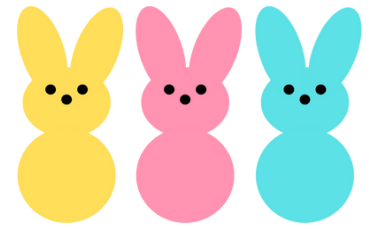


# APRIL 2023

## To the Pointe Newsletter



### Got 2 Dance Productions



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#### *Congratulations, Senior team!*

Congratulations are in order for our Senior team, who competed at the Sparkle Stettler Dance Festival in March. We are so proud of them for a wonderful weekend of amazing performances and incredible sportsmanship. A special shout out to the following routines who won top awards:

- Shayla Gratrix: Top Mark Solo (contemporary)
- Iris (Senior Lyrical): Adjudicator's Choice Award
- Tainted (Senior Jazz): Top Choreography & Director's Award

We can't wait to see what the remaining festival season brings!

#### QUESTIONS?

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## Solo & Duet congrats!

Thank you to our dancers for a wonderful Stage Rehearsal run through back on March 11th! We were very impressed with how things ran and the hard work our dancers put into their routines. The day concluded with our Extra Number Recital, and we were very proud to award the Outstanding Soloist Award to Lacey Cornelissen for her acro solo, and our Outstanding Duet Award to Leigha and Paige Giesbrecht for their ballet duet. Excellent work, dancers!



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**OUTSTANDING SOLOIST 2023**

*Lacey Cornelissen*



*Cyot 2 Dance*

**OUTSTANDING DUET 2023**

*Leigha & Paige Giesbrecht*

## Festival season

Festival season is here for our Performing Arts dancers! Schedules and festival facts have been distributed and are also available online. Make sure to review as they contain important information. Please ensure dancers are at the venue with hair, make-up, and costume complete, one hour prior to their scheduled performance time. Festivals may run ahead of schedule and this ensures no one misses their opportunity to perform. If you have any questions about festivals, please let us know.

## Northcott Care Centre performance reminder

Some of our groups have been invited to perform at the Northcott Care Centre this month. More information will be emailed to those parents closer to the date, but a reminder of details:

- When: Sunday, April 30th, 3 p.m.
- Groups performing: Mini Movers & Groovers I, Mini Movers & Groovers II, Movers & Groovers, Rising Stars Jazz



## *April festivals & modified schedules*

Our Performing Arts dancers will attend two festivals in April, which means some week days of modified classes when dancers and instructors are out of town for competitions. Please read carefully, as your dancer may be dancing on days and times that are different from their regular schedule or have a class cancelled due to instructors being away during these weeks. Thank you!

### **FOR THE LOVE OF DANCE, APRIL 13-16: FORT SASKATCHEWAN**

#### **Monday, April 10th - (Easter Monday)**

- All of Miss Megan's Monday night Recreational classes (Kinder I, Kinder II, Mini Movers & Groovers I, and Movers and Groovers) will not run this evening due to the stat holiday.
- Daniel WILL be running all of his Monday night classes at their regular times (Rec Hip Hop, Junior Hip Hop, Intermediate/Senior Hip Hop and Adult Hip Hop), being as this is the last Monday class before our Performing Arts hip hop dancers head to their first festival.

#### **Tuesday, April 11th - Modified Schedule**

##### **Studio B:**

- 4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. | Mini Movers & Groovers II
- 5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. | Kinderdance III
- 6:15 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. | Rising Stars Ballet & Jazz combined

##### **Studio A:**

- 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. | Kinderdance IV (Miss Anne-Alisa's Thursday class)
- 5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. | We will run through the following Junior dances: JR I Ballet, JR II Ballet, JR Jazz, JR Acro, JR Lyrical, JR extra numbers
- 6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. | Variety
- 6:30 p.m. - 7:45 p.m. | We will run through the following Intermediate dances: INT Ballet, INT Jazz, INT Lyrical, INT Modern, INT Contemp, INT/SR Acro, INT extra numbers
- 7:45 p.m. - 9 p.m. | We will run through the following Senior dances: SR Ballet, SR Jazz, SR Lyrical, SR Modern, SR Contemp, SR extra numbers

**Wednesday, April 12th & Thursday, April 13th:** Studio closed as dancers and instructors are attending For the Love of Dance Festival.



