

Steppin' Out Dance Centre

Updated: Recital Information Guide 2021

We are so excited that the Governor has decided to lift the restrictions and mask mandates. This means that we are able to have a more normal Recital. Below is our updated plan for Recital including information on Instudio Rehearsals, Dress Rehearsal, and, of course, Recital! Please read through this guide thoroughly and contact the studio with any questions you have!

Instudio Rehearsals:

Our final week of classes, Monday June 14th - Saturday June 19th, will be Instudio Rehearsals! These rehearsals will help our students prepare to perform their numbers in front of an audience. We will be holding instudios each day so your class will still attend on their normal class day (ie Wednesday classes will have instudios on Wednesday June 16th). There are a few exceptions. See the back of this handout for the Instudio Rehearsal Schedule.

Dress Rehearsal:

We will be holding our Dress Rehearsal for the shows on Friday, June 25th at the OOB Seaside Pavilion. We will likely not go in the order of the shows. Dress Rehearsal will run from approximately 1pm-4pm for all Performance Team classes without costume since they have already performed their numbers at competition. Dress Rehearsal for all regular classes will be from approximately 4pm-8pm. You will have a designated time slot for your numbers and the schedule will be released the first week of June!

Recital Day/Parking:

Once again we will be holding 2 different shows, an Afternoon Show and an Evening Show. Our Afternoon show will be made up of our youngest dancers, generally ages 8&under including our Tiny Tot and Pee Wee Performance Teams. Our Evening show will consist of our older dancers generally ages 9&up. Our Clogging, Jazz, Hip Hop, and Modern Production Numbers as well as our specialty/family numbers will be performed in both of our shows. If you are not sure which show your child is in, don't worry, we will be releasing our Recital Program draft by the end of this week, via email, prior to ticket sales! Our Afternoon show will begin at 11:00am on June 26th. Our Evening show will begin at 4:30pm. (Due to noise ordinances, any shows held at the Seaside Pavilion can end no later than 9pm.) In addition to the 100 spots near the venue, there will also be parking available at Loranger/Jameson Middle School and OOB High School. A shuttle bus will be running from the schools to get everyone to the venue and families can also walk. No food or drink will be allowed in the venue. We will be providing each spectator with a water bottle at the door. If you need to bring anything into the venue it must be in a clear bag ONLY! We have only one changing room and you are not able to leave things there. There will be tables set up by the side of the stage for each group to sit at and leave their things. If you are in multiple numbers and would like to bring a tent to set up on the grass area by the stage for changing, this is also an option.

Tickets:

Tickets will go on sale at our studio on Thursday, June 3rd for both shows and can be purchased during regular office hours. Tickets are \$15 each with a limit of 10 tickets per dancer in the first week. If you need to purchase additional tickets these will be available starting Saturday, June 12th. Tickets are **CASH ONLY**. Please remember that all accounts must be current in order to purchase tickets. Accounts **must** be paid before dress rehearsal as we will not be taking payments at the door. Everyone entering the auditorium must have a ticket. Tickets will be GENERAL ADMISSION. We will not be selling tickets to fill the capacity of the venue to allow those who wish to social distance the opportunity to do so. Children under 2 may sit on a parents lap. All dancers can watch from the grass on the side of the stage when they are not performing but will not be able to sit in the audience. **We are looking for one backstage parent per class to sit on the side of the stage with the dancers. Please contact us if you are able to do this for your child's class.**

Recital DVD's and Drive In:

Recital DVD's can now be ordered for the June Recital. They are \$30 and will include both shows on every DVD! See the attached order form to order yours. Also included on the order form is an option to purchase a Drive In Pass. These will be an additional \$25. We had so much fun last year at the Drive In viewing of our show so we are so excited to be offering this opportunity for our dancers again! We need to sell at least 40 passes to the Drive In in order to hold this event so we are encouraging the purchase of your pass at time of DVD and/or ticket purchase.