



# Platinum Dance Studio

## Spring Recital Newsletter

Parents it's the time of year that we have all been looking forward to! Platinum Dance Studio's First Annual Spring Recital will be held on June 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> beginning at 6:30 p.m. at the Historic Ironwood Theatre. Our last regular classes of the season at the studio will be held the week of June 3<sup>rd</sup> through June 6<sup>th</sup>. There will be no practices or classes held on June 10<sup>th</sup> or 11<sup>th</sup> of the following week at either the studio or the theatre. On Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup> there will be mandatory tech rehearsals for each class at the Historic Ironwood Theatre. The following day, Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>, we will be holding a mandatory dress rehearsal for all of our dancers. Please take note of the following instructions and rehearsal times in order to ensure that our dancers are prepared, and our first spring recital runs smoothly. If you have any questions, please contact Cheyenne Bull at [theplatinumdancestudio@gmail.com](mailto:theplatinumdancestudio@gmail.com) or call her at (906)-364-4006.

### RECITAL WEEK SCHEDULE 2019:

Monday, June 10<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, June 11<sup>th</sup> – ***NO** practices, classes, or rehearsals at either the theatre or studio*

Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup> - *Tech Rehearsal @ the Historic Ironwood Theatre*

Tech rehearsal allows dancers to get a feel for the stage, learn where to enter and exit the stage, and practice their pieces on stage before performing. You will find the schedule for tech rehearsal times below. Please arrive 15 to 20 minutes before your dancer's scheduled tech rehearsal time as it is probable that we will be running ahead of schedule. Additionally, dancers have a very limited time for tech rehearsal, so arriving prepared and on time is very important. Please note that this practice is **MANDATORY**. If your dancer does not show up to their scheduled tech rehearsal, they will not dance at recital. Solos/Duets please see Cheyenne to schedule a time for your tech rehearsal. There is absolutely **NO** videography or photography allowed at tech rehearsal. If you are seen taking pictures or videos during tech rehearsal, you will be asked to leave IMMEDIATELY. If we find that anyone has posted any photos or videos from tech or dress rehearsal, your child will not be allowed to dance in the recital. So please respect our dancers and choreographers.

*What should my dancer wear to tech rehearsal?*

Dancers should wear their normal practice clothes to tech rehearsal, although we would love to see our Platinum apparel onstage.

*Where do I drop off my dancer?*

Please use the side entrance door located on Lowell Street. You will walk down the hall and use the side door to enter directly into the main seating area of the theatre. Please do NOT go downstairs during tech rehearsals.

*Wednesday, June 12<sup>th</sup> Tech Rehearsal Schedule:*

3:30- Open	6:20- Intermediate Lyrical
4:00- Beginner Ballet	6:40- Intermediate Hip Hop
4:20- Beginner Lyrical	7:00- Pointe
4:40- Beginner Jazz	7:20- Senior Ballet
5:00- Beginner Hip Hop	7:40- Senior Hip Hop
5:20- Intermediate Ballet (Wednesday)	8:00- Senior Lyrical
5:40 -Intermediate Ballet (Monday)	8:20- Open
6:00- Intermediate Jazz	

**Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>- Tech Rehearsal and Dress Rehearsal @ the Historic Ironwood Theatre**

*Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup> Tech Rehearsal Schedule:*

4:00- Hip Hop Minis\*  
4:30- Tiny Dancers\*  
5:00- Dancing Dudes

\*PARENTS OF TINY DANCER AND HIP HOP MINIS DANCERS: Your dancer should arrive at tech rehearsal at least 15 to 20 minutes early with full hair and makeup done as they will also be taking part in our dress rehearsal that night. They may dance in normal practice wear for tech rehearsal and then change into their costume for dress rehearsal. After their final dance during dress rehearsal they are allowed to leave.

*Dress Rehearsal:*

Dress rehearsal is a full run-through of our recital. Our show has the exact same lineup for both nights thus we will only be holding one dress rehearsal on Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>. This dress rehearsal is **MANDATORY** for all dancers. If your dancer does not show up, they will not be allowed to perform at recital. Again, we would like to emphasize that there is absolutely **NO**

photography or videography allowed at dress rehearsal. If we find that anyone has posted any photos or videos from tech or dress rehearsal, your child will not be allowed to dance in the recital.

Dress rehearsal will begin promptly at 6:00 p.m. Dancers should arrive at the theatre with hair and makeup done no later than 4:45 p.m. Please drop your dancer off at the side door. Steps on the side of the stage lead down to the theatre basement where the dressing rooms are located. Dress rehearsal is estimated to last about two hours and fifteen minutes. We ask that all dancers, except Tiny Dancers and Hip Hop Minis, stay until the end of rehearsal in order to go over any changes that need to be made. Please pick up your dancer no later than 8:30 p.m.

### **Friday, June 14<sup>th</sup> - Recital Night #1!!!**

The night we've all been waiting for! Our recital will begin promptly at 6:30 p.m. Dancers must arrive by at least 5:00 p.m. with full hair and makeup done. Our show is estimated to last 2 hours and 15 minutes, including the 15-minute intermission.

