

Space Is  
Filling  
Up Fast!



# SUMMER 2010

## DANCE CAMP & INTENSIVE SERIES

Summer Dance Camps & Intensives ***registration has begun***, pick up your brochure and registration form on the Lobby Table or the visit the office.

**Camps As Low As \$120 for the week 9:00am-5:00pm**

### Spring Concert Costumes

Costumes will be handed out over the next couple weeks as they come in. ADFA will fit all costumes before they are handed out to assure they fit properly and to determine if alterations are needed. You will receive a shoe and tight list however all students will be wearing the same shoes and tights that were listed for their class at the beginning of the year

#### **IMPORTANT: Straps on Costumes**

During the costume fitting the studio seamstress adjusted the straps on your child's costumes and pinned them wear they need to be, the studio does not sew straps as that is how we receive them from the costume company-they do this because children grow so quickly that is almost impossible to get a correct strap measurement. You may leave them safety pinned, or you may have them sewn but honestly we use safety pins all the time with our company members and it works out fine☺. We do suggest having 2 safety pins just to be on the safe side if you opt to leave the pins in and not have them sewn.

### College and Summer Workshop Scholarships Awarded to ADFA Dancers

ADFA would like to congratulate our company members on earning over \$1,000 in scholarship money to New York City Dance Alliance Summer Workshop in New York this summer.

We would also like to congratulate Nicolette Blake on her acceptance to Oklahoma City University Dance Program where she was also awarded a \$6,000 dance scholarship!

### ADFA Spring Concert

**Saturday June  
5th**

Mac Gray  
Auditorium

Statesville High School

*I do not try to dance better than  
anyone else; I only try to dance  
better than myself*  
Mikhail Baryshnikov

### Picture Week

**When:** May 10-13

(During your child's regular scheduled class time)

**Where:** ADFA Studio

ADFA is happy to announce that we will have a ***new professional photography company*** doing our class pictures this year, **NEU-Pix Photography**. NEU-Pix takes incredible pictures at a great price with *lots of options on packages* and they come *highly recommended from many other dance studios* we suggest you visit their webpage and take a look at their work!

[www.neu-pix.com](http://www.neu-pix.com)

#### **Tips for Picture Day:**

- 1- Try to arrive about 15 minutes early as we tend to run ahead of schedule on picture day
- 2- A little make-up is good as the bright lighting from pictures can sometime flush the skin out, maybe a little lightly colored lip gloss and blush
- 3- You may style your child's hair as you like however you may want to pull the sides back so we can see their beautiful little faces better ☺
- 4- Try to clean up the outsides of their shoes if they are dirty or scuffed

### **6 MONTHS FREE TUITION**

We are selling ads for our Spring Concert Programs and the student that sells the most money in ads will win 6 months of FREE tuition (a value of up to \$384). Remember that the ads do not have to be business ads they can be pictures of your dancer and words of encouragement. Deadline is May 17<sup>th</sup>, for info please contact our office manager Miss Erin

For all your dancewear needs  
704-664-6925



**Spring Concert Dress  
Rehearsal Schedule  
Will be out Monday  
May 10th**



***Ditch the workout, Join the party!***  
**Tuesday & Thursday**  
**6:00pm-7:00pm**  
**Saturday 9:45am-10:45am**



# The ADFA connection

## Where Dancers Grow

### SPECIAL POINTS OF INTEREST

New ADFA Website  
& Web Address

Summer Camp &  
Intensive Registration  
has begun

Picture Week May  
10-15

Spring Concert  
Saturday June 5th

### WELCOME SPRING!

WOW! How quickly the year has gone by. Our annual Spring Concert will be here before you know it! As we prepare for Spring Concert the faculty would like to remind everyone that maintaining good attendance is important this time of year.

I know many of us get very busy as the end of the school year approaches, but we all want the children to be well prepared for their big performance day they have worked all year for. ☺

Over the next month the students will receive their costumes, information regarding pictures, spring concert dress rehearsal, performance schedules and information regarding summer camps and intensives.

Parents, please observe your student folders, to the left, as you enter the studio. We will be placing all the information I have listed above in your student folders. You will know when to check your folder for notes as there will be a flag up that says "ALL STUDENTS". You will also receive an email. If you have questions regarding any of this information please feel free to contact us.

I want to thank all of you for dancing with us at ADFA. The pleasure is truly ours. The studio is really growing and that would not be possible without you, our parents, for giving us the opportunity to share our love for dance with your children.

Many Thanks! Miss Sadie, Owner/Artistic

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## NEW ADFA WEBSITE, WEB ADDRESS, & EMAIL ADDRESS

### Coming Soon!

### [www.adfastudio.com](http://www.adfastudio.com)

We are happy to announce ADFA will unveil our all new, interactive, website in the next few weeks! Our new site is a work in progress and we would like to share with you just a little of what's to come!

- **In the First Phase**- The site will offer many new features than before- all schedules, calendars, studio information and policies will be available, also parents will automatically receive an email anytime there is information added or changed on the website.
- **In the Second Phase**- Parents will be able to securely log into the site view your accounts, pay online, and receive personalized messages from your child's instructor as to what they may need to work on and/or areas of focus in the your child's class.
- **In the Third Phase**- Everyone will be able to receive notices via Face Book and Twitter as to any changes or new information posted on the website

### [adfastudio@windstream.net](mailto:adfastudio@windstream.net)

ADFA now has a **new email address**: [adfastudio@windstream.net](mailto:adfastudio@windstream.net). Our old email address will remain operational for the next 6 months *however* we ask that everyone **please add our new address to your email contacts as we will be sending all studio communications from this our new address**, if we are not in address book these important emails will go into your spam folder

*Kids: they dance before they learn there is anything that isn't music.  
~William Stafford*