

November 2023 Newsletter



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Holidazzle Performance Information

All of our Recreational, Jump Start & After School Program classes perform in the Holidazzle.

Date: Saturday, December 16, 2023

Location: Barker's Island Inn Ballroom, 300 Marina Dr, Superior

Performance Times: Each class is listed under one of the 9 performance times.

What to Wear: Performers will wear their favorite Christmas outfit for all of their class performances.

Please arrive at the performance venue ready to perform.

Performance Arrival: Performers & audience members should arrive approximately 15 minutes before their performance time to allow the audience members from the previous show to exit the ballroom and make seating space available for the next performance.

Video & Photography: Families are welcome to take pictures and record their child's performance during the Holidazzle.

Performance Time: 11:00

- Mon 5:30 Mommy & Me
- Sat 9:15 Preschool Dance Twirl
- Sat 9:45 Preschool Ballet

Performance Time: 11:45

- Wed 4:00 AcroDance Minis
- Wed 4:45 Preschool Hip Hop
- Mon 4:00 Jump Start Dance Twirl 1

Performance Time: 12:30

- Tuesday Twinkle Star Dance Classes
- Tue 5:00 Preschool Dance Twirl
- Thu 4:15 Preschool Ballet

Performance Time: 1:15

- Sat 9:00 Tap & Ballet, ages 5-8
- Sat 9:45 Dance Twirl, ages 5-8
- Mon 7:00 Jump Start Acro 1

Performance Time: 2:00

- Wed 4:00 Hip Hop, ages 5-8
- Wed 7:00 AcroDance & Tumbling 1
- Mon 4:45 Jump Start Ballet 1

Performance Time: 2:45

- Tue 3:30 After School Program, Grades K-2
- Tue 5:00 AcroDance & Tumbling 1
- Tue 5:45 Sassy Jazz, ages 5-8
- Tue 6:30 Dance Twirl, ages 5-8

Performance Time: 3:30

- Thu 3:30 After School Program, Grades 3-5
- Thu 6:45 Dance Twirl, ages 9-12
- Mon 4:00 Jump Start Ballet 2
- Mon 5:30 Jump Start Hip Hop

Performance Time: 4:15

- Wed 7:00 Ballet, ages 9+
- Thu 5:00 Jazz & Lyrical Fusion, 9-12
- Mon 6:15 Jump Start Dance Twirl 2
- Sat 10:30 Dance Twirl, ages 9+

Performance Time: 5:00

- Mon 7:00 Dance Twirl, ages 13+
- Mon 7:45 Jump Start AcroDance 2
- Wed 6:15 Jazz & Lyrical, ages 13+
- Thu 7:30 Tween/Teen Hip Hop

Pizza Breakfast Buffet with FREE SANTA PHOTOS!

The PASS Foundation has partnered with the Log Cabin to host a family-friendly ALL YOU CAN EAT breakfast pizza buffet, featuring live Sunday Morning Brunch Music by Born Too Late, and the opportunity for your child to visit with Santa!

TAKE ALL THE FREE SANTA PHOTOS YOU WANT from 9:00-12:00!

Tickets are just \$10 for all ages. 100% of the proceeds of all ticket sales are being generously donated by the Log Cabin to the PASS Foundation for the traveling CO91 Scholarship Fund.

All studio families are invited to presell tickets for \$3 profit per ticket. Tara will be at the studio on Tuesday's and Thursday's 3:30-5:00 if you would like to pick-up tickets to sell!

- **Date:** Sunday, December 3
- **Time:** 9:00 am to Noon
- **Location:** Log Cabin, 2821 County Rd E, South Range, WI 54874
- **Tickets:** \$10 - Presale & At the door the day of the event

OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!! INVITE YOUR FRIENDS!

