

Tap Ties Company

Tap Ties' mission is to be a link between tap dancers & the information they need to grow as performers, teachers, choreographers, & business people. Tap Ties will provide these educational opportunities through workshops, master classes, newsletters & performances. Our goal is to keep alive the rich history of the American Tradition of tap dancing while also encouraging the creation & sharing of new tap choreography.



Jill Fitzgerald, Amy Smith, Melody Kline, & Crystal Bartolacci

Tap Ties Company members are professional dance teachers, studio owners, & performers who have traveled the country sharing their knowledge & love of tap dancing. They have studied with a great variety of tap masters including LaVaughn Robinson, Buster Brown, Paul Draper, Brenda Bufalino, Dianne Walker, Shelley Oliver, Nicole Hockenberry, & many others. Tap Ties has been invited to teach & perform throughout PA & NJ as well as in Austin & San Antonio, Texas. They continue to bring their joy & enthusiasm for tap dancing into the Lehigh Valley community. Please join them in the celebration of this true American art form by participating in classes & workshops throughout the year & support them by attending performances throughout the Lehigh Valley. Please visit our website at www.tapties.com for individual bios of our company members.

Upcoming workshops & performances include:

May 15, 2010 National Tap Dance Day Celebration

Tap Ties Guest Faculty Member

Rochelle Haynes – received her B.F.A. in dance from the University of the Arts, Philadelphia, where she is currently on faculty. She traveled the country as a principal dancer with Tap Team Two, danced in honor of tap master LaVaughn Robinson, & has shared the stage with tap greats, Germaine Ingram & Nicole Hockenberry as well as others. Ms. Haynes currently teaches throughout Philadelphia & New Jersey. Tap Ties is excited to bring her to Moravian College as a guest artist this year.

Tap Ties
1112 Covered Bridge Crossing
Orefield, PA 18069



Community Tap Classes
2009/2010

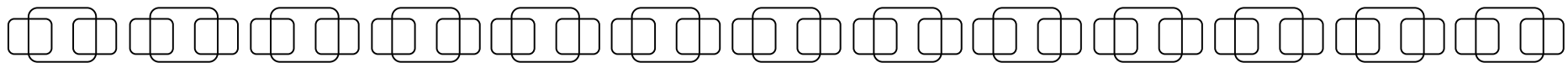


Studio Location:
Moravian College - Bethlehem, PA

Mailing Address:
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Orefield, PA 18069

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Website: www.tapties.com





Class Schedule

All classes will be held at:

Moravian College, Athletics & Recreation Center
Elizabeth Ave, Bethlehem, PA

Fall Session

ADVANCED TAP - Rochelle Haynes

FRIDAYS 10:00-11:15 AM

12 Weeks • September 18 - December 11

No Class November 27th

Winter/Spring Session

ADVANCED TAP - Rochelle Haynes

FRIDAYS 10:00-11:15 AM

14 Weeks • January 22 - May 7

No Classes March 12th and April 2nd

Directions

DRIVING TO MORAVIAN COLLEGE

FROM ROUTE 22: Exit at Center Street (Route 512); turn left off the exit ramp. Travel South for 2.4 miles and turn right onto Elizabeth Avenue at traffic light. Turn left into the College parking lot. The Dance Studio is located in the Athletics & Recreation Center. You must walk around the complex to the left, to enter through the front of the building.

Tap Ties Student Guidelines:

1. Tap Ties Classes are for students, ages 14+ ONLY.
2. Students must sign up for an entire session.
3. Once students are registered for a class and their tuition is PAID IN FULL, their placement in class is secured for the entire session.
4. Students absent from a class that they are registered in may make it up in another class within the same session of the absence.
5. Students MAY NOT deduct tuition for classes they do/did not attend.
6. Tap Ties classes that are cancelled due to inclement weather will not be made up. If more than two classes are cancelled, accommodations will be made.
7. It is the obligation of the Tap Ties' student to pay tuition, attend classes regularly, and to be aware of the schedule for the class sessions and breaks.
8. Please be aware of your responsibilities to clean up after yourselves in the bathroom and locker room areas of the Moravian College facilities. Tap Ties is a "guest" program within their facility.
9. Flat tap shoes and comfortable, loose fitting clothing is recommended for class.
10. The screws in your tap shoes MUST be tightly fastened to the soles of your shoes to protect the wood floor and to allow for the best quality of sound. Please check your taps regularly.
11. Students participating in the Winter/Spring Session will have the opportunity to perform in the Tap Ties celebrates National Tap Dance Day (NTDD) Festival to be held May 2010. Details regarding the performance will be available prior to the start of the Winter/Spring Session.

Registration Form

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL: _____

HOME PHONE# _____

CELL PHONE # _____

SIGNATURE: _____

I hereby release Tap Ties & Moravian College, its faculty & guest artists from any & all claims or liability due to personal injury or loss of property for which I (or my child) may sustain as a result of participating in any activity associated with the Tap Ties Community Classes. All students 18 & older MUST sign waiver. A Parent/Legal Guardian MUST sign for minors.

Fall Session

12 Weeks - Fridays \$ 180 _____

Winter Session

14 Weeks - Fridays \$210 _____

TOTAL DUE \$ _____

Make Checks payable to: Tap Ties
FULL Tuition is due at the start of each Session

Mail registration form and payment to:

Tap Ties

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