



# February 2012

## Creative Dance & Music Studio

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## Music Lessons - Make Up Classes

Private music students have the option to attend group make up classes either before or after they are absent. Please sign up with your instructor or at the desk to hold your place.

- Saturday, March 3 @ Harvey
- Saturday, March 31 @ Marrero
- Saturday, April 28 @ Harvey
- Saturday, May 26 @ Marrero

Exact times will be posted in advanced, but will be around 2pm. Please do not wait until the end of the session to try to squeeze them all in.

## February 27-March 2: Revue Book Deadline

All ads, ad fees, and picture fees for the dance book are due during your regular class the week of February 27 to March 2. You must have the form filled out completely. During your class, please bring in:

1. Completed Form
2. Ads neatly typed or written on sample sheets, within the borders
3. Payment by check or cash only—**no credit cards accepted or auto-pay accounts used**

Timing is critical to make printer deadlines. No ads or picture forms will be accepted after March 2. Thanks for your cooperation. If you are absent from class, you may bring the items on Friday, March 2 5pm-7pm at either location.

**March 2 is the final deadline for all book items (ads and pictures).**

### Upcoming Dates:

- ✓ Feb 10 - Final Revue Payment
- ✓ Feb 16-22 Mardi Gras Holidays (Th-Wed)
- ✓ Feb 25 - Closing Rehearsals begin
- ✓ Feb 27-Mar 2 - Revue book Ads & Pictures are due
- ✓ March 3 - VIP Competition
- ✓ March 10 - Opening Rehearsals begin

## Dance Classes need Group Moms!

All dance classes need Group Mom volunteers to help the day of the show. Group moms are there to serve as a liaison between parents and teachers. If we can have each class have 3-4 volunteers, that would be fantastic. What are group moms responsible for?

- ☆ Serve as a meeting point at rehearsal so the class stays together.
- ☆ Answers questions about the revue, costumes, etc.
- ☆ Brings the class back stage before their numbers.
- ☆ Returns the class to their dressing areas.
- ☆ Has extra accessories, costumes instructions, line-ups etc.

Group moms are NOT responsible for dressing and changing students other than their own children. Each parent is responsible for their own child.

Being a group mom is a really easy task that will help your child & their class at the show. It's such an easy thing to do and really keeps our show running smoothly. Sign up sheets are posted on the bulletin board. We appreciate your help!



## February Birthdays

Jadyn G.	Breah L.
Madison K.	Casey-Lynn J.
Elise C.	Emily C.
Georgia A.	Emma B.
Kyra P.	Savannah S.
Taylor C.	Monae T.
Kai R.	Angelina R.

We're on the web!  
[www.CreativeDanceStudio.com](http://www.CreativeDanceStudio.com)

## Closing & Opening Rehearsal Schedule

All rehearsals for the opening and closing production numbers will be held on Saturdays. Closing from 12:30-1:30pm and Opening from 1:30-2:30pm.

- ⊕ Closing rehearsals - begin Saturday, February 25.
- ⊕ Opening Number - begin Saturday, March 10.

Some weeks might have breaks due to competition, holidays, and pictures. Calendars will be given out soon.

Regular attendance is required. Please let us know in advance of absences due to school functions.

## Dance Picture Days

Due to a very full March schedule, we will be holding picture days during our Easter Holidays. Appointments will be available Mon-Wed (April 9-11) in the evenings and Sunday April 15.

If you are putting your picture in the dance revue book, you must take pictures at the studio with our photographer. Additional information is coming soon regarding sitting fees and color picture package options. They will be very similar to last year.

## Group Pictures

The following groups/classes have the option to take a group picture for the Revue Book. Participation is voluntary, but you must sign up by Mar 2. Each class must have a minimum of 75% participation to schedule the group. Group Pictures will be taken Sunday, April 15 in the afternoon.

Group fees are due with picture fees the week of February 27-March 2. The fees cover the cost for placing the picture in the book and each dancer receives a 5x7 color print of the group.

**Closing Number** - color picture on the back cover. **\$20/person**

**Classes: \$12/person each group.** These pictures are half page, black & white, & lists the dancers' names.

- ✓ Baby's (Broadway Baby & Tinker Bell)
- ✓ Mini's (Little Shop of Horrors, Footloose, My Favorite Things, Oh What a Beautiful Morning)
- ✓ Junior Jazz (Seussical)
- ✓ Primary Taps (I'm a Brass Band & Young Blood)
- ✓ Hip Hop (Stomp)
- ✓ Pre Teen Tap (Anything Goes)
- ✓ Teen Tap (Putting on the Ritz) & Teen Ballet (Send in the Clowns)
- ✓ Opening Group
- ✓ Lyrical Group (Seasons of Love)
- ✓ Competition Teams (I Gotcha & Popular)

**Assistants & Class Demonstrators:** No cost.