

“LIVE, LOVE, THRIVE”

DANCE CONCERT OVERVIEW 2019

DRESS REHEARSALS

Dress rehearsals will be held on Thursday June 20, 2019 & Friday June 21, 2019. Dress Rehearsals will be held at the Fred Kavli Theatre in the Civic Arts Plaza. Dress rehearsals are closed to public spectators. Only parents with volunteer assignments will be allowed to attend Dress Rehearsals and volunteers will be in their assigned locations. No students or parents will be allowed in the audience. Students are required to be in full costume, hair, make-up, etc. The idea is to run the show as if it is the “real thing.” Dancers need to become familiar with the theater’s surroundings during this rehearsal. Please pack food and drinks for your dancer, but do not send foods that stain. **Dancers may not eat or drink in costume.** Don’t forget to bring activities for younger dancers to do while waiting. (Note: Some dressing rooms have a live feed to the stage. In the past parent volunteers have provided a small television from home for their dressing room). See attached Dress Rehearsal Schedule for call times for each class. Please allow a good amount of time to park and check in prior to your dancer’s start time.

PERFORMANCE DAYS

This year’s Dance Concert will be titled “Live, Love, Thrive” and all three shows will be held at the Fred Kavli Theatre in the Civic Arts Plaza. Show 1: Friday June 21, 2019 6:00PM, Show 2: Saturday June 22, 2019 11:00AM, Show 3: Saturday June 22, 2019 4:00PM. Each show is showcasing different Thrive classes. The Saturday 11:00AM Show will be approximately 1 hour and 45 minutes and the night performances will be approximately 3 hours. These times are estimated since we will not know the full length of the show until the Dress Rehearsals.

DANCER CALL TIMES

Call time is the time that dancers need to arrive to the theater. Dancer call times are below:

Show 1 - Friday June 21, 2019 - 5:00PM

Show 2 - Saturday June 22, 2019 - 10:00AM

Show 3 - Saturday June 22, 2019 - 3:00PM

TICKETS

Tickets went on sale on Saturday March 16, 2019. Tickets are \$34/each and they are on sale at the Civic Arts Plaza Box Office and on Ticket Master. The Civic Arts Plaza Box Office charges a \$4 service charge. Ticket Master charges a \$9.75 service fee. Tickets are reserved seating so buy your tickets early! **CIVIC ARTS TICKET BOX OFFICE SCHEDULE:** Tues – Sun 12:00pm – 5:00pm

BACKSTAGE VOLUNTEERS

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS TO MAKE THIS EVENT WORK! :) Parent volunteers must be available for Dress Rehearsals AND performances. Parent volunteers will be assigned to a location backstage where they will be helping their dancer along with other dancers. Parent volunteers are not allowed in the audience during the Dress Rehearsals or the shows and do not need to purchase a ticket for the shows. Only authorized volunteers will be allowed backstage. While this might not always be convenient for parents, this is a strict rule for the safety of our dancers. If you would like to become a parent volunteer please come to our front desk to sign up. Parents of dancers ages 3 & 4 are encouraged to volunteer. However, we will be sure that ample supervision and care is provided regardless. We would LOVE to have you!

DRESS REHEARSAL AND CONCERT DROP OFF (All Days)

Parents will park in the main parking structure and walk their dancers past the fountain area to our check in tables where there will be signs directing you to our location. Parents will not be allowed in the dressing room areas unless they are signed up as a parent volunteer. This is just a rule for safety and privacy of the changing dancers. Volunteer sign up sheets are currently at the front desk. Please feel free to sign up to volunteer today! Remember if you volunteer you **MUST** be available for both the dress rehearsals AND the performances. **You DO NOT need a ticket if you plan to be a parent volunteer, as you will be backstage for the entire performance.**

DRESS REHEARSAL AND CONCERT PICK UP (All days)

Immediately after the end of your dancer's Dress Rehearsal and after the Dance Concert, parents will return to the check in table to check out their dancer out prior to leaving the premises. Dancers may not go into the audience or the lobby during the performances or intermissions. They must stay in their dressing room until the finale. Parents cannot go from the audience to the backstage area or vice versa at anytime. For security reasons no one will be allowed to enter the backstage area during or after the show. In case of an emergency, someone will be at the check in table at all times and communicating with our backstage staff via walkie talkie.

PARKING

On the day of performances, The Civic Arts Plaza charges a parking fee for each vehicle. No cars will be allowed to park in the back parking lot. Any cars without the proper permit will be immediately towed.

TUITION

June Tuition will be due on June 1, 2019. June tuition will be only 50% of your normal tuition amount. Dancers will not be allowed to participate in the performance unless all accounts are paid in full by June 10th. **THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.**

LAST DAY OF CLASSES

The last day for classes at the studio will be Friday June 14, 2019. Remember that Dress Rehearsals will be held the following week on Thursday June 20, 2019 & Friday June 21, 2019.

DRESSING ROOM ASSIGNMENTS

Dressing rooms will be assigned to all dancers. Location assignments will be posted at the studio soon. Keep in mind students are assigned by age, not necessarily by classes. Some classes have a variety of ages therefore all dancers in any given class may not be rooming together. Also, if you have siblings that are in separate rooms that would like to be together, please let us know. Do keep in mind however that sometimes the siblings would prefer to be with their age group rather than with their sibling. Listed below are things each of the dancers can bring with them to make this experience more comfortable. Make certain that each item is labeled with your dancers name:

- A rolling suitcase or large bag to carry belongings
- A cover up to wear over costumes while waiting to perform
- A sleeping bag or blanket to rest or lay on
- A pillow
- Quiet toys, books, ipads, video games, board games etc.
- Lunch/snacks/water
- Wet Ones
- Make-Up
- Brush, comb, hair supplies
- Mirror
- Extra Bobby Pins/Safety Pins
- Gel, Hair Spray
- Any other items that will make your day more comfortable

***We recommend that you LABEL EVERY THING!**

***Please note that Thrive is not responsible for any lost items.**

THE LIST OF NO'S!

