



NOVEMBER 2009 NEWSLETTER

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Costume Week This Month

November 17th-18th Miss Amanda's Girls

All other Dancers, November 23rd-28th

Parents, please attend the beginning of your child's dance class during the week noted above.

Please come prepared with a notebook, CHEQUEBOOK, and measuring tape. Costumes for the year-end recital and dance competitions will be discussed and ordered at this time.

It would be very helpful if you could please measure your child in advance: bust, waist, hips, vertical trunk, outseam and inseam.

Costumes must be paid for and ordered at this time in order that they can be delivered in time for performances! **NO POST-DATED CHEQUES!!**

Costume rationales:

- theme of the choreography
- age appropriateness - figure flattering
- potential for reuse - financial consideration

PJ WEEK: November 30th- December 5th

All OSA Dancers are invited to wear their P.J's to dance class this week!

WATCHING WEEK: December 14th-19th

We are delighted to invite the parents to attend our annual observation week. Please arrive punctually and be prepared to participate; especially parents of the younger dancer. Please remove your wet footwear.

OSA Online Used Dancewear Exchange

The discussion board is now up and running, please go to: www.onestepaheaddance.com/exchange you will need to open an account first, receive permission from me via email, and then post away.

OSA STUDIO DANCE Apparel:

Last year the studio designed dance warm-ups: jacket and pants. Two styles are available: black & white "sport team style" track jacket \$85 w/personalization or blue, black & white fitted dancestyle jacket \$100CND w/ personalization. Pants are \$25 extra. Please email the office if you are interested in receiving a sizing chart.

ONE STEP AHEAD 2009-2010 DANCE CALENDAR DATES AT A GLANCE

Holiday—Remembrance Day: NO CLASSES	Wednesday, November 11th, 2009
Saturday Classes, moved to Kindergarten Room for Craft Fair	Saturday, November 21st, 2009
Costume Meeting for Miss Amanda's Tuesday/Wednesday	Tuesday and Wednesday, November 17th and 18th, 2009
Costume Meeting Week—all other classes	Monday, November 23rd—Saturday, November 28th, 2009
PJ Week at Dance	November 30th—December 5th, 2009
Last Day of Classes - Winter Break	Monday, December 21st, 2009
First Day of Classes - Winter Break	Monday, January, 4th, 2010
C.B.E. Teacher's Convention NO CLASSES	February 11, 12,13, 2010
Holiday—Family Day NO CLASSES	Monday, February 15th, 2010
Spring Break Holiday NO CLASSES	Sunday, March 28th—Tuesday, April 6th, 2010
OSA Competition Rehearsal at University Theatre	Wednesday, March 31st, 2010 (still trying for another date)
Terpsichore Dance Festival at Edge Theatre	April 16th-18th, 2010
Dance Power 2009 at University Theatre	April 20-25th, 2010
Champions Dance Festival at University Theatre	April 27th -May 1st, 2010
Holiday- Victoria Day Long Weekend NO CLASSES	Saturday, May 22nd-Monday, May 24th, 2010
Dress Rehearsal at University Theatre	Monday, June 14th, 2010
Recital at University Theatre	Saturday, June 19th, 2010