Weekly Update from O'Shea Irish Dance Administrator

Friday, August 3, 2018

Breaking News!

Watch for an email from Cormac containing an invite to register for Fall classes on Class Bug, our new class registration system that will be replacing StudioDirector. Currently, we are sending invites only to those families who don't exceed the family maximum. We will be sending additional invites to those families that regularly hit the family maximum in the coming days.

Upcoming Important Dates

PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITIES:

- August 10 August 12 Irish Fair of Minnesota
- August 16 St. Paul Saints Day (Come see the Kickin' It Irish dancers)
- September 3 State Fair Day (Come see the Kickin' It Irish dancers)
- September 8 Mac/Groveland Fest Save the date!
- October 6 Hamline/Midway Save the date!

NO Saturday Open Studio for the rest of the summer.

Irish Fair Information

Our dance tent performance times are:

- Saturday, August 11 from 12:30 1:20 pm
- Saturday, August 11 from 7:00 7:50 pm
- Sunday, August 12 from 3:00 3:50 pm. All-school/alumni party at 4 pm in the party pavilion just steps away from where dancers gather for the day.



Upcoming Regional Feiseanna

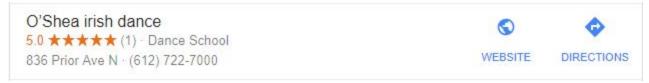
More info and registration for these recommended upcoming regional feiseanna can be found here.

- Aug 25 Missouri State Championships (St. Louis)
- Aug 26 Greater St. Louis Feis (St. Louis)
- Sept 1 Kansas City Feis (Kansas City)
- Sept 2 NEW FEIS: Heart of America Feis (Kansas City)
- Sept 29 The Minnesota Feis (St. Paul)
- Sept 30 The Saint Paul Autumn Feis (St. Paul)

Help OID Get More Hits in Google

Did you know you can help us boost the visibility of OID in Google search results and help prospective families see OID has highly ranked? Follow these simple instructions:

- 1. In Google, search for **irish dance school st. paul**. You should see O'Shea in the results.
- 2. Click on the link for OID that looks like this:



- 3. On the next page, click where it says: **Google review**
- 4. Click the **Write a review** link and then rate and review OID. Thanks

Be an Irish Fair of Minnesota Volunteer!

The Irish Fair of Minnesota is looking for volunteers. You're welcome to sign up for just one shift if that's all that works, or multiple shifts. Irish Fair of Minnesota strives to be a destination for all in the Irish Community and beyond to attend a free event to learn, listen and enjoy the traditions of Ireland. Volunteer support is needed to help keep the event going and keep it FREE!

Please contact <u>Volunteer@IrishFair.com</u> or visit: <u>https://www.irishfair.com/volunteer</u> for more information or if you have any questions.

Coming Up at CJAC – More Info Here



2018 Family Fringe Festival, Aug 2-5 and 9-12

The 2018 Family Fringe performances will take place August 2-5 and 9-12 at Celtic Junction Arts Center in Saint Paul's Creative Enterprise Zone. Audiences are encouraged to participate in free activities at 2018 Family Fringe Central, Can Can Wonderland and visit all Fringe hubs during the festival. More info <u>here</u>.