

CARLISLE DANCE ACADEMY

Wigton Newsletter

September 2019

WELCOME BACK EVERYONE!

Welcome back everyone we hope you have all had a lovely break over the summer and also a very warm welcome to our new CDA members. We must say a huge well done to each and every one of our pupils who performed in all of our summer shows – YOU WERE SUPERB, you made us SO PROUD!

The Autumn Term

At Wigton this term all of the children will be working towards either dancing exams or a Christmas show, exactly the same as the Carlisle pupils. Here at CDA we see exam work as an important aspect of each dancers training as they allow the children to further improve the many skills they already whilst also enabling each child to showcase their talents.

Wigton 1 and Wigton 2 will be working towards taking their exams on Saturday 7th and Sunday 8th December. They will then have their own Award Ceremony, at The White Heather, in March or April next year to celebrate.

Wigton 3 will be working towards our Christmas Showcase alongside our Carlisle Senior classes. This will take place at Carlisle on Thursday 12th December, venue TBC. The Senior dancers will then take their exams in February.

As with every term here at CDA, the autumn term is a busy one. Please make sure you check the dates and add them to your diary. .

BODY CONDITIONING CLASS

ALL PUPILS ARE WELCOME TO THIS CLASS.

This class will be split into 3 sections: Strength, flexibility and fitness. We would advise pupils who wish to improve their dancing style and technique to attend this class where possible.

Monday 6:30pm-7:00pm for ALL PUPILS.

£2.50 PAY AS YOU GO

HALF TERM DANCE CAMP

From Tuesday 22nd October to Thursday 24th October we will be holding 'Half Term Dance Camp'. The days will run from 9:30am to 3:00pm (9:00am early drop off) and will cost £15 per day or £40 for 3 days per pupil. Bookings can be made now with Sheila, **full payment must be made at time of booking. Children must bring a packed lunch.**

CDA HALLOWEEN AND CHRISTMAS PARTY

On Friday 1st November we will be holding a fancy dress 'Disney Halloween Disco' for children aged 4-12years. The disco will be from 5:00pm to 7:00pm. Parents will leave children at the party. We will be dancing, playing party games and having lots of spooky fun!

Tickets are £5 which includes a small snack and a drink.

Tickets will be on sale from Saturday 5th October.

On Wednesday 18th December we will be holding a Christmas party for children aged 4-12years. The party will be from 5:00pm to 7:00pm and parents will leave children at the party. We will be dancing, playing party games and having a visit from a VIP!

Tickets are £6 which again includes a small snack, present and a drink. Tickets will be on sale from Saturday 2nd November

TERM DATES

- Half term – The school will be closed from Sun 20th October to Fri 25th October- **OPEN ON SATURDAY 19th OCTOBER.**
- Half Term Camp Tues 22nd October to Thurs 24th October.
- Friday 1st November- Halloween Disco
- Sunday 10th November- Dance comp day
- Monday 9th December – Christmas Showcase and Party
- **Thursday 12th December – END OF TERM**
- Wednesday 18th December- Christmas party
- **Saturday 4th January- CDA RE-OPENS**

CRAZY HAIR WEEK

Our fantastic fundraising team continually work hard all year round to raise funds for show costumes. This ensures minimal costs to parents for costumes all of our shows and performances.

On Monday 14th October we are asking children to come to their classes with CRAZY HAIR. A donation of £1 or more per child would be greatly appreciated. There will be a small prize given to the child with CRAZIEST HAIR in every class.

TODDLER CLASSES

On Monday mornings we have classes running at St. Cuthbert's Church Hall for children aged 18 months to 4 years. Please contact us if you would like a space, and if you can, help spread the word in Wigton, thank you.
9:30am- Little Stars- Parents and children (Age 18 months to 3 years)
10:30am- Tiny Tutus – Independent ballet class (Age 3-4 years)

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