IBA JANUARY NEWS!

HAPPY NEW YEAR!! We're all hoping for a great year!

We hope you all had a wonderful Holiday Break. We had a wonderful time with almost our whole family here. But now it's time to get back to reality, so here we go!

First - CONGRATULATIONS to our coaches, Sam Fisher and Sara Christensen! They got married on Dec 23. We are so happy for them! (pictures attached)

THIS MONTH'S NEWS

- All teams, tech classes, and lessons resume next week, all at their normal times.
- Winter Semester Tech Classes & Semi-Private lessons: Tech classes and Semi-private Lessons will run Jan March, beginning next week. All dancers continuing in these classes need to register for the winter semester (click the corresponding link).

<u>Tech Class Registration</u> Semi-Private Lessons

- POSTPONED: EAST IDAHO BALLROOM CONCERT. We've just received the news that this concert is postponed due to the restrictions at the Civic Auditorium. The new date (hoped for) is Feb 27.
- **Middle School Ballroom:** The Registration will start this month. The classes will start late January or early February. (This is for students who aren't on an IBA team). The classes are Weds, 3:30 4:30, at th Middle School.
- **Girls Hair and Make-up Workshops.** There will be demonstrations later this month at the end of the Pre and Jr classes. Watch for a schedule to come separately.
- Pee Wee registration (1st 4th grades). All those who were in Pee Wees last year will get an e-mail reminder later this month about registration. If you have a little dancer you want to add to the Pee Wee lists, please send me their name and grade. Classes will start in March and run for 8 weeks.

DATES TO KEEP ON YOUR CALENDARS: We are still planning on these events as scheduled, but we know that circumstances may change. We'll keep you informed of any changes.

• UTAH CLASSIC, Feb 19-20, Legacy Center, Farmington UT.

All IBA Junior and Senior team dancers participate in this event. Pre-Teens and

Pre-Juniors don't go as a team, but may attend independently if they want to.

Friday: Junior teams and individuals. (Pre-T/Pre-Jr events also this day.)

Saturday morning: Senior team events

Saturday afternoon: Senior individuals (syllabus and open)

• GEM STATE CLASSIC. Mar 25-26-27 (3 days). Thunder Ridge High School, Idaho Falls.

Here is the General Schedule. Details will be sent later.

Thur, Mar 25:

- 1. Pre-Teens/Pre-Juniors team (morning) and individual events (afternoon)
- 2. Solo Cabaret, evening

Fri, Mar 26

Junior and Senior Team Competitions

Sat. Mar 27

Junior and Senior Individual Events. Syllabus in the morning and afternoon; open in the evening.

There will be more info coming out separately with details about coming events and also info to specific teams as needed. Please stay tuned to your inbox!

Please feel free to contact me with any questions or concerns.

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