

Christmas Ballet Performance Notes 2022

Friday, December 9 Mandatory Rehearsal at the studio in class attire.

5:30 – 7:00PM All Snow Angel

7PM – 8:00 PM All Nativity


Saturday, December 10 Dress Rehearsal at Kannapolis Middle School (1145 Oakwood Avenue, Kannapolis).

Parents, please drop off your dancer with dance shoes and/or accessories in dance bag marked clearly with dancer's name. Parents may wait in parking lot or return promptly when your child's rehearsal is finished. We will do our best to stay on time! No food items or drinks should be brought into the school.

- 9:00 – 9:30 AM – Lee-ettes and Protégé Ballet
- 9:30 – 10:30AM - The Nativity Ballet
- 10:30 – 11:00AM Ballet Company and Tap Proteges
- 11:00 - 12:30PM - The Snow Angel
- 3:45PM – ALL PERFORMERS return “backstage” for performance, ready in costume
- 4:30-6:00PM – PERFORMANCE** (No tickets – only donations to Coltrane LIFE Center)

Performance Rules

- No chewing gum, nail polish, visible tattoos, jewelry (including all piercings), or unnatural hair color such as blue, purple, green.
- Hair in a bun unless directed otherwise by the staff. Bring your own hair supplies and safety pins!
- Pink Tights and shoes unless otherwise directed by the staff. Lee-ettes will wear caramel tights with caramel fishnets over top with costume & headpiece provided.
- Dancers remain backstage throughout performance.
- No photos or males in the dressing room area please!

Donations to the Coltrane LIFE Center – are made **AT THE DOOR** as admission to the ballet. The Coltrane LIFE Center is a local non-profit Adult Day Care Center which takes care of seniors who need supervision during the day, perhaps allowing their loved ones to continue working or giving them a daytime break from being a caretaker. The LIFE Center also has a specialized Alzheimer's unit. The LIFE Center provides a wonderful service to our community. 100% of your donated admission will be donated to them. If you write a check, please make it out to the Coltrane LIFE Center. It will be given to the LIFE Center that evening. You may start giving now via the PARENT PORTAL – select GIVE  at the top of your screen or from the drop-down menu on your mobile device. You must go thru the parent/customer portal on our website, not the app.

Who Are the Friends of the Ballet? They are dance parents and friends who contribute directly to the ballet (not to be confused with the donations to Coltrane LIFE Center). Donations to the *Friends of the Ballet* are used to purchase new costumes & props for the ballet, as well as maintain the ones we have. The names of the families who contribute \$25 or more are listed in our program. Checks for *Friends of the Ballet* should be made out to Cabarrus Dance Academy with *Friends of the Ballet* in the memo line, or you can donate online with the link below. If you feel led to contribute to the ballet, here are the suggested levels of giving, however we appreciate ANY amount you can give. Deadline to be listed in the program: Wednesday, Dec. 7.

[Link for Friends of the Ballet](#)

Elves \$25-\$74

Sugar Plums \$200 - \$324

Corporate Sponsor - \$500

Reindeer \$75-\$199

Angels - \$325 +