

Spotlight News



Calendar Check

JANUARY

January 20-22: Company: DMA Competition

FEBRUARY

February 27: Return Red Wheel Fundraisers

MARCH

March 3&4: Company: Midwest Starz Contest

March 10: LAST CHANCE TO SAVE.

Families with a zero balance by March 10 receive 20% off their April tuition.

March 10: Company: Symposium Contest

March 12: Pick up & Distribute Red Wheel

March 16-25: Spring Break

March 26: Classes resume

March 26-29: Costume Distribution Week

APRIL

April 1: Creston Pictures: Stewart Realty

April 4: Corning Pictures: Extreme Images

April 21&22: Block Stage Rehearsals

April 23: Dress Rehearsal-Saturday 4&7p Show

April 24: Dress Rehearsal-Friday Night Show

April 27: Dress Rehearsal-Saturday 12p Show

April 27&28: Season Finale: Recitals

MAY

May 7: 1x1 Rehearsals Begin

Registration is FULL. Waiting list only.

JUNE

June 1: 1x1 and Spirit Camp Showcase

Calendar subject to change.

View the calendar: www.spotlightx2.com

Mandatory Attendance

April rehearsals, stage rehearsals, and dress rehearsals are mandatory. The success of the recital depends on punctual, perfect attendance, especially throughout the final weeks. Dancers absent due to illness should notify their instructors prior to rehearsal. Students with excessive absences may result in a poor recital performance, or in no performance at all. Strive to make perfect attendance a priority.

Uniform Delay

One of our costume companies has informed us of a backorder shipment. Most of our costumes will ship March 14. Please update your calendars; Costume Distribution Week has been rescheduled for March 26-29.

Uniform Distribution

Uniforms are distributed the week of March 26 to students with current accounts. Students with outstanding balances will not receive uniforms until their account is paid in full. Due to circumstances beyond our control, some costume companies have delayed their ship week to March 14th. We appreciate your patience as we wait for these items.

Title Winners

Congratulations to our seven dancers who competed in the Dance Masters of America Title Competition: Chloe Casagrande, Angela Drey, Aunica Harvey, Jurnee' Harvey, Kiersten Latham, Brittany Linch, and Maya Struhar. All our dancers wooed the judges with their solo performances, interviews, audition classes and résumés. Three Spotlight dancers earned the Runner-Up Title: Jurnee Harvey, Petite Miss Runner-Up; Chloe Casagrande, Junior Miss Runner-Up; and Aunica Harvey, Teen Miss Runner-Up. Kiersten Latham was recognized for her second place win in the acro audition. DMA's Reigning Winners, Riley Fleharty and Bryce Newton helped crown new titlists and performed farewell solos during the ceremony. We are thrilled with the performances from all our Spotlight dancers.

Dress Rehearsals

Spring always brings a busy calendar for our dance families. Please post our dress rehearsals on your schedules:

Monday, April 23 at 6pm: Creston Evening Shows
Tuesday, April 24 at 5:30pm: Corning Recital
Saturday, April 27 at 9:30am: Creston Matinée

All our dress rehearsals will be held at the Southwestern Performing Arts Center (YMCA building).

Company Rehearsals

Our Competition Team finishes their season in early March. Following our Spring Break, we'll shorten their rehearsals to 30-minutes. Effective March 26 our Senior Company will dismiss at 8:45p every Monday. The Junior Company will rehearse Thursdays from 6:15-6:45p. Notice all Thursday night classes held after Junior Company will start and end 15-minutes earlier. New class times follow: Junior Hip Hop→6:45-7:15p; Junior Lyrical→7:15-7:45p; Junior/Senior Pom→7:45-8:15p. Because we run corresponding acro lessons in the South Studio, rehearsals for our Petite Company will remain unaffected. Please mark your calendars with these time changes.

Final Fundraiser

Dancers received the Redwheel Fundraising Packets in early February. This is our last fundraiser for the season. Dancers who sell 20+ items earn a portion of the overall profits. Fundraising monies will be directly deposited into the costume account of each qualifying participant.

Return fundraising packets and monies to the studio on Monday, February 27. Pick up and distribute product on Monday, March 12. Take note: These are frozen items and MUST be picked up on time; plan accordingly. Thank you to all our participating dancers.

The Butterfly Buzz

Back by popular demand, Miss Adonica's most talked about preschool program: Butterfly Ballet. A magical experience for every preschooler, Miss Adonica inspires dancers with creative play, music narratives, rhythm builders and tumbling basics. This four week program concludes onstage during our Spring Recital at the end of April. Class meets Friday evenings, 4:45-5:30p at our Corning studio and Saturday mornings, 8:45-9:30a at our Creston studio. For dancers ages 2.5 to 5 years in age. Perfect for siblings and friends eager to dance. Limited enrollment. \$40 participation fee.

Congratulations

Congratulations to our January Dancers of the Month: Miss Brianna Crozier and Kayley Bauer. Both dancers received the Dancer of the Month Dance Bag.

NEW: Summer Intensive

Join us to learn. Join us for FUN! We're planning a one-week summer intensive just for you. Dance everyday from 9a-3p in multiple styles of dance offered by guest instructors. Classes will be divided into two age categories: dancers ages 7-11 years and 12+ years. Watch for the summer flier to enroll. Register early. Limited enrollment.

RECITAL T-SHIRTS

Our recital t-shirts are on sale now! Featured on a navy t-shirt is a lime and teal graphic. On the reverse of the t-shirt is the recital theme, plus a complete list of Spotlight faculty and performers. Receive your t-shirt early this season by returning this orderform along with payment to either studio. Each t-shirt is only \$15. Parents and backstage volunteers look great in them, too! **T-shirt orders are due: Thursday, March 15.**

Name: _____

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Price: \$15 each

Orders due Thursday, March 15

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