



# Dance Explosions Inc

## May 2018 NEWS

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### A Look Ahead- Studio Closures

**Saturday May 19- Monday May 21-** Studio CLOSED for May long weekend  
**Tuesday May 22-** Regular Classes Resume

### Showcase 2018- MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Showcase information is POSTED on our website at:

<http://www.danceexplosions.com/showcase.htm>

#### **Date: Sunday June 10**

Please note all students in Jazz 1, Ballet 1, Pre-Inter Hip Hop and Pre-Inter Tap AND UP will perform TWICE (TWO shows) on Sunday June 10.

If your child is a Junior Dancer (Age 4-7)

#### **10:00am PERFORMANCE**

Primary Ballet- Sat- 9:30am -Miss Christine  
Primary Jazz - Sat-10:15am- Miss Valentia  
Junior Hip Hop- Wed 4:30- Miss Paige  
Pre-dance 4 Years- Thurs- 5:15- Miss Sara



#### **1:30pm PERFORMANCE**

Pre-lim Ballet- Sat- 9:30am -Miss Valentia  
Pre-lim Jazz- Sat- 10:15am -Miss Christine  
Pre-lim Ballet- Mon 6:00pm- -Miss Valentia  
Pre-Ballet/Tap- Mon 5:15pm- -Miss Valentia

**Showcase 2018 Dress Rehearsal- Sunday June 3**  
**DETAILS in THIS newsletter- SCROLL DOWN!**

### Showcase Tickets ON SALE- Monday April 30

**PLEASE NOTE- Tickets will be assigned a seats. Please take into consideration ALL those attending before purchasing in an attempt to keep seats together.**

**There is NO limit on how many tickets can be purchased!!**  
**Only TWO tickets will be guaranteed and saved per family.**

Any other remaining tickets will be sold at the theatre on the day of the show for an extra \$2.00 each. Dance Explosions will inform all parents if shows have sold out before the performance day.

**TICKETS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE.** Tickets may be exchanged with an alternative show up to one week before show time (space permitting). **Dance Explosions will not exchange or refund tickets on performance day!**

### Costume Balances

All Final bills for costumes have been e-mailed directly you. All costume must be paid in FULL before being distributed. All final bills are to be paid to Dance Explosions. Once costumes are picked up, it is the dancers/parents responsibility to bring the costume to photographs, rehearsals and the showcase in clean, pressed condition. We recommend that your child's name be placed on all costumes and accessories (including shoes!). Please do not wash costumes before the recital.

### Hair and Makeup

All students will be asked to wear some makeup to ensure they do not looked washed out under the stage lights. A detailed sheet has been e-mailed to you for each class with specifics on makeup, hair, shoes and accessories.

### IMPORTANT!!

Please note: This newsletter IS FIVE Pages LONG!

In this newsletter:

- Photo Schedules- SCROLL DOWN!
- Show Orders- SCROLL DOWN!
- Rehearsal Information
- 2018/2019 Registration Information

#### Showcase DVD

Have a professional record your memories and enjoy the show! Both Junior and Senior Showcases will be videotaped by: AVP Video Productions

#### Prices

\$45.00

(Prices include GST)

Order forms are available at the front desk or at the theatre on the day of the performance.

## Showcase Photos

John Watson Photography will be taking both group photos and individuals at Dance Explosions on May 8-10. **Regular classes are cancelled on these dates.**

**Please see the photo schedule inside THIS newsletter- SCROLL DOWN!  
Please arrive at least 10 minutes early for your photos!**

Photos will be on display in the theatre lobby on the day of the performances. All orders with payment should be given to the photographers representative (who will have a table set up in the lobby). Please make sure to make note of the **photo numbers** on the day of the performance and if desired, orders can be made **directly to John Watson Photography by telephone at a later date.**

## Registration for 2018/2019 Season!

**Saturday May 12- Saturday June 16  
Pre-register and SAVE YOUR SPOT!**

Classes often fill during pre-registration. We hope parents will pre-register to avoid disappointment in the fall. NEW Schedules for the 2018/2019 Season will be out May 11, 2018.

All students will receive a highlighted schedule placing each child in their appropriate classes for next year. Please trust our teacher's professional opinion, all students progress at different speeds and some children may benefit from repeating a certain grade. If you have any questions please speak to your child's teacher directly.

The studio will CLOSE Sunday June 17 for Summer Break. Classes will continue to run after the Showcases! Full year classes will run until June 16, 2018  
**Fall classes start Monday September 10**



## NEW WEBSITE!- Coming Soon!

Our NEW website will be UP and running by the first week of May! Check it out and make sure to tell your family and friends!



[www.danceexplosions.com](http://www.danceexplosions.com)

## Summer Workshop Series

Dance Explosions has decided to run a "Summer Workshop Series" this year in order to accommodate all of our year round students and family vacations!

