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This is the May issue of our monthly newsletter.

Inside you will find: Mark Your Calendar info, May Birthday Announcements, Concert Corner,

Summer Programs, and more...

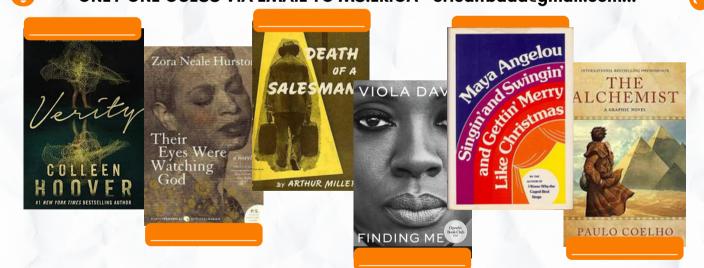
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Be the <u>first</u> to correctly guess which book is the favorite of each FBAAD Staff member and receive a **free copy** of Ms. Erica's children's book, Acire's Journey to Forgiveness Mountain, AND **one (1) additional complimentary ticket** to our Sweet 16 Spring Concert! **ONLY ONE GUESS VIA EMAIL TO MS.ERICA** – **erica.fbaad@gmail.com!!!**



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MARK YOUR CALENDAR



May 3 Father/Daughter Dance Rehearsal begins May 6 FBAAD Picture Day May 14 Mother's Day May 20 FBAAD Free Saturday Class - Horton May 20 Tutus and Tuxes Gala May 29 Memorial Day / FBAAD closed June 1 Sweet 16 Spring Concert Dress Rehearsal @ 4:30p June 2 SWEET 16 SPRING CONCERT! June 2 END OF FBAAD SPRING SEASON



UPCOMING EVENTS:



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Dads! It's time to dance!

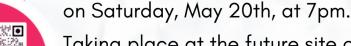
Fathers, grandfathers, Godfathers, and positive male role models...Get ready for your Spring Concert performance with your favorite girl.

EVERY WEDNESDAY in May from 6:30-7:30pm, we will rehearse at FBAAD. The show is June 2nd, so there's no time to waste. Come in comfy clothes, a great attitude, and don't forget your princess! Sign up at the front desk.

(practice videos will be on the Parent Portal)

The Edison Arts Foundation cordially invites you to the

Tutus and Tuxes Fundraising Gala



Taking place at the future site of the Edison Cultural Arts Center (7100 W. Fuqua, Missouri city, Texas, 77489), it will be a night of fine dining, entertainment, and honorees. Learn more and purchase tickets <u>HERE</u>.



FBAAD Free Saturday Horton Class

Saturday, May 20th @ 12pm-2pm Our very own **Lauren Burke** will lead this class! Lauren currently teaches Ballet and Creative Movement at FBAAD, and is the Creative Director for our Edison Arts Foundation. Visit FBAAD's Eventbrite to see available classes in this Series

and REGISTER NOW!

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ALL Recital Fees must be paid to participate



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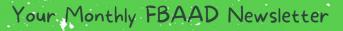
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We are gearing up to add adult-centered classes to the dance floor in the 2023 Summer, and want to know if you'll join us! Add your name to the interest sheets HERE or at the front desk during your next visit. Class schedules and start dates **COMING IN JUNE!**





For ages 7-17 years old, **S.T.A.R. (Summer Theatre Art Repertory)** provides two fourweek sessions of performance & technical training, all culminating into two stellar musical theatre productions. Register via the <u>Edison Arts Foundation Eventbrite page.</u> **\$500 per session + \$50 registration fee.**

Scholarships available!

<u>Session 1</u> June 5 - June 30 Matilda The Musical

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<u>Session 2</u> July 10 - August 4 The Wiz Jr Summer Dance Camp is for ages 5-12 years old and begins June 12, 2023. Comprised of eight week-long sessions, it is full of wholesome, healthy, and artistic experiences. From 9am to 4pm daily, Campers engage in sports, dance, arts, academia, and field trips. Register via our

FBAAD Parent Portal.

\$99 per weekly session + one-time \$25 registration fee + \$20/ week Activity Fee.

BALLET HIPHOP JAZZ CONTEMPORARY INTENSIVE

The **Summer Dance Intensives** offer four weeks of intermediate/advanced choreography in ballet/contemporary and hip hop/jazz genres. Dancers meet Monday – Friday, 6:00–8:00pm, with a final showcase on the last day of each intensive.

> Register via our FBAAD Parent Portal.

\$199 per session + \$25 registration fee.

<u>SDI #1</u> – Ballet/Contemporary June 19th – June 30 <u>SDI #2</u> – Hip-Hop/Jazz July 17th – July 28th







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