



## AUGUST NEWSLETTER 2024

The new school year is sneaking up on us and with that comes our new dance season! Included in this newsletter is everything you need to know to get yourself ready for the season ahead.

### WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

#### FALL SEMESTER REGISTRATION

Registration for our Fall Semester classes opens on **August 1st, 2024** with a ton of classes for everyone! Adult Jazz, Hip Hop, Heels, Ballet, Stretch & Strengthen and Contemporary are all adult classes with no experience necessary to join! We have a multi-genre 10-week kids dance program starting on Sunday mornings from 9:30-10:30am learning the styles of Ballet, Jazz and Lyrical!

If you haven't taken a class with us in a while, don't worry! Simply login to your Portal and by registering for your desired class, your account will be reactivated. Can't remember your Portal login or password? No problem! Send us an email and we can reset it!



#### REGISTRATION FOR 2024/2025 SEASON CLASSES

**Registration opened July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2024** for all full season classes with the first day of classes beginning on Monday, September 9<sup>th</sup>. To register simply visit your portal through our website: <https://app.jackrabbitclass.com/jr3.0/ParentPortal/Login?orgId=543345>

NEW this year, we have an early registration deadline. **Be sure to register your dancer by September 15<sup>th</sup>, 2024 in order to receive your complimentary student gift.** By registering early, you help us determine which classes will have received enough enrollment to run and thus finalizing our schedule. Our DRAFT schedule for the 24/25 season is now posted on the website and downloadable in a PDF format to print or save. Please refer to this schedule when planning for next year and please know that this is a tentative schedule that is subject to change depending on class enrollments. The new and updated IMPORTANT DATES document is also available on our website to download. When registering for your classes, please add these dates to your calendar to ensure you don't miss out on special events throughout the year like dress rehearsals, shows and closed dates.

### NEW PAYMENT PROCESSOR & FEES

We have made a change to a new payment processor through the Jackrabbit software. This means we will be deleting all credit cards on file and starting fresh. Beginning July 31<sup>st</sup>, when you login to your Portal you will be required to re-add your credit card information before being able to move forward with registration.

With this new payment processor, there will be a surcharge fee added to all transactions made through Jackrabbit on your credit card of 2.4% to cover processing fees. Any family that wishes to avoid these fees can set up an e-transfer plan with the office by sending an e-mail to: [thestudiodanceandwellness@gmail.com](mailto:thestudiodanceandwellness@gmail.com). If e-transfers are not sent on time and a balance remains on the account when payments are due on the 20<sup>th</sup>, the transaction will be run through Jackrabbit with the additional surcharge. If you have any further questions please take the time to read through our new payment policy.

### DROPPING CLASSES

When registering for classes it is important to know the process to drop a class. We require 1 months' notice in order to drop a class with the tuition still owed for that month. A **\$75.00 drop fee will be charged**, to cover the administrative work involved. We encourage you to have your dancer continue with the class through the month after giving notice as they may change their mind while they settle into class routine.

### EARLY SEASON STORE HOURS

THE STORE will be open before classes get started on **Saturday, September 7<sup>th</sup> & Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup> 12:00-3:00pm** for all your dancewear needs. If your kiddo is new to dance this year and you just want to show them the space before classes begin, this is a great time to do so!

### REVELSTOKE DANCE PARENT COLLECTIVE

The Revelstoke Dance Parent Collective (RDPC) is a group of competitive dance parents working hard to raise funds and help alleviate some of the costs associated with competitive dance. If you'd like to get involved or have any questions about upcoming events, please don't hesitate to contact them directly: [rev.dpcollective@gmail.com](mailto:rev.dpcollective@gmail.com).

## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE STUDIO

### SUMMER DANCE & WELLNESS CAMPS

Still looking for something to keep your kids busy while you're at work this summer? Have a dancer who is interested in new styles but not sure where to start? Look no further than our Summer Dance & Wellness camps! With classes in almost every style, we're sure your little one will find their favourite genre! Kids will take class from an array of experienced teachers with wellness activities along the way and time set aside for outdoor play and crafts! Don't miss out on a fun filled week!

Do you have a competitive dancer at home? The Competitive Summer Dance Intensive is a great way to start the season and get your dancer excited for the season ahead. We have an incredible guest teacher coming in from out of the province and we couldn't be more excited to host her! To find out more about our guest teachers, check out our Instagram page!

