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## September Competition Newsletter

**Welcome to the 2026-2027 season of dance & SEASON 23 of STUDIO 136!**

We look forward to an amazing season of learning and progressing together. We are excited to see all the new and returning faces in all of our classes! If you have questions during the first few weeks the easiest way to make contact with your instructor is by emailing the studio at [kbeeb136@gmail.com](mailto:kbeeb136@gmail.com). We will get back to you ASAP!

**Student handbook:** we emailed copies to all families and posted on our website

**Donations needed & much appreciated!**



**We would greatly appreciate donations of:**

- boxes of tissues
- bobby pins
- hair ties (elastics)
- Clorox/Lysol Wipes

**Monthly Statements:** Statements have been emailed. Remember, a \$15.00 late fee will be applied to all lesson fees that are not paid by the 10th of each month (This will start in October). You may set up automatic bill pay with your bank and mail it to Studio 136 Dance Center, PO Box 77, Massillon OH 44648. Online payments can be made through your parent portal or you may pay in person/over the phone.

**We accept cash, debit or credit cards, cashier's checks or bank bill pay checks. No personal checks.**

### **IMPORTANT!**

**The Participation Release Form has been emailed. If you need a paper copy, you can get these at the front desk. These must be signed and returned ASAP!**

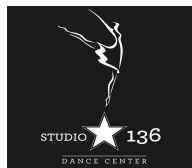
**Bring a Friend Week is Back! : You may invite a friend to join us in class the following times...**

**Minis-** Mon. September 21, 6:00-6:45pm

**Juniors-** Saturday September 26, 9:00-9:45am

**Seniors-** Saturday September 26, 9:45-10:30am

(whichever class you are scheduled to be in). **This is a wonderful way to share our love for dance with friends!**



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**Website, Facebook, Instagram and TikTok-** “like” Studio 136 Dance Center on Facebook for contests, updates, memos and other important updates!! We would GREATLY appreciate recommendations on Facebook! Thank YOU all so much! Follow us on Instagram too @studio136\_dancecenter. This information can also be found at [www.studio136dancecenter.com](http://www.studio136dancecenter.com). Don't forget the competition parent/teacher Facebook group- everybody has been added to this group! Lots of important info posted there!



**Water bottles:** Dancers are encouraged to stay hydrated. Please be sure the water bottles or containers have lids when bringing them into the studio rooms. Only water is permitted in the dance rooms.

**Birth Certificates- NEW COMPETITION PARENTS:** We need a copy of your dancer's birth certificate by Nov. 3rd. Please turn it into the office. Copies are carried by Miss Keely to all workshops and competitions in case there is a question of age regarding any of our dancers.

## **IMPORTANT DATES 2026-27**

**Monday, September 14: Classes begin!**

**September 21-26: Bring a Friend week**

**September 13 : HAPPY ANNIVERSARY Studio 136! We enter our 23rd year of business! Thank you for being a part of our dance family!**

**November: Recital costume statements will be emailed to parents.**

**THANKSGIVING BREAK: Wed 11/25- Mon 11/30 (classes resume Tues 12/1)**

**December 5: recreational costume payments are due/pointe**

**December - January : WINTER HOLIDAY BREAK Dec. 21- Jan 2 (classes resume Mon, Jan. 4 )**

**January 28: recital fee bill will emailed to parents**

**March 29 : recital fees are due**

**March 30- April 3 : SPRING BREAK (classes resume Mon 4/5 )**

**May 14: RECITAL, WHS Auditorium (TENTATIVELY)**

**May 15: RECITAL, WHS Auditorium (TENTATIVELY)**