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▶ NEXT WEEK - SILLY SOCK WEEK + SOCK DRIVE – The Dance Factory has partnered with Yak 'n Yarn of Topeka for its annual "Socks in the City" event - raising awareness of the challenges the less fortunate have keeping their feet warm during the winter months. The organizations that will benefit from this sock drive will be: Boys & Girls Clubs of Topeka, Colmery-O'Neil VA Medical Center, Doorstep, Topeka Rescue Mission, Let's Help and USD 501. The goal this year is **4,000** pairs of socks for the city of Topeka! We have a donation bin located in our lobby. Please have your dancers bring in <u>new</u> pairs of socks to add to our bin! If we reach 100+ pairs of socks as a studio, we will be doing a fun DF giveaway basket!

WE WILL BE DOING A SPOOKY/SILLY SOCK WEEK IN CONJUNCTION WITH THIS EVENT OCTOBER 16-19

REMIND - If you are currently not receiving text message updates from us, please text '@DFSTUDIO3' TO '81010' - we use this free text messaging system to keep you updated with news, reminders and communicate urgent messages like reminders about Parent Observation Week and Spirit Weeks!

♥ HALLOWEEN COSTUME WEEK – OCTOBER 23-26 – Dancers may wear their Halloween costumes the week before Halloween. Please make sure your dancer can still safely participate in class in their costume.

HALLOWEEN - STUDIO CLOSED – OCTOBER 31 – The studio will be closed on Tuesday, October 31st. Enjoy a fun and safe evening with your family!

♥ NEW JAMMIE DRIVE - The Dance Factory is partnering with The Impact Topeka Foundation to collect <u>new</u> pajamas for kids sizes 5T - adult medium! This current project will be providing beds, linens, pillows, pajamas and stuffed animals to children who currently do not have these items. You may drop off your pajamas at the front desk until October 23rd!

NEWS PAGE - Our <u>NEWS</u> page will house all of our newsletters and important information for the year. Please be sure to check it frequently.

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- → OCTOBER 16-19 *SPIRIT WEEK* SPOOKY/SILLY SOCK WEEK
- → OCTOBER 23-26 *SPIRIT WEEK* HALLOWEEN COSTUME WEEK
- → OCTOBER 31 STUDIO CLOSED HALLOWEEN
- → NOVEMBER 5 TUITION DUE
- → NOVEMBER 7 LATE FEES APPLY
- → NOVEMBER 15 JUNE CONCERT COSTUME FEES DUE
- → NOVEMBER 20-26 FALL BREAK STUDIO CLOSED
- → DECEMBER 21 WINTER SHOWCASE WHITE CONCERT HALL 6:00 PM
- → DECEMBER 22-JANUARY 7 WINTER BREAK
- → JANUARY 8 CLASSES RESUME
- → MARCH 8-17 SPRING BREAK STUDIO CLOSED
- → MAY 27 MEMORIAL DAY STUDIO CLOSED
- → JUNE 7 & 8 JUNE CONCERT