



The Dance Works

recital 2024

THE DANCE WORKS

RECITAL INFO

This information is a brief outline of the TDW Recital events! We will describe all events in detail on the recital tab of our website at www.tdwkearney.com/recital. As we add information to the site, we will update you. We will also send out informational emails regarding each event as it approaches. Sometimes these emails may get marked as promotion or spam; please make sure to add us to your contacts to help prevent this.

ABOUT THE YEAR END SHOWS

May 29th - June 2nd, we will hold seven fun, exciting and professional shows at the Merryman Performing Arts Center (MPAC). In addition to the seven shows, we will host our tiniest dancers (2 - 3 years) in a morning of dancing on Saturday, June 1st. The specifics of what show your dancer is in will be emailed to you, as well as printed and sent home.

Our show is a beautiful production! We put a lot of creative effort into the recital each year to make it the best it can be. It is an exciting and memorable event for the dancers and we aim to make it special for each and every one of them. Each show will feature a variety of ages, dancers and styles!

COSTUMES

Once the costumes arrive to us, they go through a process to get ready to be sent home to you! Costumes are delivered to us, and we unbox them, quality control check them, hang them up for you, and place them into a garment bag for safe and easy handling and travel. We recommend labeling each costume individually with your dancers name or initials. Your costume package has everything you need for the recital except the required shoes. During class time, the week of **April 29th - May 2nd**, students will try on their costumes. Then, from **May 6th - May 9th**, all costumes will be sent home to you!

RECITAL FEE

There is a \$30 recital fee per dancer. This fee helps cover costs associated with planning and executing the show, theater expenses, lighting expenses, your dancers' unique show souvenirs, and more! Your family's recital fee is posted to your account. You may log in and pay at any time. Any unpaid recital fees will be automatically charged to the payment method on file on April 1st, 2024.

FUN STUFF!!

Every dancer will receive a commemorative TDW yearbook! We have snapped "yearbook" style photos of each student during class time. Yearbooks are handed out the week of in-studio recital photos in students TDW Recital Swag Bags. Also included in their swag bag are a t-shirt, commemorative pin, bag tag, sticker, and MORE! We will also have a special treat for them, the week of in-studio pictures, that they can stop and pick up in the parking lot on their way home!

TICKETS

Tickets are \$15.00 per show. Each family will be able to purchase FOUR tickets per performance during the first week of ticket sales. After the first week, any remaining tickets will be available for purchase. Tickets are purchased online thru Dance Recital Ticketing. Ticket sales begin **Monday, April 29th - Sunday, May 5th**. Each day a different show will become available for purchase at 6pm. We will provide you with ALL of the ordering information as the time approaches!

IN STUDIO REHEARSAL AND PHOTOS

The week of May 20th - May 23rd we transform one of our studio rooms into a mock theater. We will simulate the performance atmosphere for the students to rehearse their dances! In addition, we will transform two other studios into a photoshoot! Dancers will wear their costumes, rehearse their dances and get their pictures taken. These events take place during their regularly scheduled class time!

DRESS REHEARSAL

Dress rehearsals are a rough run-through of the show. They allow students to practice waiting backstage, entering and exiting the stage, any costume changes, and SO MUCH MORE! Dress Rehearsal is at the Merryman Performing Arts Center. Your students' will need all of their costumes and appropriate shoes for this. Their specific rehearsal time will be posted on our website's dress rehearsal tab on the Recital page. It is also included at the end of this packet.

FINALE

The finale is the final dance of each show and a fun part of the recital experience. While not required we highly encourage dancers to participate. Finale choreography will be learned during class time in the weeks leading up to the show! Dancers have a scheduled rehearsal time for their age group during dress rehearsal. Dancers will wear their recital t-shirt (given to them in their swag bag) and black shorts for the finale performance.

SHOW TIMES

These are the days and times for each of our recitals. You can find out which recital your student is in based on their class name. For example, the name of their class looks something like "The Movement 2nd-3rd Tap (2)" The number in parenthesis is the show in which that class performs. We will send you a personalized family show schedule in the upcoming weeks.

SHOW ONE

Wednesday, May 29th at 7:00pm

SHOW TWO

Thursday, May 30th at 7:00pm

SHOW THREE

Friday, May 31st at 7:00pm

SHOW FOUR

Saturday, June 1st at 2:00pm

SHOW FIVE

Saturday, June 1st at 7:00pm

SHOW SIX

Sunday, June 2nd at 1:00pm

SHOW SEVEN

Sunday, June 2nd at 4:00pm

THE WORKS 2/3 SHOWTIMES

Our tiniest dancers (The Works 2/3) enjoy private, fun, and stress-free recitals! These thirty-minute mini-shows allow the dancers to spend more time on the stage in a unique atmosphere that includes their teachers, friends, and family!

The Works 2/3 dancers do not participate in dress rehearsals. Instead, they arrive 15 minutes before their scheduled time to meet with their teacher and prepare to take the stage!

