

Welcome dancers to another new month! January was COLD, but things are heating up inside the studio!

We've hope that you've noticed the improvements made to the lobby. Coat hooks are now easily accessible and there is lots of boot mats. We ask that the RED carpet remain a boot free space so that it is dry and allows dancers' a dry space to change their dance shoes. Please ensure your dancer is mindful of not leaving their boots blocking the door, to please keep their wet boots on the mats and to hang up their coats. We want to ensure everyone is able to use the lobby safely and that no one is injured.

February 1 is the last day to drop off your MAKE IT SOW fundraiser forms. NO LATE ORDERS WILL BE ACCEPTED!! Please deposit completed forms and payment into the secure lock box in the lobby. Delivery is estimate for the last week of February – date and time to be confirmed. Pick up will be at the studio.

Funds raised are going towards repairing/resurfacing the studio floor over the summer.

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For those classes that are participating in the South Western Ontario Rotary and Stratford Musical festival, it will be important that dancers are attending every class. Routines are being worked on during class times only and as the weeks are quickly counting down, we want to ensure every dancer is prepared to put their best foot forward. Teachers will provide additional information as the dates get closer with regards to "costumes" or accessories that will be worn for each of the performances. Fees have been applied to your DSP account and are due no later than March 31. If you need to make payment arrangements, please speak to any member of the executive team. Dancers may not participate in either festival if their fees have not been paid in full.



Family Day is Monday February 19th.

Saturday classes will be running during the Family Day weekend.

Monday classes for our Kinder, Mini and Jr. dancers are cancelled.

Senior classes are running, this is your make up class for "Sr. Skip Day" please watch your email for additional information regarding this fun class!



Senior Survey

Seniors, we want to hear from you.

If you can please add your email to the distribution list in the lobby. The survey is completely anonymous, however, for those who would like to include your name you will be entered for a chance to win a \$25.00 Amazon gift card.

Surveys will be done via email; however, printed copies will be available in the lobby and can be deposited into the lock box.

WE WANT YOUR FEEDBACK

SOCIAL

SOCIAL MEDIA:

If you do not already follow Minto Dance Academy on <u>Facebook</u> and/or Instagram please ensure you chasse over to our page and like and follow. Any last minute class cancellation or changes will be posted here in addition to an email. Tis the season for quickly changing weather conditions and our primary concern is keeping dancers and teachers SAFE.

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

Happy Dancing!!! Lisa Booth | President