

## ABOUT MISS KIMI:

All classes are under the direction of Miss Kimberlee Kups-Benson. Miss Kimi has been active in dance since the age of 3 and has been an instructor at the Y for over 30 years. With more than 36 years of involvement, her dance background includes study with Lynn Neuhaus, master teacher, Finis Jhung and Jerry Rose. She attended Western Kentucky University Dance Educators of America Teacher Training School. Miss Kimi has taken advanced instruction with leading dance professionals in the field of jazz: Gus Giordano and Joe Tremain. Miss Kimi and her award winning competition team have attended advanced workshops throughout the nation for continuing education. Several dancers on The Dance Konnection Competition Team have High Point and top awards throughout the Midwest.

## IMPORTANT DANCE DATES:

- \* Student Registration & Dancewear Orders:
  - Summer/Fall Classes: June 1st 6-8 p.m.
  - New Students: August 4th 6-8 p.m.
  - Returning Students: August 5th 6-8 p.m.
- \* Classes Begin: August 24th
- \* Christmas Extravaganza: December 6th
- \* Ka-Motion Show/Acro Demonstration: May 1st
- \* Spring Recital: May 7th & 8th

### QUESTIONS?

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DANCE SCHEDULE

MONDAYS

|           |                                     |
|-----------|-------------------------------------|
| 4:00-4:45 | 5-6 yr old Ballet and Tap           |
| 4:45-5:30 | 3-4 yr old Ballet and Tap           |
| 4:45-5:30 | 7-8 yr old Ballet and Tap           |
| 4:45-5:30 | Boys Class (3-8 yr olds)            |
| 4:45-5:30 | Ka-Motion 2                         |
| 5:30-6:00 | Tumble Tots                         |
| 5:30-6:30 | Jazz 4*                             |
| 5:30-6:30 | Jazz 5*                             |
| 6:00-6:45 | Ka-Motion 1                         |
| 6:00-7:00 | Acro 3                              |
| 6:30-7:15 | Progressive Ballet Technique**      |
| 6:30-7:15 | Tap 4*                              |
| 7:00-8:00 | Acro 5                              |
| 7:15-8:15 | Ballet 4* (Pre-Pointe)              |
| 7:15-8:15 | Pointe 1**(Must attend Ballet Tech) |
| 7:30-8:30 | Adult Classes (Details TBA)         |

TUESDAYS

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|-----------|---------------------------------------|
| 4:00-4:45 | 3-4 yr old Ballet and Tap             |
| 4:45-5:30 | 4-5 yr old Ballet and Tap             |
| 5:00-5:30 | Tumble Tots                           |
| 5:30-6:15 | 5-6 yr old Ballet and Tap             |
| 5:45-6:30 | Modern 1/2**(Must complete Jazz 3)    |
| 5:45-6:30 | Tap 3*                                |
| 6:30-7:15 | Clogging 1/2*** (Must complete Tap 3) |
| 6:30-7:15 | Jazz 3*                               |
| 6:30-7:15 | Musical Theater 2*                    |

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| 6:30-7:30 | Acro 1                             |
| 7:15-8:15 | Ballet 3*                          |
| 7:30-8:15 | Dancer’s Conditioning              |
| 7:30-8:15 | Modern 3**(Teacher Recommendation) |
| 8:15-9:15 | Ballet Technique (Pointe Dancers)  |

WEDNESDAYS

|           |                                            |
|-----------|--------------------------------------------|
| 4:00-5:00 | Ballet I *                                 |
| 5:00-5:45 | 4-5 yr old Ballet & Tap                    |
| 5:00-5:45 | Jazz I *                                   |
| 5:15-6:15 | Acro 3                                     |
| 5:45-6:30 | 7-8 yr old Ballet & Tap                    |
| 5:45-6:30 | Clogging 3*** (Teacher Recommendation)     |
| 5:45-6:30 | Tap I *                                    |
| 6:15-7:15 | Acro 4                                     |
| 6:30-7:15 | Musical Theater 1* (Must complete level 3) |
| 6:30-7:30 | Ballet 5 (Non-Pointe)                      |
| 6:30-7:45 | Pointe 3** (Must attend Ballet Tech)       |
| 7:15-8:15 | Acro 2                                     |
| 7:30-8:15 | Tap 6*                                     |
| 7:45-8:30 | Tap 7*                                     |
| 8:15-9:15 | Jazz 7*                                    |
| 8:30-9:45 | Jazz 8*                                    |

THURSDAYS

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|-----------|-------------------------|
| 4:30-5:00 | Tumble Tots             |
| 4:45-5:30 | 7-8 yr old Ballet & Tap |
| 5:00-5:45 | 5-6 yr old Ballet & Tap |
| 5:30-6:30 | Ballet 2*               |

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| 5:45-6:15 | Parent Tot Dance<br>(Offered in 3 Six Week Sessions) |
| 6:00-7:00 | Pointe 2**(Must attend Ballet Tech)                  |
| 6:15-7:15 | Acro 1                                               |
| 6:30-7:15 | Jazz 2*                                              |
| 7:00-8:00 | Jazz 6*                                              |
| 7:15-8:00 | Dancer’s Conditioning                                |
| 7:15-8:00 | Tap 2*                                               |
| 8:00-8:45 | Tap 5*                                               |

\* Classes are prerequisite Miss Kimi

Dancers must be enrolled in at least one other dance class to be eligible for Acro/Tumble Tots and Boys Classes.

MEMBER FEES:

45 minute classes: \$40/month  
60 minute classes: \$42/month  
75-90 minute classes: \$45/month  
Program Participant Fee: Additional \$5/month

Multi Class Discount:  
Families/students taking more than one dance class receive a multi class discount. The first class of highest cost is full price. Select classes will be discounted \$10 each up to seven classes. Classes beyond the seventh class are free.

\*All Acro Classes, Adult Classes, All Boys Classes and Progressive Ballet Technique classes are not included in multi class discount or free classes beyond the 7th class.