

## MERRILEE STUDIOS SUMMER 2016 CAMPS AND INTENSIVES

### **June 13-16 – 4 days**

Assistant Teacher Training taught by Mary, 9:30-11:30 a.m., \$50 and offered to those who have completed 8<sup>th</sup> grade and are interested in being an Assistant Teacher and eventually a teacher. This will include conducting a class, teaching steps, and will culminate in an exam. The exam must be passed with a grade of at least 85% to receive the title of Assistant Teacher. Those who pass, will choose blocks of time to work in the fall as an Assistant Teacher. If things go well, they may be asked to co-teach the following summer (2017) and possibly co-teach in the fall (2017-18). A lot depends on the growth & ability of each student in the Assistant Teacher Training.

### **June 20-24 – First Week of Summer Classes Plus the Following**

Learn That Skill Camp taught by Dan, 2:00 – 3:30 p.m., \$75 and offered to students first grade and up. It's a great way to learn that skill that has been eluding your child. Minimum of 6 students. 1 point

Auditions for the Merrilee Dance Company, Wednesday, 4:00-5:30 p.m., no charge, must be Level 3 or above. Need to attend only one audition, not both.

### **June 27-July 1 – Second Week of Summer Classes Plus the Following**

Front Limber Clinic taught by Dan, 2:00-2:45 p.m., \$50 and offered to students 1<sup>st</sup> grade and older to help them get their front limber. This skill is the gateway to many other tumbling skills and one where the children struggle the most. Minimum of 6 students. ½ point

Auditions for the Merrilee Dance Company, Wednesday, 4:00-5:30 p.m., no charge, must be Level 3 or above. Need to attend only one audition, not both.

### **July 4-7 – Third Week of Summer Classes Plus the Following**

Mon., July 4 classes will be held on Thurs., July 7

### **July 11-15 – Fourth Week of Summer Classes Plus the Following**

Stretch, Strengthen, Turns & Leaps Intensive taught by Lida & Mary, 2:00-4:00 p.m., \$85. For all those who have had at least one year of Level 2 through Level 5. Work will be done on making your child more flexible, stronger, and better at leaps and turns. Minimum 6 students. 1 point

**July 18-22**

Learn That Skill Camp taught by Dan, 2:00-3:30 p.m., \$75 and offered to students first grade and up. It's a great way to learn that skill that has been eluding your child. Minimum of 6 students.  
1 point

Princess Camp taught by Lida, 3 days, T through TH, 2:00-3:00 p.m., 4-7 year olds, \$50 to include crafts. Each day for three days will be a different storybook princess including the story, dance, games and crafts. Minimum of 6 students. ½ point

Required Intensive for all Merrilee Dance Company Dancers and Apprentices, Seniors 9:00 a.m. -12:00 p.m., Juniors 9:00 a.m. -11:00 a.m. \$100 for Juniors and \$125 for Seniors.

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**July 25-27**

Mini Dance Intensives, taught by Lida, Dan, & Mary, M-W, \$75 each, 1 point each

Jazz/Contemporary 2/3	9:00-10:30
Ballet 2/3	10:30-12:00
Tap 2/3	1:00-2:30
Ballet 4/5	2:30-4:00
Tap 4/5	4:00-5:30
Jazz 4/5	6:00-7:30

**August 15**

Fall Classes begin