DANCING FOR JOY
2026 August - December Timeline

Updated 10/15/26

AUGUST

15th- Pointe Shoe Fitting **prior pointe experience or teacher recommendation required*

22nd - Free Try It Day and Evaluation Day.
Bellingham campus: 10am-3:30pm / Lynden campus: 10am-2:30pm

28th - Canvas Dance Company (dancers ages 18+) auditions: 6:30pm, DFJ Bellingham

31st - First day of Fall Classes

SEPTEMBER

7th - Labor Day (both studios closed)

21st - 25th - Color Leotard & Younger Dancer Presentation Week (Tiny Twirlers - Level 1)

26th - Nativity Show Audition/Casting
*Students must be enrolled in a DFJ class. All participants will be cast in the show.

27th - Adult Free Try-it Day! Bellingham classes 12:00-6:15pm

OCTOBER

3rd - Nativity Show Rehearsal #1

10th - Nativity Show Rehearsal #2 & Parent Night Out (register on Jackrabbit)

17th - Nativity Show Rehearsal #3
Meet the Princesses event, 3pm-5pm @ DFJ Bham (register on Jackrabbit)

24th - Nativity Show Rehearsal #4 and Pointe Shoe Fitting **pointe experience required*

26th - 30th: DFJ Wacky Week- *wear something fun to class!*
Presentation Week (Tiny Twirlers - Level 1)

31st - Nativity Show Rehearsal #5

NOVEMBER

Nativity Show tickets on sale Nov. 3rd

Available for purchase through the Mount Baker Theatre only.

7th - Nativity Show Rehearsal #6.

14th - Nativity Show Rehearsal #7
- Parent Night Out / Pre-registration required

Wed. 18th - Tues. 24th - Presentation Week (Tiny Twirlers - Level 1)

21st - Nativity Show Rehearsal #8

21st & 22nd - CANVAS dance company show

25th - *28th: Thanksgiving Break (Closed)

****No Nativity rehearsal on Saturday Nov. 28th***

DECEMBER

5th - Nativity Rehearsal #9

12th - Nativity Picture Day

14th - 18th: Final Week of Fall Classes & Presentation Week (Tiny Twirlers - Level 1)

18th - Nativity Dress Rehearsal at MBT
*Group rehearsal times TBA

Sat. 19th & Sun. 20th - Nativity Show at Mount Baker Theatre, 6:30pm

Dec. 21st-Jan. 3rd: Winter Break (Closed)

Dec. 29th: Parent Night Out
*Pre-registration required

Classes resume Jan. 4th