



# FEBRUARY EDITION 2021

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**From Our Hearts...**

Dear Parents & Students,

This is a very exciting time of the year for the studio. We are gearing up for competition season, as well as busily preparing for our end of the year recital. First, we want to say THANK YOU for your continued support throughout this pandemic. We knew that transitioning to Zoom was less than ideal, but we really appreciate all of the kind words. Lots of important information will be emailed out in the upcoming weeks, so please take the time to read all emails from the studio to stay up-to-date on recital.

Please remember that ALL recital forms are due by February 19th. If you have misplaced your packet, please stop by the front desk and we will be glad to help you. If you are a newly enrolled student in 2021, please see the front desk office staff.

Recital costumes are still arriving daily!! We have started sending home costumes and will continue to do so into March. Please be on the lookout for those as well as information on how to care for and store your costumes until recital time.

This is the time to start buying the required tights and shoes for recital. If you are unsure what your child needs, please refer to the second page of your recital packet. There is also a copy of this information at the front desk, for your convenience. We will be happy to order these items for you. If you prefer to get them sooner, we recommend going to Wellheeled, located at the corner of Main Street and Taylor Street, in downtown Columbia. Make sure to mention that you dance at SCDC for a discount.

Love,  
The SCDC Staff

**Important Information**

- 1. Please don't forget to turn in your recital packets by February 19th.**
- 2. Reminder: If you joined in 2021, we CANNOT guarantee your child will receive their recital costume by picture week. We will do all we can!**
- 3. Don't forget if you refer a student, you get a \$20 credit on your account. We are still taking new students for our 2021 season.**

Follow your heart. Live your dream. Be passionate. Happiness is yours to take. Never give up. Your energy is limitless. Embrace possibility. Embrace vulnerability. Set goals. Enjoy life's little moments. Love your life and sprinkle cheer wherever you may go!



# HAPPY BIRTHDAY COSTUMES

Reese Leonardi 2/2\* Kseniya Filiukova 2/4\* Harper Rikard 2/4\*  
Millie Stafford 2/4\* Bailee Leyen 2/8\* Lexi Schilit 2/8\* Liliana  
Quevedo 2/9\* Mariana Quevedo 2/9\* Sadie Shaffer 2/10\* Julie  
Ochocki 2/12\* Caroline Wiley 2/13\* AnnTellin Greenlee 2/16\*  
Vivien Minemier 2/16\* Savanna Speirs 2/16\* Kaiya Cocke  
2/17\* Amelia Garrick 2/17\* Izzy Rolsen 2/17\* Lively Gellici  
2/19\* Violet Fanning 2/20\* Ellie Tallent 2/20\* Millie Blake  
Baston 2/21\* Berkley Harrelson 2/21\* Kylie Jordan 2/22\*  
Mckenleigh Regal 2/22\* Lennon Talty 2/22\* Kori Bullard 2/23\*  
Adelaide Jennison 2/23\* Sawyer Sparling 2/23\* Hattie Bower  
2/24\* Kelly Anne Buffamoyer 2/24\* Ava Ramadan 2/24\* Ella  
Kay Burr 2/25\* Anna Edwards 2/25\* Kenzlee Kaminer 2/25\*  
Gracie McDowell 2/25\* Avery Phillips 2/25\* Aubrey Adcock  
2/26\* Claire Hughes 2/26\* Adelyn Musa 2/26\* Aiden Musa  
2/26\* Everly Fairrington 2/27\* Ryan Baston 2/28\*



## Prayer List

Pray our students stay healthy and well through this season  
Pray for our competition teams to travel safely  
Pray for our studio and the upcoming events  
Unspoken requests  
Those with illnesses and suffering pain  
Pray for our economy... those who have lost jobs, pay cuts, or are in  
danger of losing their jobs  
Pray for our military  
Pray for our teachers and staff. May we be a place where love overflows to  
your children.  
Bless South Carolina Dance Company Studio, students, and families

**Costumes will start being handed out this month!**

**We recommend that your child's name be placed  
in all costumes, shoes, accessories, and tights.**

**Place costumes in a garment bag with your child's  
name on the outside.**

**Pack accessories in a clear plastic bag with your  
child's name on the bag and on each item.**

**Store hats in a container that will prevent damage.**

**Please do not wash costumes in your washing  
machine!**

**(Dry clean them only if absolutely necessary)**

**Costumes should be steamed and kept wrinkle  
free before the pictures and the performance.**

## INCLEMENT WEATHER

SCDC will follow Lexington School District 1 for closings due to  
inclement weather. However, we may decide to open for  
classes if weather conditions permit.

SCDC will send out text alerts and emails concerning studio  
closings. Please also tune into WIS TV.

With the cold weather approaching, please dress warmly,  
coming to and leaving from the studio. It is important that our  
children stay warm.

# CALENDAR

# CHOREOGRAPHY

February 1  
February 19

Tuition Due  
Recital Forms  
Due

March 1  
March TBD

Tuition Due  
Picture Week

April 1  
April 5-9  
April 13

Tuition Due  
Spring Break  
Classes  
Resume

\* The studio will be closed on Labor Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas, Spring Break, and Memorial Day. We do not offer make up classes for these holiday breaks.\*

Mark  
Your  
Calendar



We are excited that recital dances have been started in all of our classes!

If you need a copy of your child's music, please email your teacher and they will be happy to send you a copy once the music has been finalized.

Most of our recital music has been edited to approximately 2 minutes; so, it is not the version you will find on YouTube or iTunes.

When the dances are finished, we will invite you to record them so your child can practice with the video. This is typically near the end of March into early April

Please make every effort to have your child attend class each week. New choreography is taught every week and it is important for your child to be there to learn it. We don't want anyone to fall too far behind.

It is very important that your child practices daily to ensure that he/she will have confidence and be comfortable performing on the stage!

We can't wait to see all our dancers shine at our 2021 Recital!

