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April 20, 2019
Saturday 7:00 pm

featuring:

BADRAWN

MUSICAL CONCERT HAFLA
with Dancers

featuring:

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2019 NEW BEGINNER BELLY DANCE CLASSES

April 1 -
Monday 6:30 pm

April 6 -
Saturday 9:00 am

Instructor:
Isis

$65.00 month -
$10.00
registration fee

Have fun ... build your energy & talent ... improve health and stamina ... find the inner you - the one who feels good and loves to move ... make new friends ... bring a friend ... and dance!!!

2019 NEW BEGINNER HULA & TAHITIAN CLASSES

April 1 -
Monday 7:30 pm

Learn to dance the island way ... Great workout ... wonderfully graceful technique ... Aloha!

Instructors:
Pakelekia & Kiana

$65.00 month -
$10.00 registration fee
$45.00 month if in current Studio Belly Dance Class

Vinyasa YOGA

over 10 years as a Yoga Instructor!

MONDAYS
7:30 - 8:30 pm

Drop in rate - $12
Monthly fee - $40
If you are a current student - $36

Vinyasa Yoga uses a flowing style while transitioning from pose to pose. This class is suitable for ALL student levels from beginner to advanced.

Instructor:
Inaya

Instructor:
Aditi

FUSION CLASSES

INTERMEDIATE

Saturday - 9:00 am - 10:30 am

Experienced Advanced I, Advanced II or above Belly Dance experience required

BEGINNER

Saturday - 10:45 am - 12:15 pm

$80.00 month - hour and 1/2 class
$10.00 registration fee
$60.00 month if in current Studio Belly Dance Class

Spring Festivals

Scarborough Faire *- April 6 - May 27 - Waxahachie - BDT Star Stage: Star Dancers, Drums of Isis; and Idlewyld Stage: Wings of Isis, Professional and Performing Company Star Dancers, and Professional Drums of Isis*

Arbor Daze *- Euless - April 27 - Time TBA - Community Stage*

Denton Arts & Jazz *- April 28 - 2:00 pm Sunday - Festival Stage - Star Dancers, PPC, CDT, Wings, Drums of Isis*

Mayfest *- May 5 - Sunday - Fort Worth - Time TBA - Star Dancers, PC, PPC, CDT, Drums of Isis*

Dress Rehearsals:
Denton Arts & Jazz - April 23 - 7:30 pm Tuesday night
Mayfest - April 30 - 7:30 pm Tuesday night

CONGRATULATIONS to our Graduates

GRADUATIONS
March 25, 2019
Monday
Belly Dance & Hula

Thank you to:
Photographer: Tammye Nash
Videographers:
Angie Chabot &
Sandra Comer

Dance Graduates
pictured above with Drum Instructor:
Malachi, Hula Instructors: Pakalakia
& Kiana & Performers

GRADUATIONS
March 30, 2019
Saturday
Belly Dance & Hula

Dance Graduates
pictured below with Drum Instructor:
Soroush, Hula Instructors: Pakalakia
& Kiana & Performers

SALE

Great on Carpet or Outdoors

Number of Chairs - Price per White Chair

One – Seven	$3 each
Eight or more	$2.50 each
Set of 100	$2 each - $200 for 100

If you know of a church or other organization that might benefit from this great price for large numbers, please pass this information along. Thank you!

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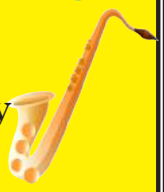
SAVE THE DATE
April 20, 2019
Saturday 7:00 pm

A night of inspiring **Jazz & Middle Eastern** music by Professional Musical Groups plus delightfully talented Pro Dance Interpretation



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for new chairs for Haflas

SAVE THE DATES:

Yaa Halla, Y'all 2019

AUDITIONS for SOLO, DUET, TRIOS, ETC.

