## **Brooks Dance Center**

October 2013 Newsletter Issue #4

Welcome to all our new and returning BDC dancers! I'm so excited to be starting our 1<sup>st</sup> recital session with such amazing students, families and friends.

Just a few announcements:

- Next week (week of Oct 13) there will be **no Monday** classes due to the Columbus Holiday.
- Halloween Week (<u>starts with Saturday classes on 10/26 and runs through</u> <u>Thursday classes 10/31</u>) – all students (any age) can feel free to wear a costume to class, there will be goodies for each student to take home as well as extra costumes/dress up for those who don't have something. We just ask that you are able to move freely in your costume as we will still be dancing.
- BDC "Trick or Treaters" and Friends, feel free to stop by the studio during your rounds for some candy, we are at the studio 6-8:45 pm on Thursday!
- During this lovely fall season, I will be offering apples from my grandparent's orchard, for as long as the season allows. Please feel free to take one while you are at the studio. If you would like to buy a bag of apples and support our local farms, please contact me and I will make sure I have the apples available for purchase at the studio.
- A reminder, there is additional parking behind the studio and at the post office (after hours), please refrain from parking down the side of the driveway.

2013/2014 Session:

- Registration is still open for all classes on the schedule! Please let friends know that it isn't too late to join BDC.
- Tuition is always due the first class of each month; please make sure your payment is on time. Over the next months, I will be posting yellow/red signs on the door to alert you of when it is "coming due" and "due." As always, I appreciate your cooperation with this and starting next month there will be a late fee of \$5.00 charged for any and all late payments.
- Recital has been booked for **May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2014 at 7:00 pm** and it will be located at Thornton Academy's Auditorium.
- Costume deposits of \$25.00 will be due the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of November for all students. The remaining balance (TBD based on cost of specific costumes) will be due by the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of February, you will be given an invoice in January. All students will have 1 costume per class, excluding the competition classes.
- AND don't forget REFER-A-FRIEND(s) you'll get a referral discount!

Check out our website and like us on Facebook!

Thanks everyone! Katie

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