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IMPORTANT UPDATE March 13 COVID - 19

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Dear DansConnection Families.

The safety of our students, staff, and families is of utmost importance to us, we are closely monitoring developments around COVID-19 and following Alberta Health Services for recommendations, guidance, and advise.

Today, Alberta's Chief Medical Officer of Health, Dr. Deena Hinshaw said "I have advised that school closures not be implemented at this time. To be clear, schools, daycares and post-secondary institutions can remain open.

DansConnection will follow advice from AHS towards schools and will remain open at this time.

We want you to know that DansConnection has again added measures to protect the health of our community:

- We are implementing extra cleaning, disinfection, and sanitation measures.
- We have Purell dispensers in each studio, classroom and in the lobby for everyone's use.
- Students will be required to wash their hands prior to entering class with soap and water.
- We ask all guests to sanitize their hands upon entering the building.
- We ask that each dancer is picked up or dropped off by only ONE person. Others are asked to remain in their vehicles.
- We will continue to monitor Alberta Health Services daily announcements and will make adjustments as needed.
- If your child has been out of the country within the past 14 days, we ask that you ensure they have followed the self-isolation requirements from Alberta Health Services.
- Students experiencing cold or flu symptoms will not be permitted to attend class, and there will be no consequences for missed classes.
- Students who become unwell during classes will be asked to leave.

The most important things you can do to prevent COVID-19 are to follow the same advice that public health officials recommend for the cold and flu season:

- Stay home if you have cold or flu symptoms.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- Use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer if soap and water are not available.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash.
- Cough or sneeze into your elbow if a tissue is unavailable.

• Practice social distancing and avoid others who are unwell.

Our next update will be sent out on Monday, once we have an update from the AHS. In the meantime, we thank you for your support in keeping things as normal as possible for kids during this challenging time.

In partnership, Ms Shelly & Ms Stapleton

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