

RECITAL INFORMATION PACKET

Please read everything

2021 Dance Recital Rockin' Roadtrip

Location: Forks Township Amphitheatre
500 Zucksville Rd, Easton, Pa 18040

This is an outdoor show. Spectators must bring their own chairs. In the event of bad weather, we will work with Forks Twp to schedule a rain date on the next available weekend. We appreciate everyone's understanding and cooperation if that occurs

Why is the show outdoors?

Due to Covid-19 we were unable to secure an indoor venue that would allow us enough space to have a 'normal' recital without having 10 mini shows. By having our show outside, dancers are able to bring as many people as they'd like to be in the audience! We just ask everyone be very aware of social distancing and wear their mask at all times.

Dress Rehearsal: Friday, June 18th 4:30pm-?

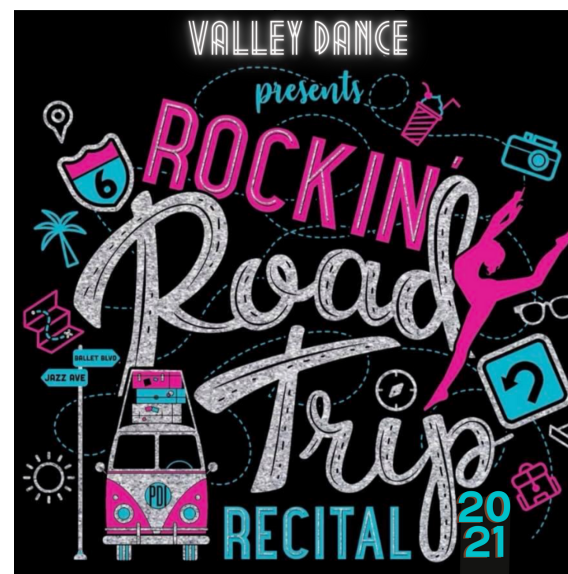
Recital: Saturday, June 19th 5:30pm

Ticket Cost: \$30 flat fee per dance family (the cost of 3 tickets)

****Due to our recital being outside, we cannot properly ticket this event and keep track of who purchased tickets and who is entering to watch. Therefore, we will charge each family a flat \$30 fee (the cost of 3 tickets). Dancers can bring more than 3 spectators and will not be charged any extra.**

****If you know you will have less than 3 spectators coming to watch the recital, please let us know and we will charge you accordingly. However, we are running this on the honor system.**

****\$30 ticket fee will be added to your Parent Portal account and should be paid by June 5th.**



HERE'S WHAT YOU SHOULD KNOW:

Dress Rehearsal-
6/18/21 (please see next page for time)

Recital: 6/19/21 at
5:30pm

Location: Forks Twp
Amphitheatre (500
Zucksville Rd, Easton,
Pa 18040)

Ticket Cost: \$30 flat
fee per family

DRESS REHEARSAL

Dress Rehearsal Friday, June 18th

Location: Forks Township Amphitheatre
500 Zucksville Rd, Easton, Pa 18040

*When you enter the complex, follow the road straight back until you see the ampitheatre on the left (behind the township building)
This is what it looks like >>>>>>>>>>

Time:

- **4:30pm-** All Tiny Dancers, Tiny Movers or Fairytale Ballet classes should arrive at 4:30pm and can leave after the Finale rehearsal
- **5:00pm-** Everyone else should arrive by 5pm and can leave after their last number

What if it rains the day of dress rehearsal:

- If there is serious rain the day of dress rehearsal, we will reschedule rehearsal for the day of the show at 11am(same schedule)

Who should come to dress rehearsal:

- Dress rehearsal is mandatory for all dancers performing in the recital
- Dancers should try to bring only one adult to the dress rehearsal

Do dancers need their costume?

- If a dancer is only in one routine, they should come to dress rehearsal in costume, with hair and makeup done, and bring the proper dance shoes in a bag (Please try to avoid wearing dance shoes in the grass and in the parking lot). Dancers can leave after they run through their dance onstage.
- If a dancer is in multiple dances, they should come wearing their nude leotard and tights as a base with comfy warm up clothes over top, hair and makeup exactly how they will wear it for the show. They should bring ALL costumes and shoes. (Please make sure your belongings are labeled!!) Dancers can leave after they run their last dance onstage.



WHAT IS DRESS REHEARSAL?


