



A Step Ahead News

Spring Performance 2017

It's SHOWTIME! Our 10th Anniversary Spring Performances will be at **Notre Dame Preparatory School (NDP) on Friday, June 2, 2017 at 7:00pm and Saturday, June 3, 2017 at 2:00pm & 6:30pm.** See below for NDP directions.

Please Note: ALL BALANCES, INCLUDING PAST DUE CHARGES AND REHEARSAL FEES, MUST BE PAID IN FULL BY SATURDAY, MAY 27th IN ORDER FOR YOUR CHILD TO PERFORM! There will be no exceptions, so please plan accordingly. No money will be accepted at rehearsals or shows.

Check the lists below to see which day(s) you or your child's class is performing

Fri Evening, June 2, 2017 7PM	Sat Matinee, June 3, 2017 2PM	Sat Evening, June 3, 2017 6:30PM
Dress Rehearsal Tues, May 30 6:30PM	Dress Rehearsal Sat, June 3 8:30AM	Dress Rehearsal Wed, May 31 6:30PM
Mon L1 Beg Ballet Mon L1 Beg Jazz Mon L23 Beg/Int Tap (Ms. Meg) Mon L1 Int/Adv Hip Hop Mon L1 Beg Hip Hop Mon Adult Beg Hip Hop Mon L23 Beg/Int Hip Hop (Mr. Chris) Tue L3 Ballet Tue L3 Jazz Tue L23 Int/Adv Lyrical Tue L23 Beg Ballet Tue L23 Beg Jazz Tue L3 Musical Theatre Wed L2 Int Tap Wed L1 Beg/Int Tap Wed L1 Beg/Int Hip Hop Wed L23 Int/Adv Modern Wed L3 Int/Adv Tap Thu L23 Beg/Int Ballet Thu L1 Musical Theatre Thu L23 Int/Adv Hip Hop Thu L23 Beg Modern Thu L23 Int Modern Fri L2 Int Ballet (Ms. Rachel) Fri L2 Int Jazz (Ms. Rachel) Fri L23 Beg/Int Lyrical Full Force Company Graceful Treasures Company Adrenaline Company	Mon KK4 (Ms. Louanne) Mon CM (Ms. Louanne) Mon KK5 (Ms. Louanne) Tue Totally 2s (Ms. Chelsea) Tue KK6+ (Ms. Chelsea) Wed Totally 2s (Ms. Maura) Wed KK4 (Ms. Maura) Wed KK5 (Ms. Maura) Thu KK6+ (Ms. Sarah) Fri CM (Ms. Laura) Sat Totally 2s (Ms. Caroline) Sat CM (Ms. Caroline) Sat KK4 (Ms. Caroline) Sat KK5 (Ms. Stephanie) Sat KK6+ (Ms. Stephanie) Sat Dance Stars 1 (Ms. Megan) Full Force Company Graceful Treasures Company Adrenaline Company	Mon L2 Beg/Int Tap (Ms. Kelly) Mon L23 Beg Hip Hop (Ms. Liz) Tue L23 Int/Adv Ballet Tue L23 Int/Adv Jazz Tue L23 Beg Lyrical Tue L1 Beg/Int Ballet Tue L1 Beg/Int Jazz Tue L2 Musical Theatre Wed Adult Int/Adv Ballet Wed Adult Int/Adv Jazz Wed Adult Contemporary Wed Lev 23 Int/Adv Tap Thu Adult Int/Adv Hip Hop Thu Adult Int/Adv Modern Thu Adult Int/Adv Tap Thu Adult Beg Jazz Thu Adult Beg Ballet Thu L2 Int Ballet Thu L2 Int Jazz Fri Pointe Fri L12 Ballet (Ms. Laura) Fri L12 Jazz (Ms. Laura) Full Force Company Graceful Treasures Company Adrenaline Company

Important Student Reminders:

- Refer to costume sheet (uploaded to your Studio Director account) for hair & accessory instructions.
- Ask any questions NOW – do not wait until the rehearsal!
- Tights must be in good condition (have a back-up pair) – NO underwear under costumes. NO jewelry/nail polish.
- Every student deserves to take a final bow so students must stay through finale.

