

# 3<sup>RD</sup> TRIMESTER – MARCH 1 THROUGH MAY 27, 2021

Spring Break, March 15-19 – No Class  
No Other Breaks This Trimester

## IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM INCIARDI DANCE – KEM'S GYM

### PARENTS WEEK TO WATCH – April 5-8

Dance parents are encouraged to observe dance class this week.

### THE ART OF DANCE – MAY 25, 2021

Our dance production (with guest vocalists) will be Tuesday, May 25, at the Poncan Theatre. All dancers, and the tumble team will be performing.

*Those who are in this dance production - please read your Recital Information Sheet*

Dress Rehearsal is Monday, May 24, at the Poncan Theatre. This rehearsal is required. Your time will be given to you shortly.

### COSTUME MONEY

Costumes cannot be issued without payment. They will cost about \$55 to \$69.95 each. This does not include tights, shoes and accessories. Make check to **Applause Apparel**.

*Also, all tuition needs to be paid by May 10 in order for your dancer to be in the show.*

### DRESS CODE - DANCE

Dance requires a certain discipline, and this includes dance attire. It is very important for your child's dance education that she/he is properly dressed.

Ballet students must absolutely follow our dress code (solid color, no trim, leotard and pink tights). Shirts and pants over leotards are not allowed except in cold weather for all dance students. Sweat shirts and oversized shirts are never allowed. Please check with Mrs. Kem before buying a new ballet leotard or jazz pants. We are using class leotards for most of our dance classes. Thank you.

### DRESS CODE – GYMNASTICS

A leotard – one or two piece – is required. A cami (tight fitting) and shorts can be worn in tumbling. Large shirts and long baggy pants are **NEVER** allowed. Leggings are also acceptable.



### SUMMER DANCE CAMPS

Ages 4 thru 12

Pick up a sheet from  
Applause Apparel or Mrs. Kem

### SUMMER IS A GREAT TIME TO TAKE GYMNASTICS

Students get to take two times a week and usually progress is at an all-time high—they aren't so tired from being in school all day, and fees are lower. e. This is also a good opportunity for dance students to get gymnastics training who can't manage lessons during the school year.

Look at the yellow sheet for gymnastics and tumbling days and times for summer. Prices are also on the sheet. Enrolling now. . . . .

### SUMMER DANCE

A dance summer session will be announced. The advanced and intermediate classes will dance together. Beginner classes will be offered on demand. Please call the studio.

**\*To get summer discount, pay tuition by June 14 Family Rates available – Please talk to Mr. Kem**

### APPLAUSE APPAREL

Our shop will be selling ballet, tap, jazz and gymnastic shoes. . . plus leotards and tights at the end of August. We will send you the days and time to come.

The dance studio (read dance note) and gym will be giving make-up lessons when the weather gets better. We will post times on Facebook and the website [kemsGYMANDANCE.COM](http://kemsGYMANDANCE.COM). We will also hand out notes and post at the gym.

If you need to work with a similar ability class, please call to schedule a time. We can't overload classes, but will be more than happy to work with you. We want everybody to get in their time.

\*Also most important: Sign up for our extra make-up lessons so we will know how many coaches to schedule.

## PLEASE MAIL OR E-MAIL SOON TO REGULATE CLASS SIZES AND SAVE YOUR PLACE

### PRE-ENROLLMENT

I do want to take this Summer \_\_\_\_\_ this Fall \_\_\_\_\_

(Please Circle) Ballet – Jazz – Tap – Gymnastics – Tumbling – HiStep – KinderGym – Buddy & Me - KinderCombo – HipHop

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY/ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ FATHER/MOTHER \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ (print please)

**\*\*Send info in an e-mail to [kemsgym@cableone.net](mailto:kemsgym@cableone.net) or mail form to: Bill Kem, 1404 North Pecan, Ponca City, OK 74604\*\***

## RECITAL INFORMATION 2021

### \*RECITAL—May 25 (Tuesday) at the Poncan Theatre

\*We will probably do two shows with distance seating at 5:00 and 7:00 or 7:30. If we do one show, it will be at 7:00 (Plan C is to do the recital outdoors).

\*Be backstage in your changing room one hour before curtain if you are in Act 1.

\*If you are only in the 2<sup>nd</sup> Act – you must check in backstage before a program begins (with head person). Then you may go sit in the audience and watch the program, but you must be in street wear. Come to your dressing room right at intermission.