June 15-16

SAVE THE NEW DATE:
August 10, 2019

*Yaa Halla, Y'all
*Welcome Everyone
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June 24, 25, 26, 27, 29

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Beauty in Bloom Spring Hafla

March 23, 2019

Photos by:
Cassie Quinn
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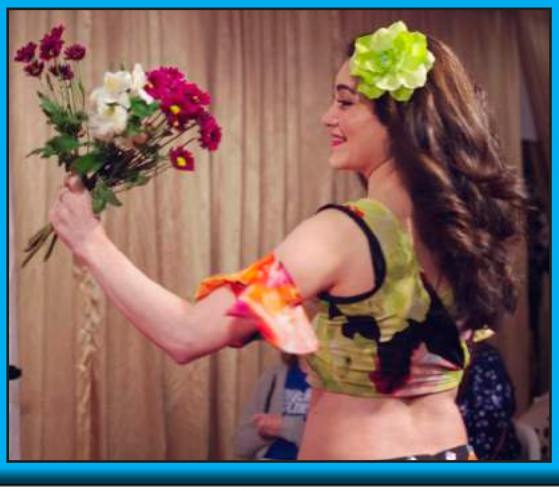
Gallery

Musicians:
Malachi, Dante, Dalek, Taj, Luminaria



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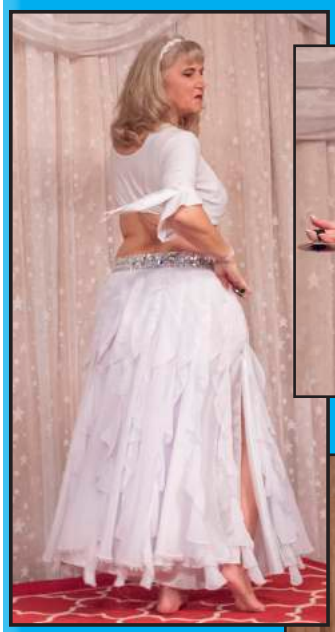

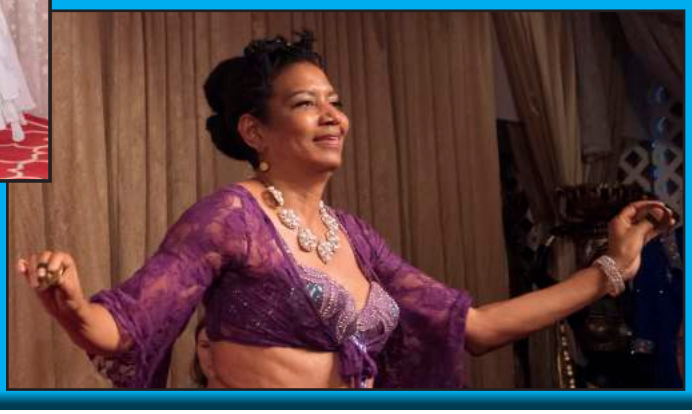

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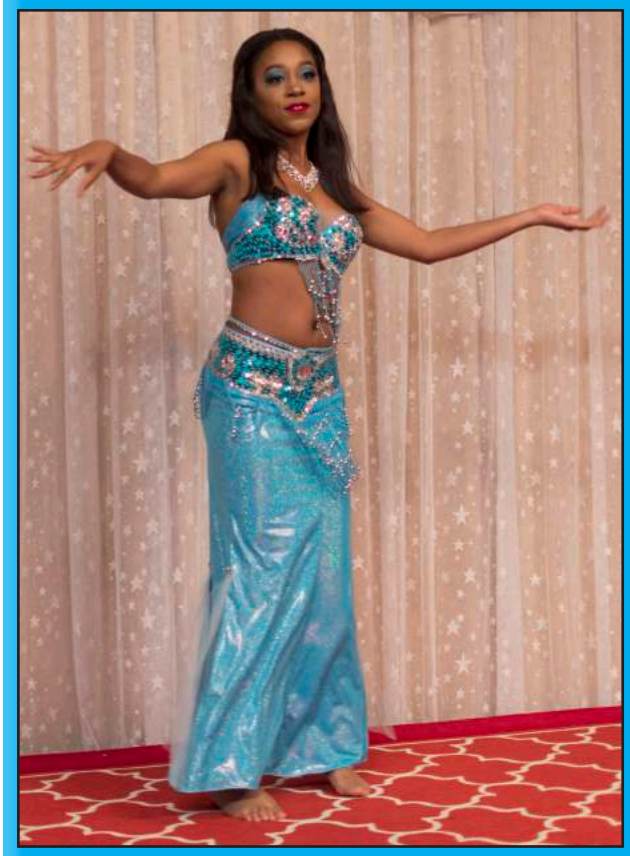

