

# SHORT DANCE STUDIOS Performing Line Dates

9/25/18

Thank you for your patience and willingness to work with and for the program to ensure that all our dancers are available and in participation at needed practices and performances. After marking all of your submitted schedule conflicts on the calendar, the following schedule has been created to ensure that ALL dancers are at every event.

**Important dates for performing dancers:** (Please ask ASAP if there are any questions!) All dates subject to change.

**-Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> – First costume payment is due by this day via cash or check (\$100). Any unpaid costume payments will be pulled automatically with billing information on file on Oct. 16<sup>th</sup> with a 3% transaction fee.**

**-Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> – First costume payment is due by this day via cash or check (\$100). Any unpaid costume payments will be pulled automatically with billing information on file on Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> with a 3% transaction fee.**

**-Jan. 15<sup>th</sup> – Costume Remainder Due. Any unpaid costume payments will be pulled automatically with billing information on file on Jan. 16<sup>th</sup> with a 3% transaction fee.**

**Jan. 19<sup>th</sup> & 20<sup>th</sup> – Short Dance Studios Convention. Performers only have to do Sun. the 20<sup>th</sup> but are encouraged to do both days!** Only dancers participating in both days have the opportunity to receive a scholarship. Please turn in your 1/2 pg. convention form ASAP, if you haven't already, to let us know if you are doing both days and what shirt size you would like. **(approx. ages 12 and up in IGH and 11 and under in NR.)**

**March 25-28th - FULL Dress Rehearsal for all NR dancers at the NR studio (hair, makeup, costumes, shoes) Parents are expected to attend!**

**April 1-4th - FULL Dress Rehearsal for all IGH dancers at the IGH studio (hair, makeup, costumes, shoes) Parents are expected to attend!**

-This will be during your dancers' choreography time. If you have multiple teachers and choreography classes you may have multiple dress rehearsal practices during this week. A detailed schedule for your specific class will be given.

**May 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> – Legacy Dance Competition for all Comp. and Perf. dancers (Entries due in full via cash or check before March 15<sup>th</sup>).**

\*This is the competition that all performing dancers will be attending! Put this on your calendars!

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\*After all the time and effort put into dance technique, choreography, costumes, etc... this year, it is highly recommended for the dancers to attend one if not both of the additional competitions listed below. It would be great to see the dancers get more performance time up on stage. Please talk to the other members of your group to see if one or both of the below dates would work for you. It is important that we have all dancers in the group in attendance. Note: If a parent has a conflict there are many caring dance families that will take a dancer to the competition, so they don't have to miss out. The group should decide and let the office know before Christmas break which extra competitions they are going to attend.

**April 10<sup>th</sup> -14<sup>th</sup> – Midwest Starz Dance Competition in Monticello (Entries due in full via cash or check before Jan. 15<sup>th</sup>)**

**April 26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> –? Dance Competition (Entries due in full via cash or check before Feb. 15<sup>th</sup>).**

## **For New Richmond Performers only:**

-May 31st - Dress Rehearsal w/pictures at the New Richmond H.S. More detailed times will come. (Concessions!) \*Please make a commitment to be at pictures. Even if you are not going to order, others are, and it is important to the dancers to have memories of their whole group!

-June 1st – Recital at the New Richmond H.S. Auditorium! (Flowers & concessions will be sold at recitals!)

-June 2nd– Recitals at the New Richmond H.S. Auditorium! (Flowers & concessions will be sold at recitals!)

## **For Inver Grove Performers only:**

-June 8th – Dress Rehearsal w/pictures at the Simley H.S. More detailed times will come. (Concessions!) \*Please make a commitment to be at pictures. Even if you are not going to order, others are, and it is important to the dancers to have memories of their whole group!

-June 9th – Recitals at the Simley H.S. Auditorium! (Flowers & concessions will be sold at recitals!)

-June 10th – Recital at the Simley H.S. Auditorium! (Flowers & concessions will be sold at recitals!)

\*Please note that submitting dates does not mean that it is an excused absence. Submitting dates is put in place only to help us put out a schedule that works best for the majority. Per the policies and procedures for competition and performing lines the only excused absences are family death, doctor's note, religion and a graded mandatory school function. All missed classes will need to be made up.

\*We will be holding only 1 full week long intensive for this years' summer session again. It will be a full day of dancing (approx.9am-2:30pm) M-F. It will be mandatory as there is only one week offered instead of three. With this one week of classes you will get guest master teachers like you would see at the convention and learn combinations to audition for line placements on the last day. Yes, this is also audition week so it will be nearly impossible to miss and make up. \*In addition, there will still be a Ballet Intensive and M/W Ballet classes, as well as, acrobatics, captains practices and a kids convention.

**I am looking at July 22-26 for a good possibility to hold this intensive. The dates will be set in stone very shortly.**