

The Connection Courant

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Performance Company Rocks It!

Congratulations to our Performance Co! They competed at Energy Dance this weekend for the first time and received a high gold! Way to go, ladies!



The Dance Corp competes in their last regional competition May 5-7 in Springfield. Best of luck to them before they head to Nationals! They returned home from Nexstar with overall high scores in every category! Swing once again won best production!

Dance Corp and Nugget Auditions- May 13th!

Important Information

Early Bird Registration

Register for fall classes the week of during the month of May and receive a \$10 discount! Refer a friend and both you and your friend receive a free gift! Registering early allows you to have a hassle free summer with one less thing to add to your to-do list for back to school time. It also guarantees that the classes you want are not closed out. Take advantage of this great opportunity and register now! Pay the full year at time of registration and receive a \$25 discount **AND** have a chance to win free recital tickets **AND** be entered into a drawing for FREE TDC Apparel to be pulled at the recital! Be sure to get your \$10 off coupon in the lobby and register now!

Summer Dance

Don't forget to sign up for some of our many summer camps and classes! We are offering a variety of styles for many different ages and have some great guest teachers visiting to teach!

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| Extreme Camp | Junior Tap | Junior Hip Hop | Stretch and Tech | Musical Theater |
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| Tap with Keith Leonhardt | | Hip Hop with Jillian Woodward | | |
| Contemporary with Ashley Fichera | | Ballet with Megan Klamert | | |

Recital Information

Picture Day

Picture day is May 20th at the studio. Class times are posted on the website and on the bulletin board in the lobby. There is no obligation to buy. Class pictures appear in the recital program. Classes work hard all year- make sure your child is part of the memory in the class picture! Picture viewing is June 1st at dress rehearsal.

Recital Tickets

Recital tickets are now on sale for our 22nd annual recital "Year In Review" on June 4th at Farmington High School. Tickets are general admission and \$15 each. Buy your tickets today before the rush of the recital sneaks up!

Recital Shows

All classes have now been placed into their show times. Our three show times are 11:00 am, 2:30 pm, and 5:30 pm. We do our best to place classes in shows so that sisters are in the same show. We can not guarantee this for every family. Students who take classes on different days can not be guaranteed to have all of their classes in the same show. Putting together show times is a very difficult and timely project. We work together to find the best possible outcome for all our families. We thank you in advance for your understanding.

Dress Rehearsal

Dress rehearsal is June 1st at Farmington High School. Times are also posted online and on the bulletin board at the studio. Please check your class times. Please arrive on time to the start of your time section so that we can do our best to stay on our tight schedule.

Program Ads

Wish your dancer good luck or congratulate them on a great year or even on a milestone year! Program ads are the perfect way to commemorate an awesome dance year! They appear as a highlight in our recital program book that each audience member receives! If you need more information or would like to see samples please see Maria, Donna or Miss Jenn and they would be happy to assist you! Ad forms are due back by May 20th. Forms are available at the studio or on the website. Please note...pictures from picture day many not be used, and all forms need to be in the form of a hard copy. Emailed pictures and/or ad information will not be accepted.

Other Recital 'Need-To-Knows'...

It is important to read through our Important Recital Information packet as it highlights our recital day procedures and other important information. This will help clarify any questions and avoid any confusion or problems on the day of the shows so that you and your dancer can focus on the fun of performing and the wonderful show the faculty and dancers produce! We will have a video feed into the dressing room for all the dancers to watch the show backstage. All dancers *must* stay with their class for the entire show. There is **ABSOLUTELY NO** videotaping or flash photography allowed at the recital. Silver City Sound is a professional videographer service that makes wonderful DVD's of the recitals for you. **You will be asked to leave the show if you are videotaping or using flash. This is for the safety and security of the students and choreography.** We thank you in advance for your cooperation.



Nugget Co. Open Audition
May 13th 9:30-10:00 am!

Happy Birthday!!

May Birthdays

Delaney Perry
Kamryn DeAngelis
Adriana Aquino
Vanessa Reynolds
Grace Magel
May Alamar
Holly Cushing
Seline Kozlu
Madison Mangiafico
Sophia Cos
Molly Madden
Zoe Rubbo
Ellie Hudson

June Birthdays

Madelyn Belmonte
Sofia Magro
Emma Plickys
Eloise Weiss
Alexandra Hayes
Ava Place
Trinity Gaudette
Olivia Pare
Lily Jobin
Zara Dinshaw
Isabella Papa
Sammy White
Karen Pan
Mary Narus
Abby Ringuette
Brooke Gardner
Skylar Osakowicz
Lauren Pastore
Kristy Pan
Tilly Lynch

July Birthdays

Elizabeth Cence
Meena Shanmugam
Lilly Angle
Ella Monahan
Katelyn Abbate
Abby Stepka
Charlie Cox
Bailey Silva
Kaleigh Soucy
Abbigale Kim
Isabella Souss
Emma Watson
Alia Valenti

August Birthdays

Chloe Frink
Emersen Turner
Emily MacDonald
Trinity Moulton
Julia Dean
Sara Trautman
Chiara Burgio
Sri Kanakadandi
Gabriella Grossman

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR DANCE CONNECTION CLASS OF 2017!

LAUREN PASTORE- AVON HIGH SCHOOL
MADDIE NOYES- AVON HIGH SCHOOL
DANI WHITE- AVON HIGH SCHOOL
EMILY SIDES- AVON HIGH SCHOOL
ABBY STEPKA- FARMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
MARGARET COSTELLO- FARMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
KRISTY PAN- FARMINGTON HIGH SCHOOL
RACHEL ELLIS- LEWIS MILLS HIGH SCHOOL
ALEXA CAHILL - BRISTOL CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

WE ARE SO VERY PROUD OF YOU!!!