



MARITIME DANCE ACADEMY

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RETURNING DANCERS PROGRAM – FALL 2019

Name: _____ Class: _____

Welcome to a New Dance Year!
September 2019 - June 2020

MARITIME DANCE ACADEMY is honoured once again to receive the 2020 Consumer's Choice Award in the category of "Best Dance School" in Halifax for the tenth year in a row.
Thank you to all of our teachers for their dedication and amazing teaching skills!

SENIOR CITIZEN CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCES

Each Christmas the second year and older dance students perform for Senior Citizens' Homes in the area. This year we will be performing at: The Sagewood, Melville Lodge, Melville Heights, Maplestone, Parkland at the Lakes, and Oakwood Terrace.

YOUR CHILD'S CLASS IS SCHEDULED TO PERFORM AT THE SHOW INDICATED:

Location: _____ Sagewood, 345 Cobequid Rd. Lower Sackville	Date: Saturday, Nov 30	Time: 11:00 am
Location: _____ Melville Lodge, 50 Shorehom Lane, Halifax	Date: Saturday, Nov 30	Time: 1:30 pm
Location: _____ Melville Heights, 24 Ramsgate Lane, Halifax	Date: Saturday, Nov 30	Time: 3:30 pm
Location: _____ Maplestone, 245 Main Street, Halifax	Date: Sunday, Dec 1st	Time: 1:30 pm
Location: _____ Parkland at the Lakes, 82 Baker Dr. Dartmouth	Date: Sunday, Dec 1st	Time: 3:30 pm
Location: _____ Oakwood Terrace, 10 Mount Hope Ave, Dart	Date: Sunday, Dec 1st	Time: 6:00 pm

Tights required with your costume:
Medal Combo – Tan Preliminary 2 – Pink Returning Dancer-White Preliminary 3 – Tan Preliminary 1 – White Preliminary 4 – Pink & Tan

- Arrive at the Home 30 minutes before show time.
- Bring dance shoes, dance tights - available at your studio Dance Wear outlet - and have your hair in a bun.
- Costumes will be in the dressing room at the Seniors' Home before the show.

PLEASE NOTE: This performance is for the Senior citizens. These facilities do not have audience space and safety regulations do not allow for a large viewing audience. Therefore we must limit the number of parents – meaning a maximum of one parent per child and no siblings please. We encourage carpooling if possible. This will help ensure that there is room for all of the residents to enjoy the performance. You will see your child perform at the OPEN HOUSE at the studio prior to Christmas break.

10 WEEK PAYMENTS

-due at the office on **Thursday, November 7th, 2019.**

- If you are on the automatic payment system with a Visa or MasterCard number on file, your 10 week payment will be processed automatically. You just continue to enjoy dance classes for the next 10 week period!
- If you DO NOT wish to have your payments withdrawn on this card, or there are changes to your card information, please notify the office prior to the payment date.
- All automatic payment receipts will be sent out through your email address on file.
- If you do not have a credit card on file, please make your payment at the office to avoid weekly late fees.

PREPARATION FOR EXAMS

As dance students become more advanced, (after 2 to 3 years of experience) they qualify to be examined by the Performing Arts Educators of Canada (P.A.E.C.) and/or the Society of Russian Ballet.

Children's exams are tentatively being scheduled for February 8th & 9th, and I.T.P. exams February 24 – 28th, 2020.

Preliminary 2, 3 and 4 level classes will be taking their exams during the two sessions, Feb. 8th/9th and Feb. 24 – 28th.

- Exam fee payments must be paid **by Dec 1, 2019** and are non-refundable.
- Payments will **not** come out automatically on your account.
- Students with fees not paid by Dec. 1st will **not** be scheduled for the exam sessions.
- The exact date and time of your exams will be sent out by notice as soon as scheduling is confirmed.
- It is important that exam students attend a make-up class for any missed class time before the exam takes place.

TRACK SUITS

-Maritime Dance Academy Storm Tech track suits and "Coal Harbour" jacket sizes are now available at your studio.

-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**

**Second timeslot is only available when the first one 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

HALLOWEEN

Monday, November 11

REMEMBRANCE DAY

December 23 – January 2

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.

-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.

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

Phyllis Paton – Director

Janice MacNeil – General Manager

Courtney Earle - Director Children's +Teen Program

Alicia Clavette – Director Intensive Training Program

Julia Paton – Director Children's Program

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Please contact us through email or your studio office if you have any questions or concerns.