- No Eating in costume
- All shoes must be clean without tears or holes.
- Don't wear jewelry unless instructed. All other jewelry must be removed.
- No nail polish
- No gum
- No underwear under tights or costume.
- No hair wisps. All buns and braids must be pulled back tight and slicked with gel.

COSTUMES

Costumes have already been handed out. Please be sure to sign out all of your dancer's costumes if you have not yet received them. Please make sure that all costumes are in good condition, fit properly and have all of the necessary pieces PRIOR to dress rehearsal. After signing out costumes, any issues that might occur are at the expense of the parent. Do not wear, wash or iron costumes prior to the performance. For details on hair, accessories, hemming etc. please see the costume book located at the front desk.

HAIR (SHOW 1 & 3)

The hairstyle for our dancers Ages 7+ is 2 Dutch Braids parted in the middle and wrapped into a bun for ALL dance classes. This hairstyle will assist both the dancers and the parent volunteers backstage and allow them to make quick changes without having to re-do hair styles. For more information on how to do a Dutch Braid please see the HAIR TUTORIAL on the Dance Concert Info Packet webpage, checkout Youtube for more tutorials or you can also have your hair professionally done for Dress Rehearsals and Shows. THIS DOES NOT APPLY TO OUR YOUNGEST DANCERS AGES 3-6 IN SHOW 2. Show 2 dancers see below.

HAIR (SHOW 2)

The hairstyle for our combo classes Ballet/Tap/Tumbling or Jazz/Hip Hop (Ages 3-5, 4-6 & 5-7) is either a Bun or Ponytail. Please see the Costume Book at the front desk to see what hairstyle your teacher has chosen. Buns and Ponytails should be slicked back with Gel and no wisps. Dancers who are in Show 2 that are not in a combo classes should wear their hair in the Show 1 & 3 hair styles. For more information on how to do a bun please see the HAIR TUTORIAL on the Dance Concert Info Packet webpage.

MAKE UP

All dancers should wear make up for the Dress Rehearsal and their Show. Make up allows the dancers expressions to be seen under the bright stage lights. Our youngest dancers ages 3-6 should wear Eye Liner, Eye Shadow, Mascara, Red Lipstick & Pink Blush. Our oldest dancers ages 7+ should wear full stage make up. Foundation, powder, eyeliner, eyeshadow, mascara, blush, red lipstick. Please check out the Make Up Tutorial on the Dance Concert Information Packet Webpage or stop by the front desk and check the Costume Book.

COMPANY AUDITIONS

If your dancer loves to PERFORM, why not check out what our Thrive Dance Company has to offer. Thrive Dance Company is a great opportunity for your child to be a part of a team, learn and grow in a positive environment and take their dance training to the next level. The benefits of Company are endless but you will not know it unless you try out! We will be having 2 Company Parent Information Meetings.

Company Parent Info Meeting 1: Thursday May 30, 2019 7:30PM – 8:00PM

Company auditions for the 2019 - 20 Season will be held on Sunday August 25, 2019. More detailed information will be emailed out this summer. We will also announce the company auditions on our website.

SUMMER DANCE PROGRAMS AT THRIVE

This Summer, Thrive Dance Center will be offering 6 very special Summer Dance Programs! Whatever you are looking for, we know you will find it in one of our Dance Workshops or Intensives for ages 3-21.

SUMMER DANCE WORKSHOPS AND INTENSIVES

WEEK 1 - JULY 8 - JULY 11, 2019

WEEK 2 - JULY 15 - JULY 18, 2019

MINI WORKSHOP	AGES 3-5	Ballet, Tap, Tumbling and Jazz/Hip Hop
BEGINNING WORKSHOP	AGES 6-10	Ballet, Jazz, Lyrical and Hip Hop
BEGINNING WORKSHOP	AGES 11+	Ballet, Jazz, Lyrical and Hip Hop
INTERMEDIATE INTENSIVE	AGES 9+	Ballet, Jazz, Lyrical, Hip Hop, Contemporary, Musical Theatre
ADVANCED INTENSIVE	AGES 12+	Ballet, Jazz, Lyrical, Hip Hop, Contemporary, Musical Theatre

IMPORTANT DATES FOR 2019

COMPANY PARENT INFO MEETING #1 - THURSDAY MAY 30, 2019 7:30-8:00PM

DRESS REHEARSALS – JUNE 20 & 21, 2019 (SEE DRESS REHEARSAL SCHEDULE)

DANCE CONCERTS – FRI JUNE 21 6:00PM, SAT JUNE 22 11:00AM, SAT JUNE 22 4:00PM

SUMMER WORKSHOPS BEGIN – JULY 8, 2019

COMPANY AUDITION – SUNDAY AUGUST 25, 2019

FALL CLASSES BEGIN – TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 3, 2019

*AT THRIVE WE PRIDE OURSELVES ON PROVIDING A POSITIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENT
THAT TEACHES CONFIDENCE, DISCIPLINE, AND A LOVE FOR THE ARTS. THANK YOU SO
MUCH FOR TRUSTING US WITH YOUR DANCER AND HELPING US TO REALIZE OUR DREAM!
WE LOVE OUR THRIVE COMMUNITY!*

GO THRIVE!