

STARLIGHT BALLROOM DANCE STUDIO

ABOUT US

The Starlight Dance Studio was founded in 1991 with a vision of creating an environment that was both professional and friendly, where anyone can learn, dance and have fun. If you are interested in any style of dance, whether it be Latin or ballroom, belly dancing, or anything else, here at Starlight you will find everything you need. We teach international and American styles at any level and it doesn't matter if you have a partner or not or what your goal is. We offer both private lessons and group classes in a wide variety of programs and scheduling options.

THE DIFFERENCE

Class Size

If the class has fewer students in it, each student will receive more personalized attention, learn more and have more fun! With younger students it is easier for an instructor to maintain control over the class to make sure each student understands the concepts and instructions. A smaller class size also allows instructors to ensure that students are not developing bad habits or improper technique.

Our studio limits all group classes (ages 6 through adult) to a maximum of 12 students per class. With our younger students, we limit our group classes to 6 students per class.

Teaching Faculty

Here at Starlight, we highly value the quality of instruction provided to our students. Each instructor has been specifically selected to teach classes based on their expertise and training.

Variety

Our studio offers a variety of dance styles to provide a broad range of choices for every student. In addition, we offer various fitness classes that help students to improve their dancing by learning stretching techniques, establishing mind and body connection and improving their cardiovascular level.

GETTING STARTED

Private lessons are the best method to get started in world of ballroom and latin dance and are also important as a way of refining your dancing skills. Before you select a class, it is important that you schedule an introductory lesson.

Whether you have never stepped on a dance floor or have dance experience, an introductory lesson will allow you to visit our studio, experience a private lesson and discuss your goals with one of our consultants.

CLASS TIMES & SCHEDULE

Classes are held between the hours of 5:30pm and 9:30pm. Please see our Monthly Calendar of Events for specific class days and times.

WEEKLY PRACTICE PARTIES

If you wish for your child to become a good dancer, it only makes sense that they should practice what they have learned. Practice parties are held throughout the week usually in the evening after a group class. Open To All Levels.

See Monthly Calendar of Events for special events and parties.

All children must be AT LEAST 13 years of age and accompanied by a parent and/or guardian.

DROP-IN OPTION

Class changes from week to week and month to month to cover all of the Ballroom and Latin Dances. These classes are open to the public and no registration is required. Scheduled classes are listed on our Monthly Calendar of Events. Class Cards are also available for purchase at the front desk. Open To All Levels. Classes are 30 minutes in length.

See Front Desk for fee details.

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EXTRAS

Competitions

Instructors invite students with desire and commitment to participate in competitive classes. The students compete in competitions held in the New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Florida areas.

Workshops & Events

In addition to our private and group classes, we offer workshops, master classes and special events. Please visit our website often for updated information. Flyers and brochures are also available at the front desk.

Performance Opportunities

We are pleased to present our Student Showcase in the fall and spring or each year. Students perform with their fellow students or instructor in a dance piece choreographed by their instructor.

REGISTRATION FEES

All students must pay a non-refundable annual registration fee. New students \$25. Returning students \$15.

PAYMENT

We accept cash, checks, Mastercard and VISA. All students must pay in advance for all private and/or group lessons.

FIRST and LAST month's tuition is due at time of registration for Children/Teen Programs. Classes that are longer than 12-weeks must be paid by pre-authorized debit or pre-authorized credit cards at time of registration.

SHOES

All students are expected to have proper dance shoes by the second class meeting. To learn dance, you need the right tools and proper dance shoes are literally the foundation of your dancing! Although there are different styles of dance shoes for different styles of dancing, most students wear a "practice shoe". You may purchase dance shoes from any dance shoe retailer.

2009-2010 PRIVATE LESSON FEES

Packages	Tuition
1 Hour (non-package)	\$100
5 Hours includes 5 Drop-Ins and 5 Practice Parties	\$475 (5 weeks)
10 Hours includes 10 Drop-Ins and 10 Practice Parties	\$900 (10 weeks)
VIP Package A 36 Hours includes 12 Drop-Ins and Practice Parties	\$210/month for 12 months
VIP Package B 36 Hours with Group Class and unlimited Drop-Ins and Practice Parties	\$258/month for 12 months
VIP Package C 36 Hours with 2 Group Classes and unlimited Drop-Ins and Practice Parties	\$306/month for 12 months

2009-2010 GROUP CLASS FEES

Class	Tuition
Ballroom & Latin*	\$60/month for 12 months
Salsa	\$60/month for 12 months
Rueda De Casino	\$60/month for 12 months
StarHopperDANCELite**(4 Classes)	\$65 (Reg.\$74.99)
StarHopperDANCE** (Up to 20 Classes)	\$85 (Reg.\$99)
StarHopperFIT** (4 Classes)	\$60 (Reg.\$69)
StarHopperFIT** (Up to 10 Classes)	\$85 (Reg.\$99)

OTHER FEES

Introductory Lesson/Fitness Trial	\$20
Pay Per Semester	\$240
Drop-In Group Class	\$12
Practice Party	\$10
Drop-In Group Class & Practice	\$15

GROUP CLASSES

Rhythm Section 1 (Adult & Children)

Rumba, ChaCha, Bolero & East Coast Swing.

Rhythm Section 2 (Adult & Children)

Mambo, Merengue, Samba & West Coast Swing.

Smooth (Adult & Children)

Waltz, Foxtrot, Tango & Viennese Waltz.

Night Club (Adult & Children)

Salsa, Hustle, Nightclub Two-Step, Smooth Lindy & Argentine Tango.

Salsa (Adult & Children)

On 1, On2, Mambo and Miami Style.

Rueda De Casino (Adult)

Learn how to dance and teach Cuban/Miami Style Salsa.

Zumba Fitness (Adult)

A fusion of hypnotic musical rhythms and tantalizing dance moves to create a dynamic workout!

Mommy & Me Get Fit (12mos-36mos)

Get in shape with your little one! You'll be encouraging in our baby the love of music, dance and rhythm, which may prove to be valuable later!

Boogie Boogalu (Ages 4-5)

Your little one will boogie and learn to dance Merengue, Mambo, Swing & more! Due to age of children, there is a 6 student maximum and the class will be taught with an assistant.

Boogie Boogalu (Ages 6-7)

Children will be exposed to a variety of musical rhythms and dances like Merengue, Mambo, ChaCha, Swing, Disco and more! Children will also be introduced to popular line dances like the Electric Slide, YMCA and more!

Please Note:

Class size is limited, so we recommend that you register early to avoid getting closed out!

*Children/Teen Programs run for 9 months Sept.-June.

**Must be used in 4 weeks. Special rate for limited time.

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