

# October Newsletter

2024

## OCTOBER NEWS

We hope you are enjoying your classes at ADA this Fall! Now that we're starting to get in the swing of things, we ask that all students review and remember the following rules in and out of class.

- No gum, food or drinks are allowed in the studios.
- Please bring a water to class in a secured container. This will help the flow of class move more smoothly.
- Wear the correct shoes and attire for each class. Make sure hair is fastened back securely.
- You must let the instructor know before the class begins if you are sick or injured.
- No talking in class, at the barre, when waiting in line or otherwise. Use this time to observe the corrections your teacher is giving your fellow dancers and use them to make you a better dancer.
- Dance full out! Not only will this help you grow and improve in your dancing but it will make your dances more interesting and energetic.
- HAVE FUN!



## UPCOMING EVENTS

- Winter Showcase Costume Rental Fees Due
  - October 1st
- Nutcracker Auditions
  - October 6th at 9AM
- Trunk or Treat and fall Carnival Sunday
  - October 12th
- Halloween Costume week
  - October 21st-26th
- No Classes on Halloween
  - Thursday, October 31st
- Winter Showcase Tickets Go On Sale
  - Friday, November 1st
- Kalamazoo Holiday Parade Practice
  - November 15th, time TBD
- Holiday Cabaret Costume Sign out
  - November 18th-23rd
- Kalamazoo Holiday Parade
  - November 23rd
- Studio Closed for Thanksgiving
  - November 27th-29th
  - There will be Saturday Classes!
- Holiday Cabaret
  - December 7th
- Nutcracker Performance
  - December 9th



## NUTCRACKER

JOIN US IN THIS AMAZING OPPORTUNITY TO PERFORM IN THE NUTCRACKER! YOUR CHILD WILL HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO DANCE WITH PROFESSIONAL DANCERS FROM ALL AROUND THE WORLD IN THIS SPECTACULAR PERFORMANCE! THIS IS TRULY AN UNFORGETTABLE EXPERIENCE THAT YOU WON'T WANT TO MISS!

VISIT [WWW.NUTCRACKER.COM/AUDITIONS](http://WWW.NUTCRACKER.COM/AUDITIONS) FOR MORE INFORMATION

AUDITION DATE: OCTOBER 6TH AT 9AM AT ACADEMY OF DANCE ARTS FOR DANCERS AGES 6-17

## OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS!

Marlowe Timmer  
Ella Skiles  
Olivia van Staveren  
Quinn Trayers  
Tianna Robertson  
Bella Murray  
Morgot Makohn  
Charlotte Greene  
Olivia Vander Ploeg  
Cara McLaughlin  
Rylee Randolph  
Chloe Banks



## KALAMAZOO

### HOLIDAY PARADE

Ages 2-6 are welcome to ride on our float while dancers 7 and up perform. Rehearsal for the Parade will be held on Friday, November 15th. Time TBA



Sign up for the parade here!

## HALLOWEEN SPOOKTACULAR

### BRING A FRIEND TO DANCE SIGN-UP

It's party time at ADA! Bring one friend to each of your dance classes the week of October 21-29th for our Halloween Spooktacular week! Keep an eye on your email for the link for you to share with your friends!



## KWINGS PERFORMANCE

Ages 5 and up have the opportunity to dance at at KWings game on February 14th!

An email with more information will be sent out shortly!

## TRUNK OR TREAT AND FALL FESTIVAL

IT'S TIME TO DRESS UP AND TRUNK OR TREAT! WE CAN'T WAIT TO SEE YOU AND YOUR FRIENDS!

OUR PERFORMING COMPANY WILL BE HOSTING A FALL CARNIVAL! HELP SUPPORT OUR TEAM BY PLAYING SPOOKY CARNIVAL GAMES AND VISITING THE BAKE SALE! OPEN TO THE COMMUNITY CASH ONLY PLEASE!

## A Note to Parents:

A friendly reminder that monthly tuition payments are due on or before the first lesson of the month. Any payments received after the 10th of the month will receive a \$10 late fee which will be applied to your account. Accounts over 45 days are automatically sent to collections. We also have the option of auto-payments which is done through a credit card on the 1st of every month. This option provides a stress free way to pay for all of your classes.