



Wow, our final month of dance!!!

This year is just flying by, and our year end recital is getting closer. We know everyone is working very hard on finalizing their routines.



**CONGRATULATIONS** to ALL our dancers who represented MDA at the Stratford Kiwanis and Mid-Western Ontario Rotary Music festival. We hope that you enjoyed yourselves and the experience.

Thanks to Ms. Karen and Ms. Melanie for preparing our students for these special opportunities to perform.

**CONGRATULATIONS** to the following dancers and classes for being recognized by the organizers and adjudicators.

Sawyer D - has been invited to perform her tap solo at the highlights showcase on May 10 for the Stratford Kiwanis festival.

Talia P – performed her pointe solo at highlights showcase on April 27 for the Mid-Western Ontario festival

Sr. Contemporary – received the Karen Creighton Scholarship Award for the Mid-Western Ontario festival.

EVERYONE performed AMAZINGLY and represented MDA proudly. We thank each of you for your hard work, extra time and dedication to making both festivals a huge success. We look forward to showcasing your talents again!!!



**SATURDAY MAY 18<sup>th</sup>**

Classes are CANCELLED today; enjoy the weekend with family and friends.

**Monday May 20<sup>th</sup>**

Classes are RUNNING per usual today; we look forward to seeing you on the dance floor.



Registration is open for summer dancer 2024.

Registration Closes: June 30th

Classes Start Monday July 8th

4 weeks of classes, each class is only \$50.00

Week of July 8, July 15, July 22 and July 29<sup>th</sup>.

Dancers who register by June 15<sup>th</sup> will receive a free Minto Dance Academy Baseball cap.



Mark your Calendars!!! Our year end showcase will be:

**Friday May 31 and Saturday June 1.**

Rehearsals will be May 27 – May 30, please watch your email for more information. With the exception of our parent & tot class, all dancers will be in both performances.

Parents, this will be your last chance to fulfill your volunteer requirements for the 2023/2024 dance season; please watch for an email from our volunteer coordinator.

Theatre Norwell presents...

# Annie

Based on "Little Orphan Annie"®

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**Wednesday, May 15 - Saturday, May 18**

7:30pm (Doors at 7:00pm)

E.C. Gray Centre, Norwell District Secondary School

Students/Seniors: \$10 Adults: \$12 (519)343-3107

## CONGRATULATIONS!!!

Abby, Bria, Cailey, Keely and Max on your roles in the upcoming theatre production.

We know these dancers will do an amazing job with the theatre performance putting their dance skills to work on stage.

Get your tickets today and support Theatre Norwell and MDA dancers.



If you've not already done so, please ensure you pick up your raffle tickets from the studio lobby. A parent/guardian must sign for the tickets.

As a reminder, you have already paid for these at time of registration; when you sell the tickets, you pay yourself back.

Tickets are due back to the studio no later than August 20<sup>th</sup> as the draw will take place at the AGM on August 21.

There are extra ticket booklets available if you would like to sell additional raffle tickets just let a member of the executive team know.



There are a few families with outstanding account balances.

All account fees are due NO LATER than Friday May 31.

Please ensure payment is made via DSP account or e-transfer.

Students will not be able to enroll for the 2024/2025 dance season with outstanding account fees.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel to reach out to any member of the executive team.

Happy Dancing,  
Lisa Booth | President