



# May Newsletter

## Concert Information

**Dress Rehearsal:**  
**May 29<sup>th</sup> 4:30pm**  
**Performances:**  
**May 30<sup>th</sup> at**  
**1:00 & 5:00pm**  
**Location:**  
**Bethany Lutheran College**  
**Tickets: \$9.00 in advance**  
**\$11.00 at the door**  
 Tickets can be purchased  
 in advance by going to  
[www.twinriversarts.org](http://www.twinriversarts.org) .  
 All seating is general  
 admission seating.



Maggie Kennedy and Lauren Mead

## Class Photos

Many of you asked about having class photos. We will be taking pictures at the dress rehearsal. Order forms will be available at the studio and handed out at Observation Day. Please return forms with payment to the studio by May 23<sup>rd</sup>.

## Observation Week

Observation week is May 11-16.  
 Below are the days for your  
 dancers observation class:

**CM** - Mon. 3:15pm, Wed.  
 4:30pm, Thurs. 10:00am  
**Pre-Ballet** - Wed 5:15pm,  
 Sat 9:15am  
**Ballet 1A/1B** - Fri 3:45pm,  
 Sat 10:45am  
**Ballet 2A/2B** - Mon 4:00pm  
**Ballet 3A** - Thurs 6:00pm  
**Ballet 3B** - Thurs 6:00pm  
**Ballet 4A** - Mon 5:15pm  
**Modern** - Fri 4:45pm  
**Jazz** - Wed 5:00pm

It is important to attend your  
 dancers observation day as you  
 will receive a packet of  
 information about the Spring  
 Concert. You will also receive  
 your dancers evaluation and level  
 placement for next fall.

Parents, grandparents and friends  
 are welcome to attend. This is  
 also the only opportunity to take  
 pictures or video during class.

We encourage everyone to attend  
 the level 4A class on Monday at  
 5:15. This is a wonderful  
 opportunity for younger dancers  
 to observe the more advanced  
 dancers.

## Summer Classes

One of the most frequently asked  
 questions about summer classes is:

**“What level do I enroll my dancer in?”**

The dancer should register for the class  
 level that they have been in this year.  
 They will begin their new level in the  
 fall.

### 4 Week Session Tuesdays July 7, 14, 21, 28

4 Week Creative Movement  
 Time: 1:45-2:30pm Price for Session: \$45

4 Week Pre-Ballet  
 Time: 2:30-3:15pm Price for Session: \$45

4 Week 1A/1B  
 Time 3:15-4:15pm Price for Session: \$50

4 Week 2A/2B  
 Time: 4:15-5:30pm Price for Session: \$55

4 Week 3A and Up  
 Time: 5:30-7:00pm Price for Session: \$60

Teen/Adult Ballet - Pointe  
 Time: 7:00-8:00pm Price for Session: \$50

### 3 Week Summer Intensive\*

Aug 10th-28<sup>th</sup>

#### Junior Camp 2A, 2B, 3A

Mon-Wed for 4 Hours  
 Time: 11:30am-3:30pm  
 Price for Camp: \$300  
 Price per Week: \$125

#### Senior Camp 3B, 4A

Mon-Fri for 5 Hours  
 Time: 9:30am-2:30pm  
 Price for Camp: \$550  
 Price per Week: \$200



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## Volunteers!!!!!!

### WE NEED YOU

We need volunteers to help with the spring show. We have opportunities in the following areas:

**Make Up Application**

**Dress Room Supervisor**

**Run dancers to and from stage**

**Sell Flowers**

**Sell Tickets**

**Help Lay Floor Thursday**

Please sign up for one of these items on the sign up sheet at the studio. We need volunteers for the Dress Rehearsal, the 1pm show and the 5pm show. Please specify which time you would prefer to help out with when you sign up.

## No Show Ball

Please provide us with mailing addresses to your dancers parents, grandparents, Aunts and Uncles, or close friends. We will be sending out Invitations to our first No Show Ball this month. Mailing addresses will be kept confidential and those individuals will not receive any "junk mail". An email with more detailed information will be sent out soon. You can provide a list to your dancers teacher or email the addresses to us at [info@mankatoballet.com](mailto:info@mankatoballet.com)

## Alice In Wonderland Posters

We have some Alice in Wonderland posters at the studio. If you have a church, daycare, library, or school that you may post one please ask your child's instructor for the number of posters you will need. Thank you to everyone who helps out with this. It is always nice for our dancers to dance before a full audience and these posters help make that possible. Please only take what you need. If there are extras after the show you may take them for souvenirs.

## Mark Your Calendars!!!!!!

Believe it or not it is going to be Nutcracker time again soon!! We will be having auditions for parts on Friday August 28. This coincides with our Annual Registration Day. So plan on stopping by the studio that day to register for fall classes and allow your dancer the chance to audition.

11:30-12:00 Audition for ages 7-12 non-pointe  
12:00-12:30 Audition for ages 12 + pointe

Nutcracker Performance Agreements are due at the time of the audition. Without the form the dancer will not be cast. Your Performance Agreement tells us that your dancer is 100% sure they will participate.