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Dancers & Models:

Aviva, Zatanna, Farah, Sami, Yasna Zara, Kalilah, Tahani, Jisela, Qamar, Djin'jelia, Navkiran, Anastasia, Helen, Ruvani, Ahava & Lynx
Models: Tainia, Cosima

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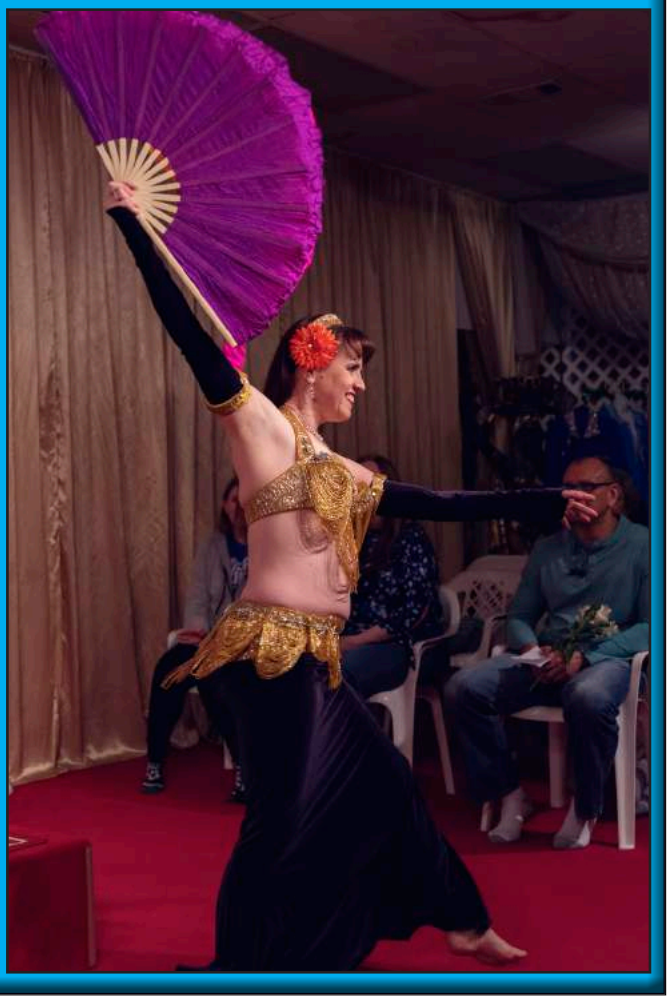

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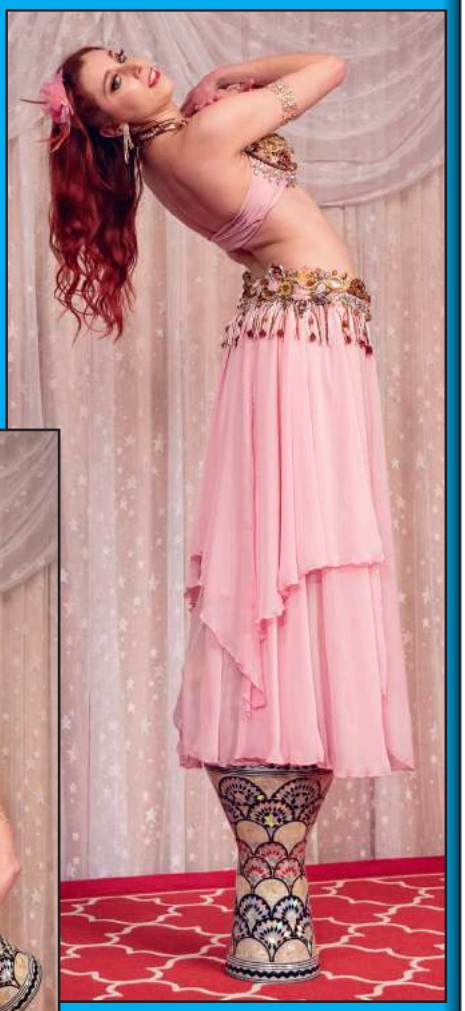
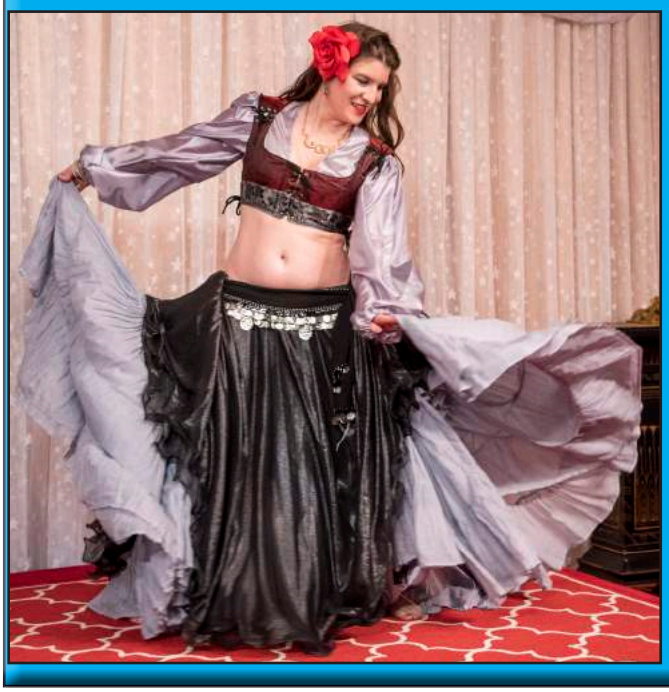


