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Happy New Year! - Happy New Year! Christina would like to thank you for the generous holiday gifts and wishes this year. Thank you so much!

Tuition Reminder — Please make your the second tuition payment as soon as possible! The second payment was due by December 1st.

January Ceili & Solo Practice Schedule – Practice for the 8-Hand Ceili teams competing at the All Irelands in February will be held on January 9, 16, 23, and 30 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at St. Vincent's in Richboro. New figures for the competition will be taught at this time. Solo practice is scheduled for 11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. immediately following the ceili practices. *Please check the message board for any last minute cancellations!*

All Irelands Workshop — Christina has scheduled an All Irelands workshop for Friday, January 22nd-Sunday, January 24th. A schedule for teams and soloists will be provided by Thursday, January 21st.

St. Patrick's Day Parade – We will be participating in the Philadelphia Saint Patrick's Day Parade on Sunday, March 14, 2010. Practices have been tentatively scheduled for February 6, 13, 20, 27 and March 6, 13, 2010 from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at St. Vincent's in Richboro. All dancers of all levels are encouraged to participate in the parade. For more information about the 2010 Philadelphia Saint Patrick's Day Parade, visit their web site at <http://philadelphiastpatsparade.com>.



Parade Attire – Information regarding ordering parade attire (i.e., black cotton-knit skorts with Ryan-Kilcoyne logo, black turtlenecks, hoodies, etc.), will be provided at the first parade practice.

Upcoming Feis Dates 2010 – A list of the Mid-Atlantic Region feiseanna for the 2010 season can be found at <http://www.voy.com/221389/>. Another good source of information is the *Local Feis Information* page provided by the Peter Smith School at <http://www.petersmithschool.com/finfo.htm>. Remember to submit your entry as early as possible, since many reach capacity well before the entry deadline. Also, don't forget to move up to the next age group!

Class Cancellation Reminder — *Please check the web site message board for any last minute class cancellations and changes!* Class cancellations due to inclement weather are completely out of the school's control. If the local school district is closed or if there is an early dismissal, classes will be cancelled. When a class is cancelled or if a dancer misses a class, the dancer is encouraged to make up the class. Dancers who miss a class may make up the class at any other location once they let Christina know.