If you have any questions about any of the camps, please don't hesitate to send us an email!

**RECREATIONAL  
SUMMER DANCE  
& WELLNESS CAMP**

August 12-16  
8:45am - 12:00pm  
Ages 5 1/2+

Classes in: Jazz,  
Ballet, Hip Hop,  
Tap, Musical  
Theatre, Acro  
Dance & More!

\$250.00

**Come and Dance!**

Register at:  
[thestudiodanceandwellness.com](http://thestudiodanceandwellness.com)



**COMPETITIVE  
SUMMER DANCE  
INTENSIVE**

August 12-16  
9:00am - 4:15pm  
Guest Instructor

Classes in:  
Stretch, Lyrical,  
Contemporary,  
Grooving, Pom,  
Ballet & more

Ages 9+

\$375.00

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### FALL DANCE CONVENTION

We have made a change to our fall convention plans and are excited to announce we will now attend **Terpsichore Canada, November 2<sup>nd</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> in Calgary, AB**. This event is very popular and will sell out fast! The registration deadline to attend convention is **Thursday, August 15<sup>th</sup>**. It is possible that there might be spots available beyond this date, but it cannot be guaranteed. There are two different levels; 12 & under or 13 & over. Please e-mail the office ASAP if you'd like your dancer to attend and please let us know if you'd like to reserve an observer's pass. Observer's passes are for parents to watch as their dancer participates in the convention classes and are available to purchase at the event for a higher price. To save money, reserve this pass early.

**Dancer Full Tuition: \$330.00**

**Dancer 1 Day Tuition: \$215.00**

**Observer Pass: \$55.00**

### DANCE-A-THON

Each year the Revelstoke Dance Parent Collective hosts a Dance-a-Thon to help dancers fundraise and to kick off the dance season! All dancers, both recreational & competitive are encouraged to get involved. If you're not interested in fundraising, you're still welcome to join in on the fun and support the other dancers. Meet us on **September 7<sup>th</sup> 10:00am – 2:00pm** on the corner of Connaught & 2<sup>nd</sup> St. If you'd like a pledge sheet please contact the RDPC directly at: [rev.dpcollective@gmail.com](mailto:rev.dpcollective@gmail.com).

### GUEST CHOREOGRAPHY & ELITE COMPANIES

We are very excited to announce our elite guest choreographer for the 24-25 season, Miss Bri Zubick from Calgary, AB! Bri has extensive experience in both teaching dance and as a professional dancer in the industry. Her teaching philosophy aligns with the values of THE STUDIO and we are thrilled to welcome her to our community. To learn more about Bri check out our Instagram and Facebook pages.

NEW this year, we are introducing **TWO** elite companies!! This means that dancers aged 8+ will be eligible to audition for Miss Bri. Not all dancers who audition will be selected by our guest choreographer but we encourage everyone to audition for the experience. INDIGO COMPANY dancers will be auditioning for the VERIDIAN COMPANY in the style of Jazz and CRIMSON COMPANY dancers will be auditioning for the FUSCHIA COMPANY in the style of Lyrical. A \$50.00 deposit is required to audition, and dancers must be registered by **October 1<sup>st</sup>** to be eligible, If a dancer is not selected the deposit will be added as a credit to the family's account. The audition and rehearsal schedule is as follows:

| FRIDAY, OCT. 25/24 |   |
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| 5:00pm – 6:00pm    | VERIDIAN Jazz auditions for INDIGO dancers    |
| 6:00pm – 6:30pm    | DELIBERATION                                  |
| 6:30pm – 7:30pm    | FUCHSIA Lyrical auditions for CRIMSON dancers |
| 7:30pm – 8:00pm    | DELIBERATION                                  |

| SATURDAY, OCT. 26/24 |                           | SUNDAY, OCT. 27/24        |
|----------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| 9:00am – 1:00pm      | VERIDIAN Jazz rehearsal   | VERIDIAN Jazz rehearsal   |
| 1:00pm – 2:00pm      | LUNCH BREAK               | LUNCH BREAK               |
| 2:00pm – 6:00pm      | FUCHSIA Lyrical rehearsal | FUCHSIA Lyrical rehearsal |

**\*\*INDIGO Jazz A, INDIGO Lyrical A and INDIGO Lyrical B classes are cancelled on Friday Oct 25<sup>th</sup>, 2024.\*\***