These shows are open to all friends and family and do not require a ticket. These shows are not professionally recorded. Take as many photos and videos as you wish!

THE WORKS 2/3

(Wednesday's 9:00am with Kathy)

Saturday, June 1st at 10:00 am

THE WORKS 2 /3

(Monday's 4:15pm with Kathy)

Saturday, June 1st at 10:30 am

THE WORKS 2/3

(Tuesday's 5:45pm with Kathy and Tara)

Saturday, June 1st at 11:00 am

THE WORKS 2/3

(Wednesday's at 4:15pm with Kathy and Lily)

Saturday, June 1st at 11:30am

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Dress Rehearsal Schedule

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You will see that each level has a "FINALE" rehearsal. The finale is the final dance of each show and a fun part of the recital experience. Therefore, all dancers should attend their scheduled rehearsal time for the finale. Dancers will wear their recital t-shirt (given to them in their swag bag) and black shorts for the finale performance.

Where: Merryman Performing Arts Center

When: Your dancers scheduled time can be found on the next pages. It is organized by age and level.

What to Wear: Your recital costumes, tights, and required shoes. Hair should be in a bun, make - up is optional!

What do parents do? Parents are not required to stay for dress rehearsals. You may drop off and leave. You are also able to watch in the audience, your choice!

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The Works 4

CLASS

REHEARSAL DAY & TIME

Wednesday 9:00 Chrissy Monday 5:00 Emma and Stephanie Tuesday 4:15 Lily	Tuesday, May 28th 3:30 pm - 4:30 pm
FINALE (ALL WORKS 4 CLASSES)	Tuesday, May 28th 4:30 pm - 5:00 pm
Wednesday 5:45 Emma and Brynn Thursday 4:15 Amana	Tuesday, May 28th 5:00 pm - 5:40 pm

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The Works 5

CLASS

REHEARSAL DAY & TIME

BALLET/TAP Monday 4:15 Lily Monday 5:45 Amana	Tuesday, May 28th 1:00 pm - 1:45 pm
BALLET/TAP Tuesday 5:00 Emma Thursday 4:15 Kathy	Tuesday, May 28th 1:45 pm - 2:30 pm
FINALE (ALL WORKS 5 CLASSES)	Tuesday, May 28th 2:30 pm - 3:00 pm
JAZZ /HIP HOP/ POM Tuesday 5:45 Kylee Wednesday 4:15 Chrissy Thursday 5:00 Amana	Tuesday, May 28th 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm

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The Works 6

CLASS

REHEARSAL DAY & TIME

BALLET/TAP Monday 4:15 Amana Tuesday 6:30 Kathy Wednesday 5:00 Lily	Tuesday, May 28th 11:00 am - 12:00 pm
FINALE (ALL WORKS 6 CLASSES)	Tuesday, May 28th 12:00 pm - 12:30 pm
JAZZ/HIP HOP/ POM Monday 5:00 Lily Tuesday 5:45 Siera Wednesday 5:45 Kathy	Tuesday, May 28th 12:30 pm - 1:00 pm

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Movement 1st Grade and Boys

CLASS

REHEARSAL DAY & TIME

BALLET Thursday 4:15 Amana	Tuesday, May 28th 9:00 am - 9:10 am
TAP Thursday 5:00 Aja	Tuesday, May 28th 9:10 am - 9:20 am
JAZZ Thursday 5:45 Emma Monday 6:30 Chrissy	Tuesday, May 28th 9:20 am - 9:40 am
HIP HOP AND POM Monday 5:45 Emma Tuesday 4:15 Emma Tuesday 5:00 Lily	Tuesday, May 28th 9:40 am - 10:10 am
FINALE (ALL MOVEMENT 1ST GRADE AND BOYS)	Tuesday, May 28th 10:15 am - 10:45 am
MOVEMENT BOYS Thursday 6:30 Kathy	Tuesday, May 28th 10:45 am - 11:00 am

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The Movement 2nd - 3rd Grade and Connection 1 and 2

CLASS

REHEARSAL DAY & TIME

BALLET Monday 5:00 Kathy Wednesday 4:15 Abby Thursday 7:00 Amana (Connection 1) Thursday 8:00 Amana (Connection 2)	Wednesday, May 29th 9:00 am - 9:40 am
TAP Monday 5:45 Chrissy Wednesday 5:00 Aja	Wednesday, May 29th 9:40 am - 10:00 am
JAZZ Monday 7:15 Brynn Wednesday 5:45 Lily Thursday 6:00 Chrissy (Connection 1) Thursday 7:00 Chrissy (Connection 2)	Wednesday, May 29th 10:00 am - 10:40 am
HIP HOP Monday 6:30 Lily Tuesday 6:30 Brynn Thursday 5:45 Aja and Brynn	Wednesday, May 29th 10:40 am - 11:10 am
CONTEMPORARY Tuesday 5:45 Abby Thursday 5:00 Emma	Wednesday, May 29th 11:10 am - 11:30 am
POM Tuesday 7:15 Kylee Thursday 4:15 Brynn	Wednesday, May 29th 11:30 am - 11:50 am
FINALE ALL 2ND - 3RD AND CONNECTION 1ST - 3RD	Wednesday, May 29th 11:50 am - 12:30 pm

