

September Newsletter

2026



Welcome back!

We are so excited for our upcoming year! We have several events and performances planned.



NEW CLASS FOR ADULTS!

Get ready to Mix It Up & Get Moving!

Each week, explore a different dance style or theme while enjoying an energizing, full-body workout.

No experience needed! Open to all levels, ages 18+.

Enroll now through our parent portal!



IMPORTANT DATES

- Classes Begin
 - September 8th
- Wine and Harvest Parade
 - September 13th
- Apparel Bundles End
 - September 19th
- Dance Days
 - September 21st-26th
- Apparel Online Pop Up Shop Closes
 - September 29th
- Trunk or Treat and Fall Festival
 - October 10th time TBA

IMPORTANT DATES

- Nutcracker Auditions
 - October 12th at 5PM
- Nutcracker Choreography
 - October 13th
- Halloween Spooktacular
 - October 26th-31st
- Kalamazoo Holiday Parade Practice
 - Tentatively November 15th, time TBA (Day may be changed)
- Kalamazoo Holiday Parade
 - November 21st
- Studio Closed for Thanksgiving
 - November 25th-27th
- Nutcracker Performance
 - December 9th at Miller Auditorium
- Winter Showcase
 - December 12th at Vicksburg HS Auditorium
- Return Winter Showcase Costumes
 - December 14th-18th
- Winter Break
 - December 21st-January 3rd
- Classes Resume
 - January 5th
- KWINGS Performance
 - January 15

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
FOR MORE INFORMATION

AUDITION DATE: OCTOBER 12TH AT
5PM AT ACADEMY OF DANCE ARTS
FOR DANCERS AGES 6-17
CHOREOGRAPHY TO BE LEARNED
OCTOBER 13TH

ADA DANCE DAYS

Is your dancer interested in expanding their dance experience? During the week of September 21st-26th, current and previously enrolled students can try out other genres of dance for FREE! An email with signup links will be sent out to families.

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

September Birthdays

- ROZALIE MAHONE
- ROSALIND MORRIS
- EMMALYN BARTNICK
- SOLEIL MEYER
- ELEANOR
ENGBRETSON
- EMILIA ROBINETTE
- EVIANA DIETZ
- OLIVIA MILLER
- KARTER GILBERT
- AVA RICE
- ALYDIA WOLZ
- KASH CHECCHI
- VADA INGLETT
- AUTUMN HEINZ
- MILA SZWED





This year, we celebrate our Sapphire season—45 years of memories and stars.

Shine Bright - Be confident in who you are.

Shine Together - Celebrate and lift up one another.

Shine On - Carry the legacy forward.

APPAREL BUNDLES

Save up to 35% on our apparel bundles!

Bundles include required shoes, tights, and a leotard.

Stop by the front desk to get your student fitted!

APPAREL ONLINE POP UP SHOP

For a limited time, you can grab some new Academy apparel to celebrate our 45th season!



Shop closes September 29th!

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 20th-25th for our Halloween Spooktacular week! Keep an eye on your email for the link for you to share with your friends!

KALAMAZOO HOLIDAY PARADE

Ages 2-6 are welcome to ride on our float while dancers 7 and up perform. Parade practice will be held on Sunday, November 15th (tentatively). Time to TBA

Sign up information and rehearsal time will be sent out via email soon!

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