



MARITIME DANCE ACADEMY

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FALL NEWS 2019 ☆ FIRST YEAR CHILDREN'S PROGRAM

Name: _____ Class: _____

Welcome to Dance!

September 2019 - June 2020

We hope that each child develops a love of dance and has a year filled with happy dance memories!

MARITIME DANCE ACADEMY is honoured to receive the 2020 CONSUMER'S CHOICE AWARD in the category of "Best Dance School" in Halifax for the tenth year in a row. Thanks to all of our teachers for their dedication and amazing teaching skills!

10 WEEK PAYMENTS

- Due at the office on **Thursday, November 7th, 2019.**
- Your next ten week payment will be processed automatically on the Visa or Mastercard number if it is on file. If you do not wish to have your payment withdrawn on your card or there are changes to your credit card number, please notify the office **prior to** the payment date.
- All automatic payment receipts will be sent out to your email address.
- If you do not have a card number on file, please make your payment at the office. Late fees will apply.

TRACK SUITS

- Maritime Dance Academy Storm Tech track suits and "Coal Harbour" jacket sizes are now available at your studio before placing your order.
- Orders must be placed **by Oct 30th** for Christmas delivery. Late orders will be accepted for delivery in January.
- Track suit sizes: Youth XS (6-8) to Adult XL.
- Two piece suit: \$150.00 Cash/ \$158.00 Debit or Credit Jacket only: \$105.00 Cash/ \$110.00 Debit or Credit
- Pants only \$45.00 Cash/ \$48.00 Debit or Credit
- Coal Harbour Ladies jacket sizes: Adult XS to Adult XL. Jacket Only: \$110.00 Cash/ \$115.00 Debit or Credit
- Tax and embroidery is included in all prices Full payment is required when placing your order
- Don't miss out on a great Christmas gift for your dancer!

BIRTHDAY PARTIES

Birthday Party Options:

Bedford Studio: Sundays 2:30 – 4:30 PM or 3:45 -5:45 PM Halifax Studio: Saturdays 2:00 – 4:00 PM or 3:30 – 5:30 PM

Note: Second timeslot will be open when the first one on that day has been reserved.

1. One hour dance class & one hour café time for \$125.00 + tax*.
2. One hour dance class & one hour café including pizza slice, drink, popcorn, and treat bag for \$150.00 + tax.*
3. Glow in the Dark dance party –Halifax Studio only - one hour dance class and café as in #2 for \$199.00 + tax.*

*Maximum 10 children. Each additional child \$10.00 + tax (to a maximum of 15 children).

- Book your party through your studio office early to reserve your spot.

CLASS HOLIDAYS

Thursday, October 31
Monday, November 11
December 23 – January 2

HALLOWEEN*
REMEMBRANCE DAY

No classes - office & dancewear hours will be posted on our website.

*Please Note: There will be regular morning classes on Thursday, Oct 31st at the Bedford Studio. Students are welcome and encouraged to do a make-up class to cover holidays and missed classes. Please check the website at www.maritimedanceacademy.com for alternate class times or ask at the office. Make-up classes are important for the children so that they continue to strengthen their dancing skills with practice.

HALLOWEEN DRESS UP WEEK

October 24 – October 30th. 2019

- Children may come to class wearing a Halloween costume that they can dance in.
- No extra accessories or wands for class.
- Please wear a bodysuit or Hip Hop clothing underneath in case they need to remove their costume during class.
- No treats for class please as some children may have allergies.
- Don't forget your dance shoes!

CHRISTMAS OPEN HOUSE

December 16 – 22nd. 2019

- Open House classes all week for parents and guests to view your class in the studio.
- Photos are welcome for your personal keepsakes.

Last Day of classes before the holidays is Sunday Dec, 22nd 2019. Classes resume on Friday, January 3, 2020.

WINTER WEATHER

- In case of snow storm cancellations, please call the studio or check the website and Facebook later in the day for the evening message.
- School cancellation does NOT NECESSARILY mean dance classes are cancelled in the evening.
- If school or buses are cancelled in the morning, morning dance classes are cancelled that day.

We thank dancers and parents for your consideration in leaving all boots and shoes outside of the studio flooring.

NOTE TO FIRST YEAR PARENTS

Please be patient with your pre-school and primary aged children just starting into class. They are young; it is a new environment, and we do not expect every child to adjust to their new surroundings, teachers and classmates at the same time. Not all children are at the same maturity and confidence level and with patience and encouragement they will all settle in if given the first 10 weeks to become comfortable. Please let us know if there is anything we can do to help the children become independent and happy dancers.

Please contact us through email or your studio office if you have any questions or concerns.
Watch for updates and notices posted on the website at: www.maritimedanceacademy.com

Have a great year full of new challenges and happy dance memories!

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