

Dance Works May Newsletter 2018

This is it! The last stretch before our 2018 "Pan & Tink" Production!

MARCH
Dancer of the month
Brielle Boyd
Congratulations!!

Summer Session,
is NOW OPEN
for on-line registration!!
get your spot!.....

TUITION

All Dance Works Accounts must be paid in full as of May 1st.

Your on-line Dance Works account is available 24/7 and allows you to pay anytime!

All accounts will be checked when we give out Family Recital Packages starting May 17th.

Dates to add to your Calendar!

- **May 14th -19th** is **Trial Week** where our **current** dancers can try out another dance class in addition to the one(s) they currently take. Check the current DW Schedule for info on different classes/options.
- We do NOT have regular classes **the week after production!!** The Week of **June 11th-June 16th** is our **Dance Works Awards & Party!** Please make sure your dancer attends their party so they can receive their award for all their hard work and progress over the past dance season. (Schedule coming soon)
- **June 11th – 16th** is **Pre-Registration Week** (which is exclusively open for current Dance Works dancers to sign up for next season's classes) Classes fill fast!
- June 16th Dance Works will officially CLOSE at our Kiln Creek Location.
- July 16th Dance Works will officially OPEN at our NEW LOCATION!!

Join Dance Works Assistant Teacher Program.

Want to be part of our Assistant Teaching Program? You must be at least 8 years old and have been a dancer at Dance Works for at least one full season. Email Miss Emma for more information.

Rehearsal Schedule will be posted soon!!

The BIG rehearsals in June will be held at the studio. Tuesday 5th & Wednesday 6th according to the Cast/Show you are in. Please double check the schedule.

NO DRESS REHEARSAL AT THE THEATER!!

THINGS TO REMEMBER!

- The studio is **CLOSED** May Saturday 26th- Monday 28th due to Memorial Day.
- Regular Classes on Monday June 4th**
- NO regular classes** at the studio June 5th and 6th- this is our BIG Rehearsals (no costumes)
- June 7th, 8th & 9th** – Show time at the Kimball Theatre!

Dance Works Company Audition!

Dance Works will be holding auditions to join our elite Dance Company on June 16th! Dancers 8+

Contact Miss Emma for more information

We are set & ready to go!

We want you to enjoy watching your dancer on stage. Drop them off, relax and enjoy the show!

The Dance Works staff along with our experienced volunteers are ready to take care of your dancers backstage.

We will have a separate letter out soon, with details of the drop-off and pick-up process.

Production Tips:

- Be sure to ARRIVE wearing (1st) Costume, Hair w/accessory, and Make-up COMPLETELY READY FOR YOUR PERFORMANCE other than Dance Shoes in your white “Dump bag”.
- Put lipstick in your dancers white “dump bag” or costume garment bag - with name on it and we can apply before going on stage
- Eat, Drink, and go to the bathroom BEFORE entering the Theater.
- Put name in your shoes, tights, costumes and all accessories before Rehearsals.
- Dancers who have multiple dances – make notes and arrange garment bags accordingly.
- NO UNDERWEAR with costume, dance tights serve this purpose.
- No strings on the front of ballet shoes please! We can help cut them off.
- Bottled water will be provided back stage for each dancer. No personal food or Drink will be permitted backstage. (See us if needed for medical reasons)

Recital DVD's

TSC Video & Photography Productions will continue to take DVD orders if you did not already order yours in your Family Recital Package. Mr. Harry Washington and his team will also be available to talk to at our shows, if you have any questions. Want to Order your DVD from their website?

www.tscphoto.morephotos.com

RECITAL INFORMATION

FAMILY RECITAL PACKAGE

Each family will receive a Family Recital Package.

This will include your Parent wrist band (allowing you to check-in and check- out your dancer), Dancers Watching/Waiting pass, Arrival times, the agreement to sign etc.

EVERYONE MUST SEE MS. MELISSA AT THE FRONT DESK TO RECEIVE THEIR FAMILY RECITAL PACKAGE

Family Recital Package available for pick up: May 17th-May 24th

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE UP TO DATE BEFORE YOU RECEIVE YOUR FAMILY RECITAL PACKAGE!!!

WRISTBANDS

Each dancer under 10 years old has a designated parent for check-in and check-out. For security reasons this parent **must** be the one to check-in and check-out the dancer.

Our Check-in process relies on all the designated parent, Checking-in and Checking-out the dancers, to wear their wrist band throughout the Production. This is of course for the safety of the dancers. If you refuse to co-operate with this rule your dancer will NOT be permitted to perform in the Production.

ARRIVAL TIME

Each dancer has a specific arrival time for their production car pool drop off. Once again, we ask for your complete co-operation to please arrive at the allocated time, to insure you are able to check-in efficiently. Due to the change in Theater location this year, and the distance needed to drive - you WILL be permitted to check-in a few minutes before your allocated time if you arrive a little early. However, the doors cannot be open before the first arrival time.

TICKETS

We are excited that everyone was swift getting their production tickets via ShOVation! And super excited that so many are wanting to watch our show!!

We thank you for your patience and co-operation as we continue to iron out a few issues we had with our full 1pm Show. Those who had issues will be receiving an email soon, with directions for ShOVation to assist you, and then the tickets sales will go back on sale. If you have not yet purchased your tickets please do so once they go on sale again, to avoid disappointment. If you have purchased your tickets – you are good to go!

On-Line Tickets sales will CLOSE May 25th.

A small amount of tickets may be available at the door for purchase 30mins before that performance.

Remember to print out your tickets, or have them ready on your phone, for your entry into the Kimball Theater.

Kimball is a wonderful auditorium, there are no “bad seats” in the house, and we are super excited for our dancers to have a great audience to perform for.

COMMUNICATION

This is a super busy time of year for us. We try our very best to ensure every one of your needs is met and information is delivered appropriately and timely. Please excuse us if we are unable to respond to your emails or phone calls as promptly as normal. The 2 weeks leading up to our performances we are ONLY able to respond to EMRGENCIES.