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From Our Hearts...

Love is in the air!

This is a very exciting time of the year for the studio. We are gearing up for competition season as well as busily preparing for our end of the year recital. Lots of important information will be emailed out in the coming weeks, so please take the time to read all emails from the studio to stay up-to-date on recital updates.

Please remember that ALL recital packets are due **by February 28th**. If you have misplaced your recital packet, please see the front desk for a replacement. If you haven't received one yet, please check your child's folder in the lobby or stop by the front desk. This is especially important if you missed Open House and didn't get your packet then or if you are a newly enrolled student in 2017.

Recital costumes have arrived! We will start sending home costumes toward the end of the month and will continue into March. Please be on the lookout for those as well as information on how to care for and store your costumes until recital time.

This is the time to start ordering the required tights and shoes for recital. If you are unsure what your child needs, please refer to the recital supply sheet that is included in your recital packet. There is also a copy at the front desk for your convenience. We will be happy to order these items for you. If you prefer to get them sooner, we recommend going to Wellheeled located at the corner of Main Street and Taylor Street in downtown Columbia.

Sincerely, The SCDC Staff

Important Information

1. Please don't forget to turn in your recital packets by February 28th.
2. Stay tuned to WIS TV and our Facebook page for accurate information on inclement weather and studio closings.
3. Be on the lookout for our Summer Camp schedule coming soon!

Follow your heart. Live your dream. Be passionate. Happiness is yours to take. Never give up. Your energy is limitless. Embrace possibility. Embrace vulnerability. Set goals. Enjoy life's little moments. Love your Life and Sprinkle Cheer wherever you may go!



Happy Birthday!

February Birthdays

Peyton Shealy 2/1 * Alexa Wunderlich 2/1 *
Parker Pearl McDaniel 2/2 * Ariana Meadows 2/2 *
Lila Willie 2/2 * Rebecca-Ann Melton 2/5 *
Amelia Schilling 2/5 * Aa Hoyle 2/7 *
Alexis Schilit 2/8 * Lilyan Tell 2/9 *
Ainsley Plunkett 2/10 * Sadie Shaffer 2/10 *
Shawn Meadows 2/11 * Taylor Arnold 2/12* Lauren
Murphy 2/12 * Natalie Rooks 2/14 * Bridget Conklin
2/16 * Savanna Speirs 2/16 * Jacob McFerrin 2/17 *
Shakty Arrieta 2/19 * Jon David Gardner 2/22 *
Emoree-Grace Gates 2/22 *
Mary Madison Hardy 2/22 * Ashton Trigg 2/24 *
Gianna Diaz 2/25 * Gracie McDowell 2/25 *
Avery Phillips 2/25 * Gracie Bowers 2/27 *
Angela Myers 2/27 * Ryan Baston 2/28 *
Gracie Bradley 2/28



Prayer List

Death and illnesses in our families
Pray for our studio and the upcoming events
Unspoken requests
Those with illnesses and suffering pain
Pray for our economy
Pray for our military
Pray for our teachers and staff. May we be a place where love overflows
to your children.
Bless South Carolina Dance Company Studio, students, and families

Choreography has begun!

Recital dances have been started in all of our classes. We strongly encourage you to have your child to practice at home.

If you need a copy of his/her music, please bring a blank CD to your teacher and she will be happy to burn you a copy.

Please know that most of our recital music has been edited down to the appropriate time length for recital dances (approx. 2 minutes) so the versions you can find on YouTube or iTunes are not the ones they will perform to in the show.

When the dances are finished, we will invite you in to record them so your child can practice with the video. This is typically near the end of March.

Please make every effort to have your child attend classes. New choreography is taught every week and it is important your child and the class that no one falls too far behind.

It is very important that your child practices every day to ensure he/she will have confidence and be comfortable performing on the stage!

We can't wait for our 2017 recital!



2017 Calendar of Events

February 1	Tuition Due
February 28	RECITAL FORMS DUE
March 1	Tuition Due
March 27-30	Picture Week
April 1	Tuition Due
April 10-14	Spring Break - Studio Closed

* The studio will be closed on Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Spring Break, and Memorial Day.
We do not offer make up classes for these holiday breaks.*



With all this recital talk, are you finding yourself confused?
Here are the basics:

Who: SCDC Students

What: SCDC's Annual Recital 2017

Where: Lexington One Performing Arts Center (LOPAC)
located at Lexington High School
2463 Augusta Hwy in Lexington

When: May 26 - Dress Rehearsal

May 27 - Shows at 12:00, 2:00, 5:00, and 7:30

May 28 - Show at 3:00

To find out which show(s) your child is in, please refer to your recital packet or stop by the front desk.

Why: To give your child a chance to SHINE on stage!

All of this information (and lots more!) is in your recital packet. If you don't have one or have misplaced yours, please stop by the front desk ASAP to get one.

Thank you!

Don't Forget Recital Picture Week is Next Month!

Please do not wait until the last minute to order supplies!

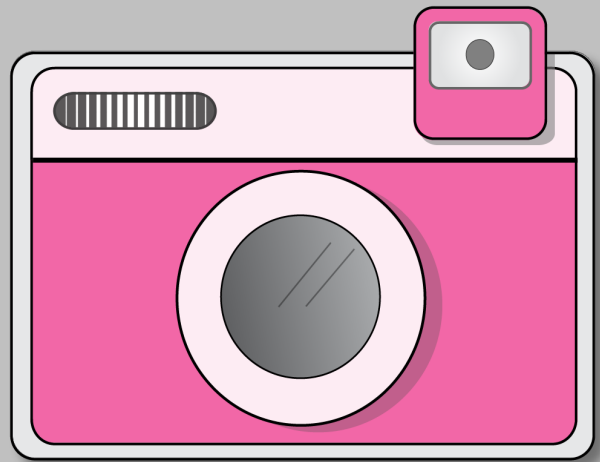
We strongly encourage you to order through us using the forms in your recital packet to ensure you have the correct items.

If you order them on your own, please show them to your child's teacher before picture week for approval.

It is very important that the classes have the correct items so they look uniform and professional on stage.

Note: Even if you do not plan to purchase pictures your child needs to attend Picture Week in full costume to be in the group picture.

Thank you for your cooperation!



Reminder of Studio Policies:

All students must wear the appropriate dance attire to class. Reminder that hour ballet class students must wear a black leotard, pink footed tights, and their hair in a tight, secure bun.

Please do not wear dance shoes outside and put on a cover-up or uniform over dance clothes before leaving the studio. This keeps us modest, safe, and WARM during the winter season :)

* For safety reasons, absolutely no street clothes or jewelry are allowed in class.*

Thank you for your compliance and support of these policies.