

# Weekly Update from O'Shea Irish Dance Administrator

Friday, August 30, 2019

## Important Dates - Mark Your Calendars

- **NO CLASSES** on Labor Day - Monday, September 2
- **Fall Season Starts** for Preschool and Beginner - September 9
- **Orientation and Costume Days**
  - Fall Orientation - September 14 - 9 am to 11 am
  - Class Costume Day - November 16 - 9 am to 2 pm

## Upcoming Performance Opportunities!

- [All Available Forms/Rubrics can be found here.](#)
  - **Mac/Groveland Fest** - Sat. September 7
  - **St. Ambrose (SAW) Fest** - Sat. September 21
  - **Marydale Arts Festival** - Sat. September 28

## Well, That Was Fun!

Thanks to everyone who had friends and family come to the open house and trial classes on Wednesday. If you know anyone else who is interested in checking out OID, we are always open to having people try a class for free. Just email me and I can coordinate. We love it when friends come to try out a class!

## Used Shoes, OID Merch and Questions Answered

For the first week of Preschool and Beginner classes starting Monday, September 9 we will have a table with logowear for sale as well as items from the shoe cabinet (did you know we have a shoe cabinet for selling and buying used shoes and other accessories?) and a lost & found table. We will be there to answer questions about feising, IDPA, and how to be a bigger part of the O'Shea Family!

## Register for Fall Feiseanna and Become a Feis Volunteer

The new Minnesota State Championships Feis is on Saturday, September 21st back to back with the 6th annual St. Paul Autumn Feis on Sunday, September 22nd. Register on [FeisWorx](#). If you have any questions, contact co-chairs [Heidi Shaback](#) or [Galena Schirmer](#).

Our upcoming feiseanna require lots of volunteers. There are tons of jobs that don't require any experience and arrangements can easily be made so you don't miss seeing your kids dance. Feis Volunteer Sign Up links below. Volunteering is fun, easy, and **necessary** to help us keep the local feis opportunities available for our dancers!

[Minnesota State Championships Volunteer Sign-Up](#) | [St. Paul Autumn Feis Volunteer Sign-Up](#)

*Please also see the attached helpful guide explaining how to register and what dances are required for each level.*

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ENJOY THE LONG WEEKEND!  
LOOK FOR YOUR NEXT WEEKLY UPDATE FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 2019