

Ayako's Dance Studio

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Welcome!

Welcome to Ayako's Dance Studio. We are looking forward to an exciting and fun year during the 2017-2018 dance season!

I am very excited that joining our teaching staff is Maykel Solas, former principal dancer with Ballet San Jose and Silicon Valley Ballet. He has danced in Cuba, Mexico, Peru, Japan, and virtually all over the United States. He has been the "Cavalier" in our production of the Nutcracker Ballet. Maykel will be teaching the Ballet. I feel very fortunate that he will be teaching for Ayako's Dance Studio.

Rounding out the highly qualified teaching staff will be Emily Thicke, Natalie Berger, and myself. Emily will be teaching Jazz, Contemporary and Hip Hop. Natalie will be teaching Modern dance. I will be teaching Ballet, Musical Theater and my favorite Combo babies! We also participate in dance competitions.

There are 3 ways to register: 1) Fill out the enclosed registration form, write a check for the registration fee and first month's tuition and mail it to the Nye Lane address above. 2) You may go to AyakosDanceStudio.com, print out the registration form, fill it out, and mail it with the registration fee and first month's tuition. 3) You may register and pay online by following the prompts.

There will be a "Meet and Greet" open house on Thursday, August 31st, from 5:00-7:00, at the studio. You may register and pay for classes at that time. There is a \$5 discount off the registration fee if you pay the registration fee and September tuition before September 5th!

Class placement is important for the correct development of each student. Please remember that each student develops at a different rate even though they may be the same age. We want each student to blossom and with the correct nurturing and instruction, they will! The highlighted classes are the classes your child is eligible to take. Of course, you are not required to take all the classes, but after a while, he/she may be interested in adding another class. **If Ballet V-VI/Pointe or Ballet V-VI is highlighted, it is highly suggested that you take both classes.** I will be looking at students at this level who will be ready to go on pointe either this year or next so taking both classes is crucial to strong development in getting ready for pointe work. If you cannot take both classes, then be aware that you may not be ready to go on pointe until a much later time. Also, some pointe students may be required to take certain classes in order to take the next higher level class in pointe. If, for some reason, the lower level pointe class is dropped, then you must also drop the upper level pointe class. For those students affected, it will be noted on your schedule. Also, the **Beginning Pointe** must be taken with the Ballet V-VI.

The staff and I thank you for the opportunity to open up the world of dance for your child. Your support and encouragement is sincerely appreciated. We do it *"for the love of dance."*

Sincerely,

Ayako Britt, Director