# DANCE VIBE, APRIL 20-23: ST. ALBERT

Monday, April 17th - regular classes

Tuesday, April 18th - Modified Schedule

## Studio B:

- 4:30 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. | Mini Movers & Groovers II
- 5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. | Kinderdance III
- 6:15 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. | Rising Stars Ballet & Jazz combined

## Studio A:

- 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. | Kinderdance IV (Miss Anne-Alisa's Thursday class)
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- 6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. | Variety
- 6:30 p.m. - 7:45 p.m. | We will run through the following Intermediate dances: INT Ballet, INT Jazz, INT Lyrical, INT Modern, INT Contemp, INT/SR Acro, INT extra numbers
- 7:45 p.m. - 9 p.m. | We will run through the following Senior dances: SR Ballet, SR Jazz, SR Lyrical, SR Modern, SR Contemp, SR extra numbers

**Wednesday, April 19th & Thursday, April 20th:** Studio closed as dancers and instructors are attending Dance Vibe Festival.

*May important dates*

**May 5-7:** Nova Dance Challenge I, Olds (Rising Stars will attend)

## May 8-10: Picture & Dress Rehearsal Week

Picture week will take place at the studio May 8-11. Photos will once again be taken by Creative Snaps Photography. Order forms will be distributed that week and parents can go online to see proofs and make their order purchases. We will have a pick up date at the studio once all photo orders are complete. Even if you do not plan on ordering photos, picture day is mandatory for all dancers.

Dancers should arrive in costume with full hair and make-up. Recreational dancers, please see the attached costume, hair and make-up checklists that you can follow for picture day and the year-end recital.

## Monday, May 8

- Please see below for the following picture time for your dancer. After photos we will also run through each routine in costume as a practice dress rehearsal for recital.
  - 4:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Kinderdance I
  - 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. Rec Hip Hop
  - 5:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m. Mini Movers & Groovers I
  - 5:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. Kinderdance II
  - 6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Movers & Groovers
  - 6:30 p.m. - 7 p.m. Adult Hip Hop
  - JR & INT/SR Hip Hop, you have the night off!

## Tuesday May 9

- Miss Gjenna's Mini Movers & Groovers II, Kinderdance III and Rising Stars jazz classes will have their group and individual photos taken during regular class time. Dancers will also run through their year-end routines in costume.
- 7 p.m. - 8 p.m. Intermediate jazz, ballet, lyrical, modern and contemporary groups and extra number pictures.
- Junior & Senior dancers, you have the night off!

## Wednesday, May 10

- 5:15 p.m. - 6 p.m. Rising Stars Ballet
- 6 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
  - Junior hip hop, jazz, ballet, lyrical, and acro groups and extra numbers
  - INT/SR acro
  - INT/SR hip hop
  - Senior groups and extra numbers

## Thursday, May 11

- 4:30 p.m. - 5 p.m. Kinderdance IV
- 5 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. Variety photo
- 5:30 p.m. - 7 p.m. Recital dress rehearsal for all Junior, Intermediate and Senior level dancers.

## May 14: Year-End Recital (all G2D dancers perform!)

We are thrilled to announce the details for our year-end recital! This is the an opportunity for all our dancers to shine up on stage and showcase their hard work. Tickets will go on sale April 17th and can be purchased online. Purchasing details will be distributed via email to all of our dance families in the coming days.

When: Sunday, May 14th

Show time: 2 p.m.

Ticket price: \$25

Where: Memorial Centre, 4214 58 Street, Red Deer (across from Lindsay Thurber High School)

Our May newsletter will contain further information for dance families on arrival times and what to expect before, during and after the show. Thank you from G2D!

