REHEARSAL AND RECITAL INFORMATION 2022



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SATURDAY, MAY 7TH, 2022 – DRESS REHEARSALS & DANCE PICTURES AT GREENDALE HIGH SCHOOL

- 1. Please remember to arrive at <u>Greendale High School on time at your scheduled rehearsal call time</u>. Dancers should be dressed in their first costume with hair and make-up complete. Parents and dancers should enter through the back entrance of Greendale High School. There will be a sign for dancer drop-off and from there, parents may proceed to the auditorium. In addition, there will be an area for dancers to change costumes if they are enrolled in multiple classes.
- 2. <u>Parents only</u> may observe in the auditorium during dress rehearsals while their dancer is involved in their dress rehearsal time block. No extra guests please, as we are limited to the number of people we are permitted to have in the auditorium.
- 3. Parents may be backstage to change their dancers in the dressing room ONLY on Saturday, May 7th. Parents may not be backstage in any other areas at any time.
- 4. Individual photos in costume will be taken of every dancer at Greendale High School on Saturday, May 7th, regardless of whether you plan to purchase any photos. Picture proofs will be available for you to view online approximately 10 days after photos are taken. Dancers will be practicing their individual poses this week at the end of each of their classes. Teachers will be making sure the dancers have a flattering pose for their individual shots. *Please note:* Action shots will not be taken during dress rehearsals at Greendale High School. If your dancer desires an action shot in a particular costume, they may sign up for an action shot time slot on the parent portal. Action shots will be taken at Young Dance Academy this **Friday, April 29th**. Time slot openings at the dance studio will be between the hours of 4:00 5:00pm and 8:00 9:00pm on **Friday April 29th**.
- 5. Parents should pick up their pre-ordered recital tickets at our ticketing table. You may purchase additional tickets (above the initial 8 per show) at Greendale High School on Saturday, May 7th. Please double check your ticket order for accuracy with our ticket coordinator before leaving Greendale High School on Saturday, May 7th. Once you sign off on your order and leave the building, we are not able to make adjustments. There will be no refunds or exchanges on any ticket purchases.

AFTER SATURDAY, MAY 7TH – Regular classes <u>will</u> be held at the studio during the month of May. Dancers will have classes during both weeks leading up to each recital weekend. The last day of regular classes is Thursday, May 19th.

Here are answers to recently asked questions:

- 1. Each recital show will be approximately 50-55 minutes in length. We are asking that audience members remain seated for the short duration of each show. We want all our dancers on stage to feel supported especially this season when the audience size is limited!
- 2. You <u>must</u> purchase separate tickets for each show. Make sure you have the correct show number, date, and time on each of your tickets as you prepare to enter the auditorium for each show.
- 3. We are selling recital t-shirts this year with all the dancers' names listed on the back. You may pre-order your 2022 recital t-shirt on our website at https://youngdance.biz/merchandise. Each shirt is \$18 and will be available in sizes Youth XS-L and Adult S-XXXL. We are not planning to order additional recital t-shirts after Sunday, May 1st, so please be sure you pre-order your 2022 recital t-shirt today!
- 4. **NEW THIS YEAR** Professional recital videos are available to order through *Parkway Productions*. Videos are available on DVD (\$30), Digital Download (\$30), and DVD/Download Collection (\$40). Each video includes both weekend #1 and weekend #2 of the specific ordered show(s). Discounts are available for orders of multiple shows. Families can pre-order packages online at https://parkwayvideo.com/yda. You may also order in-person before and after the recital at the *Recital Videos* table in the Greendale High School lobby. All videos will be shipped directly to your home address in late-June.

We are so excited, and the dancers are ready to perform for you! Don't forget to order your recital tickets by Friday, May 6th!

Thank you, Sandy & Staff