Belly Dance Treasures
Model - below left & right



Mega Thanks to Studio Volunteers who make it possible to present a beautiful show and snacks for our audience and entertainers: Mindy Barrows, Suzi Vega, Hannah Setu, Lynda Sands, Tracy Hammonds, Amy Moore, Tim Moore, Roni Flory, Des Conner, Mary Dishman, Wendy & Bill Cox, Tammye Nash & Cassie Quinn

Beauty in Bloom Spring Hafla
March 23, 2019

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CURRENT DANCE CLASSES

For those of you who have been out for personal reasons (congratulations on your weddings, babies, new houses), and for those of you who have missed any individual classes, below is the current schedule of classes to help you plan times to make up for any classes you have missed! Call if you have any questions!

Middle Eastern (Belly Dance) Classes

* NEW Beginner Classes:
  Monday - 6:30 p.m.
  Saturday morning - 9:00 a.m.
* Intermediate Beginner Classes:
  Thursday night - 6:30 p.m.
  Saturday morning - 10:00 a.m.
* Advanced I Classes:
  Monday night - 7:30 p.m.
  Thursday night - 7:30 p.m.
  Saturday morning - 11:15 a.m.
* Advanced II Classes:
  Monday night - 8:30 p.m.
  Thursday night - 8:30 p.m.
  Saturday daytime - 12:30 p.m.
* Advanced III Classes:
  Tuesday night - 6:30 p.m.
  Saturday - 1:45 p.m.
* Advanced IV Class:
  Tuesday night - 7:30 p.m.
* RaqsZahrah - Tuesday night - 7:30 p.m.
* Isis Performing Company:
  Tuesday night - 8:30 p.m.
  (Second Tuesday)
* RaqsMaysan - Wednesday night - 7:30 p.m

2019 Current

Middle Eastern Classes Continued:

* Cultural Dance Team - 8:30 p.m.
  (Third Tuesday)
  3:00 p.m. Meeting (First Saturday)
* Raksettes: Wednesday night - 6:30 p.m.
* Wings of Isis: Wednesday night - 7:30 pm

Girl's Belly Dance Classes:

* Gems - Pre-Teen/Teen Classes
  Saturday - 12:30 p.m.
* New Gems - New Pre-Teen
  Tuesday - 6:30 p.m.

SEEDS (NEW):

* Little Seeds & Intermediate Seeds
  TBA

Hula:

* Advanced - Monday - 6:30 p.m.
* Beginner - Monday - 7:30 p.m.

Men's:

* Tuesday - Advanced I - 7:30 p.m.

Fusion:

* Saturday - Intermediate - 9:00 a.m.
* Saturday - Beginner - 10:45 a.m.

BUDDY VOUCHERS

Don't forget - after you've graduated from the Beginner Belly Dance Classes and received your Middle Eastern diploma, you are eligible to earn free classes.

If a friend signs up for new Beginner classes, lists you on her or his registration form, then receives a certificate after the full six months, you will earn a free month of classes!!

