



BDD Messenger

Lights Shine Bright

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IMPORTANT DATES

February 3: Silent Auction Begins (online)

February 15: Program Ad Orders Due

February 16: Tickets Limit Lifted

February 16-22: Picture Week

March 16, 18, 19: Rehearsal Nights

March 20-21: Recital Weekend

RECITAL TICKETS

"Teach Me to Dance, Take 9" Recital

Friday, March 20 at 6 p.m.

(Beg, Int, Adv dancers)

Saturday, March 21 at 10 a.m.

(4's & 5's and Adv dancers only)

Saturday, March 21 at 2 p.m.

(Beg, Int, Adv dancers)

Kaukauna High School

1701 County CE, Kaukauna

Friday, 6 p.m. and Saturday, 2 p.m. shows: \$8.50

Saturday, 10 a.m. show: \$5

Tickets are going quickly. Order your tickets at 24565.recitalticketing.com/landing.cfm?loc=4 All tickets are reserved/assigned seating. There is an eight tickets limit per show until February 16.

Lap child policy - Children 3 and under may sit on adult's lap without purchasing a seat, if desired.

Be checking brighterdaysdance.com/recitalpictures-2020/ for important dates and recital information, also!

DANCE PICTURES

Scanlan Photography will be taking photos the week of February 16 during NORMAL CLASS TIME. Your child needs to come in costume with hair done.

Group & individual pictures will be taken. Be prepared for dancers to use full class time to take pictures and practice their routines!

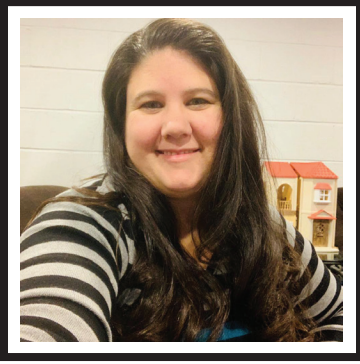
Pictures will be posted online approximately one week after the last class has their pictures taken. At that time you will be able to order online.

Picture participation is OPTIONAL. However, if your child cannot attend class that day, Scanlan Photography has offered to take your child's individual picture at their studio.

SILENT AUCTION

Our silent auction items are up online! Visit www.32auctions.com/BrighterDaysAuction2020 to check out the great selection and place a bid through the month of February. Items will be displayed on a table in the front waiting room at the studio for everyone to see up-close! Winning bidders will need to pick up their items at the studio by Thursday, March 5.

GET TO KNOW MS. MICHELLE



Ms. Michelle here! I love my Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and my family! I am married to a wonderful hubby, Ross, for almost 19 years now. We have six amazing kiddos from 15 years old down to three (including two sets of twins). Life is full and as the sign reads as you enter our home, “Crazy, Loud & Happy!”

I have an appreciation for creation & nature. God has created all, making everything good and beautiful in His time. What’s not to love? Sunsets anywhere & the beach are at the top for me! I appreciate learning too! We homeschool our children & I am a tutor for our co-op. I love learning right along with all my children & students.

I love photography. You will very often find me behind my lens capturing something, somewhere, for someone to celebrate and share! I also love expression, music & dance. My favorites being classical piano, ballet & sign language. Expressing with the deaf and hard of hearing community is humbling and yet fills my heart with such joy when the opportunities come about. I first began to study ASL in college. I am not an interpreter and, by all means, have so many areas to grow in, but have always been eager to learn just one more sign. My newest vision is exploring how to incorporate teaching dance to deaf & hard of hearing children.

I also love hosting & helping others when the Lord leads. I pray that I find time to be still and hear the sweet small voice of the Spirit guiding my heart. In my adulthood, I have had some very devoted examples of this to follow and guide. I am beyond grateful for all the love, grace & encouragement that has been extended to our family over the years! God is faithful and good!

My dance background: I began at the chubby cheeks & pigtail age of 3 and have been dancing ever since (to some degree). I started with ballet and each year added or traded something new. Tap, jazz and hip hop were in the mix. By middle school I was in tumbling & gymnastics. For high school I was a cheerleader, did pom and dance team and had fun with choreographing our own dances with friends and entering talent shows. The last group I was in as a student was in college with my most favorite instructor of all. She was a woman that loved and feared the Lord, which inspired me to keep dancing for His glory always! This is where I was first introduced to Praise dance.

I first met Mrs. Teresa at a Mother Daughter Tea held in 2013 at Valley Baptist in Appleton. She taught us a new, simple & beautiful dance. We all enjoyed a lovely meal together and an amazing guest speaker. I went away from that event so thankful I had attended with my oldest daughter who, at the time, was only 6 years old. I realized that dance is something we can do together! I signed up my girls that following fall of 2013 when BDD studio space was rented at Alliance in Appleton and we have been with BDD ever since!

I am super excited to be part of your family’s dance journey at Brighter Days Dance Studio! I am teaching Music and Movement as well as 4&5 year old ballet this year. I go home each week feeling so blessed with being able to not only encourage, smile, laugh, share the JOY of music & dance with, but also to pray with and celebrate your dancers as we do all we do, learn all we do, and share all we do for God’s glory!



CHANGE WARS WINNER!

The change (and the dollars!) have been counted. Your 2019-2020 Changes Wars winner is **Ms. Tiffany** with a final (positive!) total of \$64.82!

Ms. Laura is our runner up. And, even after all the sabotage money, Ms. Mary was only 22 cents behind, in 3rd place.

We’ll announce the total amount raised at our upcoming rehearsals!

RECITAL PROGRAM ADS

Promote your business or congratulate your dancer with an ad in our recital program. We can help you design an eye-catching ad that will be seen by approximately 2000 people at our recitals.

Full page - 5" x 7" - \$100

1/2 page - 3.5" x 5" - \$50

1/4 page - 3.5" x 2.5" - \$25

Please contact Ms. Crystal at 920-205-5805 or email crystal@brighterdaysdance.com to place an ad before February 15.

\$100	\$25
	\$50

HAIR & TIGHTS INFO

Visit brighterdaysdance.com/recitalpictures-2020/ and scroll down to click on "Order of the Show" for detailed information about your child's class.

Be looking for an announcement when tights and class wear orders arrive. They will be distributed to instructors to hand out before week of pictures.

DVD & FLOWERS

DVDs of the upcoming recital can be ordered at 624films.com/order. Order forms will also be available at the studio.

Watch for more information on flowers orders in the coming weeks!



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