

UP-DATE #9 NOV.20, 2008

GREAT JOB AT AUDITON THIS WEEKEND. We find out this Sunday if either group made it.

THANK YOU: A couple of weeks ago we assigned a student representative from each Competitive group to be responsible to remind their peers about cleaning up after themselves at the studio. I am thrilled that this has made a huge difference. Thank you for treating the studio with respect!!! Keep up the great work.

SHOW SHOW SHOW: ELKS CHRISTMAS CHILDRENS PARTY
Elks Hall: 1469 George St.
Sunday Dec. 14th @ 12 noon. Show is only 20 minutes long.

"Christmas in June" Junior Ballet # from last year
If you have a fun up beat solo, duo, or trio that you would like to present at this event email me ASAP.

CANCELATION DATES FOR WHITE ROCK ELEMENTARY.
FOR DECEMBER. Due to school Christmas productions.
Alternate Location and times listed below.

Wed. December 3, 10 & 17@ Star of the Sea Community Hall at Five Corners
15262 Pacific Ave. White Rock
"Main Hall"

Loretta's Company Modern class 4:00-5:30
Dana's Pre Co I Jazz from 5:30-7:30
Dana's Adult Adv. Jazz from 7:30-9:00

Dana loses a total of 1 1/2 hours with Pre Co I, therefore make up class at Spiral on Sat. Dec. 13th from 6:00-7:30

Thurs. Dec. 4th & 18th we have East Kensington 2795 184th St. Surrey. Same times 4-8 pm.

**HAVE YOU CHECKED THE OFFICE WALL TO CONFIRM YOUR SOLO, DUO'S, & TRIO'S. DON'T DELAY!!!
SHERRIES MAKE UP CLASSES: Pre-App & Apprentice.**

Sun. Dec. 7 Apprentice Jazz. 10-12 noon

Sunday December 14

Pre App. & App. Together 12-2 pm

Pre-Apprentice 2-4 pm

Attendance is mandatory!!

**BROCKS MAKE UP CLASSES:
Sunday Dec. 14th**

Co. Tap 2-3:15 pm

Pre Co I Tap 3:15-4:30 pm

Jr. Hip Hop 4:30-5:30 pm

Pre Co III Hip Hop 5:30-6:30 pm

DVD SURVEY: Thank you everyone who responded to our survey. We had an overwhelming 95% thumbs up for going forward with the idea. To implement this savings it is mandatory for everyone.

Since most of our competitive clients have 6 or more group numbers presented at the Year End Recital, the fee will be a total of \$60.00 no matter how many nights you perform in. You receive the whole show for each night you dance in.

I believe the only group not affected by this is our new Junior I group and our Adults, therefore your fee would be only \$20.00 if you or your child were in 2 dances.

To go forward with collecting the fee, we are suggesting adding \$10.00 each month from January to June on your monthly fees to cover the \$60.00 amount. If you would like to pay it up front in one lump sum, please let Jen know.

Thank you for your consideration in making this happen.

VHS Dance videos of Spiral Dance Recitals from 1997 have now been transferred onto

DVD. Shawn has done a great job with the transfer including chapters. If anyone is interested in having any of these copies you can contact Shawn Lam @video@shawlam.ca or 604-936-2047.

SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS

FOR 2007-2008

Congratulations to the following students who were 2007-2008 scholarship recipients. Spiral Dance has a group of Volunteer parents who assist in making these scholarships possible.

The faculty at Spiral Dance applauds those individuals who have shown a strong consistent work ethic throughout the year, those who through their efforts are deemed the most improved, and those who have contributed in a special way their passion, sportsmanship, willingness to learn and overall etiquette.

CONTRIBUTED IN A SPECIAL WAY: Juilia Bazso, Kailey Foster, Sarah Formosa, Kylie Doobenen, Rohja Lawrence, Zoe Johnson, Biannca Gurniak

MOST IMPROVED: Madeline Brown, Tori Dams, Shawn Killoran,

Allison Hill, Ashley Williams, Shannen Young, Charlotte Kavanagh, Emily Hilton, Emma Avery, Carly Christy.

MOST PROMISING: Jason LaCroix, Maxine Chadburn, Jessica Wilkie, Beniya Lawrence, C.J. Milne, Bianca Dyck.

CONSISTANT HARD WORKER: Chanelle Samuel, Jessica Johnston, Abby Williams, Tori Filipenko, Corbin Girard, Miranda Waibel, Stephanie Bringleland, Cailyn Andrews, Dana Maternick, Taylor Dolan.

If you are interested in assisting to help our fundraising team. Please call Jennifer Vaness @604-541-2800 as she is gathering a list of helpers, many hands means light work.

Cheers & Happy Dancing.

P.S Parents please go through the lost and found boxes for your children's items. There is one in the back room as well.

ADD ON TO #9 GROUP UP-DATE

Memorial Service Up-date:

For those who have not heard a beloved friend /mother of the Spiral Family passed away this weekend. Debbie Lillejord will be missed greatly by all her many friends and family. Her children Shawna and Sydney spent 13 years dancing at Spiral in our Competitive Program, our hearts go out to them.

Sydney has asked me to post the information for those who want to

come to the service. It is requested that attendees where color, and if you wish there will be a memory box where you can put some of your favorite memories of Debbie. These will get posted on a web site in her honor. The web site address will be made available at the service and you can also post your memories directly on the site.

PLACE: VICTORY MEMORIAL PARK 14831 28TH AVE.

TIME: service starts at 10 am

On behalf of all of us @ Spiral Dance we extend our deepest sympathies to Ken and the girls, and know that we are all here for you if you need any thing.

STUFFIES IN THE BACK ROOM: thank you to all those who brought in those fabulous huge stuffed animals. The intention was to possibly use them for a stage group number for our new Junior I group. We will forgo on this for this year. If you can come pick them up in the next week or so we would appreciate it.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR COMPANY DANCERS: Debbie Cartherwood from "For the Luv of It" contacted me today and your lyrical group number has been cast in the talent showcase. I will give you more details about the performance as I get them.

SURREY SHINES 2009 hosted by The Youth Arts Council of Surrey & Coast Capital Savings are holding auditions the week of Dec. 2nd – 5th for their Youth talent Showcase held at the Surrey Arts Center February 12.

We have been contacted to apply for an audition spot. I do not have details as of yet for times and location, however I will do my best to avoid conflict with any classes. We would like to consider either one of Company and or Apprentice Group numbers to present at the audition. I will let you know in a day or so.

Live, Love, Laugh and keep dancing!
Cheers Loretta