

Welcome all new & returning students to MALSD’s **53rd season of Dance!!!!** It is going to be a great year with lots of fun and exciting things happening. This newsletter outlines the upcoming dates for the year of things happening around MALSD. Please take a few moments to fill in your calendars. Thank you.
(MALSD – All Students...LDC – Longlade Dance Company (competitive group)

Dates to Remember

September 2017	
10 months	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> September 7th-June 16th, 2018 - Extended classes one week after (Spring Melody June 9th, 2018)
Tuesday - Saturday October 10th -14th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bring a Friend Week – Students can bring a friend or family member to try their class/es for free (please keep in mind the ages of the class & friend)
October 2017	
Monday October 1 st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NEW...Spring Melody Video fees due \$25.00 (added to each family account) MALSD 2nd OR 3rd Installment Due – Late Fee \$10 added on 10th
Saturday October 7 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thanksgiving Weekend there are regular classes – NO LDC
Sunday October 15 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> CDTA Super Sunday Workshop – see teachers for more information Registration form on Bulletin Board. Please sign up as soon as possible.
Tuesday October 24 th – Saturday October 28 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Halloween Presentations – Last 20 minutes of ALL Ballet and Tap classes parents & families are welcome to join us for a fun presentation to celebrate Halloween (costumes can be worn – they need to be able to dance)
Tuesday October 31 st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> NO CLASSES on Halloween night.
November 2017	
Sunday November 5 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cecchetti Workshop Grade 6- Adv 2 held at the National Ballet School of Canada (400 Jarvis Street. Toronto) Please talk with your child’s teacher/s to find out more information. Registration form on bulletin board
Monday November 13 th – Saturday November 18 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parents Week – Parents & family are welcome to watch ALL classes
December 2017	
Thursday December 1 st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> MALSD 3rd OR 4th Installment Due – Late fee \$10.00 will be added on the 10th
Tuesday December 26 th - Saturday December 23 rd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Christmas Presentation - Last 20 minutes of ALL Ballet and Tap classes parents & families are welcome to join us for a fun presentation to celebrate Christmas

Sunday December 24th- Monday January 8^h inclusive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <u>Studio CLOSED for the Christmas Holiday's - Winter Break</u>
January 2018	
Tuesday January 9 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Classes resume
Month of January	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Costume measurements in regular classes
February 2018	
Thursday February 1 st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ MALSD 4th OR 5th Installment ▪ Late fee \$10.00 will be added on the 10th
Sunday February 11 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Cecchetti workshop Day (grades) ▪ held at the National Ballet School of Canada (400 Jarvis St. Toronto) – Ask teacher for more information if interested Please register on the bulletin board and pay at the office. Thank you
Tuesday February 20 th – Saturday February 24 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Parents Week – Parents & family are welcome to watch ALL classes. Please note that classes will be shortened by 10 minutes for any questions.
March 2018	
Saturday March 3 rd	NO Classes - LDC away in Pittsburg at Dance Educators of America for competition. Good Luck Girls!
MARCH BREAK	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ <u>Studio OPEN for March Break All classes</u>
April 2018	
Month of April	Costume fittings during regular class times
Saturday April 1st PRE-REGISTRATION FOR DISCOUNT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Pre-Register for 2018-2019 Dance Season at discounted pricing also be entered into a draw to Win some of your Tuition and other cool prizes ▪ MALSD 5th Final Installment – Late fee \$10.00 will be added on the 10th Look for Summer Workshop information to follow in August 2018 TBA
April Tickets on Sale ****April 11am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 53rd SPRING MELODY 2018 tickets go on sale ▪ To purchase tickets CALL Living Arts Centre box office 905-306-6000 or Online- www.livingartscentre.ca OR at Box Office. 4141 Living Arts Dr.
May 2018	
Friday May 11 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ LDC Picture Day – Schedule TBA Look for Volunteer Sign-up Sheets ▪ Tights available for purchase
Saturday May 12th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ MALSD Picture Day – Schedule TBA ▪ No Regular Classes ▪ Tights available for purchase
**Tuesday May 22 nd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ NO Regular Classes

