



# Newsletter: October 2010

## Welcome!

DanceMakers would like to extend a big welcome to all new and returning families to our programs! We are looking forward to an extremely busy and exciting year - stay up to date with news and info with our websites!

## Websites:

[www.dancemakers.ca](http://www.dancemakers.ca)  
[www.dancemakersgymnastics.ca](http://www.dancemakersgymnastics.ca)  
Newsletters and important info is always posted, so add it to your bookmarks!

## SportMakers Parent Memberships

Did you know that as a parent at DanceMakers, you are offered a special Parents Membership?!

Save time and money by working out while your child participates in dance or gymnastics. The Parent Membership is only \$300 for the year - that's a savings of over 50%! Wander over next door, and check it out!

## Thanksgiving Weekend - All Classes Cancelled

All classes will be cancelled over the Thanksgiving weekend from Fri. Oct. 8th to Mon. Oct. 11th. Happy Thanksgiving!

## Halloween Dress Up Day

All students are invited to dress up in their Halloween costume on Sat. Oct. 30th for some spooky fun!

## "The Night Before Christmas" Production

Celebrate the season with us at the Roxy Theatre on Sat. Dec. 4th - 2 pm matinee and 7 pm evening show. DanceMakers senior students have been rehearsing since July for our annual Christmas show. These students only are performing in this production. All dance students who register for the Winter/Spring session will perform in the end of year Showcase.

Tickets are available at the Roxy box office.

## DanceMakers Warm Up Suits On Sale!

Order a DanceMakers warm up suit for your dancer or gymnast before Oct. 15th, and save \$! This black velvet jacket with rhinestone DanceMakers logo on the back and black velvet pants are on sale for \$85. After Oct. 15th, the warm up suit is \$115.

This will make a great X-mas present for your dancer/gymnast. Order at the front desk today.

## Owen Sound Cultural Awards Performance

DanceMakers dancers will be performing at the Cultural Awards on Thurs. Oct. 14th at the Roxy Theatre. We will be performing "Thistles" from our Christmas production and "Imagine" from last year's Showcase performance. Thank you to all the dancers and parents participating, and showcasing our studio talent!

## Senior Dancers Trip to Italy & France June 2011

DanceMakers is taking a group of senior dancers and their parents to participate in a competition/festival in Cesena, Italy! We will also be travelling to Rome, Florence, and Paris for sightseeing excursions! Thank you to Debbie Roy and Pat Bayley for organizing this opportunity for us!

## Fundraising for Italy Trip

Senior dancers will be fundraising for their trip to Italy and France next June. Watch for DanceMakers calendars to be ready for the Christmas season, a Silpada jewellery party on Sun. Oct. 24th, and a silent auction at DanceMakers / Sportmakers! Your help is greatly appreciated!

## Silpada Jewellery Party

DanceMakers will be hosting a Silpada jewellery party on Sun. Oct. 24th from 1 to 4 pm. This

is a fundraising opportunity for our senior dancers trip to Italy and France! Please feel free to attend! Thank you to Petra Ballantyne, and Lisa Ledingham for arranging this event.

## Weather Cancellations

If classes are cancelled due to weather, it will be broadcast on the radio Mix 106.5 and it will be put on the answering service at the studio. Phone the studio at 519 371-7962 if you are unsure of a cancelled class. All cancelled classes will be made up at the end of the session.

## Hair and Attire Reminder...

All students must have their hair pulled back, and ballet students should have a bun! All gymnasts and dancers are required to wear bodysuits for their classes. Refer to the "General Information" sheet handed out at registration. All apparel is available in the DM Boutique.

## DM Boutique

New stock has arrived in the DM Boutique! New gym suits, ballet sweaters, and foot "undies" for contemporary & jazz. Keep watching for more new arrivals for both dancers and gymnasts!

## Shoes & Boots...

Please remove your shoes/boots and place them on the rack when you arrive. Help us keep our lobby clean and clutter free.

## Picking Up Students

Students are not to wait outside for their ride after class! Parents: please park in a parking space, and come into the studio to pick up your child. Your co-operation is greatly appreciated!