### **Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup> - Recital Night #2!!!**

#### **Party to follow at El Dorado's Mexican Restaurant in Hurley**

Here we go again! Tonight's recital will begin at the same time, 6:30 p.m. Again, dancers must arrive by at least 5:00 p.m. with full hair and makeup done. Our show is estimated to last 2 hours and 15 minutes, including a fifteen-minute intermission.

An after-party will be held following our Saturday night show at El Dorado's Mexican Restaurant in Hurley. All dancers, parents, and volunteers are welcome to attend as we celebrate the end of a fantastic first season!

### **Hair, Makeup, & Costume (required for dress rehearsal and recital):**

The following lists the hair and makeup required for dress rehearsal and recital by class.

#### **Tiny Dancers:**

Attire: Burgundy costume, flower hairpiece, pink tights, and ballet shoes

Hair: Three center ponytails

Makeup: No makeup is required for this class.

#### **Hip Hop Minis:**

Attire: Yellow and black hip hop costume, scrunchie, and white shoes

Hair: Three center ponytails

Makeup: No makeup is required for this class.

### **Beginner Hip Hop:**

Attire: Girls-White jeggings, plaid tank, blue vest, white converse  
Boys- Blue shirt, black pants, black converse

Hair: High ponytail

Makeup: Same as competition.

### **Beginner Lyrical-**

Attire: Mauve lyrical costume, tan footless tights, lyrical shoes

Hair: Slicked-back high bun

Makeup: Natural brown eyeshadow, mascara, blush, and pink lipstick

### **Beginner Jazz-**

Attire: Purple and blue jazz costume, tan tights, and black jazz shoes

Hair: Slicked-back high bun

Makeup: Natural brown eyeshadow, mascara, blush, and pink lipstick

### **Beginner Ballet-**

Attire: Yellow sequined leotard and yellow tutu, ballet pink footed or transition tights, ballet shoes, tiara hairpiece, and yellow bow hairpiece (Miss Camy will hand them out on the night of dress rehearsal).

Hair: Slicked-back high bun

Makeup: No makeup is required for this class, but dancers may wear a bit of lip gloss and blush if they so choose.

### **Intermediate Ballet (Wednesday)-**

Attire: Purple ballet costume, ballet pink footed or transition tights, ballet shoes, hairpiece

Hair: Slicked-back high bun

Makeup: Foundation, blush, eyeliner (optional), light brown or taupe eyeshadow (please no black shades), pink lipstick, fake eyelashes, mascara

### **Intermediate Hip Hop:**

Attire: Burgundy and black hip hop costume, black converse, no tights

Hair: Slicked-back high ponytail

Makeup: Same as competition.

### **Intermediate Jazz:**

Attire: Pink jazz costume, tan footless tights, jazz shoes, competition earrings

Hair: Slicked-back high bun

Makeup: Foundation, brown smoky eye, mascara, fake eyelashes, blush, pink lipstick

**Intermediate Lyrical:**

Attire: Burgundy lyrical costume, tan footless tights, lyrical shoes, burgundy flower hairpiece, competition earrings

Hair: Slicked-back high bun

Makeup: Foundation, blush, eyeliner (optional), light brown or taupe eyeshadow (please no black shades), burgundy lipstick, fake eyelashes, mascara

**Intermediate Ballet (Monday):**

Attire: Navy ballet costume, ballet pink footed or transition tights, ballet shoes, rhinestone bun wrap hairpiece, competition earrings

Hair: Slicked-back high bun

Makeup: Foundation, blush, eyeliner (optional), light brown or taupe eyeshadow (please no black shades), burgundy lipstick, fake eyelashes, mascara

**Pointe:**

Attire: Ivory pointe costume, pink tights, pointe shoes

Hair: Slicked-back high bun

Makeup: Foundation, blush, eyeliner (optional), light brown or taupe eyeshadow (please no black shades), burgundy lipstick, fake eyelashes, mascara

**Senior Hip Hop:**

Attire: Red and black hip hop costume, black converse, no tights

Hair: Slicked-back ponytail

Makeup: Same as competition.

**Senior Ballet:**

Attire: Black and burgundy ballet costume, ballet pink footed or transition tights, ballet shoes, black feather hairpiece

Hair: Slicked-back high bun

Makeup: Foundation, concealer, bronzer, blush, eyeliner, burgundy eyeshadow (please no black shades), burgundy lipstick, fake eyelashes, mascara

**Senior Lyrical:**

Attire: Black lyrical costume, tan footless tights, lyrical shoes, black feather hairpiece

Hair: Slicked-back high bun

Makeup: Foundation, concealer, bronzer, blush, eyeliner, burgundy eyeshadow (please no black shades), burgundy lipstick, fake eyelashes, mascara

