



## December Newsletter

**The Christmas Dance Party** is this Saturday, December 3rd. There are still spaces available if your child would like to join us for an evening of Christmas dancing fun!!

**And The Santa Claus Parade** winners are... Oxford School of Dance! Congratulations to our students for winning Best Youth Float! We are so proud of you! Thank you to all of the families who participated.

**There's Still Time to Enter the Christmas Giveaway!** This gift basket is valued at over \$400. It includes a FREE week of summer camp for 1 student and an embroidered dance mom 31 bag filled to the brim with dance swag. To enter our Christmas giveaway, rate OSD 5 stars on Google. This can be done by searching Oxford School of Dance and then rating the page/business 5 stars. We will be using an electronic name chooser to select the winner on December 12th! Anyone can enter the giveaway!

**The Christmas Break** is only two weeks away. The last day of classes is Monday, December 19<sup>th</sup>. Classes resume Saturday, January 7<sup>th</sup>. The school will be closed between those dates. Merry Christmas and Happy Holidays to all!

Important dates for the new year:

**Family Day** February 20<sup>th</sup> – NO CLASSES

**Open House Week** February 27<sup>th</sup>-March 4<sup>th</sup>

**March Break** March 13<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup> – NO CLASSES

**Easter Weekend** April 14<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup> – NO CLASSES

**Picture Days** April 18<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup>

**Senior Show Run Through** April 20<sup>th</sup>

**Spring Showcase** May 2<sup>nd</sup>

**Dress Rehearsal** May 7<sup>th</sup>

**Bring a Friend Week** May 8<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup>

**Recital** May 28<sup>th</sup>

**New Mom & Me 8 Week Sessions** are starting in January. These classes are for students 2-3 years of age who want to try dancing for the first time. The great thing about this class is that a parent or guardian can go into the lesson with their child so that the student feels really comfortable and is able to learn new and very important skills without having to be separated from their parent. Parents can choose between a Wednesday 4:00-4:30pm class or a Saturday 8:00-8:30am class. Registration is now open for the January – February 8 week Mom and Me classes.

**New Educational Screen!** We are so happy to announce that we have put a new educational screen in the upper studio. There are so many wonderful teaching aids and learning materials available to dance teachers these days. We will now be able to use these in class to maximize the children's learning in each lesson. The screen will run off of the studio wifi so that the teachers can access it through their computers to put up various slides or other learning aids.

Thank you.

Miss Victoria & the Oxford School of Dance staff