

New to Pantuso Dance for the 2009/10 Season

Ballet progressive: This extra ballet class will help solidify the foundations of all dance forms. It is the same idea as tap technique where the principles learned in the main class are expanded in an intensified setting. Highly recommended for those who want to improve their technique in dance! These classes will be Wednesday and your child must be enrolled in their regular ballet class for admittance to the progressive class.

Parent and Tot Class: A perfect introduction to dance in a safe exploration with the parent or caregiver. Ages 1½ - 3 years with an adult.

Toddler Dance: A chance for your child to venture out on their own and learn some of the basics of dance in a dynamic class taught by a team of two! Age 3.

Toddler and Parent/Tot classes will be taught by Jenna Spowart and Stephanie Govier

Special Needs Dance: These Friday classes are designed for people with special needs (Down Syndrome, Cerebral Palsy, autism spectrum and other developmental delays). Participants should be able to function in a group setting and follow simple instructions. Classes will be divided into age/ability of (Age 6-10, 11-17, and a class specifically for people in wheelchairs). These classes are designed for participants to attend independently without an aid; however wheelchair participants need a buddy (friend, parent, sibling, etc.) in order to attend.

Special Needs Dance will be taught by Music Therapist and Irish Dancer Stephanie Martyn: See www.pantusodance.com for a biography.

About the deposit on classes: The \$25/class deposit is NOT a registration fee. It simply holds your spot in the class(es) you register for and is applied directly to your tuition when the dance year begins. Classes fill up quickly and waitlists are long for certain programs. This nominal deposit is your commitment to the class in which you have registered. **Cheques must be dated July 1 payable to Pantuso Dance.**

Key Dates for 2009/10

September 7	Classes begin for season
December 12-January 3	Christmas Break
March 8-12	Spring Break
April 26 & 27	Technical rehearsals for Recital
May 3	Dress Rehearsal
May 4-6	Year End Show at Sid Williams Theatre (Please note Recital will be Tuesday-Thursday)!!

No fee increases for 2009/10!

Registration Form for Pantuso Dance 2009/10 Season

Family Name:	
Address:	City:
Postal Code:	Email:
Parent(s):	Phone Number:
Emergency Contact:	Phone Number:

Placement in classes will be based on order received and according to level determined by the teacher. Please circle the dance class choices for each child:

Student 1

Name:				Age in September 2009:	
Tap	Tap Technique	Ballet	Ballet Progressive	Jazz	Musical Theatre
Hip Hop I (11-13)	Hip Hop II (14+)	Toddler Dance	Parent & Tot	Special Needs Dance	

Student 2

Name:				Age in September 2009:	
Tap	Tap Technique	Ballet	Ballet Progressive	Jazz	Musical Theatre
Hip Hop I (11-13)	Hip Hop II (14+)	Toddler Dance	Parent & Tot	Special Needs Dance	

Student 3

Name:				Age in September 2009:	
Tap	Tap Technique	Ballet	Ballet Progressive	Jazz	Musical Theatre
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Tuition, Costume Fees & Discounts

Toddler class \$300 + GST
45 min class \$375 + GST
1 hour class \$420 + GST
1 ½ hour class \$510 + GST

Costume fees are \$60/class, due Nov.15th. Tuition is for a full year (Sept - May).

A \$25 deposit per class, by July 1st, is required. Full tuition is due before the last business day of September. A payment plan of 8 equal instalments may be negotiated and all post dated cheques must be received before the last business day of September. NSF cheques are subject to a \$25 surcharge. 10% discount for two or more classes. Families of 3 or more get an additional one month free on one class for an individual family member.

Refund Policy

Refunds are dealt with on an individual basis and are only given, with reasonable notice, upon consultation with the director. Refunds issued for credit towards the following year's tuition only. No refunds issued after November 15th of the year unless there is a valid medical reason. Classes cancelled due to snow or illness will be rescheduled only if time permits.

Waiver

We, the staff at Pantuso Dance, recognize our obligation to make sure our students and their parents are aware of the risks and hazards involved in the sport of dance. By signing this waiver, you release and absolve Pantuso Dance and all its employees from all claims on account of any injury which may be sustained, directly or indirectly, by your child while attending any dance class, event associated with Pantuso Dance or outside performance. In signing this waiver, you also acknowledge your responsibility in paying tuition, any associated costume fees and all other communicated costs involved. You also affirm you now have and will continue to carry proper primary medical, health, hospitalization and accident insurance which you consider adequate for the protection of both your child and Pantuso Dance.

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Parent's Signature

Date

Photo and Electronic Publishing Release

I hereby grant to **Pantuso Dance** and to its employees, agents and assigns the right to photograph my dependent child and use the photo(s) and or other digital reproduction of him/her or other reproduction of his/her physical likeness for publication processes, whether electronic, print, digital or electronic publishing via the Internet. I certify that I am a custodial parent and have the aforementioned rights to assign.

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Parent's Signature

Date

Please submit signed form and \$25 deposit **per class** (dated July 1, 2009) directly to Lindsay or mail to: Pantuso Dance 907 4th Street, Courtenay, BC V9N 1H5.