# FEBRUARY 2022 MONTHLY NEWSLETTER



## Word from the director...

Get ready to stomp, roar, wiggle, and slither in this year's showcase theme. Wild About Motion is the name of the 2022 Motion Studio spring showcase to be held June 11 (tentative). Check out the costume preview book at the front desk!

Be sure to be present in class February 14-19 for costume fittings and be on the look out for information about our 2022 Summer Camps that we will be announcing soon!

### **Important Dates**

#### **February**

7-12 Crazy Class Week 14-19 In Class Costume Sizing

#### March

1 Deadline to enroll in recital 5 Ballerina Ball 7-12 Peek Week 28-April 2 SPRING BREAK



## **Costume Preview Book**

Be sure to stop by the front desk to take a look at the costumes for the Spring Showcase! Here are a few of our favs!



## Cold & Flu Season

As we enter cold and flu season we wanted to remind families to help keep our studio healthy. Please abstain from coming to the studio if you or any family members are ill.

We ask that parents only wait in the lobby if your student really needs you to be there with them.

## **Ballerina Ball**

#### TICKETS

#### MARCH 5 | 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Calling all party animals! Join us for a WILD time at this year's Ballerina Ball! Motion Studio students who purchase their tickets by February 14 will receive a 50% discount on their admission when they use the code **MotionStudent5**. Offer is valid towards TWO tickets.

The Ballerina Ball is hosted by the Motion Studio Dance Company and is a FUN dance party for the whole family. Enjoy a silent auction while tasting sweet treats, watching a performance by the company dancers and of course...plenty of dancing with our DJ!



## **Meet Wes Greer**

#### NEW MUSIC INSTRUCTOR

Wes has been playing drums since 5th grade and doesn't plan to ever stop! He fell in love with learning how to play beats just on the snare drum and moved that to the drumkit. This love and passion had him playing all percussion throughout his middle school and high school career, eventually leading him to West Virginia University (WVU) to study Percussion with an emphasis in Jazz Drumming.



While at WVU, he also learned hand drumming and other percussion instruments via the world music program. He participated in the African Drum and Dance, Taiko Drumming, Brazilian Ensemble, Gamelan Ensemble, Jazz Vocal Combos, Big Band, and Small Jazz Ensembles. He is now based in Louisville, KY where he continues to play, write, and teach music whenever he can.

#### **FACULTY BIOS**

You can learn more about all out amazing music faculty on our website.

Be on the look out for information about trying a FREE class with Wes. More details coming soon!



## Crazy Class Week

Current Motion Studio students, try all the classes that you can in 1 week! Every student that tries a new class will be entered in a drawing to win ONE month FREE in a new class!!!

From February 7-12 every student is welcome to try every single class that is in their age range and ability level. INCLUDING PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS (pending availability). Stop by the front desk to pick up your Crazy Class Week form.

## **Birthdays**

**ELLIE ANDERTON REMIBELL** MAKENAH BROYLES GRACELYN MILLER LORELEI DABNEY ELLIE DAY ELLIE FEY SAM FITZGERALD ELLA GOOLSBY **JOHANNA GRAVES** CARLY HAGAN **CHARLES HOLLIS CORA HOLT MIYA INMON COLIN JACKSON RAEGAN JONES** PRESLEY KAFOURE

MONROE KIGHTLINGER ASHLYNN LOUGHMILLER PIPER LYTLE HARLEE MAGNUSEN **AUBREY PICA JANELLE RAYMAN** LOUISA RIEGER **ELOISE (ELI) RODMAKER** SCARLET ROSE LONNIE SMITH **TEAGAN SMTIH KALLIE SPAINHOUR GENEVIEVE SPRIGLER AVA STUMLER AVA TALBERT ADELINE VAN LAAN CORA WISSEL** 

## Student of the Month

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#### **LEARN MORE**

### 4-Week **Preschool Sessions**

Did you know that 90% of a child's brain development happens before age 5? New experiences, involving music and movement are essential activities for developing brain connections.

At Motion Studio we have a very special place in our heart for our very young students. We offer specially designed, developmentally appropriate classes taught by patient teachers with years of experience. Now your little one can try a very special 4-week session with no registration fee and no recital commitment.

These 4-week sessions will take place in the spring. Spots are limited and classes fill quickly.

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FREE REGISTER LOGIN **TRIAL CLASS**