

Important Recital Information 2024

When: Rehearsal on Saturday, May 18th, 2024 & Recital on Sunday, May 19th, 2024

What time: 12:00 PM and 2:00 PM shows (see which applies to you below)

Where: Dance Theater on the KSU Marietta Campus
860 Rossbacher Way
Marietta, GA 30060

There is free parking at the venue and there will be plenty of signs to direct you to the correct building. For dress rehearsal, everyone should come in at the upstairs lobby of the theater. When your dancer is done rehearsing, we will show you where you will drop them off backstage for the recital.

Dress Rehearsal - Saturday, May 18th

Please see the attached schedule for your dancer's rehearsal time (last page of packet). For dress rehearsal, all dancers should be in the theater at their call time in order to keep the rehearsal schedule running smoothly. All dancers should arrive in their costume with the correct tights, shoes, hair, and makeup. **In order to participate in recital, it is mandatory that all dancers attend dress rehearsal.** We will begin rehearsals promptly on the scheduled rehearsal time, so please be sure to arrive early. Each rehearsal will last approximately 10 minutes. Please feel free to take as many pictures and videos as you like during your dancer's rehearsal time!

Which show is my dancer in? - Sunday, May 19th

12:00PM Show	2:00PM Show
Elementary Company Prep	Teen Tap
Boys Hip Hop	Intermediate Acro
Wed. PreK Ballet/Tap	Advanced Acro
Mon. Mini Ballet/Tap	Teen Jazz
Wed. Mini Ballet/Tap	Junior Duets
Mon. PreK Ballet/Tap	Teen Hip Hop
Teen Duets	Junior Jazz/Lyrical
Fri. Junior Hip Hop	Teen Ballet
Mini Jazz/Lyrical	Wed. Junior Hip Hop
PreK Jazz/Acro	Teen Contemporary
Junior Duets	Junior Ballet/Tap
Beginner Acro	Teen Duets

Please arrive at the theater at least 30 minutes before your dancer's show time. There will be a dancer check in table to ensure all dancers are accounted for and that we have their parents' contact information on file. Dancer's will be checked in at the Dogwood Room on the lower level near the theater backstage area where they will wait for their turn to perform. We will have teachers and adult staff members supervising the dancers in the ballroom and taking them to and from backstage.

After your dancer performs, they will be taken back to the Dogwood Room to wait for final bows. **No dancers are permitted to leave until after final bows. Please be prepared to stay for the entirety of the show (about 50 minutes).** Once the dancers have bowed, they will be taken back to the Dogwood Room to await parent pickup. **Photography and video is not permitted during the recital**, but feel free to take as many pictures as you like in the lobby before or after the show!

What should my dancer wear?

For all information about your dancer's costume, hair, accessories, etc. please see the attached document. **All dancers should arrive to dress rehearsal and recital in their costume with hair and makeup already done.**

HAIR:

Girls should have their hair slicked back in a bun or ponytail (see costume guide) with no flyaways for both dress rehearsal and recital. Please use plenty of hairspray and bobby pins for a clean look. Boys should have their hair slicked away from their face. If you need help with doing your dancer's hair, please let their teacher know ahead of time, and we will be happy to schedule a time to help you with that before recital.

MAKEUP:

All girls should wear neutral stage makeup with red lipstick. This look should include neutral colored eyeshadows, eyeliner, mascara, blush, and lipstick. Boys should wear a small amount of blush. Bright stage lights can wash out your dancer on stage, so makeup is required to ensure everyone's features are visible from the audience. With PreK dancers, please just try to use as much makeup as they will tolerate.

TIGHTS & SHOES:

If your dancer's costume requires tights, they were included in their costume bag. If they have opened and worn those, please ensure that they have a clean pair of performance tights free of any snags or rips. Please check the costume guide to make sure you have the correct color tights, or just ask your dancer's teacher. If you need to purchase a pair of tights, we have all sizes and colors available at the studio for \$10. Also, check the costume guide to ensure your dancer has the correct shoes needed for their dance. **Dancers are not to wear their dance shoes outside.** Please make sure your dancer has a different pair of shoes to wear outside of the theater and a bag to put their dance shoes in.

COSTUMES:

Leading up to recital and dress rehearsal, please keep your dancer's costume in the garment bag in which they received them. Make sure they have all of the accessories listed on the costume guide. If you are missing any accessories, please notify your dancer's teacher immediately.

What should my dancer bring to the recital?

- All costumes, shoes, tights, and accessories they will be wearing for that show (please put their name on everything!)
- Shoes to wear outside
- Extra hairspray, bobby pins, and lipstick
- Quiet, mess-free games and activities
- Mess-free snacks - no nuts of any kind as we have several with allergies
- A water bottle
- A beach towel or blanket to sit on

Dancers should NOT bring:

- Messy or loud activities (i.e. markers)
- Messy snacks
- Phones or tablets
- Sodas or other sugary drinks

Dress Rehearsal Schedule - Saturday, May 18th

Instructor	Class	Call Time
<i>Andrée</i>	Mon. PreK Ballet/Tap	10:20
	Wed. PreK Ballet/Tap	10:30
	Mon. Mini Ballet/Tap	10:40
	Wed. Mini Ballet/Tap	10:50
	Teen Ballet	11:00
<i>Cat</i>	PreK Jazz/Acro	11:10
	Beginner Acro	11:20
	Intermediate Acro	11:30
<i>Brady</i>	Boys Hip Hop	11:40
<i>Riley</i>	Mini Jazz/Lyrical	11:50
	Junior Jazz/Lyrical	12:00
	Elementary Company Prep	12:10
<i>Hailey</i>	Teen Tap	12:20
	Junior Ballet/Tap	12:30
<i>Kaya</i>	Teen Jazz	12:40
	Fri. Junior Hip Hop	12:50
<i>Gabi</i>	Teen Contemporary	1:00
	Wed. Junior Hip Hop	1:10
	Teen Hip Hop	1:20
	Junior Duets	1:30
	Teen Duets	1:40
<i>Cat</i>	Advanced Acro	1:50