



JANUARY NEWSLETTER



AFPA is Proud to Welcome Jazzercise to the Studio!

In keeping with our mission to be the premier dance studio in North Scottsdale, we are proud to offer adult Jazzercise classes available -- new for 2017!

Please check the front desk for the most up to date schedule.

Recital Costume Balances Now Due

By now your dancer should have brought home their recital costume balances. These are due upon receipt.

Please turn in your form with payment.

Thank you!

Adaptive Force Performing Arts January 2017 Newsletter

Dear AFPA Family,

Whew! Can you believe it's the last day in January. We've been so busy working with all of our dancers that we almost forgot to get our monthly newsletter out.

Please make sure you read this newsletter, along with the emails from the studio. We try hard not to inundate you with email, but it is our most efficient way of communicating all of the details with you. Plus, you can always go back and reference past emails or newsletters if needed. We also archive previous newsletters on our website under About Us.

We have so many fun things happening over the next few months. We don't want you to miss any important details. From Suns pregame and half-time performances to our 1st Annual Daddy/Daughter Dance to learning recital choreography and upcoming conventions/competitions, we are beyond excited for you to be part of it all -- and part of our amazing AFPA family!

Warmly,

Mike & Amber Wittmers
Proud Owners of AFPA

Do You Hear Disneyland Calling Your Dancer?

We are proud to once again offer a chance to perform at Disneyland in their 2017 Holiday Spectacular! We can not wait to work with your dancer as we create magical memories for you and your family!

If you are interested in participating in the Dance The Magic Holiday Spectacular with AFPA, [click here for the informational](#)



We will have an informational meeting on Friday February 10th from 5:30-6:30 at AFPA during which we will answer all your questions about performing with us at Disneyland! From past experience this is a fun and rewarding experience for your dancer and your entire family.

Dancers must be enrolled with AFPA for the fall 2017 season and remain enrolled through December 31st, 2017

Dancers must be 7yrs old by November 16th, 2017

Way To Go AFPA January Students Of The Month!



Mia McGarity - AFPA G-Force Dance Company Member

Mia is 14 years old and a member of our Electric Force Competition Team. Although this is Mia's first official year at AFPA, we have seen her at many of our Master Classes in the past and already knew what a hard worker she was in class. Her teachers have all commented on her commitment to get choreography correct and willingness to

accept critiques and instruction with an intent of always making things better.

A few weeks ago Mia was awarded a Regional Scholarship at The Pulse on Tour dance convention in Atlantic City. More recently, at Radix Dance Convention, she was awarded a "Core Performer" scholarship and in competition her solo placed 3rd overall out of 164 Teen solos! This weekend, she will be headed down to San Diego with three other G-Force Dance Company team members, to be featured in an Urban Empire/Pastry Shoes photo shoot and ad campaign. We are so happy to have Mia on our team and proud of her hard work this season!

Raven Teegarden - AFPA Performance Company Member

Raven is about to turn 8 years old in February and has been with AFPA for five years. This is her first year as a member of our Performance Company and she is part of our Friction Force.

Raven has been working very hard in her classes and according to Miss Brittany, she asks all the right questions and really tries to understand the material given to her. Raven shines on stage and is kind to all of her team members. We love having Raven on our Performance Company and are so proud of her progress this year!



Lindsey Maximoff - AFPA Academy Dancer



Lindsey is 11 years old and attends Black Mountain Elementary School. This is her third season with AFPA and she currently takes Ballet, Tap, and Hip-Hop. Lindsey has improved so much this season and her teachers are very proud of her.

Most notably is her progress in Tap. Lindsey had never tapped with Mr. Mike before but has accepted the challenge with flying colors. Her knowledge of tap vocabulary and ability to remember tap steps have improved tremendously in just a few short months. We are so happy to have Lindsey's smiling face in our classes at AFPA and look forward to seeing her perform in our recital!

AFPA Announces 1st Annual Daddy/Daughter Dance - Competition and Company Dancers Only...

This year we are starting a new tradition.....the Daddy/Daughter dance!

The Daddy/Daughter Dance will happen in the Saturday June 3rd, 6:30pm show ONLY! The Daddy/Daughter Dance will be the first dance after intermission. This way all the dads can enjoy the entire show!

Because this is the first Daddy/Daughter Dance, we understand new things usually start small and grow over time. We are hopeful at least 10 Competition and Company families will participate.

Tell your husbands (grandpas, older brothers and uncles are welcome, too) that it's their turn to be part of the show!

You received permission form for rehearsal dates, costume and participation fee via email, but just in case you missed it, [click here](#) to access it again.

Please return your completed forms to the AFPA front desk by Friday, February 17th.

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