

As the dancing season is about to begin we would like to welcome all the new and returning students to another exciting year at The Sean Boutilier Academy of Dance.

Fall Pre/Re Registration: Anyone wishing to register for fall programs may do so on **Tuesday August 29th to Thursday August 31st and Tuesday September 5th to Thursday September 7th from 2:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.** The Dance Boutique will also be open during this time for any dance wear supplies that you may need for your dance classes.

Adult Classes: The academy now offers wonderful evening programs for adult students in jazz, tap, hip hop and ballet.

Competition Students: An informative meeting to discuss the upcoming competition year will take place at the Mississauga studio location on Sunday September 24th from 12:00 to 2:00 pm. This year's annual showcase, to help perfect the competition routines, will be held at the Living Arts Centre on Sunday February 11th. More details to follow.

Living Arts Centre Recital Performances: It is always a special feeling shared by all when we see the wonderful year end performance put on by the students of SBAD. Parents and teachers alike beamed with pride as they watched the smiling faces gracing the stage showing their progress and amazing talent being presented after a year of hard work and dedication. If anyone is wishing to purchase a lasting memory of their child's performance, DVD's and Blu-Ray's may be purchased by contacting Wonder Lizard Productions at 905-275-9327. All DVD orders will be mailed directly to you. In addition to videos, photographs are available for purchase through Inkwell Images and Design at 416-561-0787.

Dress Code: Students who are new to the academy should be aware of the dress code for the various classes.

Acro: Bodysuit, tan convertible tights and bare feet (**NO street wear**).

Ballet:

Girls Pre Ballet and Pre Primary levels - pink bodysuit, pink tights, and pink leather ballet slippers. **All other Ballet levels** black bodysuit, pink tights, and pink ballet slippers.

Boys Junior Levels - tight fitting plain white T-shirt, black shorts or fitted dance pants, and black ballet slippers.

Boys Senior Levels - grey or black tights, fitted plain white tank top or T-shirt, black ballet shoes.

Special Training Ballet Junior Division to Intermediate & Advanced - blue tank leotard #3560 with pink seamless tights.

Junior Division must wear pink leather ballet slippers. All other special training levels must wear principal canvas ballet shoes.

General Level Jazz, Contemporary, Lyrical and Tap: Students may wear any neat appropriate fitted "dance" attire with footwear being black jazz oxfords for jazz, beige foot paws for Contemporary and Lyrical and black tap shoes with rubber soles for tap (**NO street wear**).

Competition Jazz: Girls Comp 1, Comp 2, & Comp 3 - black leotard style #3353 & #3354, tan tights, tan Bloch elasta bootie jazz shoes and hair in a bun (**NO street wear**). **Comp 5, Comp 6 and Comp 7** - black crop top style #3912 & #3913, black shorts, tan Bloch elasta bootie jazz shoes and hair in a bun (**NO street wear**).

All boys levels wear black shorts, plain white tank top or T-shirt (**NO street wear**) and Bloch elasta bootie jazz shoes.

Competition Tap: Girls Comp 2 - black leotard style #3353 & #3354, tan tights and black SoDanca lace up Pro Tap Shoes TA800 with rubber soles and hair in a bun (**NO street wear**). **Comp 3 and Comp 4** - black crop top style #3912 & #3913, black shorts, black SoDanca lace up Pro Tap Shoes TA800 with rubber soles and hair in a bun (**NO street wear**).

All boys wear black shorts, white tank top or T-shirt (**NO street wear**) and black SoDanca lace up Pro Tap TA800 Shoes.

Hip Hop: Students may wear sweatpants (**NO jeans, cargos or skirts**), tank top or T-shirt, hoodies optional and indoor black and white high top converse shoes (available at most shoe stores - **NO street shoes**).

IN THE EVENT OF POOR WEATHER CONDITIONS please call the school after 1:00 p.m. or visit our website, www.seanboutilier.com to verify information regarding school closure.

PLEASE NOTE: If a student's regular class falls on a holiday (not including Christmas or March Break) the student may take a makeup class either the week directly before or after the holiday. **No credits or refunds are given for missed classes.**



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| August 29 to August 31 & September 5 to 7 | FALL PRE/RE REGISTRATION (see front for times) |
| Monday, September 11 | FIRST DAY OF CLASSES |
| Monday, September 25 to Sunday, October 1 | “BRING A FRIEND WEEK” |
| Saturday, October 7 to Monday, October 9 (school closed) | THANKSGIVING WEEKEND |
| Monday, October 23 to Saturday, October 28 | TRY A NEW STYLE OF DANCE WEEK. These complimentary classes are open to registered and none registered students. |
| Tuesday, October 31 (school closed) | HALLOWEEN |
| Monday, December 11 to Sunday December 17 | OPEN HOUSE (no tickets required) Students may invite a maximum of two guests to their regularly scheduled classes for this week only. No makeup classes will be scheduled during Open House . Video cameras are permitted in the studios. |
| Saturday, December 23 to Sunday, January 7 (school closed) | CHRISTMAS VACATION |
| Monday, January 29 to Saturday, February 3 | COSTUME MEASUREMENT WEEK |
| Sunday, February 11 | COMPETITION SHOWCASE (tickets required) |
| Monday, February 19 (school closed) | FAMILY DAY |
| Monday, March 12 to Sunday, March 18 (school closed) | MARCH BREAK |
| Sunday, March 25 (TBC) | COMPETITIVE PHOTO DAY |
| Friday, March 30 to Monday, April 2 (school closed) | EASTER WEEKEND |
| Friday, May 4 (TBC) | LIVING ARTS CENTRE PERFORMANCE TICKETS On sale at the Living Arts Centre 905-306-6000 . |
| Monday, May 14 | PRE / RE-REGISTRATION begins for fall classes |
| Monday, May 21 (school closed) | VICTORIA DAY |
| Monday, June 4 to Saturday, June 9 | SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS (during class) |
| Saturday, June 16 | LAST DAY OF REGULAR CLASSES |
| Friday, June 22 Evening | SBAD PERFORMANCE (tickets required) Location: At The Living Arts Centre. Participating levels: <u>All students</u> excluding Rising Star Performance classes. |
| Sunday, June 24 Evening | NEW THIS YEAR! SBAD RISING STAR PERFORMANCE (tickets required) Location: At The Living Arts Centre Participating levels: Pre-Ballet, Pre-Primary, Pre Jazz/Tap, Primary, Standard I, Jr Jazz I and II, Mini Hip Hop I and II, Jr Tap I and II, Musical Theatre I, Mini Acro I and II |
| Monday, August 20 to Friday, August 24 (Full Day program for students 7 to 16 years) Monday, August 20 to Friday, August 24 (Half Day program for students 4 to 6 years) | Summer School Programs Full day program for students 7 to 16 years with daily classes in jazz, lyrical, ballet, tap, hip hop, acro and musical theatre. Half day program for students 4 to 6 years with morning or afternoon sessions. ONE WEEK MANDATORY FOR ALL STUDENTS IN COMPETITIVE AND SPECIAL TRAINING PROGRAMS |