### **LINEUP FOR DRESS REHEARSAL AND BOTH NIGHTS OF RECITAL:**

1. Intermediate Jazz- *"Dance Like Your Daddy"*
2. Senior Lyrical- *"I Found"*
3. Beginner Ballet- *"Beauty and the Beast"*
4. Intermediate Lyrical- *"Way Down We Go"*
5. Tiny Dancers- *"Jammin"*
6. Beginner Hip Hop- *"Dance For Life"*
7. Kat and Macie Duet- *"Above and Beyond"*
8. Pointe- *"Way"*
9. Senior Hip Hop- *"Party"*
10. Intermediate Ballet (Wed.)- *"Only the Beginning of the Adventure"*
11. Beginner Jazz- *"Confident"*
12. Intermediate Hip Hop- *"Work It"*
13. Intermediate Ballet (Mon.)- *"Resolve"*
14. Senior Ballet- *"See What I've Become"*
15. Claire & Amelia Duet- *"Wild Hearts Can't Be Broken"*
16. Hip Hop Minis- *"I Don't Like It"*
17. Beginner Lyrical- *"Hallelujah"*
18. Ava Solo Pointe- *"Bridesmaid Variation"*
19. Dancing Dudes
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21. Martina Solo – *"Burlesque"*
22. Intermediate Lyrical – *"To Build A Home"*
23. Beginner Ballet – *"You Are My Sunshine"*
24. Rowan Solo- *"Leave Out All the Rest"*
25. Hip Hop Minis- *"School's Out"*
26. Senior Lyrical- *"Ready Or Not"*
27. Pointe- *"Life"*
28. Intermediate Ballet (Wed.) – *"The Cello Song"*
29. Beginner Hip Hop- *"Hair Up"*
30. Senior Ballet- *"Blood and Stone"*
31. Tiny Dancers- *"Friendship Grows"*
32. Marissa Tap Solo- *"It's A Hard-Knock Life"*
33. Intermediate Hip Hop- *"Finesse"*
34. Intermediate Ballet (Mon.) – *"Time After Time"*
35. Beginner Jazz- *"Fabulous"*
36. Ava & Nina Duet- *"Turning Tables"*
37. Beginner Lyrical- *"This Is Me"*
38. Intermediate Jazz- *"Fiesta"*
39. Senior Hip Hop- *"Nicki"*

## **IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING DRESS REHEARSAL (Thursday, June 13<sup>th</sup>) AND RECITAL (Friday, June 14<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, June 15<sup>th</sup>):**

- Our dancers' safety is our number one priority. We will have a group of volunteers watching our dancers downstairs in order to ensure that they are safe and to provide help to dancers who have multiple costume changes. One parent/guardian of each dancer (at the most)- female **ONLY**, our instructors, and our designated volunteers are the **ONLY** ones that are allowed to be downstairs with our dancers during dress rehearsal and recital. Anyone else who ventures downstairs will be asked to leave immediately.
- Dancers are **NOT** allowed to go upstairs to watch other classes perform during dress rehearsal or recital.
- Dancers may go upstairs to purchase a snack from the concession stand or to mingle with family and friends during the fifteen-minute intermission on both recital nights. If the dancer is wearing a costume, we ask that he or she wear some sort of cover-up while upstairs.
- Dancers are allowed to bring snacks to both dress rehearsal and recital. Please do not send them with a snack that may potentially get their costume dirty. We recommend pretzels, licorice, and any other snack that is sticky-finger free. Dancers may bring water only as a refreshment, as we do not want any colored or sugary drinks to make a mess downstairs.
- Dancers are responsible for any and all personal property that they bring downstairs. Platinum Dance Studio is not responsible for anything lost or stolen. We recommend that each dancer write his or her name on all of their personal belongings. Additionally, please do not send your child downstairs with a large amount of cash or any electronics, as we cannot ensure that they won't be lost or stolen.
- There is absolutely **NO** flash photography allowed at tech rehearsal, dress rehearsal, or recital. Additionally, please remember that there is no photography or videography allowed at tech or dress rehearsal. If we find that anyone has posted any photos or videos from tech or dress rehearsal, your child will not be allowed to dance in the recital. So please respect our dancers and choreographers.
- Again, timeliness is extremely important during recital week in order for our dancers to be prepared and for our show to run smoothly. If your dancer will be late to or cannot make tech rehearsal, dress rehearsal, or recital for any reason, please let Cheyenne know ASAP.
- Oftentimes, dancers receive flowers from friends and family after the recital. This is by no means required, but we just wanted to give any first-time recital-goers a heads up that this is a common practice!

- There will be an after-party held after our Saturday night show at El Dorado's Mexican Restaurant in Hurley. All dancers, parents, and volunteers are welcome to attend!

**We are so excited for our dancers to perform the pieces that they have been working so hard on all season! If you have any questions or are interested in volunteering on either night of our recital, please contact Cheyenne Bull at [theplatinumdancestudio@gmail.com](mailto:theplatinumdancestudio@gmail.com) or call her at (906)-364-4006.**