**Celebrating our 28th Season**

Dear Dancers & Families,

Wow…here we are, about to begin our 28th season of DANCE and our fourth year in Lewisburg! This season certainly begins like no other season we have ever danced through before, but that is okay. We have learned a lot about ourselves, our studio and our communities over the past few months. We have tried to take advantage of this time to examine, evaluate and focus on our mission here at D&K…and regardless of changes we have implemented and needed to change for now, we stay true with what founded D&K and what continues to run D&K…our love for meeting and getting to know our dancers…to share our love of dance with you…to laugh with, to dream with, to inspire, to believe and always…to dance.

We look forward to the season ahead and can’t wait to see you all soon.

**Just a few things to be aware of…**Class sizes will be limited, and **registration is based on first come, first serve**…knowing that- we have opened up registration to our current dancers first. We will open registration for our new dancers at the end of the week…so simply email us back and we will reserve your spot. Please understand that just because a class is offered to you, ***does not guarantee you a spot in the class.***

**What are our changes for the 2020-2021 year?** Simple changes that we are already “use to”….Wearing masks to the studio, and not taking them off until you get into your studio room. At this point, our plan is to have taped areas on the floor to help dancers to be reminded of personal dance space. Dancers may also wear a mask during class. Teachers will wear masks when needed, working one on one, giving corrections etc. We will limit partnering in class, but the great thing is that does not mean we limit working toward common goals. We are still a class, working together to share and bring our dances together. Our classes will be filled with the normalcy we all need…we will just smell a little more Clorox and be committed to spacial awareness for ourselves and others. Our lobby will remain closed for the time being, to minimize our extra families and friends. Teachers or assistants will come and welcome our youngest of dancers into the studio and bring them out the parking lot at the end of a class. We will make changes if we need as the days and weeks go on. We understand that some of our families may have grandparents living with them, just as someone in a family may have a compromised health system…we can assure you, we will work hard to keep our common areas cleaned and our dancers as safe as we are able.

When registering for your classes, be specific in the classes you are registering for. Please do not just say, “sign them up for everything” …it is helpful to know what everything is.

We are so blessed to have a staff of teachers and class assistants who take their job very seriously…how lucky we are to share that along with our wonderful teachers Miss Sammy, Miss Lisa & Miss Jo, that Miss Bailey will be on staff as she finishes her Dance Degree from Muhlenberg College as well as Miss Lauren McGinty. Miss Lauren danced with us for years at Hughesville, went on to graduate from Muhlenberg with a degree in Dance & Theater. Miss Lauren lived in NYC to pursue her dance career but is on pause for a year until the entertainment industry resumes. Oh, we are going to have a GREAT season!!!

Classes begin for our new season on Tuesday, September 8th. Thank you so very much for dancing this journey with us. In spite of it all, we will have a grand season and cannot wait to get back in the studio with you all!!!

Lastly, please understand to register quickly to ensure your dancers spot.

Have a Great Day!

*Duane & Kellie*

**D&K’s Studio of Dance**

2020-2021 Lewisburg Dance Schedule

Monday

4:30-5:10 Petites (3-PreK)

5:15-6:10 Jazz/Lyrical (6th-8th)

6:15-6:55 Musical Theater (7th & up)

7:00- 7:45 Hip Hop (9th grade+)

Tuesday

4:30-5:15 Ballet (9th & up)

5:20-5:50 Pointe

6:00-6:45 Ballet. (6th-8th)

6:50-7:30 Hip Hop (5th-8th)

7:35-8:20 Adult Jazz

Wednesday

4:30-5:10 Tap (7th & up)

5:15-6:10 Jazz/Lyrical (9th & up)

6:15-6:55 Tap (2nd – 6th grade)

7:00-7:45 Hip Hop (2nd-5th)

Thursday

4:20-5:00 Kids Musical Theater (Kindergarten-2nd grade)

5:05-6:00 Minis Jazz/Tap Combo (Kindergarten-2nd grade)

6:05-6:45 Kids Ballet

6:50-7:45Jazz/Contemporary/Lyrical (3rd -5th)

7:45-8:30 Musical Theater (3rd - 6th)

**D&K’s Studio Fees**

**Per Student:**

Dance Class: ONE 30 minute class weekly: $39.00/mth

Dance Class: ONE 40-45 minute class weekly: $44.00/mth

Dance Class: One 55 min.-1 hr. class weekly: $49.00/mth

Unlimited Dance Classes PER Student: $125.00/mth

**Second/Third Dance Class PER STUDENT:** $28.00/additional mth.

(This discount may be used for any student dancing in more than one class.)

**Multiple Dancer/Family Rate:** $145.00/mth

(This rate may be used for any family with two or more dancers taking classes at D&K’s Studio. Dancers must live in the same household.)

**Competition Class Rates:** $28.00/mth

(As discussed, this rate is not combined with any other discount. This fee is in addition to regular monthly tuition.)

**Acro/Tumbling Rates**: $49.00/mth

Anyone enrolled in dance classes at D&K’s Studio will received a discounted rate of 28.00 per month. Example: If a family is using the 145.00 family rate and a child is also enrolled in the acro class, there is still an additional 28.00 charge rather than the 40.00 rate. At this time, Acro classes are held at the Hughesville location only.

**Piano Lessons:**

Piano Lessons are private lessons and may not be combined with a Family Discount. Lessons are ½ hr. in length and begin at the age of 5 and continue through adult. Students’ progress at own level with all styles of music being focused on. Special midi discs are also used to help with drills as well as provide background music for “concert-like” atmosphere. **Lessons are $12.00 a lesson**.). All piano lessons are held at the Hughesville location.

**Payment:**

Payment is appreciated the first class of every month; however, all payments are due by the 15th of a month. Anyone paying after the 15th is subject to a 15.00 late fee. Tuition is based on a 30-week schedule. In fact, there are more than 30 weeks during our dance year, but tuition is based on 30 weeks, in case of unforeseen weather cancellations, holidays etc. All monthly payments are a flat rate. PLEASE understand: If a dancer is out of classes due to another sport, etc., we are still holding your dancer’s spot, payment is still due. Returned checks are subject to a 25.00 bank fee. We do not accept credit or bank cards. Payment is by cash or checks. If D&K’s Studio receives a returned check, cash payments will be expected from that point on.

**Costume Payments:** Each costume for the yearly recital cost 70.00. Payments are split in two payments, half of the balance is due by Friday, November 6th, 2020 and the remaining balance is due by Friday, December 4th. Combo classes each will have two costumes per class. If a dancer is involved in more than one class, please note: each class has a costume fee.