







CHARLEE'S ELITE SCHOOL OF DANCE

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ELITE CALENDAR	RECITAL COSTUME INFORMATION
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • *Symposium Competition February 6 & 7, 2010 • Happy Valentine's Day!  • *Revolution Competition February 12-14, 2010 • Observation Week All Studios February 15-19, 2010 • STUDIO SPRING BREAK March 12-19, 2010 *Dance Champs Competition March 27-28, 2010 *Elite Edge Students 	Shoe list is on the website! Tights coming soon!
	<p>Parents: Please remember to place an order for all required tights and shoes your student will need for both dance pictures and the recital! Students are expected to have ALL required tights/shoes for studio pictures (April 9&10). The shop will not be open during photos. Because we cannot guarantee that we will have your size/style in stock at all times, we ask that you be sure to place your order one to two weeks before the date of pictures. It's always a good idea to have a spare pair of tights in case there is a run or a pair gets lost/dirty!</p>
	WATCH FOR DATES FOR MAKEUP CLASSES ON THE WEBSITE!
	RECITAL MUSIC AND COSTUMES
COSTUME PAYMENTS	<p>You will all be receiving a copy of your dancer's music for the recital. Intermediate 2 and younger should have received CDs. Costumes are arriving daily & you should be getting them soon (if you don't have them  already)</p>
<p>ALL FINAL COSTUME PAYMENTS ARE DUE FEB 28. If you are unsure of your status on costume payments, please contact the office for information regarding your account.</p>	OBSERVATION WEEKS IN FEBRUARY    
WINTER WEATHER CHANGES	<p>Important picture and recital information will be discussed during Observation week. Please make every effort to attend those classes. Because of our new large studio, observation week will be one week only: February 15-19, 2010. BRING YOUR CAMERAS & VIDEO RECORDERS! We'll be going over costumes/hair in detail at this time. Photos were taken of one dancer from each class in the costume with her hair done correctly and all parts of the costume in the right spots. This can be viewed on the website.</p>
<p>Please check our WEBSITE if schools begin closing. Click on the calendar and it will show if CESOD classes cancel. You will also receive an email letting you know details.</p>	PARKING REMINDERS
ATTENDANCE	<p>Please do not park in front of the garages at Schleivert Plumbing. Access to the garages must be available 24 hours a day and they cannot be blocked by cars. And remember, no parking on either side of the street - you may be ticketed.</p>
<p>Attending ALL remaining classes is very important as we only have 14 classes left (not including make-up classes). We know there are some required school events that can't be avoided but, try to make it to all other classes.</p>	DANCE PICTURES
	<p>Photography will be provided by Tim McConnell Fine Photography and will be taken in the studio. NO PERSONAL CAMERAS of any kind allowed in the studio during the photo session. Dancers are required to wear their hair as specified on the website, newsletters, bulletin boards & observations. No exceptions to this rule will be made. Please remember to have all necessary shoes, tights and jewelry purchased ahead of time. A detailed photo schedule will be coming soon!</p> <p style="text-align: center;">The dance shop will not be open on the day of pictures!</p>
DANCE SHOP FEBRUARY SPECIAL---PINK & PURPLE ITEMS 25% OFF (doesn't include shoes or tights)	
PRACTICE, PRACTICE, PRACTICE!	
<p>Please try to find time at home to have your dancers practice their recital dance(s). This will make their recital experience so much more relaxing and FUN!! It will also give them more confidence onstage. Along with the recital music CDs, we will also be handing out copies of the dance steps to classes from Beginning Ballet to Primary 3. This should help them practice as well.</p> <p>If you have any questions, please ask your child's instructor or email us at cesodcrew@aol.com</p>	