



BDD Messenger

Lights Shine Bright

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IMPORTANT DATES

- November 6:** Simple Simon Orders Due
- November 12:** Simple Simon Order Pickup
- November 16-20:** Parent Watch Week
- November 23-27:** No Classes

FALL FUNDRAISER



Simple Simon breads, pies and cookie dough fundraiser is underway! Order forms are attached to this newsletter.

Orders and payments are due to the studio by Thursday, November 5, at 8 p.m. The bakery will deliver to the studio on Thursday, November 12 at 5 p.m. Orders will need to be picked up that evening by 8 p.m.

A MESSAGE FROM TERESA

As many of you know, Brighter Days Dance is a ministry. I felt called to start BDD over 8 years ago. God put it on my heart and, despite my wishes to wait a couple years, He made it apparent that the time to start was in July 2012. Fast forward to present day ... This has not been an easy season to navigate as a small business owner, and, to be honest, it would be so much easier to just "give it up". However, just like in 2012, God has made it clear to me that this dance studio needs to stay up and running. Through people like you, He has provided abundantly, and we truly are so grateful for all the love, prayers and support you have given us throughout this difficult time.

We know that there are many different opinions concerning COVID-19. We are not here to get political or push an agenda. Rather, we are here to provide dance lessons and fulfill our mission as a dance ministry. That being said, we know some of you might not feel comfortable with the current situation in our state. Given all the uncertainty of circumstances surrounding the virus, we have decided to postpone ordering costumes for a couple weeks. The new costume deadline for payments will be October 29.

If you are feeling hesitant or uncertain with your child participating in the recital, this will give you time to withdraw from recital participation. If you have already paid for your child's costume, we would refund your money at that time. *Please note: after the deadline, costume purchases are final, and we are not able to offer refunds.*

We want all our families to feel comfortable when they walk through our studio doors. If you find yourself wishing you had not signed up this session, we can always prorate your class fees and issue a refund to you. This has been a most challenging time for all of us, but we must remember, God is still on His throne. None of this is a surprise to Him.

While I am expecting our 7th baby any day, please know that I am just a phone call or email away. Please do not hesitate to reach out to me! I will get back to you as soon as I can!

Philippians 4:7 - And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Teresa Strenn

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GET TO KNOW MS. JANA



Hello! I teach Big and Little (1-2yr olds with their big person), Music and movement (3 year olds) and Intro to Ballet to 4 and 5 year olds.

I am a mother of 5 girls and 3 boys ages ranging from 1 to 18 years old. I have been married to my husband Aaron for 20 years! I am overflowing with awe of our LORD as He walks me through each season! Reminding me, He has a plan and it's not always mine.

I truly enjoy looking through the eyes of the children and how creation comes alive with each year and milestone. I am amazed at how different each child is, their learning styles and character traits. There are no two children that are the same.

It's a blessing to watch the students grow so much over the dance season. Their imagination, following instructions and exuberant energy, is all coated in love.

Thank you for allowing me to be a part of this Brighter Days Dance Family. I am truly blessed.

Ms. Jana

My life verse: "For the LORD is good; his steadfast love endures forever, and his faithfulness to all generations." - Psalm 100:5

DON'T MISS OUT ON IMPORTANT INFORMATION



Are you receiving emails from us? Did you receive the 2020 dance kickoff email? The one that included information on class attendance, lost and found, photography, recitals, and so much more? If you did not receive it and are not receiving any of our emails, please email brighterdaysdance@gmail.com or call Teresa at 920-759-5659.

On Facebook? Request to join our "Brighter Days Families" group to stay connected with other families, keep up with current events, sell or buy used dance apparel, and more.

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Brighter Days Dance Studio
Simple Simon Bakery - Cookie Dough Fundraiser



Each 3 lb. tub makes about 4 to 6 dozen medium size cookies or cut-outs. Dough can be kept refrigerated up to 3 weeks.

Seller's Name:

Checks Payable to: Brighter Days Dance Studio

Payment must be received at time of order

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Appleton WI 54911

920-733-4351
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Dates to Remember:
Turn in Orders & Money by:
THURS, NOV 5th, 2020
Delivery Date:
THURS, NOV 12th, 2020

	Chocolate Chip	M&M Candies	Peanut Butter	Sugar	Cherry Chip	Molasses	White Icing	Amount Due
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Brighter Days Dance Studio
Simple Simon Bakery - Pie Fundraiser



Pies are made fresh to order. Refrigerate to maintain freshness upon delivery. Consume within 5 days of delivery. Unbaked pies should be baked or frozen upon delivery. Baking instructions included.

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