

Selinsgrove Dance Studio Fall 2023 Newsletter

Welcome Back SDS Families!

We would like to welcome everyone back for another great year of dance. We are so excited to see our returning students as well as our new ones! Our drop off/pick up practices will remain the same - we will come out before class to bring the dancers in and bring them back out for pick up.

Dancer Drop and Pick Up

Make it a priority to be on time when dropping off and picking up your dancer. If you run into an extenuating circumstance and you are running late for pick up - please text the studio phone. If your dancer is late to class either come to the front door or the downstairs door and knock. 😊

Update Your Credit Card

Please make sure to keep the card you have on file updated. If you receive a new card due to exp. date or due to a compromised account, it is your responsibility to make sure that the card on file is updated. There is a \$10.00 fee for any credit card transaction that is declined for any reason.

Label your Dancer's Shoes

Have your dancer's shoes in a bag. Do not allow your dancer to carry food or toys in their dance bag. Label all shoes with your child's name inside. This is the only way to ensure they can be returned if left at the studio.



Website/Calendar

Take the time to visit our web site regularly. There is a "studio calendar" that provides much of the information that you will need throughout the year. All classes are on there, along with the days that the studio will be closed. When SDS is closed for a holiday or due to poor weather - please click on the "studio closed" writing. It is there that you can see the list of make-up classes for that day. Same for Studio events - Click on the event and it will give you much information. When you are questioning if there is class, whether it be due to a holiday or bad weather refer to the web site. As far as inclement weather - if the Selinsgrove Area School District cancels or closes early for weather reasons; we are closed. If class is cancelled due to weather - the make-up day/time will be posted to our calendar. This only applies to bad weather - we are not closed every time the school district is closed for other reasons. Always refer to the SDS calendar. Take the time to check your online account also. It will keep you up to date on your fees and payments.

Dress Code

Please make sure that your dancer is following our dress code. Never allow your dancer to wear his/her dance shoes outside. Shoes worn outside will not be permitted on the studio dance floor.

Fundraising

We will do several fundraisers this year (all are optional). The profit your dancer makes will be applied to her/his dance account. It will automatically go toward the next monthly dance fee unless you specify if you want it to be designated to a show or costume fee. "Disney Dancers" funds will go toward their 2025 Trip. (unless otherwise specified.)

Merchandise Sale

We will be handing out order forms for SDS Merchandise in the next few weeks. These are a great idea for birthdays, holidays, etc.

Important Upcoming

Dates Sept. 4th - Labor Day
(Studio Closed)

Sept. 23rd - Selinsgrove Street Fair. Levels B-1 thru D-2 will perform. (All SDS dancers can participate in the finale!) Make up Classes are listed on the calendar.

Oct. 17th - Selinsgrove Halloween Parade (All SDS Dancers can participate - Levels B-1 through D-2 will March/Dance. All other dancers can ride our float. (Information and Theme to be announced closer to the time!)

Oct. 14th - Deadline for "Holiday Show" Sign Up

Nov. 11th - Holiday Show Fees are due.

Nov. 23rd and 24th - Closed for Thanksgiving.

Dec. 1st - Mandatory Show Rehearsal. (Level B-1 thru D-2 ONLY)

Dec. 2nd - Holiday Show Date.

Dec. 11th - Dec. 12th - SDS Holiday Class Parties!

Dec. 13th - Jan. 1st - Studio Closed