



January Newsletter

Dates to put on your calendar:

**Classes resumed January 2nd, 2024.*

**Cookie Dough Recital Fundraiser coming soon.*

**Spring Break March 25th-29th Classes will resume Monday, April 1st, 2024*

**Adrenaline Dance Vancouver, Wa January 12th-14th.*

**The studio will be open Monday, January 15th, MLK Day*

Our Spring Recitals June 6th -8th.

Any questions please give us a call 503-653-7748 or email us at frontdesk@gfdstudio.com

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

We hope you all had a wonderful, relaxing, and fun break! Our batteries are recharged and we are ready to take on 2024! We ended 2023 with an amazing new Christmas Show "The Polar Express". We want to take this opportunity to again congratulate all the dancers who participated in "The Polar Express". We received so many great compliments on the dancers and are so proud of them and their hard work! Remember if you would like a copy of "Polar Express" simply bring in a 16gb USB marked with your name to the front desk and we will have it ready for you to pick up your next class.



WELCOME!

We just wanted to wish a warm welcome to all our new students and families that are joining us this year. The studio is a busy place with a lot happening all the time. To keep everyone in the loop we communicate via email. Please take a minute and make sure you have marked our email address (gfdstudio@comcast.net) as priority or what ever method you use to assure our emails don't go to your junk folder. This is our main communication method and we want to make sure you are receiving our important monthly updates.

REMODELING!

We are excited to announce that after many years we will be remodeling our lobby and increasing the size of studio C! This has been long over due. Our classes are busting out of studio C and our lobby is in desperate need of a facelift. This will start happening in increments in the next few months. We are hoping to get a majority of the work done over Spring Break. This is super exciting and we appreciate your patience during this process!

COSTUMES, SHOW INFORMATION, ETC

Costumes are being ordered, facility has been rented which means our Spring Shows are in full production! We will be holding a Spring Recital (Take Me Back to the 80's). And our yearly Ballet Production (Tangled). Which show is my dancer in? The Spring Recital will be all Jazz, Hip Hop, Tap, Contemporary and Bboy classes. The Ballet Production will be all Ballet, Pre Ballet/Tap combo classes, and Acro classes.

Costumes:

By next week in each studio pictures of costumes will begin to appear! By the next few weeks we hope to have all costumes pictures up! If you are not sure which show your dancer is in you will see an a"artwork" icon on each costume sheet for each class to help keep it all organized.

Show and Rehearsal Dates:

June 6th-8th at Sherwood Center for the Arts. Exact times will be out soon.

Recital Shirt Order Forms:

Recital Shirt Order Forms will be out soon!

INCLEMENT WEATHER REMINDER

Please keep in mind during these winter months if we need to close due to ice or snow we will send out an email. If in doubt check our website or social media for updates.



PERFORMANCE TEAM

Just a reminder that the Convention Fee of \$295-\$610.00 was due the 1st of January. Any fees not paid will be ran with this month's tuition. By Thursday of this week all fundraiser money should be reflected in your accounts. Also your next event will be Adrenaline Dance January 12th-14th at the Vancouver Hilton. The tentative schedule will be out soon but competition for Teen Solos will be starting at 8:00am on Friday, January 12th.

