

## Monthly Newsletter



### MARCH BIRTHDAYS

Alaina Gulley	3/1
Lauren Harvey	3/8
Atola Hartzell	3/9
Anna Hodge	3/12
Rachel LaManna	3/13
Breleigh Dinwiddie	3/15
Teagan Maish	3/15
Ulani Lebkuecher	3/20
Kaya Howell	3/26
Katie Lutzmann	3/27

# PREMIER ACADEMY

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## First Annual Premier Lock-In

On Saturday April 18, Premier Academy will host its first annual dancer lock-in. Not only will this be an excellent team building opportunity, but it will also afford dancers a chance to get a jump on learning the choreography for the recital finale.

The lock-in will be for dancers ages 6 and older. Students should plan on arriving at 4 p.m., with sleeping bag, pajamas, and favorite pillow in tow. During the evening there will be time

for dancing, playing games, and watching movies. Tentatively plans are in the works for an excursion to Jump and Play before turning in for the night.

There will be plenty of snacks and refreshments available. Arrangements have also been made to have Randell's Pizza for dinner and Big Apple Bagels for breakfast the following morning.

Dancers can be picked up at 10 a.m. Sunday morning.

A fee of \$25/per dancer

will be charged in order to participate. Anyone interested in being part the fun should sign up at the reception desk. Space is limited!

Contact Miss Meaghan at ([dance@premieracademyofdance.com](mailto:dance@premieracademyofdance.com)) if you have questions.

## Recital Update

Plans for recital are starting to fall into place. Mass emails containing detailed recital information have been sent out.

There are also hard copies of the recital information available at the reception desk. Please take time to review this information. If you

have questions, please do not hesitate to ask.

Here are a few of the highlights:

- Recital date is Saturday, June 20, at Plainfield High School. Recital begins at 2:30 p.m.

- Mandatory dress rehearsal will be Friday, June 19 beginning at 12 noon.
- There will be only one recital and we anticipate it taking approximately 2 hours and 30 minutes.
- Check the spelling of dancers name at the desk.

## Ads on Sale for Recital Program

Souvenir programs are being prepared for the recital. In addition to a schedule of acts, this program will include a collection photos of events that have occurred at the studio over the last year.

More over, this program is a chance for family and friends to submit personal wishes for their

dancer(s). Patron ads (good wishes of 25 words or less...no photos) can be purchased for \$5 each. One-quarter page ads (pictures can be included) are available for \$25; one-half page ads (pictures can be included) for \$50; and whole-page ads (pictures can be included) for \$75.

There will also be space for business ads. Parents who sell business ads can purchase their personal ad for half price.

A form to be used for submitting ads can be picked up at the front desk. Deadline for submitting ads is May 1. Payment is due when the ad is submitted.

Spring Break...  
Studio is closed  
March 30-April 4

Beauty and the  
Beast  
Sunday, May 3

Tickets payments are  
due by March 30

## Premier Student of the Month



March's Premier Student of the Month is BrookLynn El. BrookLynn was nominated after having completed her single pirouettes 10 times in a row. BrookLynn works very hard in an effort to one day "dance with the big girls" and that hard work is paying off! We are so proud to see dedication in our young dancers.

Here are a few fun facts about this month's honoree:

Age: 4  
 Nickname: Brook  
 Favorite Color: Pink  
 Favorite School Subject: Reading  
 Favorite Restaurant: Jimmy Johns  
 Favorite Food: Cookies  
 Favorite Store: LEGO Store  
 Favorite Sport: Gymnastics  
 Favorite Dance Style: Ballet  
 Why do you dance? Dancing makes me feel good.  
 What do you want to be when you group up? A doctor  
 If you could meeting anyone in the world who would it be? Jake and the Neverland Pirates



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## Upcoming Events

- March 30-April 4—Spring Break (Studio is CLOSED)
- May 3—Beauty and the Beast
- April 18—Studio Lock-In
- May 25—Memorial Day—Studio Closed
- May 31—Comp Team Recognition
- June 6—Picture Day for all Dancers
- June 19—Dress Rehearsal (Mandatory)
- June 20—Recital @ Plainfield High School
- June 27—Competition Team Auditions

## Spring Break—March 30-April 4

The studio will be closed for one week during spring break. The dates will be Monday, March 30—April 4. Classes

will resume on Monday, April 6.

We wish everyone safe travels and a wonderful time with family and friends!

## Competition Corner

### Competition Schedule

- **Encore**—(Comp and Intro Team), March 13-15,
- **ShowStoppers**—(Comp Team only), April 24-26,
- **NexStar** in Ohio—(Comp Team only), May 15-17, **fees due March 15**

### 2015-16 Comp Team Auditions

Mark your calendars....Auditions for the 2015-16 Competition Team will be Saturday, June 27.

### Congratulations, Dancers!

Awesome job at Starpower Dancers! Not only did you sparkle on stage; but your behavior and attitude off stage was exceptional! You were wonderful ambassadors for Premier Academy and you made me proud!

*Miss Meaghan*

### Recognition Night

Plan on attending the second annual Premier Recognition Banquet, Sunday, May 31. Plan to join the fun and celebrate our success!

### Dance Homework!

*"Gold medals aren't really made of gold. They're made of sweat, determination, and a hard-to-find alloy called guts."* - DAN GABLE. Ladies—Remember the importance of conditioning outside of the classroom. (Especially over spring break!) The stronger your core, the more amazing things you can accomplish!