

# BALLET ARTS CENTRE

OF WINCHESTER

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# **Ballet Arts Centre Holiday Newsletter**

**November/December 2015 "Footnotes"** 

It's amazing how quickly the Holiday Season comes upon us each year and ready or not, it's here! With it comes lots of news and activities that will take place in the next few weeks, so we hope you will take a moment to read through!



### **Vacation Reminder**

# THANKSGIVING BREAK

There will be no classes on Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday, November 25th through 28th.

### WINTER BREAK

will begin on Monday, December 21st and classes will resume on Monday,

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# Don't miss BAC's beloved performance of The Nutcracker! Purchase tickets at <a href="www.bacw.com">www.bacw.com</a>!

The Nutcracker is a beautiful production, wonderfully entertaining and lots of fun for the entire family, and features nearly 100 BAC students as well as Guest Artists from Boston and beyond! We hope that you will take advantage of this opportunity to treat yourself to this delightful holiday tradition!

Parent Observation Week
January 11th - 16th, 2016

Parents are welcome to come and view their child's regular class to see their progress. (Please leave young siblings at home, as it is difficult for them to sit for the hour and watch.)

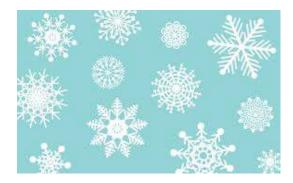
### Mark Your Calendar!

# **BAC's Annual Spring Performances**

will take place Saturday, April 30th and Sunday, May 1st, 2016 at McCall Middle School in Winchester. Mandatory Dress Rehearsals will be held prior to the show (dates and times TBA).

## **Tuition Reminder**

A friendly reminder that the next installment due date is **November 23rd, 2015. Your credit card on file will automatically be charged on the tuition due date, unless a payment by cash or check has already been received.** You must notify the office in writing of any class changes <u>prior</u> to this date in order for a tuition adjustment to be made. Tuition is non-refundable after the installment due date.



# **Snow Cancellations**

Whenever the weather is questionable, please visit **bacw.com** or call 781-729-8556 one hour prior to your class time to see if classes will be held or not. We will also notify you of cancellations by email whenever possible.

# Parking and Safety Issues

We are continuing to work with the other businesses at 50 Cross Street to address the parking/ safety concerns at our building. The addition of a traffic director on the heaviest days has improved the flow which again, is most difficult on the half hour between 3:30 - 5:30 when all schools are dismissing and entering at the same time. If your child has a class at 3:30, 4:30 or 5:30, coming even 10 minutes on either side of that time might make it easier to avoid the "clog" that is happening during this span. If you have a student who is old enough that you typically drop off, we suggest using the turn through space in front of the NextDoor Theater as a way of being able to pull in, drop off and continue out onto Cross Street without entering into the back parking lot at all. Please remember there is no parking in this area if only for few minutes. even а

Again, we encourage you to remind your children (of ALL ages) that walking between parked cars requires the same attention as crossing the street and we also encourage students to wait inside the building when it is dark while waiting for their ride. The safety of our students' is our first priority and we appreciate your patience as we continue to deal with this matter.

WE WOULD LIKE TO SEND ALL OF OUR
STUDENTS AND THEIR FAMILIES OUR BEST
WISHES FOR A WONDERFUL AND JOYOUS
HOLIDAY SEASON!

## AS ALWAYS, HAPPY DANCING!

- Debbie and the Entire BAC Staff

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