

**Dates to Remember**

Hose Orders Due	February 27	Spring Vacation	April 12-15
Costume Balance Due	March 4	Accounts Paid in Full	April 22
Parent Observation	April 5-8	Dress Rehearsal	May 3-6
Recital Fee Due	April 8	Programs	May 7-8

DANCE WILL BE HELD ON TEACHER WORKDAYS

**NEW CLASSES**

**PILATES:** Lynda Doner, our ballet instructor, is also certified in Pilates and will begin classes in February on Tuesday and Thursday mornings from 9:45-10:45 AND Thursday nights from 7:30-8:30. There will be a free sample class on Thursday, January 22 at 7:30 pm and Tuesday, January 27 at 9:45 am.

Price: morning classes (2 times a week) = \$55 per month\_\_\_\_night class (1 time a week) = \$30 per month.

Sign up and pay in the office. There will be a limit on the class size.

So sign up early before the non Centre community sees our advertisement.

Free **MUSIC TOGETHER** demonstration class will be held on Wednesday, January 21 and Thursday, January 22 from 10:00 am-11:00 am. The classes which are taught by Linda Schoonover Smith, a classical pianist and a licensed Music Together instructor, are offered for children from birth to 5 year olds and gives the accompanying adult the opportunity to enjoy every type of music with the child by taking home tapes and coming back to class more enthused with each new song. Classes will begin the week of January 27 on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. For more information....give Linda Smith a call at 919-563-2841, e-mail her at Lsschoonover@cs.com or visit the website at [www.musictogether.com](http://www.musictogether.com).

**MINI SESSION:** In March and April we offer an eight week mini session for young students in acrobatics and also a class in tap and ballet.

*Tap and Ballet:* Tuesday 3:00-3:45 (4-5 yr. olds)  
Tuesday 5:00-5:45 (3 yr. olds)  
Tuesday 7:00-7:45 (4-5 yr. olds)

*Acrobatics:* Monday 11:00-11:45 (3-4 yr. olds)  
Tuesday 10:15-11:00 (2-3 yr. olds)  
Wednesday 3:45-4:30 (3-4 yr. olds)

If you know anyone who would like to take 8 classes without registration fees or dancewear requirements, tell them about our mini session. Would you like to add a class...let us know.

**Tumbling** for help with school tryouts: Jennifer will offer a class on Tuesday nights from 8:00-8:45 for students interested in acro skills for Middle or High School try outs. There may be students who were not able to sign up for our Cheer/Pom/Dance Team class...this is your opportunity to advance your skills.

**Parades**

THANK YOU to all the parents who brought students to the Christmas parades. We had parents willing to help chaperon on our float, hold the studio banner, and walk with the various performing groups. Extra eyes are wonderful. Thanks also to the students who helped lead the groups so the younger students could follow the older students. Chuck Thornton, who owns Thornton's Autos on Harden Street in

Graham, provided the rollback truck for our young students. Thanks for the truck and for driving and setting up our music equipment. Jimmy McClure graciously allowed us to put Centre Stars Dance Company members on the McClure Furniture/Gifts On Main professional float. It was wonderful.

Thanks to all....you dancers were great!!!