All-You-Can-Eat
Breakfast Pizza Buffet

- **FREE Photos with Santa!**
- **Free Drawings!**
- **Raffle Tickets!**
- **Live Music by:** **BORN TOO LATE**

Log Cabin Tavern
PASS FOUNDATION
Sterling Silver Studio

Spring Recital Costume Orders Due Nov 15

You will be ordering your costumes through Sterling Silver Studio by filling out a Google Order Form. The ordering information will be emailed to families when Connie has your class information ready: "[Class Name] Costume Order Form"

COSTUMES:

Each class will have a different costume. Costume ordering information will be emailed to each class.

ORDERING:

All orders will be placed on the Google Form that is included in your email. Each class will have a different Google Form link.

SAMPLE COSTUMES:

Trying on sample costumes is the best way to know what size your performer will need. We will have sample costumes available to try on in the Studio Boutique.

MEASUREMENTS:

After trying on a sample costume, if you still want measurements for your child, ask our staff in the Boutique to measure your child.

When ordering your Spring Recital costume, **girth** is the most important measurement (measuring from top of shoulder, around through the legs and back up to the shoulder). Costumes will stretch in the bust, waist and hips, but don't really stretch length ways in the girth.

PERFORMER GROWTH:

These costumes will be worn for recital pictures March 18-23 and for Spring Recital on April 27-28. Order according to your child's growing patterns or if they are due for a growth spurt.

COSTUME CHARGES:

Costume charges for each class will be added to your ledger by our Costume Manager, Connie, when you submit the Costume Google Order Form.

If you DO NOT plan on performing in the Spring Showcase on April 27-28, please contact Connie and she can remove the costume charges and take your child's name off the costume list.

Connie@SterlingSilverStudio.com

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

You may pay for your costumes with cash, check, credit card, account on file, and fundraiser money. Costumes must be paid in full before they are ordered.

Select your payment option at the bottom of your Google Form when ordering your costumes.

Cathedral Families: Scrip Certificates and credits cannot be used towards costume orders.

The P.A.S.S. Foundation

The Performing Arts Student Scholarship Foundation (P.A.S.S.) is a non-profit organization with officers and members who consist of parents & grandparents who have children enrolled at Sterling Silver Studio and adult students with an interest in performing arts.

P.A.S.S. hosts all of the fundraisers that take place throughout the year. P.A.S.S. is also responsible for the scholarship fund which is available to help families in need who want their children to be able to participate in the arts. In addition to fund-raising and scholarship programs, P.A.S.S. sponsors many fun events throughout the year!

If you would like to be more involved, please contact

Wally Olson at olson10209@aol.com

Visit the P.A.S.S. Foundation Facebook page:

www.facebook.com/PASSFoundationSuperior/



Fundraiser Money

Funds will be available soon in the P.A.S.S. Foundation account from the fall fundraisers. Tara will post in the Current Families Facebook Group as soon as they're available.

The P.A.S.S. Foundation hosts all of the fund-raisers that take place throughout the year. Studio parent volunteers run and organize the fundraisers.

After fundraisers are complete the parent volunteers calculate what each child contributed to the fundraiser. The P.A.S.S. Foundation keeps the funds in an account for the family to use. This information is only viewable to Sterling Silver Studio staff. You can find out how much funds you have available by asking in the Studio Boutique or emailing Connie@sterlingsilverstudio.com. Funds are listed under the child's name.

Families can use funds to pay for tuition, costumes or anything you can purchase in the Sterling Silver Studio Boutique.

How To Use Your Funds:

1. **For Tuition:** Before the first of the month, Email Connie@sterlingsilverstudio.com or inform the desk staff to apply your funds to your studio family ledger.
2. **For Costumes:** Select the "Use Fundraiser Money" when filling out your Google Form for costume orders.
3. **For Merchandise:** When making a purchase you can inform the desk staff you would like to use fundraiser money for that purchase.

Join Our Group on Facebook!

We have a closed group on Facebook for all of our currently registered families: "Current Families of Sterling Silver Studio". A group where Studio parents and family members can connect, ask questions, and share experiences. This is where we post updates, information and event reminders.

