

or the office.

MAY 2025 NEWSLETTER

Dress Rehearsal - Saturday, May 17th Hopkins Performing Arts Center at Hopkins High School

We have divided the recital into 3 blocks. Be prepared to be there between 1 and 2 1/2 hours depending upon your dancer's routine number. If your dancer is in multiple dances in different blocks, plan on being there longer. We will run dress rehearsal like it's the actual recital. The first block will start promptly at 10am. **Everyone needs to be dressed with make-up on and ready to dance at their assigned block time.** We will be dancing in the order of the show, so we can set special lights for each routine. When your dancer has completed all of their routines, they are free to go. Each class will receive an email the week of April 29th with their block time. If you have any questions, please ask your dancer's teacher

FIRST BLOCK - 9:30AM SECOND BLOCK - 11:00AM THIRD BLOCK - 12:30PM

- All competition students need to be there at 9:30AM.
- Be on time and be dressed and ready to perform.
- All recreational dancers will perform their routines two times at dress rehearsal. We will have activities for the dancers to do while they wait.
- ONE PARENT/GUARDIAN WILL BE ALLOWED IN THE AUDITORIUM ON DRESS REHEARSAL TO TAKE PICTURES AND/OR VIDEO. NO CHILDREN WILL BE IN THE AUDITORIUM DURING DRESS REHEARSAL (it's a closed rehearsal - no spectators allowed).
- NO MALES are allowed in the dressing rooms.
- All dance accounts have to have a zero balance before dancers will be allowed to participate in the dance recital. See the office if you have any questions.
- Don't forget to purchase your recital tickets by Thursday, May 9th to be included in the "lottery".
- All recital ads and/or shout outs are due by May 2nd.

Dance Recital - Sunday, May 18th at 2:00pm

All dancers need to be at Hopkins at 1:00pm dressed and ready to dance.

Parents/Guardians can drop their dancer off in the dressing room and then go find their seat in the auditorium. We will have helpers that will watch and entertain the dancers during the show. There will be two - five-minute intermissions, so after your dancer is done dancing, this is when you can come and pick them up and bring them back into the auditorium to enjoy the rest of the show. Dancers can sit on your lap or if they would like their own seat you will need to purchase a ticket for them.

TICKETS CAN BE PURCHASED AT THE OFFICE FROM April 22nd through May 5th for \$20.00. TICKETS PURCHASED AT THE DOOR WILL BE \$24.00. RECITAL TICKETS CAN BE PICKED UP AT DRESS REHEARSAL OR THE DAY OF THE SHOW.

Summer Dance

Thank you for being a part of our NS Dance Family, our Summer Dance Schedule is live on our website.

Summer is a great time to try a new style of dance AND invite a friend to join you in one of our 3 week sessions.

If you have any questions, please ask your dancer's teacher or the office.

Last Week of Dance

We will be celebrating accomplishments this year for our last week of dance. Please feel free to wear your favorite costume.

COMPETITION CORNER

Fundraisers

• Eisele Greenhouse - May 1st - 31st



Competition Dates

• Revolution: May 9th - 11th

Competition Banquet

Thursday, May 29th at Crystal Lake Golf Course

Summer Dance

Tuesdays and Thursdays

o Petites: 5-7pm

○ Juniors: 6-8pm

Seniors/Company: 7-9pm

Competition Try-Outs

• July 8th, 9th & 10th

• 5:30-8:00pm