The original dates of August 27-30 have been **cancelled.**

Stay tuned for information on a special workshop series happening throughout the summer for all of our students!!

**Please SCROLL DOWN for Photo times.  
Please SCROLL DOWN for Show Orders and  
Rehearsal Info!!**

## LOST and FOUND

The Lost and Found box is jam-packed with clothing!! Please take some time to search it for any of your children's items. ALL items will be donated to charity after JUNE 16!

**TDE**  
**SUMMER**  
**WORKSHOP SERIES**

**GREAT GUEST**  
**INSTRUCTORS!**



**DETAILS OUT SOON!**

Showcase  
DRESS REHEARSAL INFO

The Showcase Dress Rehearsal is **Sunday June 3 at the Bert Church Theatre** in Airdrie.

**10:30–12:00— First Half**

**12:00-1:30** Finale (ALL Students!!)

**1:30-3:00— 2nd Half**

**ALL Showcase students** will be participating in the finale!

**FIRST HALF**

1. Inter Found Ballet
2. Ballet 7
3. Advanced Ballet
4. Pre-Inter Modern
5. Jazz 2
6. Inter Modern
7. Jazz 3
8. Primary Ballet/Pre-lim Ballet (Mon)
9. Pre-Inter HH
10. Inter Tap 2
11. Adv 1 Jazz
12. Pre-dance 4 Yrs (am)/Pre-ballet/Tap (pm)
13. Inter Tap 1
14. Adv 2 Jazz
15. Ballet 1
16. Inter HH
17. Sr. Tap

**SECOND HALF**

1. Acro (competition)
2. Pre-Inter Tap
3. Ballet 4
4. Ballet 5
5. Sr. Modern
6. Primary Jazz (am)/Pre-lim Jazz (pm)
7. Ballet 2
8. Ballet 3
9. Senior Hip Hop
10. Junior HH/Pre-lim Ballet (Sat)
11. Jazz 1
12. Elem Jazz
13. Jazz 4

**Students dancing in the first half of the show MUST arrive at the Bert Church Theatre ready to dance by 10:00am!**

**Students dancing in the second half of the show MUST arrive at the Bert Church Theatre for the Finale Rehearsal by 12:00- noon!**

**If your child is ONLY in the first half they will rehearse 10:30am-1:30pm (arrive 10:00 am)**

**If your child is ONLY in the SECOND half they will rehearse 12:00-3:00 (arrive at 11:30am)**

**Is your child in Pre-Ballet/Tap (Mon) or Pre-dance 4 Years (Thurs)??**

**They will only need to attend the dress rehearsal from 1:00-2:00**

**A detailed e-mailed will sent straight to your inboxes!**

**Finale Costume**

FINALE costume details will be e-mailed to you separately!! Finale costumes will be street wear and no additional dance attire will be required. Stay tuned for more details!

**ALL Students in Primary Ballet, Primary Jazz, Junior Hip Hop, Pre-lim Jazz, Pre-lim Ballet, Pre-Ballet/Tap and Pre-dance 4 Years** will also participate in Finale but will WEAR their last COSTUME! (no extra attire required!)

**Other Important Notes about the Dress Rehearsal**

- Parents are NOT permitted to stay and watch the dress rehearsal
- Students can be picked up from the Bert Church Theatre after the rehearsal ends
- Dancers are asked to please bring plenty of water and dry snacks to the rehearsal
- Any supper or lunches should be eaten out of costume!!
- Dancers in both halves of the show must be there for the entire rehearsal 10:30-3:00
- NO FOOD or drink is permitted in the theatre!!

**IMPORTANT!**

Dress Rehearsal Drop Off Location

**ALL STUDENTS** should arrive a 1/2 early for the dress rehearsal at the Bert Church Theatre. Students should be dropped off in the front foyer of the theatre for the Dress Rehearsal where a volunteer or teacher will bring them to their assigned places in the dressing rooms. Please have all students dressed in their first costume and put on shoes/ take off jackets in the foyer . Please keep all out door clothing with you and bring them for your child when you pick them up. This will help keep track of all outdoor clothing. Any students in more than one number must bring their second costume in a bag with their name marked clearly on it. Volunteers will help these students into their second costume. Students may bring dry snacks and water ONLY to the rehearsal. Help us keep those costumes CLEAN!

Showcase Theatre Drop Off Location

**All Showcase students should be dropped of in the foyer of the Bert Church Theatre, (front entrance of the theatre, NOT the stage entrance)** They will then be escorted to their class assigned location in the dressing room. Again, have all students dressed in their first costume and keep all outdoor clothing with you! Dry snacks and WATER ONLY are permitted in the dressing rooms. during the show.

