

## Important Dates

March 26-30

- Video Taping Week

March 28

- You Are My Sunshine from 7:30pm-8:00pm

March 29

- NHSDA application deadline

March 30

- Wastelands from 6:30pm-7:00pm
- To Build a Home from 7:00pm-7:30pm
- Blinding from 7:00pm-7:30pm
- Unsteady from 7:30pm-8:00pm
- Bad Girls from 7:30pm-8:00pm
- Not About Love 8:00-8:30pm

April 2-6

- Spring Break no classes or rehearsals

April 9

- Star and Sparkle ballots due

April 13

- RSVP for end of year banquet and party

April 13-15

- NYCDA Atlanta

April 16-20

- Picture week at DAW

April 20

- Closing Number 6:30pm-8:00pm

April 22

- End of the year banquet and party

April 23-27

- Last Week of Classes
- Info Meeting for Company 2018/2019

April 27

- Closing Number 6:30pm-8:00pm

May 2-6

- Rehearsals and Performances for our Spring Recitals at UWG

May 18

- Company Auditions for 2018/2019

## Tuition

Your April tuition will be auto-debited between the 5th-10th. This is the last month of the season.

## Recital Info

Be sure to check out all the important recital info [HERE](#) and please do not hesitate to ask if you are unclear! Everything is on-line- how to purchase DVD, flowers, tickets, and show t-shirts! Also, there is a playlist for rehearsing and practicing at home.

## Video Week

All classes will be finishing dance routines for the May recital the week of **March 26-30**. Parents, we invite you to come in and video your child's dances so that can practice and prepare for the recital.

## National Honor Society for Dance Arts

For those of you that have turn in your tracking sheet and \$8, please click the link and go to the [Find Your Chapter](#) page, then search for our chapter using the interactive map or by entering Dance Academy West or city and state. After selecting our chapter, you will click on the "Apply" button. The application asks for basic contact information as well current grade level. We will receive a notification that you have applied and we will take it from there! **Deadline to apply is March 29!**

## Summer Class Cards

Summer class cards will go on sale April 1. All 2018/2019 Company dancers are required to purchase a \$200 summer class card. You can find more info on summer class cards and details on how to purchase them [HERE](#).

## Star and Sparkle Award

It is time to vote for the Star and Sparkle award. The Sparkle and Star are awards in which you vote for a teammate that meets the following criteria: Unifies the team, dependable, reliable, an encourager, dedicated, strong leadership skills, and thinks of others. One team member will receive this award. Please see the rules below. Fold the ballot in half and return it to the front desk by **Monday, April 9th** or before. These awards will be presented at our end of the year banquet and party on Sunday, April 22.

## NYCDA Atlanta

NYCDA Atlanta is scheduled for **April 13-15**. The schedule for that weekend will be emailed the Monday before. Your attendance is required for all classes and rehearsals leading up to this convention/competition.

## Closing Number

Dancers have rehearsal on **Friday, April 20 from 6:30-8:00pm AND Friday, April, 27 from 6:30-8:00pm.**

## Birthdays

If you have a birthday during April, please pick up your goody bag.

## The Company 2018/2019

Company info packets regarding the 2018/2019 season will be available Wednesday, April 18. Please be sure to check for it on our website under Company. Also, we will have an informational meeting on Monday, April 23, Wednesday, April 25 or Thursday, April 26 at 7:30pm. If you are planning on auditioning again, we advise you to attend one of the meetings.

## Picture Week April 16-20

Group and individual class pictures will be taken April 16-20. Please attend your regularly scheduled classes and rehearsals in costume/hair/ make-up with the exception of the following:

To Build a Home	Friday, April 20	4:30pm
Not About Love	Friday, April 20	4:30pm

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Unsteady	Friday, April 20	4:30pm
Blinding	Friday, April 20	4:30pm
Bad Girls	Friday, April 20	5:00pm
Wastelands	Friday, April 20	5:00pm
Level 5 Ballet	Friday, April 20	5:00pm
Solos	Friday, April 20	5:00pm
Opening/Came Here For Love	Friday, April 20	5:30pm
Closing/ Good is the New Bad	Friday, April 20	5:30pm

### Looking Ahead

Please make sure you've mark your calendar with these important upcoming dates.

- May 18            Company 2018/2019 Auditions
- May 24            Company 2018/2019 **mandatory** Team/Parent Meeting
- June 5-July 20    Summer Classes
- \*July 18-19        Possibly Choreography
- \*July 20-22        Company 2018/2019 **mandatory** WGD  
                         Summer Intensive at CCAC

- July 27-August 5    Possible choreography for Company 2018/2019
  - August 4            Tentative date for Open House
  - August 13           Tentative date for Fall Classes to Begin
  - August 18           Nutcracker auditions at CCAC
- \*The cost for WGD will range between \$275-300.

### A Red Carpet Affair

Get our your very best, most red carpet worthy attire for an evening of celebration! Our end of the year banquet and party will be Sunday, April 22 at Gabe's located at 6716 Church St. Douglasville, GA 30134 (770) 765 1951. The party will begin at 6:00pm, Dancers will eat for free and can invite up to 2 people only for \$15 per person. We have limited space available. **You must RSVP by April 13 at [info@danceacademywest.com](mailto:info@danceacademywest.com) and payment is also due, cash or check only.**