### \*DRESS REHEARSAL—May 24 (Monday). Costumes, hair, and makeup.

\*Picture Day – will be announced soon and will be at the studio. Mrs. Kem will be there to pose to get good pictures – Individual and Group. They will be for sale (but is optional). Mrs. Kem wants one for her picture board.

A complete line-up of the recital is coming soon. Your exact time for the rehearsal will be listed.

1. Rehearsals (on stage) and the recital will be at the Poncan Theatre (across the street). All other extra lessons will be at Kem's.

2. The Rehearsal is required and must be attended. Students missing the only rehearsal will be unable to participate in the recital. If your child is ill, please notify me immediately.

Please be prepared to go on stage 10 minutes before your turn (Monday). I will try my best to stay on time, but plan for a 20-minute delay. (If you are on time, it will keep me on time.)

\*\*\*\*Do not ask me what time it is or when you will go on. Look on stage and read your schedule.

3A. Each class will be having three to four extra lessons on Saturday and Sunday (at Kem's Gym) to make up for lessons students have missed and to prepare for the program. I usually call to check on time first, and then set the practice. I cannot please everyone, but do my best to have everyone come. If you say you can come—be there—if not, call and let me know why you cannot. If a majority of one class does not show, then we have to repeat, which makes double the work! We are striving for a quality program and can only do so with your fullest cooperation. PLEASE DO NOT MISS ANY REGULAR CLASSES.

3B. When I am calling you and organizing weekend rehearsals, please call me back ASAP. Let me know your conflicts and then I can make a complete calendar. I usually have 50 or 60 dancers to call and I can't do it in one evening! ☺

4. Costumes ordered for the recital must be prepaid. *Your costumes are now being ordered. If you have not paid me, please do so now. Thank you.* (I am still billing some groups.) **Costumes cannot be canceled or returned.**

5A. We will have two (possibly 3) dressing rooms this year. For the first time ever, I will let costumes in the audience – but only in the Balcony. Absolutely no costumes downstairs. I am still organizing what acts will be in what dressing rooms.

5B. At the Recital: If recital students are completely finished dancing in an act and are dressed in street wear, they may go sit in the audience (downstairs). Enter between numbers only! You may stay and watch acts at the dress rehearsal.

Some exceptions will be made – but Mrs. Kem will OK and oversee this organization of the recital.

6. No gum, No glasses, and No jewelry on stage. No panties showing under leotards; better not to wear any.

7. All strings tucked into ballet shoes; Toe shoes: double knot and make sure ribbons are sewed down.

8. No talking back stage whatsoever!

9. Recital fee this year is \$40.00 per dancer. (Solo acts will be \$15.00 each.) (Additional children are \$35.00.) The recital cost is about \$5,500 (the production of). The largest expenses include: building rental, programs, and insurance. There are numerous other costs. The recital fee helps cover part of this. We do not sell tickets and you may bring guests at no additional expense. (Limited guess this year because of distance seating.) ☺

10. **VIDEO**—You may order a video of the recital. Order forms will be available at the rehearsals. Private videos are not allowed at the recital—some of the choreography and music are under copyright laws. I pay ASCAP to use copyright music.

11. Cast t-shirts will be available in May. You must order now. The logo is in the dance room. \$17.95 + tax (\$21.95)

12. It is necessary that I receive fees for tuition, costumes, and recital fee before May 10 in order for your child to participate. All of my expenses are due before May and must be paid. Thank you for your understanding.

### BASE

### RED LIPSTICK

### ROUGE

### YES

### MAKEUP GUIDELINES

Slightly darker than skin color.

Medium red (no pale colors). Use a brown-pink for young children and boys.

Medium color, heavier than street.

Very heavy; grey or "smudge" color eye shadow, black mascara, black and brown pencil or eyeliner.

Medium color, heavier if you have naturally light brows. No extra color on dark brown or black.

All over face.

For classical ballet numbers (and most other numbers), must be up in a tight bun on the back of the head.

### ROWS

### OWDER

### AIR

- I need mothers to help back stage—one or two mothers are needed for each class.
- I need moms or dads to help with tech. Please call soon—765-7726

### HELP HELP HELP

### ★★CALLING ALL DADS AND MOMS★★

*Don't be upstaged by your child—this is your big chance to be a star! We want you for the hit number of our show! Sign up with Mrs. Kem or Leilani. There will be about 3 rehearsals—we don't care how good you already are.*

\*You must be at the rehearsal. I work around your schedules for studio practice—but I can't possibly do that for the on-stage rehearsal