Facebook @SSSCurrentFamilies



Don't Miss Out!

Make sure you're not missing any important emails from Sterling Silver Studio! Add our email address to your contacts list, so we get to your inbox. info@sterlingsilverstudio.com

Gmail: drag one of our emails to your Primary box & select YES in lower box

Wreath Pick-up Thank You Parade Volunteers!

PICK-UP INFORMATION

- DATE: Wednesday, November 15
- TIME: 12:00-6:00 PM
- LOCATION: Floral and Garden Center, 821 Hammond Ave, Superior.

ORDERS

You will need your order form when you pick up your wreaths, so make sure you get yours back from the desk.

QUESTIONS?

If you have any questions please message Tara Cockerham at 218-391-1742 or by email at billtara0101@hotmail.com.

We would like to thank all of our parade volunteers that helped with summer and fall parades. We appreciate your hard work and being part of our Proud Parent Support Group! We wouldn't be able to produce large parade productions like this without you.

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| Alexa Connolly | Jackie Rankin | Margit Gilbertson |
| Allison Kimmes | Jamie Peterson | Mary VanHordweder |
| Amanda Carlson | Jaime Nygaard | Mindy Hart |
| Amanda Powe | Jamie Nord | Paul Gucinski |
| Amanda Valentine | Jeanine Edstrom | Reba Copeland |
| Annissa Callaghan | Jerry Thompson | Rena Flaherty |
| Barb Larson | Jodi Eastman | Samantha Robbins |
| Bill Cockerham | Kacee Nikunen | Sarah Matheson |
| Bob Eastman | Karen Gucinski | Sarah Salo |
| Carrie Thompson | Kaylee VanHornweder | Susan Peterson |
| Casey Herubin | Kurt Larson | Tara Cockerham |
| Cyndi Hathaway | Lindsay Mertz | Wally Olson |
| Deidre Bouvine | Lisa Huss | Wintra Renfroe |
| Emily Cahill | Lydia Shinkle | |

Coffee, Fudge, Cards & Stickers

Window Stickers are now available for pick-up at the studio.

As soon as we have pick-up dates for the other fundraisers, Tara will post the information in the Current Families Facebook Group.

Questions: message, parent volunteer, Tara at 218-391-1742 or Facebook messenger [m.me/tara.haas.92](https://www.facebook.com/m.me/tara.haas.92)

Come to class in your PJs & Comfy Clothes!

We had a blast seeing you all in your Halloween costumes, so we are inviting all students to wear their favorite pajamas to class right before Thanksgiving.

Dress in your Pajamas and Comfy Clothes
Wed, Nov 16 to
Tue, Nov 22



Studio Event Calendar

- Nov 7—Breakfast Pizza Fundraiser Ticket Pick-up, 3:30-5:00
- Nov 9—Breakfast Pizza Fundraiser Ticket Pick-up, 3:30-5:00
- Nov 11—Twirler for a Day Performance at Minnesota State University, Mankato, Football Game Halftime
- Nov 14—Grades K-2 Group Rehearsal for Christmas City Parades
- Nov 14—Breakfast Pizza Fundraiser Ticket Pick-up, 3:30-5:00
- Nov 15—Spring Recital Costume Orders Due
- Nov 15—Wreath Pick-up
- Nov 16—Grades 3 & over Group Rehearsal for Christmas City Parades
- Nov 16—Breakfast Pizza Fundraiser Ticket Pick-up, 3:30-5:00
- Nov 15-21—Pajama Week in Classes
- Nov 17—Christmas City of the North Parade
- Nov 21—Breakfast Pizza Fundraiser Ticket Pick-up, 3:30-5:00
- Nov 22 & 23—No Classes, Thanksgiving Break
- Nov 25—Saturday classes still meeting
- Nov 28—Breakfast Pizza Fundraiser Ticket Pick-up, 3:30-5:00
- Nov 30—Breakfast Pizza Fundraiser Ticket Pick-up, 3:30-5:00
- Dec 3—Breakfast Pizza Fundraiser, Log Cabin Tavern, 9:00-Noon
- Dec 9-15—Christmas/Holiday Dress-up Week
- Dec 16—No Classes
- Dec 16—Holidazzle Performances for Recreational & Jump Start Classes, Barker's Island Inn Ballroom
- Dec 17-Jan 1—No Classes, Winter Break
- Jan 2—All Classes Resume
- Feb 2—2/2 is Tutu Day! Send us pictures of you in a tutu, so we can share your picture on our social media. Tag us in your posts.

