



Newsletter

December 2018

Pajama Week *December 17-22*

Our Pajama Week fundraiser begins on December 17th. Pay \$1 and wear your PJ's to class (proper dance shoes are still required).

Late Costume Payments

Late costume payments are due January 31st. A \$15 shipping and handling fee per costume will apply. Please note that we cannot guarantee that your costume will arrive in time for Picture Week or that your costume will be available for order in January. Availability will depend on the vendor.



The True Meaning of Christmas By Eugene W. Miller

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Once again it's Christmas Time,
time for us to be,
Busy wrapping presents
and setting up the tree.
It seems we have so many things,
to think of and to do,
We may forget that Christmas,
has a deeper meaning too.
A meaning that goes far beyond,
the things the eye can see,
Such as Holly wreaths, Mistletoe,
and Gifts beneath the tree.
For these are only Symbols,
of what happened Christmas morn,
When in a little manger,
GOD's only Son was born.
GOD put HIM here upon this Earth,
with one idea in mind.
To put New Hope around the World,
and LOVE in all Mankind.
So even though we're busy,
and have many things to do,
Let's not forget that Christmas,
has a deeper Meaning too.

2018-2019 Calendar

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October 24-30 – Dress-up Week Fundraiser. Pay \$1 and wear your favorite costume to class.

October 31 – Closed for Harvest Festivals

November 3-4 – Gulf Coast Arts Festival

November 12-17 – Costume Ordering Week (Parents Must Attend)

November 19-24 – Closed for Thanksgiving

November 30-December 1 – PYB's "The Nutcracker"

December 1 – Costume Payments Due by 11 am

December 17-22 – PJ Week Fundraiser. Pay \$1 and wear your favorite pajamas to class.

December 24-January 5 – Closed for Christmas Holidays

January 7 – Classes Resume. Tuition due by January 12th.

January 31 – Late Costume Payments Due

March 11-16 – Costume Fitting Week (Parents Must Attend)

March 18-23 – Closed for Spring Break

April 8-13 (New Date) – Photo Week (Parents Must Attend)

April 20 (New Date) – Program Ads and Photo Orders Due by 11 am

May 4 – T-shirt and Program Orders Due

May 27 – Closed for Memorial Day

May 28-June 4 – In-studio Rehearsals

June 5-6 – Tech Days at the Saenger Theatre

June 7 – Showcase Performance at the Saenger Theatre

June 8 – Production Performance at the Saenger Theatre

LPA will be closed Dec. 24-Jan. 5
Classes Resume January 7th

**Congratulations to our
December Student of the Month:
Ahkira Ware**

Selected by Ms. Raven



Thank you to everyone who came out to support the Pensacola Youth Ballet's performance of "The Nutcracker." This year's performances were in support of two worthy causes:

Serena Schwerfeger, a longtime LPA student, who for the past 12 years has been living with a primary immunodeficiency disorder. You can learn more about Serena here:

<https://www.gofundme.com/serenasseattletrip>.

The Secret Place, a home for young girls, ages 12-17, who are survivors of Human Sex Trafficking. Visit their website to learn more about this wonderful organization, <https://www.theseecretplacehome.org>



Congratulations to the Cast of "Aladdin"

Aladdin – Noah Brigham
Princess – Taylor Respress
Genie – Kevin Carff
Young Aladdin – Joshua List
Sultan – Maximus Rogers
Sultan's Adviser – KyVon Burton
Scheherezade – Baylen Crance
Evil King – Andrew Waltrip
Aladdin's Uncle – Dalin Newerls
Evil Sidekick – Athena Rogers
The Princess' Pet Tiger – Jolee Sangillo
Aladdin's Mother – Abigail Efird
Genie's Choir – Sydni Adkinson, Gracie Hamilton,
Genie Springer, Marcia Tolbert

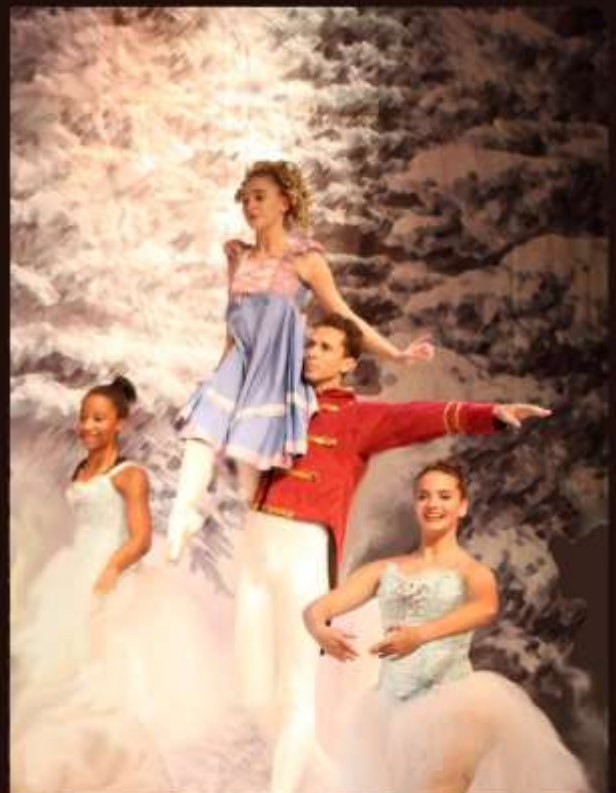


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