

The Andover School of Ballet

2021 GRANDE FINALE PERFORMANCE WEEKEND INFORMATION

Please read carefully -

For both Dress Rehearsal AND Performance:

- 1) **Arrive On Time, Please** - Allow Time For Parking & Walking In! Due to COVID-19 regulations, do NOT arrive early. **AND, When You Arrive....**
- 2) You must **ALREADY Be Dressed** in the correct costume/ leotard/ dance dress and class headpiece for your **First or Only Dance**, and **Be CARRYING** with you your correct dance shoes & all other costumes/dance attire needed. Hair must **already be arranged** into the correct hairstyle with headpiece for the student's first (or only) dance. **If you are enrolled in a level that uses stage make-up**, your eye make-up must **already be applied before arrival**.
- 3) **Remember, EVERYONE** needs to remain **quiet, calm, and focused on the show** for things to run smoothly!

*During Saturday's Dress Rehearsal, parents may take Videos and Photos (**NO Flash, Ever!**). Do **NOT** take photos or videos during **Sunday's** performances, as the lights from video devices are distracting to those seated around you, and **Flash is dangerous for the dancers**. A professional videographer will video Sunday's performances & each student will receive a digital download link, or may order a DVD or USB drive.

DRESS REHEARSAL

NOTE: It is extremely important that ALL performers come to dress rehearsal!

Dancers who miss dress rehearsal will feel lost and confused at the performance, AND it also confuses the other dancers, making it hard for everyone to follow the intricate spatial patterns of their dances.

PLACE: Wood Hill Middle School Auditorium, 11 Cross Street, Andover, MA 01810

DATE: Sat., May 22, 2021

TIME: See Dress Rehearsal Schedule for the Arrival Time for each class

At Dress Rehearsal, only ONE parent or guardian may accompany each dancer - Do NOT invite guests. Thank you.

Park in the school parking lots - **NOT** in the front half-circle driveway >> you will be Towed from the driveway!

*Dancers; ARRIVE ON TIME, ALL DRESSED & READY TO DANCE except for dance shoes! Go to the **CAFETERIA** and sit Quietly at your designated seat while you wait for your turn. Pay attention to the Stage Manager & Teachers. Each class will rehearse their dance **ONCE** on the stage. **Parents** will be allowed into the auditorium to sit in your ticketed seats (bring your show tickets so you can find these seats) to Quietly watch & take videos/photos (**NO Flash - Ever!**). Do **NOT** bring food: it is not allowed.

ON SATURDAY, WHEN YOU ARE DONE REHEARSING YOUR DANCE (OR ALL OF YOUR DANCES), YOU MAY LEAVE!

PERFORMANCES

Sunday, May 23, 2021 – 2 performances at Wood Hill Middle School – find YOUR show(s) on the next page

Dancers will be dropped off in the cafeteria **at their designated seat**, and **all Guests** will proceed to the auditorium and **find their assigned seat**. ****DANCERS** - Please bring a book, a coloring book & crayons, or other **small, quiet, non-messy** activity to do while you are waiting.

**** Dancers in ASB Dance Company, J&T 4 and 5, Ballet 6/5/4+, Adv. Pointe; YOUR Arrival Time is 12 NOON on Sunday ****

FIRST PERFORMANCE

***Dancer's Arrival Time: 12:30 PM**

CURTAIN TIME: 1:00 PM SHARP

PLACE: Wood Hill Middle School auditorium

DATE: Sunday, May 23, 2021

SECOND PERFORMANCE

***Dancer's Arrival Time: 2:30 PM**

CURTAIN TIME: 3:00 PM SHARP

PLACE: Wood Hill School auditorium

DATE: Sunday, May 23, 2021