



ART
OF DANCE

Make A Difference In a Child's Holiday!

Holiday Hope Chests is a national project adopted in the Lehigh Valley to help less fortunate children. For the past 5 years, we have donated wrapped shoe boxes full of toys for children ages toddler through 14. We need your help again this year to assist this organization in meeting their goal of 5,000 boxes and our personal studio goal of 200+ boxes. From now through the end of November we will be accepting donations of shoeboxes (they must have a separate lid), wrapping paper, tape, tissue paper, and especially new toys and gifts that will fit into a shoe box. Some ideas would be small books, mittens, matchbox cars, crayons, markers, small dolls, handheld games. I have attached a list on the next page of suggestions sent to us from the volunteer center. There will be a box in the lobby for donations. This year the boxes have to be delivered on December 2nd so please get your donations in early. Wrapping date TBA. Together we can make a difference!

Dates:

October 15th: Costume Deposits due - \$30.00 per class.

October 25th-31st- Workshop and 5-7 Hip-Hop classes may come dressed in their Halloween costumes this week.

October Newsletter

Costume Deposits: A \$30.00 per costume/class deposit is due by October 15th. **Costumes will not be ordered without a deposit.** Deposits are non-refundable after December 1st!

Belongings: Please put your child's name in all their shoes, skirts etc. This is especially important for Workshop students as they mix up their shoes quite often. Nothing is to be left in the lobbies. All belongings including, shoes, coats and dance bags, should be brought into the classroom with you.

Shoe and Tight Orders: Shoe and tight orders must be PREPAID. We will no longer place any orders until the order is paid for. Also, starting this week, all orders will be charged a shipping and handling fee of \$4.00. Orders will be placed once per week on Thursdays and take 3 to 4 business days to arrive. For example: If you place a shoe order on Tuesday 4th, it will not be in until the 12th. Also, we have some footundeez in stock right now so if you need them, please see the receptionist.

Email: On September 17th we sent out our first test email. If you did not receive an email from us, please see the receptionist. It is very important that we have your email on file as all newsletters and important information will be sent to you via email from now on. You can also find all newsletters and updated information on our website as well www.artofdance.us.

All Workshop Classes and Hip-Hop 5-7 yr olds: You may come dressed in your Halloween costume the last week of October. Please make sure the costume will still allow your child to move freely and dance. **This is only for Workshop and 5-7 hip-hop classes.**

Receptionist Hours: The receptionist will be in our office during the following hours only. If you need to order shoes, or have questions regarding your account, please try and see her during these hours. You can always email us at ctrstage@verizon.net as well. Teachers do not have information regarding your account.

Mondays - 4:30-6:30 Wednesdays - 4:00-6:00
Tuesdays - 4:00-6:45 Thursdays - 4:00-7:00

Parking: We are aware that the parking lot is quite full on Tuesdays and Thursdays. There are parking spaces around the back of the building as well as on the side. Please use caution when pulling in and out of the lot.

