



Dance Newsletter

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Welcome to the 2014-2015 Dance Season

Fusion Elite Performance Training Center is undergoing several new and exciting changes this year. One main change here in the dance department is the promotion of two Fusion staff members to Co-Directors of the dance department, Ismael "Ish" Sanchez and Lauren Ellison. We are looking forward to a great first year as Directors and have a lot of new ideas to help take Fusion Elite to the next level. From community events and technical growth of our dancers, to increased communication and organization, our vision for Fusion is multifaceted and just what Fusion Elite needs!

Monthly newsletters like this one will be emailed to our Fusion families to help keep you informed on what is happening at Fusion and what is to

come for the duration of the 2014-2015 dance season, so be on the lookout for exciting information that will be coming your way! Finally we would like to welcome all of our new students to Fusion and thank all of our current students and families for their continued support. With our new partnership as Co-Directors, our additions to the Fusion dance staff, and the continued loyalty and support of our students and customers, we will continue to make Fusion an excellent space for your dancers to grow, learn, excel, and have a lot of fun in the process! Let's make this year the best one yet here at Fusion Elite Performance Training Center!

Cheers,
Lauren Ellison and Ismael Sanchez

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**Enroll in a 6 month program in Dance or Karate and
receive the first month FREE!**

(Pay for 5 months get one free)

New Students Only

Visit or call Fusion Elite Performance Training Center for more info!

Offer valid through September 30th, 2014

NEW DANCE CLASS SCHEDULE

We have added new dance classes for the 2014-2015 dance season as well as changed times for some of our existing classes. Please look very closely at the scheduled below so you can properly enroll your child in their favorite dance styles and classes. The new schedule will go into effect the week of **SEPTEMBER 1, 2014**.

BEGINNING SEPTEMBER 1, 2014

Monday

3:30-4:30pm	Musical Theatre	Open	Jessica
4:30-5:30pm	Ballet I	8-10 yrs	Jessica
5:30-6:00pm	Pre-Pointe	Invite Only	Jessica
6:00-7:00pm	Ballet II	11 & up	Jessica

Tuesday

3:30-4:15pm	Creative Dance	3-4 yrs	Alexa
4:15-5:00pm	Intro to Jazz	4-7 yrs	Alexa
5:00-6:00pm	Jazz II	11 & up	Alexa

Wednesday

3:30-4:15pm	Intro to Ballet	4-7 yrs	Jessica
4:15-5:00pm	Intro to Jazz	8-10 yrs	Jessica
5:00-6:00pm	Jazz I	8-10 yrs	Chelsea
6:00-7:00pm	Jazz II	11 & up	Chelsea

Thursday

3:30-4:15pm	Fusion Fun Club	Open	Ish
4:15-5:00pm	Intro to Hip Hop	4-7 yrs	Ish
5:00-6:00pm	Hip Hop I	8-10 yrs	Ish
6:00-7:00pm	Hip Hop II	11 & up	Ish

Friday

3:45-4:45pm	Acro & Trickin	Open	Ish
4:45-5:45pm	Breakdancing	Open	Ish

Dress Code

Creative Dance: Moveable clothing or leotard and tights, pink ballet shoes

Ballet: Black leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes, hair in a bun

Jazz/Musical Theatre: Black or tan jazz shoes, black pants or shorts with form fitting tops or leotards. No denim

Hip-Hop: Clean tennis shoes, moveable clothing. No denim

All Classes: No jewelry. Hair must be worn tied back securely away from face and neck. Please do not wear dance shoes outside of the studio.

TUITION RATES

Tuition

Yearly Registration Fee:
\$30.00

45 Minute Class:
\$48.00 (monthly)

60 Minute Class:
\$58.00 (monthly)

90 Minute Class:
\$88.00 (monthly)

6-12 Month Programs

BASIC: 1 class/week
\$43.00(45 min)
\$53.00 (1 hr)
\$83.00(90 min)

HEADLINER: 2 classes /week
\$81.00 (45 min)
\$100.00 (1 hr)

RISING STAR: 3 classes/week
\$115.00 (45 min)
\$145.00 (1 hr)

SHOW STOPPER: unlimited
\$175.00(45 min)
\$200.00(1 hr)

REFER A FRIEND DISCOUNT

Refer a friend to Fusion Dance and receive 20% off of one month's tuition and a Fusion Dance shirt upon your friend's enrollment!

