

## WE'RE GLAD WE WILL GET TO BE A PART OF YOUR LIVES THIS YEAR!!

If you have a question or need to talk with us about anything, please do. Your question is probably one that needs to be addressed and would help more who are wondering the same thing. We try to do a DanceNotes once a month to remind you of up-coming dates, recognize students who have participated in activities where their dance talents were used, and let you know of studio happenings

### New Dancers??

We've had two babies born to Centre staff during July and September. Congratulations to Michelle and Travis Sharpe and Joanna and Scotty Warren and family. Michelle had a girl, Isleigh Elizabeth, join their lives on July. She weighed ????? and is beautiful. Joanna and Scotty had Haidyn Leigh on September 1 weighing in at 7 lbs. ??? ozs. Michelle is back at the studio and we thank her for giving up "baby time" for our Dance Team/Pom students. Joanna expects to return to her hip hop and aerobics classes in November. Aren't babies grand???

### Florida

"Where are we going? Disney World!!" The members of the Centre Stars Dance Company enjoyed a week in Orlando, Florida during July at the Dance Masters of America National Convention/Competition. Dancing for 6 days in class with instructors from across the nation, participating in national competition and having "magical days" in Disney World...what wonderful memories as our friendships expanded and grew. Noelle Marsh competed in the Petite Miss Dance Masters of America Scholarship Pageant. She was judged in acrobatic, tap, jazz and ballet classes, interviewed and presented her talent of "More", a jazz routine, during the stage portion of the pageant. Beautiful!!! She was 2nd runner up, Miss Congeneality, and judged the top interview. Helen Ann Woodard received a special award at the Grand Champions Awards for her jazz routine, "Mable". Lexie Ann Stephens received the top award for the 7-9 category for the entire week which covered all areas of dance. Meagan Woodard entered the Acrobatic Scholarship individual competition and was 2nd in the highly competitive senior division. Wow!!! The acrobatic routine, "Giddy Up Ding Dong" was one of three routines in the junior age division selected to compete in the Grand Champions Competition on the last day. Thanks to Tori Melby for her wonderful choreography and to the other Centre staff, Bonnie Harper, Lynda Doner, Connie Rea, and Lindsay Tillely for their support and technical training of these students. Great Teamwork from the students, staff, and parents.

The following are awards received at the Performing Arts Scholarship Competition from July 28 - August 1, 2002.

Never Never Land	Lyrical Solo-7-9	Chanler Willis	
I'm A Brass Band	Open Solo-16 +	Lisa Mace	Gold
Accentuate The Positive	Variety Solo-16 +		Gold
If I Can't Take It With Me	Musical Theater Solo- 16 +		Gold
Everybody Says Don't	Jazz Solo-16 +		High Silver
Can You Hear Me	Lyrical Solo- 16 +	Meagan Woodard	Gold
Don't Mean A Thing	Tap Solo- 16 +	Lisa Mace	Gold
Hey Daddy	Open Group- 10-12	TnT	Gold
Apple For The Teacher	Musical Theater Group- 10-12	Centre Stars	High Silver
Little Bitty Pretty One	Tap Group- 10-12	Centre Stars	High Silver
Jane & Tarzan	Jazz Group- 10-12	Centre Stars	High Silver
God Bless America	Lyrical Production- 13-15	Centre Stars	Gold
Mabel	Variety Solo- 10-12	Helen Ann Woodard	Gold
Stupid Cupid	Jazz Solo- 10-12	Megan Smith	High Silver

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World From Way Up Here	Lyrical Solo- 10-12		Gold
It's About That Walk	Jazz Solo- 10-12	Rachael Harper	Gold
Stories	Variety Solo-10-12	Katelynn Overby	Gold
Amazing Mazie	Musical Theater- 10-12	Jewel Livingston	Silver
No Secret Anymore	Jazz Solo- 13-15		High Silver
Play It Cool	Tap Solo- 13-15	Amanda Johnson	Gold
Freak Out	Small Line- 10-12	Dancers Workshop	Silver
These Boots Are Made For Walking	Tap Group- 7-9	Centre Stars	Silver
Sugar Babies	Tap Group- 7-9	Centre Stars	Gold
We're In The Money	Musical Theater Group- 7-9	Dancers Workshop	Silver
Wings Of Peace	Lyrical Group- 7-9	TnT	High Silver
I'm Hip	Tap Solo- 13-15		Gold
The Way You Make Me Feel	Jazz Solo- 13-15	Sarah Whited	Gold
Piece of Sky	Lyrical Solo- 13-15	Amanda Johnson	Gold
Adonie	Lyrical Solo- 13-15	Sarah Whited	Gold
One Of Those Moments	Lyrical Solo- 13-15	Elizabeth Parks	Gold
Sweet Sweet Music	Tap Solo- 13-15		High Silver
Good Mornin'	Musical Theater Duo- 10-12	Hannah/Sarah Whited	High Silver
Children Will Listen	Lyrical Line- 7-9		High Silver
Giddy Up Ding Dong	Acro Line- 13-15	TnT	Gold
Diamonds	Tap Line- 13-15	Tnt	Gold
Bambeleo	Jazz Line- 7-9	Dancers Workshop	Gold
Sugar Baby Bounce	Musical Theater- 7-9	Dancers Workshop	Silver
Who Woke Snow Whit Up	Variety- 7-9	Centre Stars	Silver
All That Jazz	Jazz Lines- 13-15	Centre Stars	Gold
Poetry In Motion	Lyrical Line- 13-15	TnT	Gold
Kiss Kiss	Tap Line- 13-15	Dancers Workshop	Gold
Dress Me Day	Variety- 7-9	Lexie Ann Stephens	Gold
Never Never Land	Lyrical Solo- 7-9	Chanler Willis	Gold
Let's Have A Party	Jazz Solo- 7-9	Moriah Reeves	Gold
Sea Cruise	Tap Solo- 7-9	??????Stephens	Gold
For A Moment	Variety- 7-9	Chanler Willis	Gold
Baby I'm A Star	Jazz Solo- 7-9		High Silver
You've Got Possibilities	Tap Duo- 13-15	Amanda Johnson/Lisa Mace	Gold
Irish Blessing	Lyrical Group- 16+	Dancers Workshop	High Silver
Fever	Jazz Group- 16+	Dancers Workshop	High Silver
Big Spender	Variety- 16+	TnT	Gold

## Burlington/Alamance International Arts Festival

After being invited to participate in the international arts festival, we had two team dances that didn't have too many members leaving town for the Labor Day holiday. We were to participate in the sponsors banquet on Friday night, August 30 at Occasions. However, the sick bug had other ideas...poor Cassi Scott and Taylor Smith. So a phone call to Jason Bussiere and Kristie Maynard. \_\_\_not enough well members in the dance to perform. Disapointment. Jane and Tarzan member Katherine Maynard, Katelynn Overby, Jessi Perry, Analisa Price and Megan Smith performed wonderfully along with soloist, Rachael Harper. On Saturday, August 31 Katherine, Katelynn, Jessi and Megan again performed with Katelynn and Megan also performing their solos. Thanks to these families for sharing their time and talents. We were sooo proud of you for adjusting your dance depending on the size of the stage and the members performing.