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January 2009 Newsletter

Dear Parents and Students:

Hopefully everyone has had a wonderful start to a new year and has been able to get some much-needed rest during the holiday season.

All of the staff would like to take this opportunity to thank you for all of the beautiful gifts and well wishes we received during the holiday season.

As you are all aware, this is perhaps the busiest time of the season for all of us at the studio. We are currently preparing for our annual recital, "Viva Las Vegas." In the coming months, you will receive all the necessary information for tickets, t-shirts, and rehearsal/recital scheduling. Please watch your e-mails or stop at the front desk to pick up information.

Sincerely,

Miss Donna and Miss Nicole

Announcements

New Program Offering Continues!

No school, No Problem! We are very excited that our Activity Days have been successful. The children have been so happy to dance, sing, play games, make arts and crafts, and enjoy a day of fun with their friends. Join us this month on January 19, 2009 for more fun. The cost is \$35.00 from 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM or \$45.00 from 7:30 AM - 5:30 PM. Children can watch movies, play games, dance, sing, and have fun! They can bring snacks and lunch or purchase it via the studio vending machines. We will have pizza and soda/water/iced tea available for \$5.00. Children must be registered in advance. Please call the office as soon as possible to register.

Shoes

Please be sure to put your dance shoes on once in the studio as the hallways can be messy from the winter weather.

Studio Closings

Seven Star School does not follow the Brewster Central School District calendar. We have a schedule of our own for holidays and studio closings. Please see the list of holiday closings at the end of this newsletter.

Announcements (continued)

Studio Cancellations

Classes at Seven Star School are cancelled due to inclement weather only if we feel it is not safe for you and our teachers to be on the road. All closings for afternoon classes—classes starting at/after 4:00 PM—will be broadcasted on WHUD (100.7 FM) by 1:00 PM. Classes starting before 4:00 PM are cancelled if Brewster Central School District is closed. Closing announcements will be posted on our website's home page as well as distributed via e-mail. You may also call the studio at (845) 278-0728 ext. 7 for information. If, when calling, you do not get the studio's answering machine, it is very likely that the studio does not have power. In that situation, we advise you to check the website or WHUD (100.7 FM) for updates.



Make-Up Classes

Students are encouraged to attend make-up classes that they may have missed. Please check the **Schedules** page on the Seven Star School website to find a comparable class.

Costumes

Costumes for our annual dance recital have been ordered. Pictures will be posted throughout the studio once we receive confirmation from the companies that we can obtain all of the costumes we ordered.



Photo Slideshow

As you may have noticed, there is a new photo slideshow on the main page of our website. Students and parents are encouraged to submit their photos to be included in the slideshow. Landscape-oriented pictures are recommended! Please submit all photos to webmaster@sevenstarschool.com.

Upcoming Holidays

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| • February 16, 2009 – February 20, 2009 | Winter Break – No Classes |
| • April 6, 2009 – April 12, 2009 | Spring Break – No Classes |
| • May 25, 2009 | Memorial Day – No Classes |

Please remember to check the Seven Star School website for all the latest information and updates!