NEWSLETTER

DANCE XPLOSION

November Newsletter

FLOAT BUILDING: THERE'S SNOW PLACE LIKE MILAN!





Join us for our annual parade float building which will take place at Dance Xplosion on Saturday, November 14th from 1:30-3:00 pm. It will be a wonderful afternoon of crafts, dancing, and pure fun!

We are having an Elf/Santa's Helpers theme this year! So, we will be wrapping presents! Please bring in lots of various sized Amazon (or generic cardboard) boxes. We strongly encourage your dancer to bring their own scissors! To help decorate the presents, please consider bringing some green or red wrapping paper, tape, and bows (or other present decor). Dancers will also learn the parade choreography to be performed in the parade on **Saturday, Dec 5th.** (Save the date!)

Again this year we will be making Christmas Cards for the Senior Center/Fire Station/Police Station/Etc. Bring anything fun you can think of to make these cards special!

DANCE XPLOSION STORE



Looking for the perfect Christmas gift idea for your dancer?

Our online Dance Xplosion store is open from November 2nd through November 22nd for holiday orders! While it's likely items will arrive before Christmas, delivery can't be guaranteed this time.

Orders can be made online via the following this link starting on Novmeber 2nd! (The link will say "Store Closed" until Nov. 2nd!

FREE ADULT STRETCH & STRENGTH CLASS

Join us for ONE FREE CLASS during the month of November to see how you like the class before registering. Join us on Thursday 6:45PM.

ELECTRONIC TIGHTS FORM



Coming Soon! Keep an eye out for your second-session tuition statement and tights sizing form. Both are electronic this year and will be coming to you via email. If you want to get a jump start on the tights sizing form, click HERE to complete it online. (Or type in https://tinyurl.com/DXTights into your browser) All tights sizing forms, costume deposits, and second session tuition are due December 1st!

Please contact the studio if you do not receive your emailed billing statement and tights form by November 10th, or if you have any questions!

OPENING NUMBER REGISTRATION

This year's recital will begin with another incredible opening number performed by our own amazing DX Dancers! One of those dancers could be YOU! Just like last year there will be no audition to participate, the only requirement is being a competitive dancer OR a non-competitive dancer age 7+ enrolled in ballet, TLP, and stretch & strength. It is important to note that the opening number is performed at all 4 recitals. Details including costume needs and fees will be available after the holidays. Sign up TODAY in the office or email heidi@dancexplosion.net and acryderm@emich.edu to be on the distribution list for upcoming Opening Number details!



OPENING NUMBER REHEARSAL DATES

To participate in the Opening Number, dancers must attend ALL rehearsal dates. No exceptions!!

Rehearsal Dates and Times:
Saturday, April 24th from 1-3 pm
Sunday, April 25th from 2-4 pm
Sunday, May 2nd from 1-3 pm
Saturday, May 8th from 1 - 2 pm
Thursday May 13th from 4:15-5:00 pm (HS week)
Monday, May 17th from 4:30-6:00 pm
Wednesday, May 19th 9 pm(ish) will open comp rehearsal at the Milan HS

BLANKETS FOR THE HOMELESS

DX will collect blankets from 11/1-12/7 to provide warmth & comfort to homeless individuals at the Delonis Shelter serving the surrounding Ann Arbor area.

THANKSGIVING DONATIONS

DX will collect for Aid in Milan to support Thanksgiving boxes that are distributed to local community members. Listed below are the items needed. A donation box will be in the studio lobby to collect all items. For families who would like to donate Kroger gift cards to help purchase frozen turkeys, pies and dinner rolls, please turn them into the office or slide under the office door during non-office hours.

Top 6 Needed Items: Gravy, Macaroni & Cheese, Boxed Potatoes, Yams/Sweet Potatos, Canned Pumpkin, and Kroger gift cards

Please drop off donations no later than Wednesday, November 11th

IMPORTANT DATES

November 25-28
Closed for Thanksgiving

December 1
2nd Session Tuition Due

December 21-January 2
Closed for Winter Holiday

January 18
Closed for MLK Day

Feb 12 - 15
Closed for Winter Break

March 1
3rd Session Tuition Due

March 26-April 3
Closed for Spring Break

April 16, 17, 18
Dance Photos

May 19
Dress Rehearsal

May 21, 22, 23
Recital