

NEWSLETTER

2017 DANCE RECITAL

"Live, Love, Dance"

Saturday, May 27, 2017

1:00 PM and 6:00 PM

4:00 PM Solo/Duet/Trio Showcase

Lima Veterans Memorial Civic Center

Parent Recital Information and Watch Week is March 6th-9th.

We will be going over important recital information during your child's dance class. Please have one parent attend class this week. If your child is in multiple classes you only have to attend the first class of the week. We will also be collecting sizes for tights and recital t-shirts this week.



Souvenir Year Book

The souvenir yearbook will include all group photos in their costumes and miscellaneous pictures throughout the year. This will be a pre-sale item only. Order forms will be included in your recital packet that will be handed out March 6-9, 2017.

Recital Program

The recital program will include show order and purchased ads. This will be given to all who have purchased a recital ticket for free. Family members and/or businesses can advertise in the recital program. Advertisements can include a photo of your child along with the message of your choice. Forms will be available in the office and deadline to turn ads in is **March 25th**.

Dance Pictures

Dance pictures will be taken on Sunday, April 2nd. Each class will have a scheduled time on April 2nd. Group photos and individual photos will be taken. Please make every effort to have your child present for dance pictures – even if you don't want to purchase a group shot, we still would like to have everyone present in the class photos. We are going to use the class photos for studio advertisements, souvenir year book, and group pictures will be displayed at The Arts Center. We will try our best to work around any conflicts this weekend when scheduling class times for pictures. Please email any conflicts by March 20th to jill@theartscenterohio.com



Ticket Sales

Tickets for our dance recital will go on sale Friday, April 28th starting at noon. Tickets can be purchased thru Lima Veterans Memorial Civic Center. Tickets will not be sold at the studio.

Ticket prices: \$14.00

Here are three ways to purchase your recital tickets:

1. Online at www.limaciviccenter.com
2. In person at 7 Town Square, Lima, Ohio 45801
3. Over the Phone 419-224 1552

Hours at the box office are Monday thru Friday 12:00-5:00 PM.

Dance Costumes

Costumes will be sent home with your child starting March 6th if your account is current and up to date. Some classes will receive their costumes earlier than others due to different companies and dates ordered. All costumes will be handed out by April 15th.

Helpful costume notes:

- Try on the costume to make sure everything fits. If you need alterations, we can recommend a couple of seamstresses in the area.
- Make a note of all the accessories (ribbons, headpieces, ETC.) All items were double checked before they left The Arts Center.
- Put your dancers name on everything.
- Hang costume in a safe place.
- Do not allow your dancer or anyone else to play in the costume until after recital.
- Costumes cannot be replaced.
- Dance tights and recital t-shirts will be handed out the week of May 5th.

End of Year Dance Awards

Dancers who have taken dance for 5, 10 or 15 years will receive a trophy. Dancers with perfect attendance will receive a medal. All dancers will receive a participation ribbon. If your dancers is due to get 5, 10, 15 year award or perfect attendance please provide their name on the sheet in the lobby by **April 28th**.

Recital T-Shirts

All dancers will receive a recital t-shirt. This was included in your costume fee. We include all of the dancers names on the back of the t-shirt. Please double check the list posted in the lobby so we include all dancers. Place your initials and t-shirt size by your dancers name by **March 25th**.

Parent Volunteers

We are in need of parent volunteers for backstage help. Please help us keep the recital moving smoothly by volunteering your time during the recital. Sign ups are listed in the lobby. Various duties include room mom, check in table, and runners. Please sign up by **April 28th**.

ALL NEW!!



3/1	Tuition Due
3/6-10	Parent Watch Week Recital Information Week Recital Packets Sent Home
3/10-12	Rainbow Dance Competition
3/25	Recital Ads Due Recital T-Shirt/Tight Sizes Due
3/24-26	Nexstar Dance Competition
4/1	Tuition Due
4/2	Dance Pictures
4/3-8	Parent Watch Week
4/7-9	Groove Competition
4/21-23	Hall of Fame Dance Competition
4/28	Volunteer Sign Up Due End of Year Awards Due Dance Recital Tickets on Sale
5/1	Tuition Due
5/23-25	Dress Rehearsal
5/27	Dance Recital 1:00 & 6:00 PM Solo/Duet Showcase 4:00 PM



May the luck of the Irish be with our dance company as they head to Columbus, OH March 10-12.