



Kindness is not what you do, but who you are.

Recital FAQ, Summer 2023 Registration, and so much more...

For families who need a refresher and for new families who will be embarking on their first recital weekend with DCDC, here is a **Recital FAQ** for your review. The link will give you an overview of the expectations. We will add more details to this link as we get closer to the big weekend; stay tuned!

Summer 2023 Camps and Intensives

Our summer camp & intensive schedule is now available and registration is open. Schedule and registration can be accessed **HERE**. Session options are available for ages 3 - 18.

A \$ 50.00 deposit for each week is required to confirm registration. Summer balances will be due June 1st. Registrations received by March 31st will receive 10 % off of the summer session total.

DCDC Spirit Week: February 13th - 18th

Nothing like showing some studio pride to shake the moody winter blues away! There will be photo shoots, there will be Instagram posts, and there will be prizes for the most spirited classes. Students, join your teachers and friends, and let's make this year's spirit week ICONIC! **SPIRIT WEEK SCHEDULE**

Kindness Week: February 13th - 18th

Kindness toward ourselves and kindness toward others will be interlaced in all of the spirit week fun! It will be a great week.

Month in Review:

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Be Kind

This is Family Business...



We're taking a slightly different spin on "Student Spotlight," this month. Anyone that knows Miss Desiree, knows that family is important. Educating youth and teaching dance simply fills Miss Desiree's cup and being able to do this alongside her niece and cousins is just a beautiful bonus. You are about to hear from:

Avella Catania, 17 (cousin)
Harper Catania, 7 (cousin)
Josephine Worrilow, 6 (niece)
Kennedy Catania, 4 (cousin)

What do you love most about coming to dance?

H: "X" jumps!

J: Yea! "X" jumps are my favorite!

A: Coming to dance each week is like staying at a second home... it's been amazing being a part of the competition team these last few years.

You all drive a bit of distance to come here each week, how many miles?

J: Feels like 100!

H & K: It's long.

A: My sisters and I drive from Wilmington, DE. Josephine comes from Boothwyn. We typically carpool, especially on Saturdays. Now that I have my license, that seems to help... it also allows me to come here multiple days throughout the week, which I love.

Would any of you like to teach dance someday?

H & J: Yes!

A: I would definitely consider it... I'm getting a little sad that this is my last year as a dancer at the studio.

What's it like having Miss Desiree as a teacher?

H: It's the best!

K: (smiles)

J: Sometimes I get confused and call her "Aunt Desi" by accident.

H: Yea! Sometimes when she's at my house I call her 'Miss Desiree.'

A: I feel like having Des as a teacher has made us even closer; it's awesome.

Recital T-Shirt: Names and Sizes

Every student receives a recital t-shirt that is included in the recital fee. The shirt has a full cast list on the back. Please reference **THIS STUDIO ROSTER** by **February 15th** for 2 things:

- 1) Check that your student's full name appears correctly
- 2) Indicate the T-Shirt size for the order

February Birthday Shout Outs



Fiona Wyher, 2/1
Maya Angelov, 2/7
Miss Kristin, 2/7
Ryan Tabella, 2/8
Catherine Hillman, 2/9
Aubree Thomas, 2/12
Maya Foreman, 2/13
Stella Roman, 2/14
Grace Sharpless, 2/16
Milania Duhan, 2/17
Claire Wegerbauer, 2/17
Hailey Roskovensky, 2/18
Analise Ciuppa, 2/19
Miriam Glass, 2/21
Sienna Kingsley, 2/21
Liliana Church, 2/22
Robin Matz, 2/22
Josephine Worrilow, 2/23

What's Coming Up?

- **Feb 13th - 18th:** Studio Spirit Week/ Kindness Week
- **Feb 20th:** Studio Closed, President's Day
- **March 15th:** Recital Fee Due
- **Apr 4th - 10th:** Studio Closed, Spring Break
- **May 26th - 29th:** Studio Closed, Memorial Day
- **Jun 15th - 17th:** 2023 Rehearsal and Recitals

