

# **NOVEMBER 2018 NEWSLETTER – RECREATIONAL DANCE**

### **OPEN HALF TERM WEEK**

The school is open as usual during October half term week. It is vital to attend all sessions as we are now in the final few months of preparation for our showcase on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

#### WINTER SHOWCASE RAFFLE

We will be holding a winter showcase raffle to help fund our event at Telford International Centre. Each dancer will be given 5 tickets to sell @ £1 each (8 tickets for families with more than 1 athlete). I will send a text to parents as each group are given their allocated tickets to inform you they have them in their bags (I know kids don't always tell you). These will be handed out in labelled envelopes which should be used to send back your tickets stubs and collected cash. We will need all stubs and cash returned by Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November. If you can sell more than the allocated tickets, please see me to collect extra. Main prizes include; pamper day for 2, panto tickets for 2, pandora necklace, prosecco afternoon tea, Thorntons hamper plus many more prizes. The draw will take place at the showcase on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> December.

#### SHOWCASE DVD'S

I would like to remind you that photography and videoing is not allowed at the event due to child protection laws. However, we have arranged for the showcase to be recorded by Apex Visuals therefore DVD's will be available to order. These will cost £20 and must be pre-ordered by Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November. Please send cash in a labelled envelope to place your order.

# WINTER SHOWCASE TICKETS ON SALE

Tickets for this event are now on sale. If you cannot attend the academy to purchase your tickets at the times below, please send your order with cash in a labelled envelope and I will arrange tickets for you.

Monday to Friday Between 4.00pm and 4.30pm Saturdays Between 4.30 and 6.30pm

Seating will be tiered at this venue therefore viewing will be excellent for all spectators.

# DETAILS FOR SHOWDAY SUNDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> DECEMBER

Performers will be required at TELFORD INTERNATIONAL CENTRE at 12pm ready for rehearsals to start at 12.30pm. The show will start at 5pm, finishing at around 7pm. Please remember to bring along all costumes, food and refreshments for the day. A full costume list with hair and make-up will be available on the SA website in the next few weeks. Please note, we have been informed that there is a charge of £4.50 for parking your car at the International therefore it may be worth-while organising a lift share to save on cost. This will not be applicable when dropping off your children for rehearsals as we have organised a drop off point free of charge. This will mean that you will only be allowed up to 15 mins to drop off and leave the drop off point but this should give you plenty of time to sign your child in with us.

### **CONTACT DETAILS FOR ENQUIRES**

Could I please request that all future enquiries of any sort are sent by email to the appropriate coach. As I get numerous texts throughout the day, unfortunately some may get missed or delayed as I have to wait to discuss with the appropriate coaches. Therefore, please avoid sending texts and send emails to:-

Dance related queries: beckie@sadanceandcheer.co.uk
Cheer/Gym related queries: lauren@sadanceandcheer.co.uk
Any other queries: sharon@sadanceandcheer.co.uk

Also, please avoid asking questions at the Academy as Sharon and other coaches are busy during opening hours and will not be available to answer questions.

#### SA SUPREME AND REIGN FUNDRAISING

As you are all probably aware, we will be heading out to Florida to represent the Academy again in April 2019 with not one but TWO Supreme dance teams along with a Florida Travel Cheerleading team - REIGN who will be competing at The Summit! We are excited and proud to be flying the flag for SA once again and will be giving our all during training and at the competitions themselves.

Obviously, there is a cost associated with this and so we have come up with some fab fundraising ideas that we would love you to get involved with and below, you will find a calendar of our upcoming events and other stuff we have going on.

<u>Event</u>	Where?	When?
Halloween cake sale and tombola	The Academy	Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup> October
Cheshire Oaks Trip**	Leaving from the Academy carpark	Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> November
Christmas Fayre***	ASAN The Workspace Atrium	Saturday 1 <sup>st</sup> December
Christmas scavenger hunt	anywhere you can find treasure	throughout December

<sup>\*\*</sup> Cheshire Oaks trip – coach leaves from the academy car park at 09.30 hrs on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> November and returns at approximately 7pm. Bucks fizz and pastries will be served on the coach and you will get free entry into our prize draw to win a £50 voucher to spend. Cost of this is just £25 with a £ deposit payable to secure your seat.

\*\*\* The Christmas fayre this year will be held on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> December just down the road from the Academy at The Workspace, All Saints Rd, Wolverhampton WV2 1EL. We already have some stalls confirmed but if you or anyone you know would like to have a stall at the event then please speak to any Supreme/Reign Mom or Beth, who can give you more information. Stalls will be £15 in the Atrium or £10 in the hall and tables will be provided.

Supreme are raffling off a frame filled with £50 worth of National Lottery scratch cards and you can buy tickets for this from the Academy/one of the Supreme parents and/or the Supreme and Reign facebook fundraising page.

Reign are doing a sponsored 'flips to Florida' so if anyone would like to sponsor them, then please get in touch with one of the Reign athletes or parents.

Alongside these events we also have the bonus ball raffles, which have been a huge success so far. Winners have received prizes such as a £50 Excel voucher, £115 worth of training kit paid for, an SA backpack and £100 first entry comp fees paid! If you would like to join in with these then please join the Supreme and Reign Fundraising page on facebook where they are posted.

Thank you for all of your support, it means the World to us and we hope to do you all proud.

Love, Supreme and Reign. Xx