



## September 2017 Newsletter

Welcome back to dance! First day of dance is **Tuesday, September, 11th 2017.**



### ONLINE REGISTRATION

OSA offers **online registration**. Please register yourself through the website links. This convenient and secure tool will enable you to monitor your account, register for classes, purchase OSA apparel, etc.

### PARTICIPATION WAIVER:

Our insurance company requires **all** participants to have a digitally signed consent Participation Waiver on file. Please access your online account through the Studio Director software and indicate your agreement. Thank you.

### TUITION

If you have not already done so, postdated cheques for the dance year are now due. Please submit at your next dance lesson. *If you pre-registered in the Spring, but did not submit your postdated cheques, the pre-registration tuition discount no longer applies.*

### REFERRAL DISCOUNT:

Referral discounts are valid until the end of the month. Should a friend sign up by September 30<sup>th</sup> 2017, a refund on your tuition will be applied. Please advise the office of any referrals you have made so you can be properly credited.

### BALLET CHARACTER SKIRTS AND SHOES:

Dancers in Grades One and upwards require character skirts and shoes. Please purchase a skirt and shoes at LaSyds Dancewear with our studio colours #288-3060 or other dancewear supplier by the end of September, 2017. **If you have any used dancewear items, please label with a price, shoe size and your contact.** High demand items are character skirts and shoes. I will try and get an exchange set up for the month of September for ballet dancers. **Bring items to dance the 1<sup>st</sup> week back. All items not sold will be returned to you.** Once Upon A Child in Varsity has also been know to accept dancewear items if you are looking to sell items.



**ABSENCES:**

Please leave a message on the office voicemail or better yet, email the OSA office if you are going to miss a class. We'll do our best to inform the teacher before the class.

Competition class dancers are not to miss more than 4 dances throughout the dance year; otherwise they may lose their competition performance privileges.

**ALLERGIES**

Parents, please ensure you have informed the office and your child's teacher of any allergies your child has and also noted this on the online registration software for your account.

**DANCER'S GROOMING:**

Please attend your dance class in appropriate dance attire with hair worn in a tidy fashion.

Ballet students in upper grades three and upwards are to wear a classical bun to every dance class. Please leave your valuable jewelry and technology at home.

**Cell phones must be turned off during class.**

**LABEL DANCEWEAR:**

Please mark all your dance apparel; especially footwear. *You won't regret it!*

**WEBSITE:**

Please bookmark our website located at: [www.onestepaheaddance.com](http://www.onestepaheaddance.com) for newsletters and calendar updates.

Thank you,  
Melinda Morrall/Director OSA