Pick up your voucher at the front desk immediately after her or his graduation!
Turn in your voucher for your free month of classes! Opa!
Thank you for being such a valuable part of our world.

NEW Beginner Drum Classes:

Tuesday - Beginner - 6:30 pm
Saturday - Beginner - 12:30 pm

Current Drum Classes:

Tuesday - Intermediate - 7:30 pm
Thursday - Advanced IV - 6:30 pm
Advanced II - 7:30 pm
Advanced III - 8:30 pm
Saturday - Advanced I - 11:30 am

Instructor:
Soroush

Instructor:
Malachi

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TEST-OUTS

Is it time to move on to the next level? Have you been putting it off?

Shouldn't you test out on those choreographies you performed at Yaa Halla, Y'all, Christmas, Graduations or Haflas while you still remember them? Do it - you can!

You're gonna LOVE

SIGN UP AT THE FRONT COUNTER dates TBA

LIMMAYA *time*

LimMaya will give you input that will help you with YOUR performance of that choreography, those zills, or your technique, in a very positive way.

THE HAPPENINGS

Please check the Happenings Page on our website ...

It has a complete Calendar of Events

www.isisandthestardancers.com/Happenings.html

THE STAR DANCER NEWSLETTER

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Yaa Halla, Y'all Belly Dance Event

Yaa Halla, Y'all

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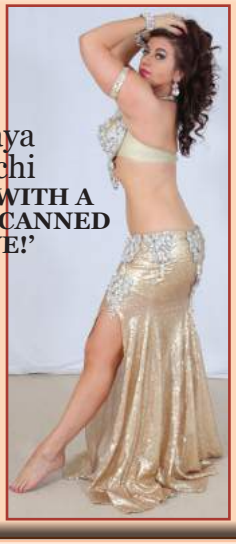
Rising Star ... Duet and Trio Stars
Tribal/Fusion Pro Solo Star ...
Troupe Stars ... Diamond Diva Star ...
Professional Cabaret Star

Yaa Halla, Y'all 2019 Layaways

CABARET 3-DAY, FUSION 3-DAY, & MUSICAL 3-DAY plus Individual Days & single Workshops - Don't miss these Great Instructors! Enjoy four nights of Shows . . . AND pay-it-out for FOUR months if you start in April!

We're gonna PARTY!!!!

Soroush
'MID-EASTERN MUSICALITY AND IMPROVISATION GAMES'



KataMaya
& Malachi
'DANCING WITH A DRUMMER: CANNED TO LIVE!'

'UNSQUARED MELODY' with BADRAWN
Come learn some tunes in not so even beats with Badrawn! The class is open to musicians on all instruments, including percussionists, and all skill levels.

LAYAWAY NOW AND SAVE ... SAVE ... SAVE

This is an outstanding time to put a small amount down and confirm your spot in workshops and performances for YHY 2019. Only $345 - save $100.00 ($445 at the door)

IMPORTANT NOTE:

NEW DATES: JULY 25-28, 2019

CABARET, FUSION OR DRUM

3 Day Packages
Single Day LAYAWAYS also Available

Price is **$345 plus $10 layaway fee April.

*** Price goes up to **$445** plus $10 layaway fee May 1, 2019

April	2019	$ 85.00	3	*@ $ 90.00*
May	2019	$155.00	2	*@ $150.00*
June**	2019	$220.00	1	*@ $225.00*

JULY 5th is the very LAST payment date

****There is no layaway fee if started in June ****

LAYAWAY FORMS ON-LINE & AT FRONT COUNTER

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April 2019

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2019

Scarborough Renaissance Festival®

Idlewyld Stage
Pecan Grove
High Road

Wings of Isis - *Ahava, Ayperi, Helena, Isabella, Lynx, Matriya Dewi, Persephone*

Star Dancers - *Alanna, Anastasia, Cosima, Daja Nicholett, Gabriella, Helen, Inaya, Jasira, Navkiran, Saulé, Tahani, Tainia*

Drums of Isis - *Dalek, Danté, Kaz, Luminaria, Malachi, Soroush, Taj, Viola, Zann*

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PRIVATE LESSONS AVAILABLE - ISIS STUDIO

Working on your solo ... or Auditions for Festivals, Haflas, Competitions or Yaa Halla, Y'all, or need help on class dance or music choreographies?

