Welcome to....THE DANCE CENTER'S SUMMER PROGRAMS!

5-Week Curriculum Program ~ Children's Dance Camp ~ Open Class Program

5-WEEK CURRICULUM PROGRAM COURSE SELECTION

PRE-SCHOOL - Introduction to Classical Ballet and Creative Movement - Ages 3, 4

Age appropriate ballet and creative movement lessons are taught to classical music. A fun introduction to the world of classical ballet!

PRE - BALLET - Introduction to Classical Ballet and Hip Hop Intro - Ages 5, 6

Age appropriate ballet lessons are taught to classical music with introduction to classical positions, terminology and movement. Hip Hop dance moves are taught for the last 10 minutes of the class.

ELEMENTARY 1/2 BALLET and LYRICAL combination - Ages 7, 8, 9

This is a combination Ballet technique class and Intro to Lyrical class for students who are at the first level of elementary classical training. Previous experience in Pre-Ballet or Elementary 1 is not required, but recommended.

ELEMENTARY 3/4 and LYRICAL combination - Ages 8, 9, 10

(Completed Dance Center Levels 3, 4)

Ballet Technique, Pointe Preparation, and Lyrical classes are offered for students with at least 2 years of elementary classical training.

ELEMENTARY 5/6 BALLET - Ages 10, 11, 12

(Completed Dance Center Levels 5, and first year 6)

Ballet Technique and Pointe classes are offered for students with at least 3 years of elementary classical training.

<u>REGULAR DIVISION INTERMEDIATE BALLET and POINTE</u> - Ages 13 & over - (Completed Dance Center Levels second year Elementary 6 and B) Ballet Technique and Pointe class for students with at least 3 years of classical training.

REGULAR DIVISION ADVANCED BALLET and POINTE - Ages 14 & over -

(Dance Center Levels C and D)

Ballet Technique and Pointe class for students with at least 4 years of classical training.

STRETCH AND CONDITIONING -

This class is designed to stretch and tone the entire body emphasizing upper and lower abdominals complimenting ballet technique and cross training for injury prevention.

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES: (Refer to our website www.thedancecenter.org for more detailed information if needed.)

REGISTER NOW! The preferred method of registration is done completely ON-LINE. Go to: www.thedancecenter.org ~ click on "On-Line Registration" ~ follow the instructions to our DANCE WORKS program ~ Select SUMMER PROGRAM 2018 and follow the prompts for registration. A credit card will be needed to register on-line. A \$50 Deposit per program will be automatically charged to your credit card to reserve your place in class(es) (except for the OPEN CLASS BALLET PROGRAM in August. Full tuition for the OPEN CLASS PROGRAM is due at the time of registration.) You may pay the tuition balance of the other two summer programs by check, cash or credit card. Your credit card will remain secure in the Dance Works program. If you would prefer to pay by check and not input a credit card, print out the Summer Registration Forms from the website and mail to the address below. All checks payable to: THE DANCE CENTER

SUMMER FACULTY: Ballet classes will be taught by the professional faculty of The Dance Center. See The Dance Center's website for complete biographies of all faculty.

<u>CURRICULUM POLICY:</u> The Dance Center reserves the right to cancel any class or program that does not have sufficient enrollment. In that case, a full refund will be given. The Dance Center also reserves the right to change faculty as they see fit. Unusual circumstances may call for an unexpected replacement in faculty. If this occurs, it will be the decision of the Director acting in the best interest of the program. In that case, no refunds.

<u>DRESS CODE:</u> Girls: Solid color leotard, pink tights, pink ballet slippers, pink pointe shoes (as needed). Short ballet skirts, fitted warmers are allowed as long as they are solid in color and preferably pink or black. No baggy pants, tee-shirts, or street wear is allowed. Hair must always be securely pulled back off the face and in a ballet bun for all dancers from Pre-Ballet to Advanced - no exceptions. Boys: Tight fitting white tee-shirt or leotard, white or black tights or black jazz pants or jazz shorts. Ballet slippers.

TUITION POLICY: No refunds or deductions will be given for any reason including, but not limited to, illness, vacation, withdraw, etc. Tuition is not transferable from one program to another, from one session to another, or from one family member to another. However, make-up classes are available within the current summer program session. Tuition due dates are stated specifically for each individual Summer Program. Please see Tuition Policy on our website for complete, detailed information.

RELEASE POLICY: It is important that every student enrolled at The Dance Center be in good health and that no past illness or injury could be complicated by physical exercise. Since you and/or your children are exercising and training in dance AT YOUR OWN RISK, The Dance Center, their agents or representatives, assumes no responsibility for any injury while attending classes, being on the premises, or for any injury or damages that may be suffered in connection with their association or entry into dance training. Parents and/or students should realize that before entering themselves into such a program, class or event, there is an element of risk involved, and therefore the dancers themselves and/or their families assume the sole responsibility if any injury should occur.

By registering for any class or program at The Dance Center, students/parents/guardians are accepting, and will comply with, all the Policies and Procedures listed on our website as well as on all Registration Forms.

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