# December Newsletter shortdancestudios.com/ 651-552-9778 715-246-2300

### **Upcoming Events:**

Dec 2<sup>nd</sup> – Coloring Contest begins

Dec. 5<sup>th</sup> – Deadline to reg. for SDS Convention

Dec. 16<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup> - Christmas Fun Week! Christmas apparel will be handed out upon its arrival. We will send an email

Dec. 23<sup>nd</sup> – Jan. 5<sup>th</sup> – No Dance Classes – Winter Break!

#### Jan. 6ª – Classes Resume

Jan.11<sup>th</sup> – Mini Camp!



**Merry Christmas from SHORT DANCE STUDIOS!** What a blessing this dance season has been so far. We wish each and every one of our dance families a healthy and happy holiday season. Costumes for the recital have been chosen and soon you will see the pictures at the front desk! As the winter weather approaches, we want to remind you to check your email for cancellations, which will be our first method of communication. We are excited to celebrate Christmas Fun week with all the SDS dancers! As always please ask the office if you have any questions. **Thank you for your continued support**,

#### **Short Dance Studios**

### **Convention 2025 & 6 Week Session Classes!**

Everyone is welcome to participate in this year's SDS convention on January 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>. This is the only convention in the area with small class sizes, over \$2,400 in scholarships, as well as free t-shirts and autographs. Get inspired and motivated with instructors from across the country. The convention is open to ALL dancers (not just current students) ages 7 and up. **Reg. by Dec. 5th.** 

The next 6-week session starts the week of Jan. 20<sup>th</sup>. If you have a new friend, neighbor or family member that didn't get a chance to join in the fall, the winter session is a great time to start. **Receive a \$20 referral credit for all new** 

### **Christmas Fun Week & Coloring Contest!!**

Calling all artists! Stop at the desk to get your coloring sheet to enter our contest! Also, begin bringing in your homemade tree ornaments with your name, year and picture on it to make our studio festive! Coloring pages are due Dec.12<sup>th</sup>.

Christmas Fun Week at the studio is Dec.  $16^{th} - 19^{th}$ . There will be many fun activities, cookies, punch and dancers are welcome to wear Christmas or winter accessories! Parents will be invited into the classroom, during part of the class, to be a special audience while the dancers perform what they have learned so far on their recital dance. This is a great time to video so dancers can practice over break.

## **Band App and Practicing at Home!**

All teachers should have their music on their "Band" page, an app in the Play store. Here you can find all of your dancers' music and possibly some videos of choreography. The more practice outside of the classroom the more productive each class can be and the more successful and confident each dancer will become. We thank all of our parents in advance for helping to facilitate practicing at home.