



2013-2014 Calendar

August 19 Classes Begin September 2 Closed for Labor Day October 31 Closed for Halloween and Harvest Festivals November 1-3 Greater Gulf Coast Arts Festival November 16-22 Costume Week (Parents Must Attend) November 23 Costume Payments Due November 25-30 Closed for Thanksgiving Holiday December 23-January 4 Closed for Christmas Holidays January 31 Late Costume Payments Due March 10-15 Costume Fitting Week (Parents Must Attend) March 17-22 Closed for Spring Break April 7-12 Picture Week (Parents Must Attend) April 19 Final Day to Turn in Program Ads May 26 Closed for Memorial Day May 30 (Tentative) In-studio Rehearsal for Showcase (all recreational classes and solos only) May 31 (Tentative) In-studio Rehearsal for Production June 2 (Tentative) In-Studio Rehearsal for Production Act 1 June 3 (Tentative) In-Studio Rehearsal for Production Act 2 June 4 (Tentative) Tech Rehearsal for Showcase at UWF June 5 (Tentative) Dress Rehearsal for Showcase at UWF June 6 (Tentative) In-Studio Rehearsal for Showcase (LPAC only) June 8 (Tentative) Showcase Performances at UWF June 9-11 (Tentative) Production Tech Week at UWF Theatre June 12-14 (Tentative) Production Performance at UWF Theatre

**October Newsletter** 

# **Special Announcements**







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# **Sponsorship Opportunity**

The ads appearing on the sides of this newsletter are local businesses that support our school. Please take a moment to visit their websites which you can access through our website. We want to thank these businesses for their assistance and take advantage of the services they offer. If you are interested in placing an ad with us, you may do so for \$200.00 which includes 10 copies of our newsletter, and all other programs printed throughout the year (usually 5) as well as acknowledgements before each show.

For more information contact Michael@labelleperformingarts.com

# \$5.00 Dinner Nights!!!

Don't cook at home, get your dinner from us!! LPAC will be doing \$5.00 dinner nights upstairs to help raise money for competition season. Menus and dates will be posted soon. Please help us by kicking up your heels and letting us cook your dinner.

# **October Market**

Please come out to support our October market craft and gift fundraiser on Oct. 19<sup>th</sup> from 9AM-3PM at Gonzalez Methodist Church. The church is located at 2026 Pauline Street in Cantonment, FI. This will be a fun filled family day and perfect for all your Christmas shopping. All proceeds support LaBelle Performing Arts Company as they begin competition season.



# **Costume Deposits**

We would like to encourage those participating in the end of the year productions to start making deposits towards your costume fees in advance of the due date. This will help in spreading the payment out. Costume payments will be due in full by November 23<sup>rd</sup>. Your costumes cannot be ordered unless they are paid for, so please be sure we receive all payments on time. Thank you.

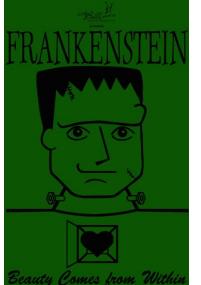


# **Dress-up Week (Fundraiser)**

Don't forget to wear your most creative costumes the week of October 24<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup>. This will be your one opportunity during the year to skip the dress code and get a little crazy. Pay one dollar each day you have classes to wear your favorite costume. We encourage students to make their own!! The funds raised will be used to enhance the programs at LaBelle Performing Arts throughout the year.



#### SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT!!



This year's end of year production will be FRANKENSTEIN Loosely based on the story we all know and love, our production will focus on the message "Beauty Comes from Within".



www.thewomensgroup.org (850) 476-3696

# Scholarship Winners!!

Congratulations Ashton, Bailey, Athena!! These three students received full scholarships to NRG dance project this past weekend based on their dedication and excellence during rehearsals with Mr. Nick Gonzalez. We're so proud of your hard work!



# Splits Club.....Coming Soon

If you have all three of your splits (right, left, and center) then you could tryout for the splits club. You'll get your picture taken in your favorite split to be featured on the LaBelle Performing Arts wall of fame!

> "Don't Forget" We're closed October 31



#### Mid-Year Ballet Benefit (Jan. 18<sup>th</sup>)

This year's Ballet production will be *Pinocchio*!! We are so excited to be able to offer our students this additional performance opportunity as well as to help other non-profit organizations who work with children in our own community. Last year's production raised \$5,000.00 for The Snoezelen Foundation of Escambia Westgate School (serving children with severe disabilities). We hope to make this year's performance even bigger. Please help us by buying a ticket. Ticket information will be available soon.