

January 12, 2010

Dear Parents and Students of IDA:

Happy New Year! We are very excited to announce the plans for our 9th annual spring dance concerts. Our shows will again be at Montgomery County Community College. All dancers in K-1st and older classes are invited to participate. Enclosed in this mailing you will find a 'show breakdowns' sheet which states which classes will be performing on which dates and at what times. The Saturday will be a full-length concert. The Sunday shows will each be about 1 hour in length. **There will be a maximum of 5 tickets per family allowed to be purchased per show. Please fill out and detach the ticket order form and send back with a check for \$12 per ticket to IDA** (Discounts for additional show noted below). It is likely that we will have extra tickets and you can request to be on the waiting list for extra tickets at this time. You will be informed via e-mail if your extra tickets are available. Seating will be assigned in the order that forms and checks are received. **All ticket orders must be received by March 1st. There is a mandatory dress rehearsal at MONTCO on Fri. June 4th. Sunday shows 1, 2, & 3 will rehearse 4-6:30pm. Sunday show 4 will rehearse 7:00-8:00pm and the Saturday show will rehearse 8:00-10:30pm. Being on time is extremely important, as we will run on schedule.** We do ask for your patience and flexibility in the event that we run over due to unforeseen circumstances. Parents should walk kids in and then may leave, as there will be chaperones.

There is a \$30 participation fee per student dancing in the concerts due by March 1st. This fee is to help cover costs of the shows. On the 'show breakdowns' sheet you will also find costume necessity information. The items listed are costume pieces that each student must provide for her/ himself. The students will borrow the rest of the costume from IDA and will return these costumes immediately following the show. There will be a \$50 fee per costume not returned. We strongly encourage all students to participate in the concerts. It promises to be a delightful weekend of dance for all. If your child will not be participating please inform the studio by March 1st. All recital information and updates can be found on the 'Recitals' page of our website www.instituteofdanceartistry.com. Please make a habit of checking this page for continuous updates and reminders. Also feel free to call 215-328-0847 or e-mail idadance@comcast.net with any questions. Please remember to call the dance studio or check the website before coming to class on days of bad weather.

Below is additional schedule information for the remainder of the year (subject to change):

February 15th- Closed, President's Day

March 1st- Final Tuition payment Due, \$30 Recital participation fee due, Ticket order due

March 29th-April 4th- Closed, Spring Break

May 31st - Closed, Memorial Day

June 5th- 10am & 11am classes will meet- All other classes cancelled for show preparation.

Thank you.

Sincerely,
Jamie Lipskin

TICKET ORDER FORM (Mail to P.O. Box 114/ Fort Washington, PA 19034)

STUDENT'S NAME _____

SHOW (Show 1, Show 2, Show 3, Show 4, Sat. show) _____

OF TICKETS _____ # EXTRA TICKETS REQUESTED _____

ADDITIONAL SHOW _____

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TOTAL AMT. ENCLOSED \$ _____ *Please include \$30 participation fee.*

2nd SHOW DISCOUNT: 1st show=\$12/ ticket, 2nd show= \$6/ ticket

SHOW BREAKDOWNS & COSTUME NECESSITIES

Sunday Show 1, 11:00am

(Dancers arrive at 10:30am)

Mon. 4:15 K-1st Combo- Black leotard, black tights, ballet shoes, tap shoes

Mon. 5:15 2nd-3rd Combo- Black leotard, black dance pants, pink tights, tap shoes, ballet shoes

Tue. 4:15 2nd-3rd Hip-hop- Black dance pants, sneakers

Wed. 4:15 2nd-3rd Hip-hop- Black dance pants, black tank top, sneakers

Sat. 11:00 2nd-3rd Combo- Black leotard, black tights, tap shoes, ballet shoes

Sat. 10:00 K-1st Combo- Black leotard, black tights, tap shoes, ballet shoes

Thur. 5:00 3rd-4th Hip-hop- Bright colored tank, black dance pants, sneakers

Sunday Show 2, 1:30pm

(Dancers arrive at 1:00pm)

Mon. 4:15 4th-5th Ballet- Black leotard, pink tights, ballet shoes

Mon. 5:15 4th-5th Jazz/Tap- Black dance pants, bright colored tank, jazz shoes, tap shoes

Fri. 4:15 4th-5th Hip-hop- Black dance pants, sneakers

Thur. 4:00 4th-6th Lyrical/Modern- Black leotard

Fri. 4:15 5th-6th Hip-hop- Black dance pants, sneakers

Thur. 4:15 4th-5th Hip-hop- Black dance pants, sneakers

Tue. 5:15 Hip-hop- Black dance pants, black tank top, sneakers

Tue. 4:15 K-1st Combo- Black leotard, black tights, ballet shoes, tap shoes

Sunday Show 3, 4:00pm

(Dancers arrive at 3:30pm)

Wed. 4:15 Ballet- Black leotard, pink tights, ballet shoes

Wed. 5:15 Jazz w/ Becky- Black dance pants

Wed. 6:15 Ballet- Nude tights, ballet shoes

Wed. 5:15 Jazz w/ Tracy- Bright colored tank, black dance pants, jazz shoes

Thur. 5:15 Hip-hop- Black tank, sneakers

Fri. 5:15 Modern- Black dance pants

Thur. 4:15 Tap- Black dance pants, tap shoes

Tue. 5:15 Lyrical- Nude leotard

Mon. 6:15 Hip-hop- Black tank or leotard, black dance pants, sneakers

IDA Junior Repertory Company- TBA

Sunday Senior Show, 6:00pm

(Dancers arrive at 5:30pm)

Fri. 5:15 Lyrical- Nude footless tights

Wed. 6:15 Jazz- Black dance pants

Wed. 7:15 Modern- Black dance pants

Mon. 6:15 Ballet- Black leotards, pink tights, ballet shoes

Mon. 7:15 Pointe- Black leotard, warm-up clothes, tights, pointe shoes

Thur. 6:15 Hip-hop- Black dance pants, bright colored tank, sneakers

Thur. 7:15 Hip-hop Company- TBA

Wed. 8:15 Jazz w/ Lindsay- Black dance pants, optional nude leotard

Thur. 8:15 Hip-hop w/ Kate- Hot pink tank

Thur. 6:15 Ballet- Black leotard, pink tights, ballet shoes

IDA Junior Repertory Company- TBA

Saturday Senior Show, 6:30pm

(Dancers arrive at 6:00pm)

Mon. 7:15 Lyrical- White button downs

Mon. 8:15 Tap- Black dance pants, tap shoes

Mon. 8:15 Hip-hop- TBA

Tue. 7:15 Ballet- Black leotard, pink tights, ballet shoes

Tue. 8:15 Pointe- Nude tights, pointe shoes

Tue. 7:15 Modern- Black dance pants

Tue. 8:15 Modern- Black dance pants

Wed. 7:15 Ballet- Pink tights, ballet shoes

Wed. 8:15 Jazz w/ Becky- Nude footless tights

Thur. 5:15 Tap- Black dance pants, tap shoes

Thur. 7:15 Tap- Black leotard, black dance pants, tap shoes

Thur. 8:15 Hip-hop- Black tank, black dance pants, sneakers

Sat. 12:00 Lyrical- Nude footless tights

Sat. 11:00 Pointe- Black leotard, pink tights, pointe shoes

Sat. 12:00 Jazz- Black shorts, nude footless tights