

# Harbor Springs Community School Ballet & Dance Fusion Revised Schedule for Winter/Spring 2010

Please register at least 5 days prior to the first class date.  
Contact Harbor Springs Community School @ 231-526-4840 or email [mzoerner@harborps.org](mailto:mzoerner@harborps.org) to register or for more information.  
Payment in FULL is due at the first class.

## Ballet

**Beginning Ballet (ages 4-6)** 3:15-3:45 \$216 Instructor, Karrie Benedict **Tuesdays**  
This class is designed to be a dancer's first class. The premiere function of this class is to impart the five basic ballet positions. Arm placement, pointing of toes, stretching, turnout, poise, and classroom etiquette are all concepts that are learned and relearned each class in a creative manner. The ballet walk is practiced at the end of each class as it encompasses all that a young child may find difficult about the art of ballet. At the end of each session, all students should be able to execute the five positions by name, have a solid basic concept of the way their bodies move and be excited for their next dance class!

**Beg/Int Ballet (ages 6-8)** 3:30-4:30 \$234 Instructor Heather Raue **Mondays**  
Beginning/Intermediate level introduces the young dancer to the true outline of a ballet class. Structured ballet barre with center combinations & French terminology are all composites of this class that shape the students for their future ballet classes. This level is the perfect transition from the beginner's class, however, no prior dance experience is necessary.

## Dance Fusion

Instructor, Karrie Benedict

**Tuesdays**  
In this session, students will study a variety of contemporary styles such as Jazz, Modern, and dances of the American Musical Theater. In addition to stressing a strong foundation in dance technique, students will study clarity of line, musical phrasing, and the importance of stage projection. The dancers will all be invited to perform in a Dance Department original production of "Alice In Wonderland" at the Harbor Springs Performing Arts Center at the end of session.

Level 1 ages 5-7 3:45-4:30 \$ 216  
Level 2 ages 8-11 4:30-5:30 \$ 234

### Important Notes

- Classes run for 17 weeks.
- Classes will start on Monday, Feb 1st and go through June 5th.
- No classes will be held during Spring Break April 5th - April 10th
- This session will conclude with a Spring Performance of "Alice in Wonderland" on June 11th & 12th in the Performing Arts Center.
- A \$50 costume fee payable to "Petit Pied" will apply for those participating in the show.
- Dress in Loose comfortable clothes with long hair up in a bun or ponytail.

