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HAPPY
NEW YEAR

WELCOME
BACK TO



FBA&D

FORT BEND ACADEMY OF ARTS AND DANCE

Education and Empowerment Through the Arts.

CLASSES BEGIN JANUARY 9, 2023



5-6-7-8

YOUR MONTHLY FBAAD NEWSLETTER

This is the January issue of our monthly newsletter.

Inside you will find the Fall Season Recap, January birthday announcements, the Spring Concert Corner and more...

Don't forget to "like" us on Facebook and "follow" us on Instagram.

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Our FBAAD Free Saturdays Series hosted a sultry and heart-pumping hip hop class with Brenden Winkfield in October, a funky jazzy good time brought by Whylan Rucker in November, and offered

a sneak peek into the ballet work of the Dance Theatre of Harlem from company member Micah Bullard in December.



In November, the Beginner Hip Hop class had the opportunity to perform at UNCF's annual "A Mind Is..." Gala. Dancing at the Hilton Americas Houston Hotel, where MC Lyte was the entertainment, they were center-stage

to an audience of prominent community figures, HBCU alum and leaders, and local parishioners and politicians, all dressed in their best "Fly" Black-Tie attire!



On December 16, 2022, our Winter Recital marked the end of the Fall Season bringing in much holiday cheer! We saw reindeer, listened to the sweet sounds of Christmas music, and celebrated the hard work of our FBAAD and EAF dancers and instructors.



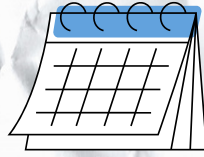
MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Jan 1, 2023 - New Year's Day

Jan 9, 2023 - FBAAD Classes Begin

Jan 16, 2023 - MLK Jr. Day

Jan 21, 2023 - FBAAD Free Saturday Class



January Birthdays

◆ **Christian Holman**

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FBAAD will be CLOSED

**January 16th for
Martin Luther King Jr. Day**

UPCOMING EVENTS:



FBAAD Free Saturday Improvisation Class

Saturday, January 21st @ 12pm-2pm

Loren Holmes with Hearts on Motion Hou will lead an improvisation dance workshop. She will introduce storytelling techniques to help dancers create their own choreography.

Visit FBAAD's Eventbrite to see available classes in this Series and REGISTER NOW!

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/fbaad-free-saturdays-tickets-419068614507>

Performing Arts Houston Presents DANCE THEATRE OF HARLEM

On February 4th, 2023, 2pm at Jones Hall, The Edison Arts Foundation will be presenting works by our Afterschool Arts Academy as a Prelude Performance to this amazing concert event. Get your tickets NOW to see DTH!

www.performingartshouston.com

\$15 STUDENT TICKETS code: STUDENT15

(limited availability)

\$34 GENERAL SEATING



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TOK Piano Lessons are
Now Available!

*\$75/month for Beginner Group lessons
Tuesdays at 6pm

*\$135/month for
Private Piano lessons

**For more information & scheduling,
call Eric Wright @ 713-927-6967.**

NEW STUDIO STAFF



Welcome Ms. Morgan Webber!
PROGRAMS ASSISTANT

Taking on this new role, Morgan will be the beautiful face greeting you as you enter the studio. Have a FBAAD question? Don't hesitate to ask her, she'll make sure you're all set. We're so excited to welcome her to the team! Make sure to say Hi when checking in for your class!



Welcome Ms. Tommacina Bell!
EDISON CULTURAL ARTS CENTER FACILITY DIRECTOR

As we make ready for our new home, you will see Ms. Bell shining bright through our FBAAD hallways, observing the program activities, and preparing and planning for a seamless transition. Please welcome her with a warm hello and a friendly smile!

REMINDER:

Monthly Tuition is due on the 1st of each month. A \$20 late fee applies after the 10th. You may check your balance, pay tuition & recital fees, & stay up-to-date on studio happenings/important dates on the FBAAD Parent Portal.
www.dancestudio-pro.com/online/fbaad



SPRING CONCERT CORNER

Spring Concert Costume Fees are DUE NOW*
 *The costume fee is \$65 per class for all dancers participating in our annual Spring Concert on

June 2nd, 2023.

The Spring Concert Performance Fee is DUE: March 10th*
 The performance fee is \$50/individual student or \$75/ family.

ON THE FBAAD



DANCE FLOOR

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SPRING 2023 WEEKLY SCHEDULE

	STUDIO A	STUDIO B	STUDIO C	MUSIC ROOM
SUN				
MON	MODERN AAA 5:00-6:00 P.M. BALLET 1 BEGINNER AGES 7+ 6:00-7:00 P.M.	CREATIVE MOVEMENT AGES 3-4 Y.O. 5:30-6:30 P.M. BALLET 2 INTERMEDIATE AGES 7+ 6:30-7:30 P.M.	TRANSITION AAA 6:00-6:30 P.M.	
TUES	PRIMARY AGES 5-6 Y.O. 5:30 PM-6:30 P.M. JAZZ 2 INT./ADVANCED AGES 7+ 6:30-7:30 P.M.	TOUCH OF KEYS/HIP HOP AAA 5:00-5:30 P.M. TOUCH OF KEYS/HIP HOP AAA 5:30-6:00 P.M. JAZZ 1 BEGINNER AGES 7+ 6:00-7:00 P.M.	TOUCH OF KEYS/HIP HOP AAA 5:00-5:30 P.M. TOUCH OF KEYS/HIP HOP AAA 5:30-6:00 P.M. TRANSITION AAA 6:00-6:30 P.M.	TOUCH OF KEYS 6:00-8:00 P.M. Mr. Eric Wright 713-927-6967
WED	BALLET AAA 5:00-6:00 P.M. TRANSITION AAA 6:00-6:30 P.M. BALLET 3 ADV./POINTE 6:30-7:30 P.M.	HIP-HOP BEGINNER AGES 7+ 6:00-7:00 P.M. HIP HOP INT./ADV. AGES 7+ 7:00-8:00 P.M.	TOUCH OF KEYS 5:00-7:00 P.M. OR 5:30-6:30 P.M. TAP 1&2 AGES 7+ 6:30-7:30 P.M.	
THURS	TOUCH OF KEYS/ART AAA 5:00-5:30 P.M. TOUCH OF KEYS/ART AAA 5:30-6:00 P.M. TRANSITION AAA 6:00-6:30 P.M.	MODERN/CONTEMPORARY AGES 7-12 6:00 PM-7:00 PM MODERN/CONTEMPORARY TEEN/ADULT 7:00 PM-8:00 PM	TOUCH OF KEYS/ART AAA 5:00-5:30 P.M. TOUCH OF KEYS/ART AAA 5:30-6:00 P.M. TOUCH OF KEYS 6:00-7:00 P.M.	TOUCH OF KEYS 6:00-8:00 P.M. Mr. Eric Wright 713-927-6967
FRI	TAP AAA 4:30-5:30 P.M. FUN/FOCUS AAA 5:30-6:00 P.M.		TOUCH OF KEYS 5:00-7:00 P.M. OR 5:30-6:30 P.M.	
SAT	ADULT SWING OUT 2:00-4:00 P.M. Mr. Marqus James	ADULT SWING OUT 2:00-4:00 P.M. Mr. Marqus James		