

Julie's News

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PERFORMANCE COMPANY HIGHLIGHTS:

Does your child love to perform? The Julie's School of Dance Performance Companies perform several times throughout the summer and school-year. Summer is a great time to start Company Class! This summer Performance Company will perform at the following events.

- Butterfest in Sparta June 12th, 5pm
- Riverfest in LaCrosse July 3rd, 5:30pm
- Historic Hixon House in La Crosse July 10th
- FAM Fair in Sparta August 15th
- Kornfest in Holmen August 21st

Come support the dancers at these local events!

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Congratulations Autumn Gauthier!

Autumn Gauthier, a level III student, in Sparta has won the T-Shirt Design Contest. Her design (shown below) was hand drawn. This is the front and all Julie's School of Dance students' names will be on the back. Her prize is two free t-shirts in any size.



Order forms will be emailed once the final color selections are made. Additional forms will be available at the studio.

We will also have try on t-shirts in every size at the studio, so everyone can get a perfect fit.

Crunch Time!

The Spring Shows are fast approaching and the final touches are very important! Please make every effort to have your child come to every class.



Show Tights

Each student needs the appropriate tights for pictures and the Show. Please place your order NOW!
 JSD Classical Pink Tights-
 \$7.00 - Child
 \$9.00 - Adult
 Price Includes Tax

Important Dates:

IMPORTANT DATES

- Visitation (Last 5 min of class): April 22-27
- May Tuition Due: April 25
- Early Summer Registration Due: June 1st (No Reg. Fee!)
- Summer Classes Start: June 14th

TICKET SALE DAYS

- Arcadia: Saturday, May 15th
Box Office opens at 12:30pm
- Holmen: Friday, May 21st
6-7:00 pm @ the studio
- Sparta: Saturday, May 22nd
3-4:00 pm @ the studio
- Tickets also available 1/2 hr. prior to Show times at the door.

PICTURE DAYS

As soon as all costumes have arrived, a note will be emailed and handed out in class.



ARCADIA SPRING SHOW

- Arcadia High School Auditorium
- Rehearsal: Sat., May 15th
10:00-11:30am (All Levels)
- Show: Sat., May 15th 1:00 pm

SPARTA SPRING SHOW

- West Salem High School Heider Center Auditorium
- Rehearsal: Friday, June 4th
6-7:00 pm (Pre, Intro, Tap I),
6-8:00 pm (Level I and up)
- Shows: Sun., June 6th
1:00 and 3:30 pm

HOLMEN SPRING SHOW

- West Salem High School Heider Center Auditorium
- Rehearsal: Sat., June 5th
11:00-Noon (Pre, Intro, Tap I),
9:30am-Noon (Level I and up)
- Show: Sat., June 5th 1:00 pm

Teacher's Corner



Dear Parents and Students,

Keep on dancing this summer! Learning dances is fun but technique is the only way for a dancer to “grow”. It is rewarding, builds self-esteem and self-discipline. Please consider Summer Dance Classes for your child. We have discounted prices and specialty classes.

Does your child LOVE to perform?
 Inquire about Company Class!
 It's FUN, FUN, FUN!

If your daughter has dreamed of being able to learn partnering, this summer we are opening the Partnering class to all students in Level III, IV & V. Dads, brothers, friends, and others can join in the fun. Don't worry guys, no tights are needed!

Stretch, Leaps and Turns Class is an hour class filled with new insights on how to properly

execute various leaps and turns, and proper stretching techniques that will last a lifetime.

Tap is an essential form of dance to be a well rounded dancer. If your child has never taken tap or has been out of tap class for awhile, it's definitely not too late! Most students can start tap at the same level they are currently in. Level I students would take Advanced Tap I, Level II students would take Tap II, etc. Ask your teacher which level tap class is best for your child.

Remember that summer classes are a great way to stay in shape and improve your skills for next year.

Sincerely,

Miss Julie, Marilyn, Heather, and Sienna

Specialty & Advanced Summer Classes

See “Teacher's Corner” for more information on these classes.



REAL MEN DANCE!

GUYS ONLY - \$38 (60 min. classes)

This class is for High School “Guys”! This class will teach you basic to intermediate dance skills and improve your coordination and balance for fall sports.

PARTNERING - \$38 (60 min. classes)

Girls must be in Ballet Level III, IV, or V
 Guys must be 14 and older.

COMPANY A - \$38 (90 min. classes)

Ballet Level IV & V—Please inquire.

STRECH, LEAPS & TURNS - \$38 (60 min.)

Level III, IV & V students. Girls and boys are welcome. This class is designed to improve strength and learn gravity defying dance moves.

HIP HOP - \$38 (50 min. classes)

This class is for students 12 years old and up. Girls and boys are welcome to enroll. No dance experience is necessary.

LYRICAL - \$38 (60 min. classes)

This class is a combination of ballet and jazz moves. Students must be Ballet Level III, IV or V.

ADVANCED POINTE, BALLET, & JAZZ TECHNIQUE-

Level III, IV & V students only.

DISCOUNT - GET ONE WEEK FREE!

PAY FOR 4 GET 5!

\$38 FOR THE 1ST CLASS.

\$20 FOR ANY ADDITIONAL CLASS.

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“If dancing were any easier, it would be called football.”
 - Anonymous

Summer Dance Classes

Introduction Classes

Special dance attire and shoes are **not** required.