Mandatory Dress Rehearsal – students MUST attend dress rehearsal to participate in the show:

- Bring all costumes, makeup, shoes, & necessary accessories (makeup guide is attached with color suggestions)
- Arrive 30 minutes before rehearsal time so we can start promptly!
- Sign in at the check-in desk at the back of lobby for dressing room assignment
- Hair & makeup should be completed **before** arriving at the school - Change once you arrive then sit in auditorium.
- Finale is rehearsed 1st, so you may leave after your child's last dance
- There are designated seating areas for parents. Please do not sit in areas reserved for students. No one is permitted in the 1st or 2nd rows except for approved staff and faculty members.
- Friday PM Show – Dress Rehearsal is Tuesday, May 30 at 6:30PM – be there by 6pm (show is Friday, June 2 at 7PM)
- Saturday Matinee Show – Dress Rehearsal is Saturday, June 3 at 8:30AM – be there by 8am (show is same day at 2:00PM)
- Saturday PM Show – Dress Rehearsal is Wednesday, May 31 at 6:30PM – be there by 6pm (show is Saturday, June 3 at 6:30PM)

Performance:

- Arrive 45 minutes before show time
- Sign in at the check-in desk at the back of the lobby
- Hair & makeup should be completed **before** arriving – Change once you arrive
- Only 1 parent/guardian is allowed to pick up the student after the show. Please sign in/out with the class mom.
- Leave your phone number, allergies, and any other special instructions with the class mom.

Dressing Room Tips:

- Only class moms are allowed to remain in the dressing areas. Drop students off in the appropriate dressing room.
- Signs on each dressing room door will list the groups for that room.
- Students remain in their dressing room for the entire show. If a student is performing in multiple numbers, the class mom will help them change. If they need to leave the area, a cover up must be worn.
- **Men are not permitted in the dressing areas or hallways connecting them.**

Show Tickets:

- Tickets will be sold online at www.tututix.com starting Saturday, April 29 @ 9am for current students. You can also call 855-222-2TIX.
- Tickets are \$16.00 (reserved seating).
- Ticket sales open to public starting online May 6 through May 24 for \$16.00 and at the door for \$21.
- For online sales, your email address on file with ASADC is your **“promo code”** needed to purchase tickets.
- No refunds. Please read all information on the website carefully when purchasing tickets.
- Exchanges – contact tututix.com the same day. No exchanges at the door.

Show DVDs:

- Video Vignette will be providing DVD's of each show for \$35.
- **DVDs are available for purchase through your Studio Director account online** or by filling out the attached form.
- Additional DVD's are \$30 (see the front desk, discount not available online)
- Full payment is due at time of ordering. NO returns or exchanges after order is placed.

Photography & Videography Reminders:

- You may take pictures (no flash) or videotape your child's performance during Dress Rehearsals only!
- Videotaping in designated areas during dress rehearsal.
- For safety reasons and consideration for others in the audience, **personal photography and/or videography is not permitted during the performances.**

Flowers, Refreshments, etc:

- Flowers are a fun way to say “Great Job!” You can purchase flowers & other mementos in the lobby for your favorite dancer.
- Refreshments will be on sale during intermission only. Please sign up at the front desk and let us know what you can donate. It is greatly appreciated!
- All items should be individually wrapped and brought to the school lobby no later than 15 minutes prior to the show.

Thank you for your continued support of our dance center. We look forward to 3 fabulous shows!

Ms. Karen

Directions to Notre Dame Preparatory School (815 Hampton Lane, Towson, MD 21286)

- 1. Take I-695 toward Towson.**
- 2. Take exit 28 (Providence Road North).**
- 3. Turn LEFT onto Providence Road. (If traveling East on I-695, you will turn RIGHT onto Providence Road).**
- 4. At the first light, turn LEFT onto Hampton Lane.**
- 5. The school will be on your left hand side.**