



COVID-19 Update: In Person Class Cancellation

Good afternoon Mid American Studio Families,

We hope this email finds you all safe and healthy in your homes.

In following new guidelines set forth by Oakland County for mandated social distancing, we have decided to cancel all in person group dance and pom classes, **effective March 16th - April 6th**. We are hopeful that this will aid in reducing the spread of the virus and keep our students, clients, and staff members safe. As always, health and safety in our community is our main concern.

Students that are currently scheduled for one on one private lessons will continue unless you choose to cancel at this time. All 2-3 person small group lessons will also continue, but will be placed in one of our larger rooms to allow for more space between students. Please call the studio to confirm or reschedule your lessons.

We are hopeful that by the beginning of April, it will be safe to return to all regular classes and activities without restriction. In the meantime- dance will not stop! Our teachers are busy preparing virtual class lessons for all of our students to continue practicing and learning from home. **We will be dedicating Monday-Wednesday of this week to getting the lessons uploaded and shared with all of our students!** We are confident that this will allow us to stay on schedule for our upcoming recital performance date, May 9th! **Please keep an eye out for the next email containing your link to our YouTube channel, and help your dancer stay on top of his/her choreography and practice!**

We want you all to know that at this time, we have no plans of cancelling the spring recital. Our contacts with Novi High School have assured us that at this time, there are no plans to cancel building rentals for the month of May. Once we are able to return to classes, there will be just 5 weeks to prepare for our recital performances, but we are confident that we can keep our show going! We will be postponing the start of ticket sales due to the recommendation for social distancing, but more details will be coming to you soon. **We are excited to announce that all costumes have come in and you can let your dancers know they can look forward to getting their new costumes upon the return to classes!**

Should you have any questions or concerns at this time, please contact us via email or by phone at 248-477-5248. We understand that this is a difficult time, and we are here to help in any way that we can. Please continue to stay well and we will be looking forward to seeing you all very soon. Stay in touch with us through our social media channels! [Facebook](#) & [Instagram](#)!

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