



HORIZONS DANCE THEATRE



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November 2017 Newsletter

Keep on the lookout for Ms. Sally to visit ;) I've told her we miss her! She's happy to see how things are going...

Thank you so much to Ballet Arts Studio with Ms. Sally Baker Rothenburger for helping make Horizons Dance Theatre come true!

Also, thank you so much to our dance studio partner: Academy of Flamenco Arts with Juliana Grossi for also sharing and investing in our dance studio space together to make both dance schools a dream come true!

Bring A Friend to Class for a Free Trial Class

* Each current student can bring a friend(s) to class. Each student will receive a free class card/invite to bring a friend to class anytime during the dance school year! Each student can invite more than one friend, and each friend invited can enjoy a free class.

Holiday Gift Basket sponsored by Fante's Coffee, Horizons Dance Theatre and The Louisville Ballet

* There will be a holiday gift basket going on sale the week of Thanksgiving! This is a great holiday gift option for coffee lovers! Leo Fante's Nutcracker Coffee Blend with Fante's and Horizons logo will appear on the coffee bag; along with a stunning Nutcracker Mug, and coupons for Fante's Coffee and January class specials at Horizons Dance Theatre! These baskets will be sold at both of our businesses from Thanksgiving week through holiday-Christmas break time! Stay tune for their presentation....

Upcoming Make up classes

* Monday, Nov. 14, 2017 from 4:45pm to 6pm there is a make up class for Thursday Ballet II & Tap II class. The make up class will be all in Ballet.

* Any of the 4 Pre-Ballet with Creative Movement classes have the option to make up class during one of the other three class options during the week.

Here are the class options to make up for this class: Monday from 3:45pm to 4:45pm, Thursday from 10:30am to 11:30am, Friday from 10:30am to 11:30am, and Saturday from 10:00am to 11:00am!

Ms. Rachel has record of each students' class attendance and make ups due. She will send parents individually a reminder on the number of make up options for any student in need of a make up.

* Ms. Rachel will be in contact with Ballet I & Tap I class parents about setting up a make up class option.

* Ms. Iris can let you know your make up option for Tap III class when need be.

* Ms. Leslie can let you know your make up options regarding Teen & Adult Ballet make up classes.

Upcoming November Special Classes

Sunday, November 12, 2017 from 2pm to 3:30pm is our first generational family dance class! Class is \$10/person. We need a minimum of 8 movement-dance and improvisational explorers and creators to make this class a go. We welcome anyone interested! Out of state dance companies have held classes like this before at Kentucky Center for the Arts! Kim Root and I have enjoyed these classes so much, along with our own background interests and experiences working in dance classes with mix generations. We would love to start this tradition at Horizons Dance Theatre!

Rhythm Tap Workshop with
Ms. Kacey

The next upcoming exciting Rhythm Tap Workshop classes are on Saturday, Nov. 18th classes from 1pm to 4pm

Ms. Rachel's Early childhood dance classes with Ms. Sally as an inspiration to our classes too

Creative Movement Mommy/Daddy & Me dance class; Pre-Ballet with Creative Movement; & Ballet I and Tap I dance classes will be working on the following creative movement concepts tailored for their dance class developmental stage during the month of November:

The Concept of Force -

Energy: Sharp (sudden)/Smooth (sustained), Weight: Strong/Light,
Flow: free/bound

The Concept of Body - Joint Parts Relationships, Balance, and focus points on Spot turning

* Please note, that we will develop these concepts further past November! Each new concept or two concepts focused on each week ends up weaving into the next new concept! All creative movement concepts are part of dance for any dance style being studied. Also, all these concepts weave into classes at all ages as they are foundational building blocks needed in dance styles at all ages throughout life! We just begin to focus on them and build on them from our early childhood dance classes at Horizons Dance Theatre!

Reminder regarding Tuition

If you are on a monthly payment plan, then payments towards tuition continue as so. If you are on the school year tuition plan to pay half the year at beginning of the year, then this is a reminder that \$250 for the second half of the year is due by November 15.

Please feel free to discuss this with me, and let me know if there is any concern I should know about in general. Thank you!

Teachers class descriptions

We are incredibly happy to have Ms. Leslie Robinson-Smith on board with our team at Horizons Dance Theatre!

Ms. Leslie entered HDT as our Teen Intermediate/Advance Classical Ballet, Adult Beginning Classical Ballet, and Adult Intermediate Classical Ballet Instructor! You are welcome to see our website to learn more about Ms. Leslie via her biography, and her classes! All classes are also on our Facebook page!

We are incredibly happy to have Ms. Kacey Frazier on our team at Horizons Dance Theatre!

Ms. Kacey entered HDT as our Monthly Guest Tap Artist Instructor! You are welcome to join this excellent, passionate instructor for her monthly Tap classes! Please see our website to learn more about Ms. Kacey via her biography, and our Facebook page to see her post about when she is teaching! Her upcoming Tap workshop classes will be on Saturday, Nov. 18 from 1pm to 4pm (three classes in a row)!

We are incredibly happy to have Ms. Iris on our team at Horizons Dance Theatre!

* In Tap II we warm up our feet with steps like shuffles, toe drops, and heel, drops. Then we work on more complicated steps and combinations, that we later bring together into short dances. In these short dances we work on using our whole body to dance (not just our feet) and doing things in different formations :)

* In our warmups in Tap III we are working on learning different types of shuffles. Currently the class is also learning time steps and the Cole Stroll. We work on getting an awareness of the stage and working in lines, circles, diagonals etc.... In a circle we practice improvisation, and having only 8 seconds to show what you got!

Costumes for May Recital

In December, we will be fitting costumes we have possibly for certain dances, or measuring each student for their costume order. Ms. Rachel will keep you updated on the costume process.

Last day of December classes

Reminder, the last 15 minutes of each class for ages 2-12 years old will be having a informal in class dance showing of an excerpt of their recital dance, and/or a holiday dance!

Jin Shin Jyutsu

Ms. Rachel has been fascinated by the body, mind, and spirit energy practice for supporting change for all kinds of health needs from acute to chronic needs. She will be offering "Jin Shin Jyutsu Introduction with Self Help holds Class" starting in January 2018 at Horizons Dance Theatre. She also offers sessions at available daytime hours on a sliding scale fee.

If you are interested in a FREE Jin Shin Jyutsu session, please join the Jin Shin Jyutsu Harmonize Louisville Special Event anytime between 10am - 5pm on Saturday, November 18, 2017 at The Clubhouse at Rock Creek Riding Club! You can come even for a session for fatigue recovery, rejuvenation, or relaxation support! For more details, please read the last attached flyer page with our November Newsletter!

Please stay tune for news coming soon on a Holiday Party Open House to share Horizons Dance Theatre with others around the Louisville community!

Thank you for coming to dance with us at Horizons Dance Theatre, and being a part of our Grand Opening Year! It's been an exciting new adventure!

Have a very warm, safe, and fun Happy Thanksgiving!!
Love, Horizons Dance Theatre's Teachers

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