Fusion Dance Co-Directors



Lauren Ellison

Lauren has been dancing since the age of three and she started competing at age four. In addition to competitive dancing, Lauren also pursued competitive gymnastics as well as competitive cheerleading, both of which she did for five years. Lauren began teaching dance at the age of 17 in Roseville while attending Roseville High School. In high school, Lauren danced in their well-known dance program, choreographed for various shows, and danced on the RHS dance team. Lauren graduated in December 2013 from San Francisco State University where she earned a B.A. in Liberal Studies with an emphasis in Elementary Education and a Minor in Dance. While at SFSU, Lauren was very active in the dance community, including being selected as one of 5 new members of the pre-professional dance company at SFSU, University Dance Theatre. As a member of UDT, Lauren danced in

additional shows across the Bay Area, received additional advanced training from world renowned choreographers, and attended the American College Dance Festival Association Regional Conference in Southern California. Additionally, Lauren served as the president of the Student Dance Alliance where she put on showcases and fundraisers for the dance department at SFSU. Lauren has also worked for Radio Disney as a dancer and a lead emcee for the past 6 years. During her time with Radio Disney, she has hosted local events featuring Radio Disney artists like Arianna Grande and All Star Weekend and Disney Channel stars like Raini Rodriguez, Caroline Sunshine, and Shane Harper. She is currently attending Sacramento State as she pursues a Multiple Subject Teaching Credential. Lauren is already bringing her vast knowledge and passion to our studio and she cannot wait to see what the near future holds for Fusion Elite!

Ismael Sanchez

Ismael Sanchez "Ish" has been dancing for many years, training in several styles such as hip hop, contemporary, ballet, jazz, and many more. As a child, he wasn't exposed to any type of dance at all, but now dance is all he does! He performs everywhere in shows, concerts, music videos for celebrities and charity events to show his love for dance. Ish's main goal is not just to teach kids how to dance, but to inspire them to be creative in their own mind, to keep trying for success, and to make a better living through dance. Ish's main dance style is breakdancing, with his dynamic moves and creativity, he is sure to have crowd cheering within seconds from when the music starts. In his free dance time, he solely focuses on combining two very different styles together and making them become one, creating a different perspective to dance and supporting the fact that ANYTHING is POSSIBLE! Ish began teaching dance 5 years ago at KAST Performing Arts in Roseville and then continued teaching at various studios in the Sacramento area including Impulse, Anti-Gravity School of Dance and Precision Dance Center. He joined the Fusion team teaching hip-hop two years ago and is also a part of our Elementary School staff. Additionally, Ish taught gymnastics and parkour at Flip 2 It and Fliptastic for several years. With goals of becoming a studio owner in his future, Ish is excited about becoming a co-director at Fusion Elite this year as it will help him gain experience and help his student grow as dancers and performers.



Fusion Dance Staff

Chelsea Grenier- Elementary School Director/Jazz Instructor

Ismael Sanchez- Hip-Hop/Acro Instructor

Jessica Suderman- Ballet/Musical Theatre Instructor

Alexa Palubicki- Creative Dance/Jazz Instructor

COMMUNITY CORNER

Check out this section of the newsletter each month to see what our dancers are doing within the community and learn about exciting events coming up that your child can be a part of! If you know of an event in the area that has performance opportunities for our students, please email us at Dance@fusionelite.net with your suggestion!

ROCKLIN HAS TALENT RESULTS!

Congratulations to our Mini Hip Hop class for winning **FIRST PLACE** in the Rocklin Has Talent Show! They were a crowd favorite and did well enough to earn the top prize! Great job, little hip-hoppers!