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The Movement 4th - 5th Grade

CLASS	REHEARSAL DAY & TIME
BALLET Tuesday 7:15 Olivia Wednesday 6:30 Kathy	Wednesday, May 29th 12:30 pm - 12:50 pm
TAP Tuesday 8:45 Elizabeth Wednesday 7:15 Kathy	Wednesday, May 29th 12:50 pm - 1:10 pm
JAZZ Tuesday 8:00 Brynn Wednesday 8:00 Brynn	Wednesday, May 29th 1:30 pm - 1:50 pm
CONTEMPORARY Monday 5:45 Brynn Thursday 8:00 Olivia	Wednesday, May 29th 1:50 pm - 2:10 pm
HIP HOP AND POM Monday 7:15 Aja and Elizabeth (Hip Hop) Thursday 7:15 Brynn and Elizabeth (Hip Hop) Monday 6:30 Kylee and Brynn (Pom) Thursday 6:30 Aja (Pom)	Wednesday, May 29th 2:10 pm - 2:50 pm
FINALE ALL 4TH - 5TH GRADE	Wednesday, May 29th 2:50 pm - 3:20 pm

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The Momentum 6th - 12th and Connection 3

CLASS	REHEARSAL DAY & TIME
BALLET 6th - 8th Amana 9th - 12th Siera Connection 3 Emma	Tuesday, May 28th 6:00 pm - 6:30 pm
TAP 6th - 8th Aja 9th - 12th Emma	Tuesday, May 28th 6:30 pm - 6:50 pm
JAZZ 6th - 8th Abby 9th - 12th Jasmine Connection 3 Chrissy	Tuesday, May 28th 6:50 pm - 7:20 pm
CONTEMPORARY 6th - 8th Wednesday 6:30 Brynn and Emma 6th - 8th Thursday 8:45 Olivia 9th - 12th Olivia	Tuesday, May 28th 7:20 pm - 7:50 pm
HIP HOP 6th - 8th Wednesday 7:15 Steph 6th - 8th Thursday 8:00 Aja 9th - 12th Aja	Tuesday, May 28th 7:50 pm - 8: 20 pm
POM 6th - 8th Emma and Kylee 9th - 12th Kylee	Tuesday, May 28th 8:20 pm - 8:40 pm
FINALE ALL MOMENTUM 6TH - 12TH GRADE AND CONNECTION 3	Tuesday, May 28th 8:45 pm - 9:15 pm

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Elevate 1 and 2

CLASS

REHEARSAL DAY & TIME

BALLET Elevate 1 and 2	Wednesday, May 29th 3:20 pm - 3:50 pm
TAP Elevate 1 Elevate 2	Wednesday, May 29th 1:10 pm - 1:30 pm
FINALE ELEVATE 1 AND 2	Wednesday, May 29th 2:50 pm - 3:20 pm

Elevate 3 and 4

CLASS

REHEARSAL DAY & TIME

BALLET Elevate 3 and 4	Thursday, May 30th 9:00 am - 10:00 am
TAP Elevate 3 Elevate 4	Thursday, May 30th 11:30 am - 11:50 am
FINALE ELEVATE 3 AND 4	TBD

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CLASS	INSPIRE	REHEARSAL DAY & TIME
Inspire 1, 3 & 4 Ballet		Thursday, May 30th 9:00 am - 10:00 am
Senior Pointe		Thursday, May 30th 10:00 am - 10:30 am
Inspire 2 Ballet		Thursday, May 30th 10:30 am - 11:00 am
Inspire 1 Contemporary		Thursday, May 30th 12:30 pm - 12:40pm
Inspire 2 Contemporary		Thursday, May 30th 12:40 pm - 12:50 pm
Inspire 1 Hip Hop		Thursday, May 30th 12:50 pm - 1:00 pm
Inspire 2 Hip Hop		Thursday, May 30th 1:00 pm - 1:10 pm
Inspire 3 Contemporary		Thursday, May 30th 1:10 pm - 1:20 pm
Inspire 4 Contemporary		Thursday, May 30th 1:20 pm - 1:30 pm
Inspire 3 Hip Hop		Thursday, May 30th 1:30 pm - 1:40 pm
Inspire 4 Hip Hop		Thursday, May 30th 1:40 pm - 1:50 pm

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Mini Stars

CLASS

REHEARSAL DAY & TIME

MINI STARS (ALL DANCES)	Thursday, May 30th 11:30 am - 12:30 pm
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Adult Tap

ADULT TAP	Tuesday, May 28th 9:15 pm - 9:45 pm
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Senior Group Dances

REC SENIOR GROUP DANCE	Monday, May 27th TBD
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