

Dancin' News

Northwest Ballet School & Company
~ 3rd Quarter Newsletter ~ Jan. 18th through March 20th, 2010 ~

Tuition is due!

If you owed tuition for 3rd Quarter, you have been billed. If you paid by semester in the fall, you were billed for the semester for the second half of the year as well. If you would like to just pay for a quarter, please refer to your green school brochure, or our website www.northwestballet.com, and adjust your tuition fee. Please bring your payment in to the tuition boxes located at both studios, or mail to the *Dance Art Center*, 1411 - 1st Ave. West, Kalispell, MT 59901. Fees are due the week of Jan. 18th and may be brought with you when you come in to classes. Do be prompt or a late fee of \$10 will be charged to those accounts overdue! Any questions can be directed to Marisa Roth at 250-7324.

Note: There are **no** scheduled holidays for 3rd Quarter. The next scheduled vacation for the *NW Ballet* is Spring Break the end of March!

Snow Days

The *NW Ballet School* follows School District 5's requests for school closures. If they cancel, so do we. An announcement will be made on the *DAC* phone message (755-0760) and a note with proper make-up times for those missed classes will be sent out shortly after. We want to keep our dancers safe!

Recitals

Costumes have been ordered and will arrive for distribution the first of May. Our "Dreamy" theme this year is sure to be an exciting one! Please know, if your children are in more than one performing technique class, you will be receiving a bill in the spring for their additional costume(s). The binder with all the pictures of the costumes will be available for viewing after Spring Break in April. Thank you to Elaine Leatzow, our new Recital Costume Coordinator!
Kalispell's Dance Art Center: Dress Rehearsal, Fri., May 28th; Performance, Sat., May 29th; Glacier High School Performing Arts Hall.

Whitefish's O'Shaughnessy Center: Dress Rehearsal, Fri., May 21st; Performance, Sat., May 22nd; O'Sh. Cntr.

Northwest Ballet Company

The NWBC will present their annual Spring Concert over Mother's Day Weekend with the Company's 30th Anniversary Gala Celebration! Mark Fri., May 7th, Sat., May 8th and Sun., May 9th on your calendar now for a not to be missed evening of great classical ballet dance! We're back at the Bigfork Center for the Performing Arts, and as always will offer our NW Ballet patrons discounted early bird ticket prices.

Big Sky Dance Fashions
CONGRATULATIONS to BSDF's new owner, NW Ballet Company Wardrobe Mistress, Janet Hunt! Big Sky Dance Fashions is dancing in the new year with sparkling new merchandise! Pretty hair pieces, embellished ballet and pointe shoe bags, smashing scarves, beautiful ballet pillows, awesome hair pin bags, and of course a few Janet* creations. Check out the famous \$5 bin for NEW things. Get ready for the "Where is Cupid?" sale starting Feb. 1st. We can "heartly" wait! Janet can be reached by calling 885-6789.

Lost & Found...

Please check for lost items frequently. The pile tends to accumulate over the winter!

Congratulations

to our newest pointe dancers at the *DAC*! Pointe shoes were awarded to Olivia Serio, Eliza Reichner, Ashley Pitt, Pixie Bowles, Ruthie Hunt, and Sara Lisle. Good job girls, now the **real** work begins...

Marisa Roth