

Big Changes

At

Janet's Dance Studio, LLC

Fall/Winter/Spring 2010-11

Mexico Studio Location!

After 30 years of supporting Presser Hall it is time to move our spring production to a new location! Presser Hall had to increase their prices drastically as their operating expenses have increased with the additional use of their facility. They also informed me that they wanted to be comparable to theaters in the Columbia and Jefferson City market as far as prices. They felt the need to triple their rehearsal prices and limit that to any 6 hour period and then doubled their performance prices also limited to a 6 hour period. The new prices are way above what we at the studio can afford and I am not comfortable passing those fees onto my dance families.

The **GOOD NEWS IS.....** Major General Robert Flanagan has agreed to allow us to rent his beautiful Gymtorium on the campus of the Missouri Military Academy. The facility is wonderful, with plenty of seating, great lighting, dress room areas and I believe better parking for the show. Because MMA is a very prestigious military school and the cadets who go there are entitled to full use of the facility the only available times for us to rent the Gymtorium is during their annual spring furlough which is from March 11th to March 20th, 2011. This is early for our spring production but very feasible with some changes in our calendar.

Our NEW first semester, in the Mexico studio, will begin the week of August 23-27th. Most all area schools are back in session by then so this should not create a problem for most families to get their dancer to class. Our first semester will end on November 23rd. Second semester will begin November 29th and will conclude on March 17th. A calendar will be provided to each student at the beginning of the year that will list all events and holidays.

Dress rehearsal will be held at the Gymtorium at the Missouri Military Academy on the weekend of March 12th & 13th with the productions being held Friday, March 18th at 7:00 pm and Saturday, March 19th at 1:00 and 7:00 pm. With the additional seating available to us at MMA we will no longer need to do a Sunday performance! Regular dance classes will be held March 14-17 the week before the show!

Mexico Public Schools spring break for 2011 is scheduled for this same time frame! Their schedule lists its spring break from March 12 – 20. Please note these dates before registering for our 2010-2011 dance year.

I am thankful for the many years I was able to hold my dance productions at the historic Presser Hall. I truly believe that the opportunity to move our show to the Missouri Military Academy will be a great experience for everyone and I hope I will have your continued support!