# THE VILLAGE DANCE ACADEMY





## TIER 4 | SEASON 8 FALL NEWSLETTER

please read carefully!



## SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY



Help support our local community by bringing in non-perishable food items/hygiene products or baby items during the month of October!

The company group/class that brings in the most non-perishable food items will be awarded a PRIZE at the end of the month!

Help us reach our goal of 2000/\$2000!

## <u>Parade With a Purpose</u>

We are honoured to be an Elf Sponsor for the Parade With a Purpose in support of the KGH FOUNDATION in support of Youth Mental Health!

This incredible event is scheduled for **6:00pm on December 6th**, bringing the festive spirit to Bernard Street, in downtown Kelowna!

What started five years ago with three humble floats in Kettle Valley has now grown into a major community event. The Turgeon/Doty families initiated this parade to bring holiday cheer during the challenging times of COVID, and it has blossomed into a cherished tradition with thousands of people lining the streets to enjoy the amazing floats and raising thousands of dollars for the Youth Recovery House.

Click HERE to learn more or make a donation.

## CLICK HERE for your CALENDAR OF EVENTS

\*Please ensure you are thoroughly reading through the calendar.\*





#### The One Dance Experience - Richmond, BC

Tuesday, April 7th to Sunday, April 12th

All Tier 4 except Bonsais

#### View Dance Challenge - Whistler, BC

Thursday, April 23rd to Sunday, April 26th All Tier 4 except Roe, Bonsais & Redwoods

#### Voltage Street Dance Competition - Vancouver, BC

Friday, May 1<sup>st</sup> and Saturday, May 2<sup>nd</sup> Coho, Chinook, Sockeye, Hip Hop Line ONLY

#### Centre Stage Dance Competition - Lake Country, BC

Saturday, May 9th & Sunday, May 10th Bonsais, Roe & Redwoods ONLY

#### Synergy Dance Competition - Penticton, BC

Friday, May 15th to Monday, May 18th

ALL TIER 4 and TIER 3

\*We have informed them of the grad conflict(s) and they will do their best to work around it\*

#### The Final One - Richmond, BC

Thursday, May 28th to Sunday, May 31st

\*mandatory for all qualifying group routines\*

We will know who qualifies after The One.

#### **TEAM JACKETS & HIP HOP HOODIES**

Team Jacket & Hoodie orders will begin in a few weeks! You will receive an email regarding sizing and orders shortly.

#### **VDA HOODIES**

We will be placing a VDA Hoodie order for anyone interested!

This could be for parents, siblings or anyone wanting to rep their VDA pride at competition!

Sample sizes will be available at the desk shortly. See below for colour options!

Cost: \$55.00 + tax

Deadline: October 20th

Will arrive before Christmas!



#### **ATTENDANCE**

Attendance is a crucial part of a successful season of dance!

Please make sure your Villager is attending all of their classes.

If your dancer falls ill or is away, please let our office know by sending us an email to infoethevillagedanceacademy.ca.

### **COSTUME DEPOSITS/ENTRY FEES**

Costume Deposits are due by October 31st (\$40/dance).

Competition Entry Fees are due by November 30th.

All competition entry fees are non-refundable and are due on or before November 30th, 2025 with the option to set up a payment plan to pay remaining balance by December 31st, 2025.

These fees can be paid via e-transfer, cash or debit.

#### A HEARTFELT THANK YOU

We want to take a moment to extend our deepest gratitude to all of our students and their families. September was an incredibly full and exciting month, with extra rehearsals, special guests, and countless hours spent at the studio bringing big ideas to life!

We are so thankful for your unwavering support, your time, and your trust in our creative vision. We know the commitment you make, both in time and finances, is no small thing, and we want you to know that we see you, and we appreciate you more than words can express.

Thank you for being part of this journey with us. We truly couldn't do it without you.

With love & gratitude, Sam Crossley & The VDA Team

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