



WELCOME

Welcome back to the Sound Motion Dance Academy Newsletter! We're thrilled to have you back with us. This newsletter is your go-to source for all the latest news, updates, and exciting opportunities happening at Sound Motion Dance Academy and within our local dance community. Stay informed about upcoming events and discover new ways to connect with other dancers and families in our community. Most importantly, get inspired by the passion and talent of our incredible dancers. Let's make this dance season one to remember!

2024-2025 SEASON KICK-OFF

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TRAVELING TUTUS

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NEW DRESS CODE

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“Into the Unknown”

Our New Season Begins

Our new season officially begins on Tuesday, September 3rd, 2024. Get ready to embark on a thrilling dance adventure as Sound Motion Dance Academy kicks off the 2024-2025 season with the theme "Into the Unknown"! This exciting season promises to be filled with new experiences, creative expression, and unforgettable memories.

Back-to-Dance Month

September will be a blast as we celebrate Back-to-Dance Month with a variety of fun activities and events. Join us for National Dance Day on Saturday, September 21st, where we'll showcase our love for dance and celebrate the art form together. Bring-A-Friend Week, from September 23rd to 28th, is the perfect opportunity to introduce your friends to the joy of dance and share your passion. And don't forget about kicking off the month with our Spirit Week, September 3rd to 5th, where we'll come together to show our studio spirit and celebrate the start of a fantastic season!

Hip Hop & Jazz Funk Master Classes


On September 28th, we'll have the honor of hosting exclusive Hip Hop and Jazz Funk master classes led by the incredibly talented Kayleb Jones, the creator and director of the renowned East304Crew. This is an extraordinary opportunity to learn from a true industry leader and elevate your dance skills.

Welcome Back, SMDA Dance Family!

We're so excited to have you all back for another amazing season. Together, we'll create unforgettable memories, build friendships, and discover the incredible power of dance. Get ready to step into the unknown and embrace the adventure that awaits!

KAYLEB
Jones
Jazz Funk
Master Class
28th
September
1:00pm
September 2024
SOUND MOTION DANCE ACADEMY

NATIONAL
Dance
DAY
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST
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A GLOBAL CONNECTION

SOUND MOTION DANCE ACADEMY PARTNERS WITH TRAVELING TUTUS

This September, Sound Motion Dance Academy kicks off the 2024-2025 Season with a special initiative! We're thrilled to announce our partnership with Traveling Tutus, a non-profit organization that brings the gift of dance to underprivileged children worldwide.

Why Donate Your Dance Costumes?

Many families and dancers have beautiful costumes gathering dust after recitals. We all know the struggle of finding storage or reusing them. This is where you can make a difference!

Leap of Dance Academy: Our Sister Studio in Lagos, Nigeria

Through Traveling Tutus, Sound Motion is partnering with Leap of Dance Academy, a like-minded studio in Lagos, Nigeria. They share our passion for providing quality dance education and believe everyone should experience the joy of dance, regardless of background.

Leap of Dance Academy, in their own words:

“We are dedicated to offering high-quality dance education for

children who wouldn't otherwise have the opportunity.” - Daniel Owoseni Ajala, Founder and Creative Director
“Our goal is to nurture young minds with discipline, love, dedication, and self-confidence. We strive to showcase Nigerian ballet on a global stage and empower young dancers to represent their country.”

Join Us in Spreading the Love of Dance!

Help us donate gently used dance costumes (in good condition) to our "sister studio" in Nigeria. Throughout September, a donation box will be available in the studio lobby.

Can't make it to the studio? No problem! Contact Director Mrs. Charlie Hastings at soundmotiondance@gmail.com to arrange a pick-up.

Together, we can make a difference! Be part of this incredible program and let's share the joy and love of dance around the world.

Pictured Above: Leap of Dance Academy Students in Lagos, Nigeria

Dress for Success

Sound Motion Dance Academy is excited to announce our new dress code for the upcoming 2024-2025 season! A well-defined dress code is essential for creating a professional and focused dance environment. It helps to ensure safety, maintain consistency, and foster a sense of unity among our dancers.

Our new dress code guidelines can be found on our website at www.soundmotiondance.com under the current students heading.

All dancewear and required dance shoes can be purchased directly or ordered through Sound Motion Dance Academy. Items can also be purchased from Footsteps Dancewear in North Olmsted, Ohio.

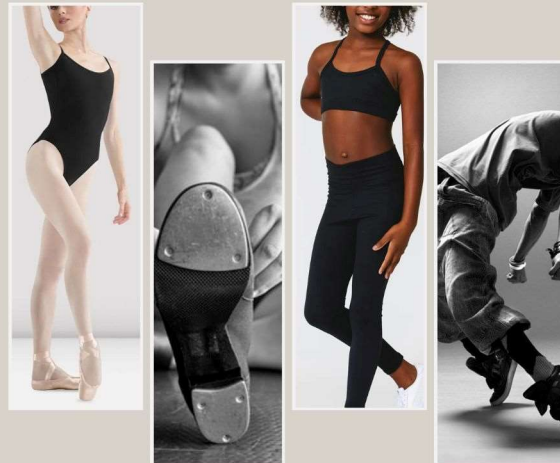
Proper Movement, Avoid Injury, Focus & Discipline

Dress codes can help dancers move in a way that's appropriate for the style of dance they're learning, as well as helping prevent injuries to dancers and their classmates. With a well-designed dress code dancers eliminate distractions so they can focus on their steps, learn and perform their very best, and teachers can more easily see dancers' positions and movements which can help with correcting alignment and posture. In addition, a dress code also teaches discipline, which is important in dance.

By adhering to our dress code, dancers can fully immerse themselves in the art of dance, without distractions or safety concerns. We believe that a well-dressed dancer is a confident dancer, ready to achieve their full potential.

SOUND MOTION DANCE ACADEMY

2024-2025 DRESS CODE



We look forward to a fantastic season filled with creativity, growth, and expression at Sound Motion Dance Academy!

