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DANCE ALBERTA

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Dear Dance Alberta members,

The Board of Directors has implemented changes to the Volunteer and Fundraising opportunities that are effective immediately. As a not-for-profit organization, Dance Alberta relies on volunteer and fundraising efforts as an aid in keeping tuition costs low while providing exemplary dance training. Our new fundraising and volunteer system has been designed to be easy to understand and use for you and all of our members.

All members of Dance Alberta are required to complete one volunteer duty **and** participate in a fundraising activity, such as bingos. We ask that all members submit **one** \$100 cheque for the Fundraising Deposit **and one** \$100 cheque for the Volunteer Deposit. Members may alternatively leave a credit card number on file. Members can still choose to pay out the fundraising and volunteer fees rather than participate in the activities.

Fundraising Credits

If a member works 2 bingos, their fundraising fee will be covered; however, members can choose to continue to work bingos throughout the year to lower their tuition costs. A list of Bingo dates for this term is attached. Bingo volunteers are assigned on a first come, first serve basis.

We will also be adding fun fundraising projects throughout the year such as our annual Poinsettia fundraiser and Spring flowers.

Volunteer Credits

A list of all the volunteer duties and bingo dates for the 2009-2010 season has been compiled and attached. Please read through the attached list and check off the volunteer duty your family would like to participate in. We ask that you return the volunteer option sheet at your earliest convenience - duties and bingo dates will be assigned on a first come first serve basis.

Fundraising and Volunteer Deposits will be cashed by **January 15th, 2010** for those who prefer not to participate or choose not to respond to coordinators.

Volunteer and fundraising duties are very important to Dance Alberta to ensure the school operates smoothly and efficiently. Your efforts build the heart and heritage of Dance Alberta's first-class dance instruction and contribute to the close community of the Dance Alberta family.

*Providing excellence in dance
training for over 37 years...*