

Welcome!!!

Welcome to all new and returning dancers and parents. I am looking forward to another great JFK season.

Communication

Good communication is critical for the success of our season! Your comments and concerns are important to me, please contact me. My contact information is at the bottom.

Important information will be located on the website. This will be the only newsletter that you will receive as a hard copy. If you wish to receive a hard copy of the newsletter please let me know.

Website

You will want to utilize our webpage on the Just For Kix website. Go to: www.justforkix.com Click on Classes. Click on MN, Click on Alexandria. **Mark this page as a favorite!

Uniforms

Payments are due the second week of class. Late orders may not arrive on time for our first performance as the uniforms take 6-8 weeks to manufacture. Try on your uniform as soon as it arrives, because exchanges may take several weeks. Tights cannot be exchange if package is opened. Shoe payments will also be due the second week of class for those dancers who need to order new dance shoes.

No Distraction Environment

The most productive way to run classes is without the distraction of parents and siblings. We only have a short time each week together, every minute is important. No spectators will be allowed during class time. However, I will allow spectators in the last 5 minutes of each class, so that you can see the progress we are making.

What Group Am I???

Teeny Kix	3 year old
Tiny Kix	4 & 5 year old
Wee Petites	K & 1st grade
Wee Kix	2nd & 3rd grade
Wee Jazz	1st-3rd grade
Mini Kix	4th & 5th grade
Middle Kix	6th-12th grade
Middle Jazz	4th-12th grade

Class Payments

You can choose one of three payment plans for Core Kix & Middle Jazz classes:

K-12th Core Kix & Middle Jazz

1. Yearly: \$224.00
due by September 30th (Discounted)
2. Half-Year: \$112.00
due by September 30th & January 1st (Discounted)
3. Monthly: \$29.00
due by the 1st of each month, September is due on the 30th

Preschool Core Kix Classes

1. Yearly: \$200.00
due by September 30th (Discounted)
2. Half-Year: \$100.00
due by September 30th & January 1st (Discounted)
3. Monthly: \$26.00
due by the 1st of each month, September is due on the 30th

Wee Jazz Class

(Fall Session)
12-Classes: \$65.25 + uniform
due by September 24th
(Spring Session)
12-Classes: \$65.25 + uniform (if needed)
due by January 28th

Use a payment stub and mail to:

Just For Kix ~ PO Box 724
Brainerd, MN 56401

A \$5.00 late fee is assessed to payments made after the 10th of the month. Any NSF or "stopped payment" checks made payable to JFK will be charged a \$20.00 service fee per check.

Cancellations

Occasionally, there may be an unscheduled cancellation. Should this occur you will receive a note or e-mail. -All canceled classes will be made-up. -Please note: If Alexandria school has closed early or is cancelled due to weather, there will be NO Just For Kix classes that evening. We follow the recommendation of the school's policies given to after school activities as a guideline for canceling classes. -Announcements will be made on KXRA radio, the Alex JFK webpage, and an e-mail will be sent to those that have given me their email address.

Dance Season

Our dance season is broken into different parts.

-**Fall classes:** Build up our skills, learn our first routines, place uniform orders and prepare for performance season.

-**December:** Our performance season typically begins. Polish our routines. Work on facial expressions & confidence. Routines may be performed many times to build this confidence. New routines may be introduced at this time.

-**Following the Holidays:** 4th-12th grade classes will also begin competing. We finish our year with a Spring Show.

Upcoming & Important Dates

Fall/Winter 2009

September 17th & 22nd – Uniform Payment Due

October 1st - Wee Jazz Begins

October 15th - NO CLASS

November 11th - Spec. Sessions Begin

November 26th - NO CLASS

December 18th - Dress Rehearsal @ LAR

December 19th - Winter Shows @ DMS

December 22nd-31st - NO CLASS

Winter/Spring 2010

January 9th - Performance

January 12th & 14th - Class Pictures

January 31st - UWD St. Cloud (tentative)

February 4th - Wee Jazz II Begins

February 16th & 18th Dance w/ Me for preschool classes

March 2nd & 4th - NO CLASS

March 21st - UWD Moorhead (tentative)

March 27th - Community Show

April 7th - Special Sessions Begin

April 10th - Performance

April 23rd - Dress Rehearsal @ DMS

April 24th - Spring Shows @ DMS

April 27th & 29th - Bring a Friend Night for K-12th classes

April 27th & 29th - Last Night/Awards for all classes

Please refer to future newsletters & online calendar for additional performances, event details and updates.

Contact Information

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	31	1	2	3 Registration Night Lakes Area Recreation 5-7pm	4	5
6	7 Labor Day	8	9	10 Classes Begin 4:45-5:30 Wee Petites I 5:30-6:00 Tiny Kix II 6:00-6:45 Wee Petites II 6:45-7:45 Wee Kix II	11	12
13	14	15 Classes Begin 3:30-4:30 Wee Kix I 4:30-5:00 Tiny Kix I 5:00-5:30 Teeny Kix 5:30-6:30 Mini Kix 6:30-7:30 Middle Jazz 7:30-8:30 Middle Kix	16	17 Regular Class Uniform Payments Due	18	19
20	21	22 Regular Class Uniform Payments Due	23	24 Regular Class Wee Jazz Registration Due	25	26
27	28	29 Regular Class	30 Half/Full Yr Payment Due Sept Payment Due	1 Oct Payment Due Regular Class Wee Jazz Begins	2	3

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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
		Regular Class		Regular Class Wee Jazz		
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
		Regular Class		NO CLASS – Fall Break		
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
		Regular Class		Regular Class Wee Jazz		
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
		Regular Class		Regular Class Wee Jazz	Registration Due for Special Sessions	Halloween