



A Step Ahead Dance Center



Celebrating 10 years

Spring 2017

SPRING SHOW T-SHIRTS ON SALE!

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Pre-Order your cast show shirt today!
Order online thru April 16th or at the front desk thru April 8th @ 12:00pm.

Each show has a different cast list so remember to order for your specific show !
\$20 (includes tax) \$22 for 2XL (includes tax)

JOIN THE SHOW TEAM—CLASS MOMS!

Class Moms needed to make our Shows a success! They supervise & coordinate dancers backstage. All Totally 2's, CM, KK, Levels 1 & 2 classes need Class Moms! Some needed for Level 3 classes too. If interested, please sign up at the front desk. Class Moms must attend a mandatory meeting on Monday, May 8 @ 6:30 or Saturday, May 13 @ 11am.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

CLOSINGS:

April 9-16—Spring Break (open Mon, Apr 17)
May 29—Memorial Day (open Fri & Sat, May 26-27)

SUMMER EVENING REGISTRATION OPEN:

April 15—Returning Students; May 1—New Students

IN-HOUSE DRESS REHEARSAL & PICTURE DAY:

April 29

TICKETS ON SALE ONLINE:

April 29 @ 9:00am

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OPEN HOUSE & SUMMER KICKOFF:

June 14—5-8pm

SUMMER SESSION BEGINS:

July 5

BEAUTY & THE BEAST PLAYSHOP:

July 17-19

TRY IT YOU'LL LIKE IT WORKSHOP:

July 17-21

SUPERHEROS PLAYSHOP:

August 7-9

SHOW ITEMS ON SALE @ NDP

Flowers, & DVDs are sold at the Shows as mementos for your favorite dancer, along with refreshments.

Please consider donating baked goods/ refreshments or volunteering to sell them. Inquire at the front desk.

Baked goods—please separate into individual packages.

All volunteers and donations are greatly appreciated.



PERFORMANCE TICKETS

Performance tickets will be sold online at www.tututix.com or call 855-222-2TIX starting Saturday, April 29th @ 9:00am. Tickets are \$16 (reserved seating). This gives our dancers a chance to purchase their tickets before we open the sales to the public beginning May 6th.



Make sure your account has an updated email address - you will need this to order tickets. Your email address is your “promo code”. All balances must be paid by April 15th in order to receive the promo code. Tickets will also be sold at the door on the day of the performance for \$21. There will be no refunds on tickets. Please read all information on website carefully when purchasing tickets!! Exchanges—please contact tututix.com the same day. There will be no exchanges on tickets the day of the show.

PICTURE DAY & IN-HOUSE DRESS REHEARSAL



In-house Dress Rehearsal is on SATURDAY, APRIL 29. This is important to ensure all costumes/accessories work with the routines.

Citrus Street Photography will also be here that day! Class pictures for the program, then individual pictures will be taken immediately following rehearsal. The schedule is posted in the lobby, online in your SD account, on our website, & has been emailed. Please arrive 15 minutes, with hair & make-up done, prior to your dress rehearsal time.

IT'S SHOW TIME!

Our 10th annual Spring Shows will be at Notre Dame Preparatory School. ALL BALANCES, INCLUDING PAST DUE CHARGES, MUST BE PAID IN FULL BY SATURDAY, MAY 27TH IN ORDER FOR YOUR CHILD TO PERFORM! There are no exceptions, so please plan accordingly. Below are the dates/times for mandatory rehearsals and performances.

- ★ Friday Evening Show—Dress Rehearsal - Tue. May 30th @ 6:30pm. Show - Fri. June 2nd @ 7pm.
- ★ Saturday Matinee Show—Dress Rehearsal - Sat. June 3rd @ 8:30am. Show - Sat., June 3rd @ 2pm.
- ★ Saturday Evening Show—Dress Rehearsal - Wed, May 31st @ 6:30pm. Show is on Sat, June 3rd @ 6:30pm.

Class list for each show is posted in the lobby, online in your SD account, on our website, & has been emailed. A separate performance newsletter will be distributed soon with additional important details.

PERFORMING COMPANY NEWS

After a very busy Christmas Holiday season, our Performing Companies danced beautifully and received many awards at Kids Artistic Review and Mid-Atlantic Dance Masters Competitions. They will be dancing for joy at the Perry Hall Town Fair on June 24th—come and join us!

Auditions for 2017-18 Performing Companies are on May 13th. Dancers receive invitations to audition based on recommendations from their instructors and must be experienced in both ballet and jazz. For more information, email karen@astepaheaddancecenter.com

PARKING @ MERCANTILE

We are SO happy to have so much parking available! To keep the parking pleasant for everyone, please pull into a parking space when waiting for your child to come out. We'd love you to poke your head in and say hello, but if you're in a hurry, at least find a parking space to wait. Thanks for your cooperation!

SUMMER EVENING CLASSES

GREAT LINEUP OF FUN CLASSES FOR AGES 2 THRU ADULT

~ Registration for Current Students Begins April 15th

~ Registration for New Students Begins May 1st

~ Summer Evening Session begins July 5th

10% early registration discount given through June 10th (must be paid in full)

Summer Open House & Registration is June 14th 5-8pm

PLAYSHOPS & WORKSHOPS FOR SUMMER



Beauty & The Beast - July 17-19

Ages: 3&4 9:00-11:30am ▪ 5&6 9:00-12:30pm

Superheros Playshop - August 7-9

Ages: 3&4 9:00-11:30am ▪ 5&6 9:00-12:30pm



Each Playshop includes story time, dance, & craft activities. Special showcase on the last day of each playshop!

Full Day Try It You'll Like It Workshop—July 17-21

Ages 7-14 ▪ 9:00-4:00pm

Students explore many different dance forms while having a blast! Dancers also work as a group to develop their own special piece as well as learning a wide variety of skills. Students will perform a showcase for parents and family on Friday afternoon.

- DISCOUNT GIVEN IF REGISTERING EARLY! NOW THRU JUNE 1 (MUST BE PAID IN FULL)
- TO ENSURE YOUR CHILD'S PLAYSHOP SPOT, A \$25 NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT IS DUE AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION
- TO ENSURE YOUR CHILD'S WORKSHOP SPOT, A \$50 NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT IS DUE AT THE TIME OF REGISTRATION