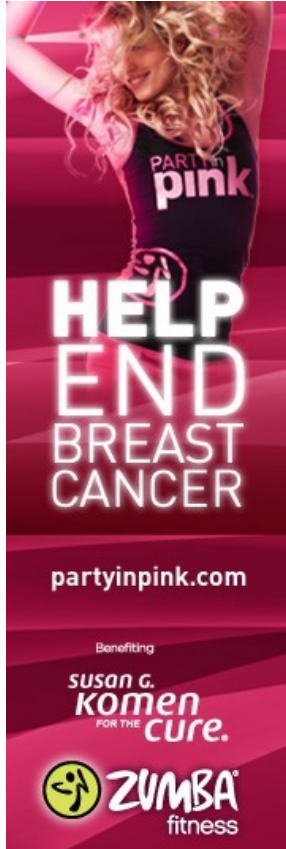


Dancebeat September

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Party in Pink!

Zumbathon

Saturday, Oct. 22

9:30-11:30AM

\$12 in advance

\$18 at door

Adults & Teens Only

**TICKETS WILL GO ON
SALE OCTOBER 1**

**You must purchase a
ticket to participate!**

Welcome Back! 66 years and counting!

Where did the summer go? It does not seem possible that the fall term is already here! We stayed very busy this summer with one week workshops and dance camps. For the first time ever—the dance studio never closed!

Three of our faculty attended the Dance Teacher Summit in NYC in August. Miss Ashley, Miss Laurie, and Miss Lisa, joined former faculty member Bonnie Avett Rini (now living in SC) for four days of intensive study. They were privileged to take jazz with Luigi—one of the pioneers of American Jazz dance, as well as ballet master David Howard, Jazz with Frank Hatchett, Hip Hop from Greg Russell, tap with Debbie Dee, and Modern/Contemporary with Mandy Moore from SYTYCD!

You may be missing Miss Kelsee this semester. Miss Kelsee is working toward her Masters degree and doing an internship this season that conflicts with the dance schedule. We miss her and wish her well. Congratulations are in order because she was recently engaged to be married!

Miss Jennifer's news is rather obvious, if you've seen her. Yes, she is expecting a baby girl with a due date of November 16. No worries about classes. Miss Jennifer's classes will be covered by other staff members when she goes on maternity leave. This will be grand #4 for Miss Tammy!

We proudly sponsored "Piggin Out for Pink" a fund raiser by Focused on a Cure—a non-profit that supports breast cancer re-

search. This gala event was held at the Concord Hotel August 19.

Yes, we are growing! Our enrollment was up by 30 students on opening day. Enrollment changes on a daily basis as students drop/add classes. We really won't know how many students we actually have until much later. It's a sad but true fact that the school loses 10% of the student body when recital costumes deposits become due!

Many of you know that our Sacred Dance Class has more than doubled—(what a blessing!), and we have wait lists for a few classes. We are thankful for that. It helps to make up for the classes that did not make it due to low numbers.

We're excited about the new dance season and glad you are a part of it!

BRING A FRIEND SEPT 26-OCT 1

Dancers may bring ONE friend to dance with them the week of Sept. 26. Inviting a guest close to your child's age works best. Our parking lot cannot accommodate double the normal parking, nor can our lobby hold double the parents. Please try to bring the

guest with you and/or car-pool. Patience will be the key! This is one week where it just doesn't work for all the parents to stand in the lobby and watch.

All guests should wear comfortable clothing and soft soled shoes if they do not

have dancewear. Our regular dance students should be dressed in the required attire.

We look forward to meeting your friends! This is always a favorite week for the dancers and staff!

Christmas Ballet Auditions coming up October 2 and 8