Christmas City of the North Parade Info

Students registered for the Christmas City of the North parade are required to attend the final parade rehearsal:

- Grades K-2 on Tue, Nov 14, 4:00-5:00
- Grades 3 & over on Thu, Nov, 16, 4:00-5:00

Practice will start inside to learn their placement in the line-up and review the routine. They will then go outside to practice moving and staying in lines. This parade moves faster than Spooktacular and stops and starts many times due to the commercial breaks.

Parade: Fri, Nov 17

Board Buses: 5:30 at the studio, ready to perform & KBJR's Emergency Treatment form in your pocket.

Unit Number: D4 - Section D is the last section of the parade, so our group will be in the last half of the parade.

Parade Begins: Live air time is 6:20 on KBJR.

Performers: Please wear the fall parade uniform.

1. 2023 Pink or Blue Studio Barbie Parade Hoodie
2. Parade Accessories:
 - Scrunchie (Hair in High Ponytail)
 - Legwarmers
 - Glasses
3. All Black Pants
4. All Black Gloves
5. All Black Headband
6. All Black Shoes/Boots

Weather: The performers will be on the bus until our unit is ready to move in the parade. You do want to layer according to the weather, but performers do tend to get warm while they are performing in the parade.

Performer Pick-up: Make your way back to the studio after we pass the TV cameras. After we finish the parade, we will immediately board our buses and return to the studio.

Please meet your performer at the bus as we arrive at the studio.

NEW EVENING CLASS

★
★
★ *Twinkle Star*
DANCE

Tuesdays

4:30-5:00

Twinkle Babies

ages 2 & 3

Tap, Ballet, Jazz



Register now to receive your FREE Twinkle Bear and perform in the Holiday on Dec 16.

Letters to Santa

It's that time of year! Everyone's making their Christmas lists and trying hard to be on the Nice List. Write your letter to Santa, put in the mailbox in the studio lobby, and you'll receive a letter back.

Have your child sign the letter with their FIRST & LAST NAME for a quick response from Santa.

Get your letters in by Sat, Dec 2!



Donations to the Salvation Army

'Tis the season to spread the love and show support. Sterling Silver Studio is a collection place for the Salvation Army.

They are looking for **Personal Hygiene Products** (Toothbrush, toothpaste, comb, soap, etc.)

We are accepting donations through the month of December.

ATTENTION:

***This form must be on each performer & chaperone during the
Christmas City of the North Parade***

Everyone must have this on them before getting on the bus.

Christmas City of the North Parade

PERMIT FOR EMERGENCY TREATMENT

Full Name _____

Date of Birth _____

Medication Allergies _____

Other Allergies _____

Past Medical History (surgical, hospitalization, serious or chronic illness)

Is the person on medication? (Continuous/Intermittent)

Last Tetanus Immunization Date _____

Primary Physician/Health Plan _____

City _____ State _____ Zip Code _____ Phone () _____

Insurance Company _____ Policy# _____

I hereby request and permit the Emergency Room Physician, and any other physician the Doctor may wish to designate and their hospital personnel, to render to the above named patient any medical and/or surgical treatment he/she may require in my absence. I understand that any expenses incurred (ambulance, ER, surgical, etc.) with this treatment are the responsibility of the undersigned.

Christmas City of the North Parade on November 17, 2023

Signed _____

Print Name _____

Relationship to Patient _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone () _____ Phone () _____

Daytime

Evening