TOT & PARENT - \$30 (30 min. classes)

This class is for children ages 2-4. We encourage a parent to participate in class with their child, but this is not required for enrollment. This class focuses on improving coordination, balance and rhythm. Basic dance and tumbling moves will be covered.

INTRO TO DANCE - \$40 (45 min. classes)

This class is for children ages 5-7. Dancers will be introduced to many ballet steps through dance combinations and fun dance games. Fifteen minutes of each class will focus on simple tumbling moves like cartwheels and bridges.

SUMMER SAMPLER - \$45 (60 min. classes)

Dancers will learn dance technique from three dance forms: ballet, tap and jazz. This is a great opportunity for students to explore different kinds of dance.

**Call the studio at
(608) 526-3997
to enroll today!**

When and Where?

Continuing Classes

POINTE - \$38 (40 min. classes)

This class will help dancers improve their strength and flexibility in their feet, ankles, legs, and torsos. Dancers must be 12 years old to dance in pointe shoes, but younger students may take this class in ballet shoes to improve their strength and flexibility. Dancers must also be enrolled in Summer Ballet II / III to take this class.

BALLET II / III - \$38 (60 min. classes)

This class focuses on ballet technique through barre and center work, and across-the-floor. Technique is the only way for a dancer to "grow". It is rewarding, builds self-esteem and self-discipline.

TAP II & III - \$38 (30 min. classes)

Tap is an essential form of dance to be a well rounded dancer. If your child has never taken tap or has been out of tap class for awhile, it's not too late! Most students can start tap at their current level. Ask your teacher which tap class is best for your child.

COMPANY B - \$38 (75 min. classes)

Students will learn routines to perform in community events like Kornfest. Dancers must also be enrolled in Summer Ballet II / III and Tap II / III.

DISCOUNT PRICES

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Introduction Classes

Dates: June 14th - July 23rd
*No classes the week of July 4th through July 11th.

Days:
Holmen: Mondays
Sparta: Tuesdays

Times: See Below

Tot & Parent

2:45-3:15 **OR** 6:45-7:15

Intro to Dance

2:00-2:45 **OR** 6:00-6:45

Summer Sampler

3:15-4:15 **OR** 7:15-8:15

Continuing Classes

Dates: June 14th - July 23rd
*No classes the week of July 4th through July 11th.

Days:
Holmen: Mondays
Sparta: Tuesdays

Times: See Below

Pointe

4:30-5:10 pm

Ballet II / III

5:10-6:10 pm

Tap II / III

6:15-6:45 pm

Company B

6:45-8:00 pm

Specialty & Advanced Classes

Dates: June 14th - July 23rd
*No classes the week of July 4th through July 11th.

Days/Location: **Specialty Classes** - Wednesdays in **Sparta only**
Advanced Classes - Fridays in **Holmen only**

Times: See Below

Guys Only 12:30-1:30 pm	Stretch, Leaps & Turns 4:00-5:00 pm	Adv. Pointe Technique 1:30-2:15 pm
Partnering 1:30-2:30 pm	Hip Hop 5:10-6:00 pm	Adv. Ballet Technique 2:15-3:30 pm
Company A 2:30-4:00 pm	Lyrical 6:00-7:00 pm	Adv. Jazz Technique 3:30-4:30 pm

Where?

Senior Corner:

If you can imagine it, you can achieve it.

If you can dream it, you can become it.

Hannah Dvorak

Hannah Dvorak has been dancing since she was 4 years old at Julie's School of Dance. The art of ballet dance has always been her favorite.



Currently Hannah is a senior at Black River Falls High School involved in the High School Dance Team, cross country and track. Hannah is a student at the Sparta Studio location but due to graduation on the same day she will be performing in the Holmen Show.

This year Hannah will attend UW-Oshkosh with a major in Pharmacy and minor in Dance. One goal she hopes to achieve is making the UW-Oshkosh Dance Team.

Hannah has the ability to learn quickly and apply any correction given making her a total joy to teach. We will miss her and wish all her dreams will come true.

Megan Stoffregen



Megan Stoffregen is a senior at Sparta High School. She has been dancing at Julie's School of Dance since she was four years old. She has taken several

dance forms including Ballet, Jazz, Tap and Pointe. She is also a member of the Sparta High School Dance Team.

Her favorite kind of dance is Ballet, and Megan brings beauty and grace to the classical dance style. In addition, Megan plays the clarinet and piano, and enjoys singing.

Next year, Megan will attend the University of Wisconsin - La Crosse. Megan wanted to express her enjoyment of her thirteen years of dancing at Julie's School of Dance, and let her teachers and friends know that she will miss them greatly next year.

Her instructors will miss her as well, and we know she will do well at UW-L and beyond.

Eve Viner

Eve Viner is a senior at Onalaska High School. She has been dancing since she was six years old, and today she is enrolled in every dance form offered at Julie's School of Dance: Pointe, Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Company A, Lyrical, Hip Hop and Partnering. Her favorite style of dance is Lyrical because it gives her the greatest opportunity to express herself through creative dance moves.

While Eve is a student in Onalaska, she is taking her senior year of dance at the Julie's School of Dance Sparta location. Her love of both dance and show choir created some scheduling challenges, but in the end she was able to finish her senior year of dance with an hour drive two days a week!

Eve will attend Winona State University in the fall for a Nursing major and Dance minor.

Her dedication and emotion in dancing has led her to be an exceptional student. We are sad to see her go, but wish her the best of luck in her future endeavors.



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