



Abbott's Performing Arts Center

ON YOUR TOES

December 2006



Happy Holidays to you and yours! This dance year is going by so quickly! The students are doing a wonderful job on learning their technique. After Christmas break, there will be a catalog for each class to see their costumes that we have selected for each class to wear in our BIG 20th Anniversary Production to be held June 22nd at the Hobby Center in Downtown Houston. In Jan, each class will begin working on choreography for the big show. It will be an exciting experience for the dancers, and hopefully, for our audience as well. More info on the show soon! We are hoping to have a list of dancers, by class- to ensure that proper costume order placements have been made. Keep your eye out for the list, that will be posted in our hallway soon. Please check, and double check that your dancer is listed with each class that they will perform with. If their name is not on the list, we have MESSED UP!! So be sure to let us know. If you haven't placed your order for costumes- IT IS NOT TOO LATE. Please see Susan for further details!

This Christmas, Theater Under the Stars will be presenting "It's A Wonderful Life", based on the favorite Christmas Classic Movie. Our staff member, Angela Dickens will be performing in the show. Be sure to get your tickets now for the big show. While Ms. Angela is gone, other APAC staff members will be substitute teaching her class, and we are all looking forward to working with her students. We will all have fun together!

The weekend of Nov. 30th will also be a great weekend for dance. The High School for the Performing and Visual Arts will be holding their fall dance concert. Tickets are available from all our HSPVA/APAC dancers. If you need help getting a ticket, just chat with Ms. Susan at the front desk. She can help you secure your seat! Support HSPVA, and our dancers.

Last weekend, saw our APAC dancers at the STARBOUND Talent Competition. Our APAC dancers had an outstanding showing. We took home many Gold, High Gold and OVERALL Awards. It was a great warm-up to our upcoming season. Our dancers also performed at the Langham Creek Bailadora Spaghetti Supper and had a great time. Our next event will be in February. We will send out more info, and hopefully you guys can come out and support our team. If Dance Team is something your little dancer is interested in, coming to one of our events is a great way to see what it is all about. I know the dancers all have a great time, rehearsing and performing together. I hope you all have an interest, and will come and check us out!

In October, several of our Sr. Dancers, along with Ms. Paula and Ms. Angela took a trip to Tucson, Arizona, to visit the U of A, and take classes with the dance dept there. Ms. Angela is a graduate of the dance program, and it was a great opportunity for our APAC dancers.

The APAC will be closed Dec. 16-thru Jan 6th. Classes will resume on January 7th. Have a safe and happy break.

Merry Christmas~

Love, Ms. Paula and Staff