Who ya gonna call??

Sign up at the Studio Counter and you will be contacted by the Instructor to schedule a time that works for both of you.

KEDE

Count on her for helping you get that extra edge you'll need to show off your solo skills and polish your choreography. Cabaret Solo, Troupe, Trio, Duet, and Mini Ensemble competition winner.

SAFIRA

Fusion, Cabaret, a bit of everything - great at creating choreographies just for you - Cabaret Solo, Troupe, Trio, and Angels Troupe competition winner.

LYNX

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MISHAEL

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MAHSATI

Mahsati knows those class choreographies, including Professional Perf. Co. and can break them down to help you start to love your skills ... you can do it! Duet & Troupe competition winner.

ADITI

Let Aditi add a fusion kick to your Solo choreography. She's got it goin' on and will work your body and add the fun. Great talent.

AHAVA

A musician both with instruments and her dance - Ahava can help you feel the music and make your dance sing to your audience - Duet & Troupe competition winner.

PERSEPHONE

Knows all the choreographies from Advanced I through IV and is very detailed in breaking them down. Duet, Troupe & Solo competition winner.

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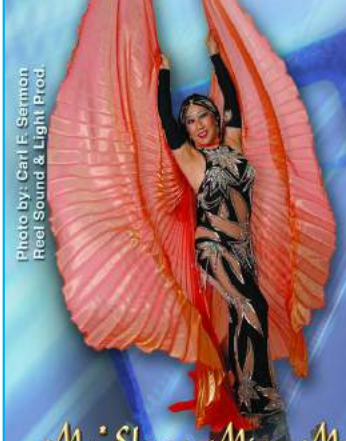

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CALENDAR OF EVENTS

APRIL 2019

April 1
NEW Beginner Belly Dance - Monday 6:30 pm

April 1
NEW Beginner Hula - Monday 7:30 pm

April 6
NEW Beginner Belly Dance - Saturday 9:00 am

April 6
Cultural Dance Team Monthly Meeting - 3:00 pm

April 6 - May 27
Scarborough Faire opens - BDT Star Stage and Idlewyld Stage

April 9
PC Tuesday Festival Dress Rehearsal - 8:30 pm

April 16
Cultural Dance Team - 8:30 pm Tuesday

April 19
Nursing/Retirement Home Forum Parkway

April 20
Jazz Concert/Arabic Muscians/Dancers - FUNdraiser for purchase of new Studio Hafla Chairs

April 23
Denton Arts & Jazz Festival Dress Rehearsal - 7:30 pm - Tuesday

April 27
Arbor Daze in Euless - Saturday

April 28
Denton Arts & Jazz Festival- Sunday - 2:00 pm Festival Stage

April 30
Students Day Scarborough - 9:00 am - 3:30 - Tuesday

April 30
Mayfest Festival Rehearsal - 7:30 pm - Tuesday

MAY 2019

May 4
Cultural Dance Team Monthly Meeting - 3:00 pm

May 5
Mayfest Festival - Fort Worth - Time TBA

May 12
Mother's Day

May 14
PC Tuesday - 8:30 pm

May21
Cultural Dance Team - Tuesday 8:30 pm

May 25-27
Last Weekend of Scarborough Faire 2018 Season!!

May 27 ***STUDIO CLOSED FOR MEMORIAL DAY HOLIDAY***

JUNE 2019

June 1
CDT Meeting - 3:00 pm

June 5
NEW Young Belly Dancers - Wednesday 5:30 pm

June 11
Performing Company Tuesday - 8:30 pm

June 13
Beginner Belly Dance Dress Rehearsal - Saturday - 8:30 am

June 15
Beginner Belly Dance Dress Rehearsal - Thursday - 6:00 pm

June 15-16
Yaa Halla, Y'all Auditions - Sat & Sun

June 18
Cultural Dance Team - Tuesday 8:30 pm

June 20
Beginner Belly Dance & Drum Graduation - Thursday - 7:00 pm

June 22
Beginner Belly Dance & Drum Graduation - Saturday - 10:30 am

June 23
YHY Staff Meeting

June 24-29
Class Dress Rehearsals for Yaa Halla, Yall 2019