

Morita's School of Dance

Costume Balance & Show Information

Week beginning November 6, 2017

Morita's School of Dance Annual Holiday Show will be held at Hermon High School in Hermon on December 17th. During this exciting time, the studio faculty and staff gladly give of our time and energy to present your children at their best. We need 100% cooperation from our students and their parents to make this possible. Students must attend classes weekly, so ensure they learn their dance choreography. Every effort should be made to keep up with class attendance and, of course, we encourage practice at home.

Since we have two performances, we have tried to keep sisters and family members in the same show, but of course we cannot accommodate everyone. If your family is involved in more than one show, please do not look upon this as a burden. Please look at it as an opportunity for your children to be the "star" of their own show. Our holiday dance production is only once a year, so please make plans for this special event!!

DRESS REHEARSAL

Full Dress Rehearsal for you child will be held on December 9th or 15th. All Saturday classes will rehearse on December 9th between 9-11:00 AM at Hermon High School on the stage in the auditorium. Saturday classes will come at their regular time at the studio on Saturday, December 16th. All weekday classes will rehearse on Friday, December 15th at Hermon High School on the stage in the auditorium. Please keep your respective date open until a final Dress Rehearsal schedule is issued.

SHOW DATE/TIME FOR YOUR CHILD – CIRCLED

- Show #1: Sunday, December 17th at 1:30pm
- Show #2: Sunday, December 17th at 4:00pm

COSTUME BALANCE & DISTRIBUTION

Costumes are arriving daily and are being prepared for distribution. This preparation requires many hours and details. Please remember that Morita's School of Dance includes all needed accessories: headpieces, tights, etc. We try to make your job as easy as possible, just provide a body and shoes. If your child is taking more than 2 hours of class per week, your balance reflects the final amount due for your child's costumes.

Your Costume Balance is: _____

Your Costume Balance payment is due by **Thursday, November 30th**. If you are in the auto payment plan, your Costume Balance will come out on Thursday, November 30th, if it has not been paid in person.

UNDERGARMENTS FOR STAGE AND COSTUMES

No panties or underwear is permitted to be worn under your costume. Dance tights are sufficient for comfort and modesty. BEIGE BRAS to match your skin tone with *no visible or clear straps* are permitted.

Parents – your child is working very hard on their dance technique and routines and we know you will do your part to prepare them for performance day. Please do not put your child in an embarrassing situation by not having them properly prepared for their big day. We do as much as we can – when costumes are distributed you will get a detailed sheet explaining hair, make-up, and costume details. Of course, Miss Morita is available to answer any questions, but we hope to provide you with all the details necessary for you and your dancer to be prepared and have a very successful performance day!