

Tuition Reminder — Don't forget!
 The third and final tuition payment is due March 1st.

- **All Ireland Dancing Championships** - Congratulations to our All Ireland Ceili Teams and Soloists who successfully competed in the All Ireland Dancing Championships from February 13th — 21st in Killarney, Ireland! Christina is so very proud of you, and you all did a tremendous job representing the school and the U.S.!

Special congratulations to the following dancers:

Girls 13-14

Christine Cahill — heavy round recall medal

Emily Evrard — heavy round recall medal; light round recall medal; championship recall medal — 36th

Girls 14-15

Cassie Pierce — heavy round recall medal

Clare Reilly — light round recall medal

Girls 16-17

Shannon O'Gorman — heavy round recall medal; championship recall medal — 43rd

Ladies 17-18

Rebecca Evrard—heavy round recall medal; light round recall medal

Ladies 18-19

Moira Reilly—light round recall medal; championship placement medal —14th

- **March Saturday Practice Schedule for St. Vincents —**

March 6th 9:30 —11:30 a.m. parade practice; 11:30 a.m. —1:30 p.m. solos

March 13th 9:30 —11:30 a.m. parade practice; 11:30 a.m. —1:30 p.m. solos

March 20th 9:30 — 11:30 a.m. ceili practice; 11:30 a.m. —1:30 p.m. solos

March 27th 9:30 — 11:30 a.m. ceili practice; 11:30 a.m. —1:30 p.m. solos

- **Dresses needed** — Dancers from the Bel Air class are looking to purchase some black velvet school dresses. Two girls size 6 and two girls size 8-10 dresses are needed. Please contact Pam Kozlowski at pkozchick@verizon.net if you have dresses available for purchase in these sizes.
- **EcoPhones Recycling Fundraiser — Thank you to everyone who has supported this fundraiser!** A total of 3 cell phones, 1 laptop computer, and 126 ink cartridges were collected and shipped to EcoPhones on February 22nd. We should find out by the end of March just how much money was raised through this fundraiser. If you have any questions or need more information about EcoPhones, please contact Lisa Galloway Evrard at lpevrard@comcast.net.
- **North American Irish Dancing Championships (a.k.a. "Nationals") Orlando, Florida, July 3-7, 2010** - Do you plan on attending for solos or have an interest in attending for ceili teams? Please let Christina know your intentions by Monday, March 15th!



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Parade Practice — 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. at St. Vincents, March 6th & March 13th.

Parade Attire – Parade attire orders (i.e., black cotton-knit skirts with logo, black turtlenecks, hoodies, etc.) will be available for pick-up by the March 13th parade practice. If your dancer has a black velvet school dress, they are encouraged to wear their dresses. Younger dancers should wear opaque skin-tone tights, white poodle socks, and white sneakers. Older senior level dancers should wear black tights with black sneakers. Wigs are not required. Hair should be neat and pulled up into a pony tail, if possible, with festive ribbons added. Please remember that for any adults that plan to be in the line of march behind the dancers, blue jeans are not permitted. Thank you for your cooperation!

Baltimore St. Patrick's Day Parade — Dancers from the Bel Air classes will be participating in the Baltimore St. Patrick's Day Parade on Sunday, March 14, 2010! For more information about the parade, visit their web site at <http://www.irishparade.net>. For the particulars about the *Where?* and *When?* for the dancers, please contact Melissa Lehr, 4:30 class parent, at nd2rchme@verizon.net or Pam Kozlowski, 6:00 class parent, at pkozchick@verizon.net.

Philadelphia St. Patrick's Day Parade – We will be participating in the Philadelphia St. Patrick's Day Parade on Sunday, March 14, 2010. The Ryan-Kilcoyne School of Irish Dancing has been placed in Division 8. We will be lining up at 11:00 a.m. on the South side of JFK Blvd between 19th and 20th Streets. Note the 2010 Parade Route below. The parade will be broadcast on CW Philly 57 from Noon —3:00 p.m. and at www.cbs3.com. A rebroadcast is scheduled for March 17th from 9:00 a.m.—Noon on CBS3 and from 2:00 — 5:00 p.m. on CW Philly 57. For more information about the 2010 Philadelphia St. Patrick's Day Parade, visit their web site at www.philadelphiastpatsparade.com.

2010 Philadelphia Parade Route

