



## COMMUNITY DANCE SCHOOL ADULT CLASSES

### *2017-2018 Season*

Welcome to our dance family! The Community Dance School at Joy of Motion Dance Center fosters a welcoming and non-judgmental atmosphere for adult students of all levels. Whether you're an experienced dancer or just getting started, Community Dance School classes at Joy of Motion enable you to sample and train in a variety of classes (150 each week) that fit your schedule, skills, and goals. We can't wait to get you dancing with joy!

### Series Classes & Drop-in Classes

**Series classes** are ideal for dancers looking for 9-13 weeks of cumulative dance training, tailored to their level and interests. The majority of our series classes are best for people who have never danced before, or have limited experience with a particular style. However, we do have some classes offered for all levels, such as our Jukebox Social and Traveler Series.

**Drop-in Technique and Training classes** are ideal for dancers who have taken classes before and would rather not commit to a specific schedule. Drop-in classes at Joy of Motion are offered in a variety of styles and levels, and are scheduled throughout the week at all three studios. Many become weekly regulars once they find their perfect drop-in classes and favorite teachers.

### Class Levels

At Joy of Motion, we emphasize personal growth in each dancer's journey by facilitating a welcoming, supportive studio atmosphere. We recommend that each student begin their journey where they feel most comfortable and develop at their own pace. From there you can work with your instructor and our studio staff to find the best class and level for you. Class levels range from Basics (an introductory level for brand new dancers) to Advanced, where students are working for mastery.

Each instructor has their own style and pace and that may influence how the level feels to you. For further guidance on what level to take, please visit our website!

### Mark Your Calendar! Session Dates/Closures for 2017-2018 Season

**Fall Session:** September 11 - December 17 (13 weeks)

\*Fall Break: November 20 - 26. No series classes.

**Winter Session:** January 8 - March 31 (12 weeks)

**Spring Session:** April 8 - June 9 (9 weeks).

\*No series classes will be held for Spring break (April 1 - 7) and Summer break (June 11-17); Monday classes will **not** meet on Memorial Day

**Summer Session:** June 18th - August 26th (10 weeks)

\*Wednesday classes will not meet on Independence Day, and will run June 20-Aug 29

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## Studio Closures

No classes are held at any Joy of Motion location on the following dates.

November 23, 2017, Thanksgiving Day

December 24, 2017, Christmas Eve

December 25, 2017, Christmas Day

December 31, 2017, New Year's Eve studios close @  
2:00pm

January 1, 2018, New Year's Day

April 1, 2018, Easter

May 28, 2018, Memorial Day

July 4th, 2018, Independence Day

September 3rd, 2018, Labor Day

## Class Attire

- Make sure to wear outerwear + street shoes to the studio and change into your dance shoes after you arrive. This protects our valuable dance floors and keeps them clean and safe for our dancers.
- Wear attire and shoes appropriate for the dance style. For more information regarding style-specific dancewear, please see your class description and recommendations. In the majority of our adult classes, form-fitting activewear is appropriate and common the studio. Call the studio if you have any questions!

## Series Class Makeup Policy

If a Series Class is cancelled or you need to miss class for any reason, you may take a make-up class in a similar style Series Class during the same session. Please schedule your make-up class with your studio staff. If you have any additional questions, please contact us.

## Class Communications (or How to Get Important Information)

Studio communications regarding schedule changes and class updates all are transmitted through our email service. We **strongly encourage** you to sign up for our mailing list through the website or in the studio with desk staff, so that you don't miss any updates. Not sure if you're subscribed? Please check with studio staff to confirm. Please check [joyofmotion.org](http://joyofmotion.org) for **weather-related closures**.

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