

From Ms Kirstin's Desk

The new year in our new studio is off to a great start. It's great to see many new and old faces. We had 36 friends join us during Bring A Friend week, and as always had a blast.

The annual Hutto Olde Tyme Days is right around the corner. I'm inviting all students/parents to march with us in the parade— see below for more information. I have asked many of the 2010-11 students to perform; due to the parade being at 10am we will be performing at 11am after we march in the parade. Don't forget we have a rehearsal on Friday October 14th at 5:30pm.

We are currently selling Yankee Candles in a fundraiser to help off set your cost to participate in the end of year show. You will receive a 35% profit which will be applied to your costume balance. Fundraisers do not go toward your costume deposit. Make all checks payable to Dance-N-Groove, extra order forms are available at the front office. Fundraiser and money due no later than Friday October 14th. The studio will be open from 3-7:15pm every day that week.

Halloween is right around the corner. Students may wear their Halloween costume beginning October 25th. We will still have Monday classes on Halloween.

We have begun our Adult Fitness Classes, Zumba is on Wednesdays at 7:15pm and Saturdays at 8:15am. Check the website or our Facebook for more details. Invite your friends to join you.

Just a reminder; Classes start on time, therefore in order to help your daughter prevent injury and get the most out of class I encourage you to arrive 5-10 minutes early, help your student change into their dance shoes, use the restroom and get settled into the cubby room. Once you have gotten your student settled please wait in our waiting area or outside as to eliminate the congestion in our hallway and back room. After class please wait in the waiting room for your dancer. Thank you for your cooperation.

- Ms Kirstin

**Hutto Olde Tyme Days— October 15th**

All students and parents are invited to march with us in the Hutto Olde Tyme Days Parade on Saturday October 15th. If you would like to march with us please meet us by 9:15am at the Hutto Post Office on Exchange Blvd. All students/parents marching with us need to wear tennis shoes, shorts or jeans (depending on weather) and either a studio t-shirt or white t-shirt. If you would like to order a t-shirt for \$15 fill out a t-shirt order form and return with payment no later than October 12th. Those performing later that morning should wear their costume with tennis shoes but be sure to have your dance shoes. The parade route will go down Exchange Blvd ending at Hutto Middle School.

A FEW REMINDERS

- ◆ Please use restroom before class
- ◆ Dance shoes are to be worn inside studio ONLY
- ◆ No outside shoes, food or drink allowed in dance room
- ◆ Students hair needs to be up in a tight bun or ponytail with all loose hair out of students face.
- ◆ Tuition is due no later than the 7th of each month. You may mail payment or drop off inside the studio.

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY
OCTOBER BIRTHDAYS**

AIRIANA G.
VICTORIA S.
SOFIA C.
MIA B.
JOHANA B.
MARIAH H.
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MARK YOUR CALENDAR

- Tuition due no later than the 7th of each month

October 14– Yankee Candle Fundraiser Due; HOTD Performers practice 5:30pm
 October 15– Hutto Olde Tyme Days – Parade 10am, Performance– 11am
 October 25-31– Halloween Dress Up Week
 November 21-24– Thanksgiving Break– No Classes
 December 10– Show Costume Balances Due
 December 12-15– Parent Observation Week
 December 19-31– Christmas Break– No Classes
 January 2-5– Classes Resume
 February 15– Show Costume Balances Due
 March 12-16– Spring Break– No Classes
 June 22– End of Year Show Mandatory Dress Rehearsal– 6pm
 June 23– 2012 End of Year Show– 7pm
 June 25-29– Last Week of Classes

*Dance-N-Groove
Welcomes
Melissa Olsen*

Melissa will be teaching our adult fitness classes. She has been passionate about exercise for over 18 years and taught several different group exercise classes and personal training. She loves what she does and looks forward to leading our fitness classes.

Adult Fitness Classes Have Begun

Zumba- Wednesdays 7:15pm & Saturdays 8:15am

Strength/Conditioning– Tues 8:15-9:15pm

Walk In Class Rate- \$8

4 Class Card—\$20

10 Class Card- \$50

DANCEWEAR FOR SELL

Do you need new dance shoes? Is your leotard too tight? Do you want a studio t-shirt or window decal to show your dance school pride? You can purchase all your dancewear needs through us. Dancewear orders are placed once a month please see the front office to purchase your dancewear. Decals and studio shirts orders are placed twice a year (October and April). To order a shirt or decal, fill out an order form and return to Dance-N-Groove.



2012 End of Year Show
Saturday June 23, 2012
7:00 pm
Hutto ISD Performing Arts
Center
Rainbow Connection