Showcase Supervision

Your child will have adequate supervision throughout the dress rehearsal and the Showcase at the Bert Church Theatre. A Senior student will be assigned to each class and at least 4-8 parent volunteers will be backstage and in the dressing rooms with our junior students. **If you are not volunteering please JUST drop off and pick up your child at the designated times for both the Dress Rehearsal and Showcase.** Extra parents standing in hallways and dressing rooms often create undo confusion and crowding. ALL Showcase dancers will be expected to wait backstage for the entire show (approximately 2 hours) and will be collected from the stage after the final bows and presentations.

**Please relax and enjoy the performance in it's entirety, your child is being supervised!**

**SCROLL DOWN for PHOTO TIMES!**

Showcase Photos- Tuesday May 8  
At Dance Explosions

Class	Photo Time	Teacher
Ballet 4-Mon/Tues	4:15-4:35	Miss Cinzia/Valentia
Junior Ballet- COMP- Enchantment	4:35-4:50	Miss Christine
Ballet 1- Mon	4:50-5:10	Miss Cinzia
Pre-ballet/Tap- Mon	5:10-5:30	Miss Valentia
Jazz 1- Mon	5:30-5:45	Miss Valentia
Musical Theatre- COMP- Little Girls	5:45-6:05	Miss Christine
Pre-lim Ballet- Mon	6:05-6:20	Miss Valentia
Ballet 7- Tues/Thurs	6:20-6:40	Miss Cinzia/Sara
Ballet 2- Mon/Sat	6:40-7:00	Miss Cinzia/Christine
Senior Ballet- COMP- Life	7:00-7:20	Miss Cinzia
Jazz 2- Sat	7:20-7:40	Miss Valentia
Elem Jazz- Tues	7:40-8:00	Miss Valentia
Senior Pointe- COMP- Sonata Rondo	8:00-8:20	Miss Cinzia
Pre-Senior Lyrical- COMP- Supermarket Flowers	8:20-8:40	Miss Paige
Advanced Ballet- Mon/Tues	8:40-9:00	Miss Cinzia
Inter Modern- COMP-1976	9:00-9:20	Miss Sara

**Showcase Photos- Wednesday May 9**  
**At Dance Explosions**

<b>Class</b>	<b>Photo Time</b>	<b>Teacher</b>
Junior Hip Hop- Wed	4:30-4:50	Miss Paige
Pre-Inter Hip Hop- Wed	4:50-5:10	Miss Jess
Inter Ballet- COMP- The Gathering	5:10-5:30	Miss Cinzia
Pre-Inter Tap- Wed	5:30-5:40	Miss Paige
Pre-lim Jazz- Sat	5:40-6:00	Miss Christine
Inter Hip Hop- Wed	6:00-6:20	Miss Jess
Pre-lim Ballet- Sat	6:20-6:40	Miss Valentia
Senior Large Jazz -COMP- Roots	6:40-7:10	Miss Christine
Inter Tap 1- Wed	7:10-7:30	Miss Megan
Inter Jazz - COMP- Pump Up the Jam	7:30-7:50	Miss Loren
Senior Small Jazz- COMP- Am I Getting Through	7:50-8:10	Miss Valentia
Inter Tap 2- Wed	8:10-8:30	Miss Megan
Acro Trio- COMP	8:30-8:40	Miss Loren
Senior Hip Hop- COMP- Bad Girls Club	8:40-9:00	Miss Cinzia
Senior Tap- COMP- The Cafe	9:00-9:15	Miss Megan

**Showcase Photos- Thursday May 10**  
**At Dance Explosions**

<b>Class</b>	<b>Photo Time</b>	<b>Teacher</b>
Ballet 3- Tues/Wed	4:30-4:50	Miss Valentia/Cinzia
Ballet 5- Mon/Thurs	4:50-5:10	Miss Valentia/Sara
Junior Jazz- COMP- Dance and Shout	5:10-5:25	Miss Valentia
Pre-dance 4 Years- Thurs	5:25-5:45	Miss Sara
Inter Lyrical- COMP- Rise Up	5:45-6:10	Miss Christine
Primary Jazz- Sat	6:10-6:20	Miss Valentia
Acro Group- COMP- Bella Donna Twist	6:20-6:40	Miss Loren
Jazz 3- Tues	6:40-7:00	Miss Valentia
Senior Lyrical- COMP- For You	7:00-7:20	Miss Valentia
Primary Ballet-Sat	7:20-7:30	Miss Christine
Jazz 4- Sat	7:30-7:50	Miss Christine
Senior Modern- COMP- We Insist	7:50-8:10	Miss Valentia
Pre-Inter Modern- COMP- Bagatelles	8:10-8:30	Miss Valentia
Advanced Jazz 1- Thurs	8:30-8:50	Miss Loren
InterFound Ballet- Tues/Thurs	8:50-9:10	Miss Cinzia/Sara
Advanced Jazz 2- Tues	9:10-9:20	Miss Valentia