

# KALEIDOSCOPE ARTS PROJECT

## TO THE POINTE

JANUARY, 2016

### WELCOME TO 2016!

Dear Students;

First and foremost, I would like to wish you and your family a happy, healthy, successful and blessed new year! The holiday went by far too fast, but I am ready to embrace a new year. Many busy elves have spent countless hours cleaning and organizing Celebration Place and your amazing teachers already have fun yet challenging curriculum ready for each and every class!

If you are new to our Kaleidoscope Arts family....WELCOME! Please be sure to pick up an information packet and registration form. For our returning students, please take a moment to re-register and up-date your personal and contact information.



#### Important dates:

- January 6: Classes begin
- January 9 and 16: Auditions for "A Midsummer Night's Dream" Ballet
- January 18: CLOSED
- January 23: Talent America Competition at Celebration Place.

### Congratulations Cast and Crew of

No words can express what a privilege it was to direct this year's Nutcracker, both at CIVA Charter High School and Catamount Institute. From beginning to end the entire production was magic!

Thank you one and all for your excellent work, great attitude, and amazing professionalism. I truly believe this was the BEST group of party children, soldiers, and candy canes we have ever had. Our Junior Company was off-the-chart

and I would definitely put our Kaleidoscope Dance Project dancers as some of the best artists in the Pikes Peak region!

Thank you again for all of the hard work...love you all!

Betsy

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Winter Schedule 2016

Monday	Tuesday A	Tuesday B	Wednesday	Thursday	Saturday A	Saturday B
					Boys Dance 9:00-9:45	Pre dance 9:00-9:45
					Ballet 2B/3 9:45-10:45	Ballet 2A 9:45-10:30
	Modern Jazz 3 4:15-5	Jazz 2B 4-4:45			Tap 2/3 10:45-11:30	Hip Hop 2/3 10:45-11:30
	Ballet/Pointe 5-6	Ballet 2 4:45-5:30	Int Adult Tap 5:30-6:30	Int-Adv Bal- let 4:45-6	Beg-Int Thea- ter 11:30-12:15	Theater 2/3 11:30-12:15
Beg-Int Ballet 5-6:15	Int Ballet 6-7:15	Beg Ballet 5:30-6:30	Int Adult Jazz 6:30-7:30	Broadway Jazz 6-7	Beg/Adv Beg Hip Hop 12:15-1:15	
Beg-Int Mod- ern 6:15-7:15	Contemporary 7:15-8:15		Int Adult Bal- let 7:30-8:30	Adv Beg Tap 7-7:45	Company Class and Re- hearsal	JC/Pointe 1:30-3

Tuition

1-45 minute class: 1Xper week \$40.00 2X per week \$60.00

Unlimited \$80.00 per month

1-1 hour class per week 1Xper week \$50.00 2Xper week \$70.00

Unlimited \$90.00 per month

Ask about our family rates and military discounts!

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ALL OTHER CLASSES ARE BY DIRECTOR/TEACHER PLACEMENT

**New Adult Daytime Classes!**

Can't make our evening classes? No worries....you can now train and condition in one of our adult day classes!

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday:

Tap and Tone 9:15-10, Strength and Conditioning 10-11 and Ballet Fit 11-12

Wednesday

Adult Ballet 1-2

# AUDITIONS FOR A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM



IF YOU ARE A MIDDLE-SCHOOL DANCER OR OLDER, JOIN **The Kaleidoscope Dance Project** SATURDAY, JANUARY 9 & 16 FROM 1:30-3:30PM AT CELEBRATION PLACE (CITADEL MALL) FOR AUDITIONS FOR THE SPRING PRODUCTION OF **A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM**.

PLEASE BE DRESSED IN APPROPRIATE DANCE ATTIRE, HAIR IN A BUN AND A WATER BOTTLE. YOU SHOULD ARRIVE AT LEAST 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO AUDITION TIME TO REGISTER AND

WARM-UP. THE AUDITIONS WILL BEGIN WITH A WARM-UP BALLET CLASS.

IT WOULD BE BENEFICIAL FOR YOU TO BE FAMILIAR WITH THE DIVERSE CHARACTERS IN SHAKESPEARE'S PLAY.

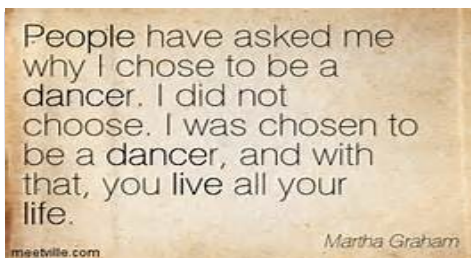
AUDITIONS FOR ELEMENTARY STUDENTS WILL BE HELD AT A DIFFERENT TIME.

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

kaleidoscopeartsproject@gmail.com

## Dance Etiquette

As our program grows, it becomes more and more important to introduce and re-inforce traditional dance etiquette. Many parents place their children into dance classes (particularly Ballet) for the discipline and courtesy that is evident in each and every class. First, and foremost dancers



need to be on time and be prepared for class. What does that mean? If your class time begins at 5pm, you should be dressed in appropriate and approved attire, with your hair in a secured and proper bun by 4:45. Men should have their hair secured as well if it is long. It is considered rude behavior to keep

A monthly lesson in studio manners

your teachers and classmates waiting. Taking 15 minutes to stretch and warm-up prior to your class will ensure that your body will work to its fullest potential. During class, it is not polite to talk to your friends unless directed to do so by your teacher.

Asking permission before leaving the class for any reason is also very important....and always remember to thank your teacher at the end of each class!

## THE PERFECT BALLET BUN



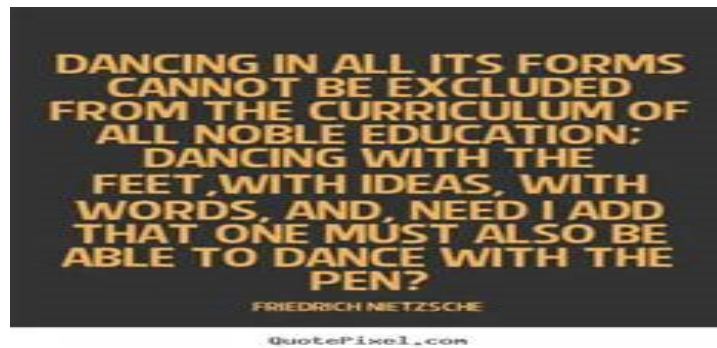
twisted ballerina bun for girls

All of our ballerinas should have their hair in a proper bun for each class. We have bun bags available for \$5.00 that include all of the supplies you need (except hair gel) to make a professional looking and functional hairstyle. There are many beautiful styles that are perfect for class on line. If you need help with your hair, any of our company members will gladly show you how it's done!



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*The Kaleidoscope Arts Project, under the direction of Betsy Acree-McClenahan, offers a variety of classes from pre-school through adult and recreational through professional. We pride ourselves on offering an outstanding program to all social, economic and ethnic backgrounds. Our staff of highly trained instructors provide fun, creative and engaging classes in dance, theater, and music education while nurturing each student to achieve their greatest potential. Many of our alumni are working professionals in Ballet companies, touring companies, regional theaters, Disney, Broadway, television and movies, as well as doctors, lawyers, teachers, authors and more..*



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