



Sharon Arnold Lux School of Dance
February Newsletter – 2025

HAPPY VALENTINES DAY



WINTER BREAK: February 17th through February 21st. NO DANCE CLASSES.

RECITAL: It is Saturday, May 31st. We will have a matinee at 1:00 and an evening show at 6:00. Dress rehearsals will be held on **Wednesday, May 28th and Friday, May 30th**. It will be held at the South Portland Auditorium at South Portland High School, 637 Highland Avenue, South Portland.

COSTUMES (Actual Costs): Everyone has paid a deposit on each costume. The actual cost may be higher or lower. If you have a balance on costumes, you were notified. If you have not paid your balance, please do so as soon as possible. If there was any question as to sizing, Sharon went with the bigger size, as it is much easier to take costumes in than to let them out. ***If costume alterations are needed, Sharon will let you know.***

TUITION: Tuition payments should be up to date. ***If not, please do so as soon as possible.*** When a payment is late, a \$10.00 late fee will be charged to your account.

RECITAL TIGHTS: Most classes will need a pair of performance tights for ballet/lyrical, modern/ contemporary, tap and sometimes Irish Step. Hip hop dancers do not need them. An email will be sent after the break to each class with the color and style number to order. Each parent is responsible for ordering their child's tights. A link to order them from will be included. Dancers who have multiple classes might receive more than one email. (Multiple classes are not done in one email.) If you bought new tights last recital season and they still look good and fit, then you do not need new ones.

PICTURES: We are pleased to announce that our very own, Melissa Dineen (our Acro teacher) will be the photographer. Pictures are scheduled to be taken on **March 28th, 29th, and 30th**. A schedule will be emailed about a week or so beforehand.

WATER: Dancers need to stay hydrated. Please send them to dance with water bottles.

INCLEMENT WEATHER: This is the time of year when classes could be canceled due to bad weather. Sharon listens to the noon weather report before deciding. **(Reminder:** just because school is canceled doesn't necessarily mean dance classes are canceled. Call the studio **(985-7007)** after 1:00 pm for a message.

NO STREET SHOES ALLOWED ON DANCE FLOORS. DO NOT WEAR DANCE SHOES OUTSIDE (they are for dancing only).