

EURHYTHMICS DANCE STUDIO, INC
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To all parents and students,

We are very excited to be well underway for our 2011-2012 dance term! It's great to see all returning students and exciting to meet all our new dance family members.

We have a few important dates that you should remember for this month and they are as follows:

Monday, October 10th - Happy thanksgiving - no classes

Monday, October 24th - Thursday, October 27th - wear your Halloween costume to class - please be sure you can move freely

Monday, October 31st - Halloween - Below is the schedule of classes that will run on

Halloween night - 4:30 - 5:10 - Ballet 3 exam prep

5:10 - 5:55 - Ballet 4 exam prep

5:55 - 7:00 - Intermediate exam prep

*No other classes will run on Halloween night

Friday, October 28th - All Purdy's chocolate orders are due

Class reps- most of your children's classes will have a class representative that the instructors will use if we need to get information out that may apply only to your child's class. If you would like to be a class rep please call the studio with your name and number and the class you will be representing. Once we receive this information you will be provided with a class list of dancers, parents and their contact information. Please note: if you do not want your information given out to your class representative please let us know immediately.

Festivals 2012!!!! - Please mark these important dates on your calendars immediately as per our agreement upon signing up for the pre-competitive and competitive programs your attendance for these performances is mandatory. Here is a list of the festivals and their dates that our studio will be participating in this year (dates were chosen and voted upon at our Vegas Meeting)

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| Class Act | Dance Invasion | Candance |
| Deerfoot Inn and Casino | The Edge School | The Edge School |
| Calgary, AB | Springbank, AB | Springbank, AB |
| March 30 - April 1, 2012 | April 26 - April 29, 2012 | May 10 - May 13, 2012 |
| Pre-comp and competitive dancers | Pre-comp and competitive dancers | Competitive dancers only |

I have spoken to the coordinator of the Candance Festival expressing our concerns that the festival starts on a school day and she reassured me that she will schedule our studio after 3:00pm on the Friday. Please note that this is for groups only and she cannot guarantee the scheduling of solos, duos or trios.

Festival fees - A list of festival fees due per dancer/routine will be out by the end of October and all fees must be submitted by Christmas Break (you may post-date your cheque for January 1st, 2012)

Vegas Meeting - Just in case you missed our meeting about our possible trip to Vegas, you may pick up the information package at the studio. A form is included in this package about your confirmation of attending. Please submit your form even if you are not going to attend and indicate on the form that you are not able to participate. This will help confirm numbers instead of calling parents for their response. The form is due back at the studio on or before Friday, October 14th, 2011.

Costume Fees and Dance Fees - Reminder calls have been made throughout the month of September with regards to submitting fees. Please submit your costume fees, and/or dance fees (post-dated cheques) as soon as possible so we can complete your dancer's file. We would like to focus on your dancer's lessons instead of incomplete files. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated.

E.D.S Team Wear - Once again, please let us know by calling the studio if you are interested in ordering a Team Jacket and/or Warm up pants. I would like to start placing orders in time for Christmas but need to know if we have enough to place an order. I would like all pre-comp and competitive dancers to have at least the jacket. It looks very professional and we all look like a team when it comes to festival season!!

Solos, duos and trios - For those that have booked these private lessons, I am still working on your scheduling. We have had a large request this year for private lessons so we have started some of the bookings already. You will be notified when we would like to start your choreography and a final schedule of times will be out shortly.

Eurhythmics Dance Society - Unsure about what the society is all about? Want to become more involved in the dance society? Please feel free to attend our next meeting which will be held on **Tuesday, October 18th at 6:30pm. The meeting will be held at AC's restaurant (Riverview Golf Course Club House)** Hope to see you there!

This concludes our October newsletter. Please, if you have any questions or concerns, contact the studio at (403) 932-0880 or email me at jodi@eurdance.com

Thank you and keep dancing,
Jodi and the staff of
Eurhythmics Dance Studio, Inc.