Wednesday May 23rd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1st Half Dress Rehearsal held at the studio 5:15pm-8:15pm Costumes remain at the studio. Pizza, drinks will be sold for dinner at the studio
**Thursday May 24 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ NO Regular Classes
Friday May 25th Please check to see if your child name is correct Awards 4 years etc &/or Perfect Attendance – Exams-LDC - Demonstrators Outstanding Award	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Awards Night – St. Mary Star of the Sea Catholic Church, 11 Peter St., Mississauga L5H2G1 Time 6:30pm RSVP Cash- Bar- 50/50 draw ▪ RSVP ON OFFICE SIDE WINDOW. Asap Thank you. ▪ All examination certificates awarded - Demonstrators - ▪ SPECIAL Perfect attendance and LDC Awards ▪ POT LUCK - please sign up at side window RSVP
Saturday May 26 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Regular Classes
Tuesday May 29 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ NO Regular Classes
Wednesday May 30th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 2nd half Dress Rehearsal held at the studio 5:15-8:15pm ▪ Costumes remain at the studio. ▪ Pizza, Drinks etc. will be sold for dinner at the studio
June 2018	
Thursday May 31 st	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ NO Regular Classes
Saturday June 2nd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 1st Half Rehearsal 9:30am-12:30pm ▪ 2nd Half rehearsal 1:30pm-4:30pm <p>Costume Balances & Outstanding accounts are to be paid in full.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Costumes go home
Saturday June 2 nd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Last Day to register for discounted pricing & Draw for 2018-2019 dance season!
Tuesday June 5 th – Thursday June 8 th inclusive	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ No Regular Classes week of Spring Melody
Friday June 8th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ FULL Dress Rehearsal at Living Arts Centre – ALL STUDENTS- Arrive at 4:30pm through the stage door on stage by 6pm – ▪ NO parents or students will be allowed into the audience during this rehearsal. Parents are also not allowed backstage or in the dressing rooms unless you have signed up to volunteer in the dressing rooms. Approximate finishing time 9:45pm <p>Please watch for the volunteer sign-up sheets to be posted at the studio beginning of May</p>
Saturday June 9th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Spring Melody 2018 – SATURDAY JUNE 9TH 2018 ▪ 53rd Anniversary held at The Living Arts Centre ▪ 4141 Living Arts Drive ▪ Performance at 4:30pm Students to arrive 3:00pm – Stage Door <p>- tickets for Spring Melody go on sale late April TBA Box Office 905-306-6000</p> <p>Tickets will be on sale at LAC on Friday Dress Rehearsal June 9th also 1 hour before performance (3:30 on) June 9th,2018</p>

Saturday June 9th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ MALSD Cast Pool Party at Mrs. Longlade-Link Home – ALL students & Families are welcome to join us in celebrating 53rd Spring Melody 2017. BBQ, bring towel & bathing suit & a treat to share. BYOB - RSVP at the office 905-276-7471 ▪ Maps and direction for Cast Party at studio.
Last week of classes June 11th – 16th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Classes will continue until Saturday June 16th. Be sure to come to the last week of regular classes.
August 2018	
August or September TBA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Summer Intensive 5:30pm – 9:30pm – ▪ Register early - \$ 80.00 for 4 hours
August 20 th - August 23 rd	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Open Registration at Studio 4:30pm-8:30pm ▪ OR call for Appointment 905-276-7471 ▪ info@longladedance.com
August 27 th – August 30 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Open Registration at Studio 4:30pm-8:30pm ▪ OR call for Appointment 905-276-7471 ▪ info@longladedance.com
September 2018	
September 4 th - 6 th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Open Registrations at Studio 4:00-8:30pm ▪ Late Registration will be accepted. ▪ Register early as classes fill up quickly
Thursday September 6th	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Classes Commence for the 2018-2019 Dance Season!!!! – ▪ 54th Anniversary

Reminders for MALSD: Proper Dance Attire for all classes. Hair secured off face.

Dance Attire for Class/es	<p>Ballet</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Girls: Hunter Green Bodysuit, pink tights, pink ballet slippers, girls, ▪ Hair pulled back into bun ▪ Boys: Black shorts, white shirt, white ballet shoes & white socks <p>Tap</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Girls: Hunter Green Bodysuit, caramel tights, Caramel tap shoes, hair pulled back into a bun (check heel height with teacher, NO flat lace ups) ▪ Boys: Black shorts, white shirt, black men's tap shoe – slip-on or lace up <p>Jazz</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Girls: Hunter Green Bodysuit, caramel tights, Caramel jazz shoes, hair pulled back into a bun (no lace up jazz shoes) ▪ Boys: Black shorts, white shirt, black Jazz shoe (no lace up) <p>Hip Hop</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Girls/Boys: Baggy track pants and T-shirt, indoor running shoes, hair down or ponytail NO OUTDOOR SHOES ALLOWED <p>Acro</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Girls: Hunter Green Bodysuit, caramel ankle tights #1917 or transition, BARE FEET, hair pulled back off face- very important to keep hair off face and out of others faces. No loose shirts. ▪ Boys: Black shorts, tight fitting white shirt, bare feet <p>ALL CLASSES: No extra clothing is to worn. When it gets cold in the studio they can wear one of the studio shrugs or a black tight fitted long sleeve shirt.</p>
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Winter Weather	Classes will be cancelled in extreme weather conditions. Please call the studio 905-276-7471 get instant updates through Facebook (go to our website and click “like” on our homepage)
Facebook 53rdNewsletter29May2017	Get instant updates of what is happening at MALSD. Go to our website and on our homepage click on “ Like ” and you will become part of our Facebook Family!!

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