rehearsal will be held on Wednesday May 30th; specific times for the recital and dress rehearsal will follow. Please mark your calendars and save these dates!

### Up Coming Events - Holiday Show

Holiday Performance at Eddy Pond on Sunday December 11th @ 2:30 at The Lodge & 3:15 at The Woods. Classes performing will be posted in the lobby. Students will wear dance attire or costumes from past recitals. Costumes will not need to be purchased. This is a wonderful way for the studio to share our love of dance and give back to the community. The entire performance should last approximately 30 minutes. Please notify your teacher immediately if you will not be performing. This is a performance for the residents of Eddy Pond only. DO NOT INVITE GUESTS OF YOUR OWN. Friends, boyfriends, grandparents, etc are not allowed. Further information will follow regarding attire and performance line up.

### REMINDERS

**"Bring a Friend to Dance"**

**Oct 3 - Oct 8**

**Forms located at front desk**

**Installment Two is due the week of October 31st. Any tuition 10 days past due will assessed a \$10.00 late fee. Any tuition 30 days past due will be assessed a \$15.00 late fee.**

### Lobby & Desk Area

The desk located in the lobby is for staff only. It is not to be used or played at. I kindly ask that all students, siblings, and parents could please respect this request and not use the area for personal use.

If everyone could kindly help to keep the dance studio clean and sanitary by using the dust buster and trash located in the corner of the lobby. Please dispose of any snacks, coffee cups, newspapers etc into the trash. Thank you.

### Inclement Weather & Make Up Classes

During inclement weather we will generally follow the Auburn School System, however an outgoing message will be left at the studio if classes have been delayed or cancelled. All absences due to sickness or snow days may be made up within two weeks. Students are allowed four make up classes throughout the year due to absences from sickness. Please call the studio if your child is going to make up a class and please follow the attached make up schedule.

### Pick Up & Drop Off

Parents are asked to please pick your children up by coming into the studio and please **BE ON TIME**. Our faculty members have families and other jobs to attend to and it is important that students are being picked up **ON TIME**.