



## Dancebeat March 2020

It is almost spring, (yes, I know there's still a chance of snow) however, now is the time to look back and see how far we have come. It is also a time to look ahead and see how far we wish to go.

### Spring Break:

Do to the fact that schools are not on the same schedules this year; CPA will not close for Spring Break. We will not have Sunday practice on the 22nd of March, but will be back on Sunday schedule March 29th.

1. We have 11 weeks to recital, please don't miss any classes, any classes you have missed must be made up by April 8th.

2. We ask that you don't cut your hair and let your bangs grow out. We will be giving you the hair styles for recital soon and they will be either buns or French braids. We will also be doing hair styles and makeup practice in class sometime in April or the first of May.

3. Don't buy new shoes, we still don't know what color you might need till after all the costumes are fitted.

4. We will be getting in new tights soon. If you do buy your recital tights now, please don't wear

them to class. Save them for the recital. Washing causes them to fade, or they can become ripped, thus necessitating buying another pair.

5. Final costume money is now due. Costumes are arriving each week, and we are trying them on in class as they come in. Please make sure to wear your leotard and tights, we cannot try on costumes without them. If you would like a body suit to wear under your costume now is the time to get it.

6. Speaking of costumes, they are fragile and cannot be replaced.

7. Don't cut the tags out, please DO write your name in them instead.

8. Don't wash, dry clean, play in it, or let your siblings, friends, cats, dogs, etc. try it on. If they become stained we cannot get another in time for recital.

9. Sequins melt, don't leave costumes in the hot car or plastic bags, hang it up. Put all your accessories together with your costume in a safe place.

10. Start getting your Survival Kit ready. See the bulletin board in the Hall of Fame. Ms. Teresa always has a great poster

with everything you will need.

11. I have been working on the line up for recital, please make sure that you check the board to see that your name is spelled correctly and that you are listed in the program. We are trying to rework the problems with siblings in recital. If we missed one, please let us know ASAP. However we must know now.

12. Please make sure that each dancer wears deodorant. Yes even some 10year olds need it.

13. We will have the picture sign up sheet up next week. We would like all dancers to have their pictures done. That includes Father/Daughter, Mother/Daughter, Swing dancers as well.

14. Our recital T Shirts should be ready soon, they are a wonderful way of remembering your recital and we will be wearing them during the finale. Each shirt will have the names of all in recital listed on the back. Shirts are included in recital fee for the first child in each dance family. Additional dancers will be \$15.00. There will be some extra shirts for Adults in X/XX Large at \$18.00,

Student Name:

Tuition Balance

Costume Balance

**Recital/Rehearsal Fee of \$35.00 per family is now due.**

Sunday Practices began:

March 1st

Father Daughter 1:00

Mother Daughter 2:00

Swing 3:00

Kickline 3:45

These times will change in April. So be looking for the new times then.

We will not have practice on March 22, or on Easter Sunday, so please try to make as many as possible. I know that means coming back early on March 29th from Spring Break trips for practice.

## BEYOND BROADWAY RECITAL DATE May 23rd, 5:30 R.N.R. Middle School

Dress Rehearsal Dates will be May 21& 22.

We are trying to get everyone into one recital this year to alleviate siblings being in different recitals. It will be a little long, but hopefully it will solve problems.

Please remember that all Pointe, Father/Daughter, Swing and Kickline costumes are rentals and must be returned at recital.

Our hall of fame now has costume pictures and more recital related information listed. Please

check each week as it will be updated with further information as recital gets closer.

DO YOU THINK CPA IS A GOOD DANCE SCHOOL?

Each year the Times News does a voter request for the #1 business sometime in April. I believe. If you think that CPA has done a good job, won't you please write in and tell them that. The staff at CPA would appreciate knowing how you feel. We won best dance school but not 1st place.