Dress rehearsal is an opportunity for dancers to practice their routine onstage, in their costumes, tights, hair and makeup. This is especially helpful for first time performers and for dancers who are in multiple numbers & need to practice any quick changes! Dress rehearsal is basically a 'practice run' of the show!

ORDER OF DRESS REHEARSAL

Friday, June 18th

This is not the order of the show...this is for dress rehearsal only!
Dancers may leave after their last number.

*These
classes
should
arrive at
4:30pm*

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1. Down in New Orleans (Mon 4:45- Tiny Dancers)
 2. Surfin' Usa (Tues 4:45- Tiny Dancers)
 3. When You Wish Upon a Star (Fri 4:45- Fairytale Ballet)
 4. Car Wash (Mon 6:00- Tiny Dancers)
 5. Sing a Song of Flowers/Here Comes the Sun (All Tiny Mover classes)

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*All classes
below the
dotted line
should
arrive by
5:00pm to
rehearse
the Finale*

6. Finale (ALL STUDENTS)
7. Opening Number (All students 7yrs & up)
8. New York, New York (Mon 4:45- Intro to Dance)
9. Empire State of Mind (Mon 8:00- Ballet II)
10. Boss (VDC Jr Company)
11. Skit (Car Wash) (Claire & Angie)
12. Cruisin' For a Bruisin' (Thurs 4:40- Acro I)
13. Good Morning Baltimore (Fri 5:45- Musical Theatre)
14. Teenage Mind (Kelly)
15. The Devil Went Down to Georgia (Thurs 6:50pm- Tap)
16. Survivor (VDC Sr Company)
17. Skit (Disney World) (Claire & Angie)
18. Dancing in the Streets (Thurs 7:40- Jazz/Hip Hop III)
19. Shut Up and Drive (Mon 5:40- Jazz/Hip Hop II)
20. The Yellow Rose of Texas (Thurs 5:45- Ballet III)
21. Route 66 (Thurs 5:50- Jazz/Hip Hop I)
22. Somewhere Over the Rainbow (Thurs 5:40pm- Ballet I)
23. Fabulous (Kaylee)
24. Vegas (Mon 6:50- Acro II)
25. Viva Las Vegas (Stephen)
26. Skit (Desert) (Claire & Angie)
27. Sand (VDC Sr Company)
28. City of Angels (Thurs 6:30- Modern/Lyrical)

DAY OF THE SHOW

Rockin' Road Trip Saturday, June 19th at 5:30pm

Location: Forks Township Amphitheatre
500 Zucksville Rd, Easton, Pa 18040

Time:

- All dancers should arrive to the ampitheatre no later than 5:00pm
- The show will begin promptly at 5:30pm
- We expect the recital to be approximately 1.5hrs long

What if it rains?

- If we have really bad weather (rain/storms) the day of the recital, we will reschedule to a later date. Unfortunately, we are unable to reserve a 'rain date' in advance. If our show is rained out on the 19th Miss Maria will work with the township to find the next available weekend. (Hopefully June 26th or 27th). We know this is inconvenient, however this is the chance we take having an outdoor show.
- In the event of a light drizzle or cloudy skies, the show will go on since our stage is covered! Please bring umbrellas and dress accordingly. (we are really hoping and praying for sunny skies!)

Where does the audience sit?

- The amphitheatre is surrounded by a large, beautiful grass lawn that provides ample room to social distance between families
- **Everyone must wear a mask!!**
- **All audience members should bring their own chair or blanket to sit on to watch the show!**
- Although we are not limiting the number of people everyone can bring to the recital, we do ask you keep it reasonable and not bring 15-20 people. Everyone will be receiving a free copy of the recital recording and that can be shared with other family members and friends!

Where do dancers stay during the show?

- All dancers 6yrs & younger should sit with their families during the show. Dancers should be brought backstage 2 numbers before their dance. (For example: if your child is in #8, they should be brought backstage by #6). After they perform, an adult must come backstage to get them.
- All dancers 7yrs & older should remain backstage for the entire show. Adults will not be allowed to come and go backstage. This is for the safety of our dancers. Adults will drop off their dancer and check in with one of our instructors. At the end of the recital, they may come backstage to pick up their dancer.

DAY OF THE SHOW (CONT...)

Where do the dancers change?

- We will have a large tent backstage where all dancers can change. There will be a separate changing tent/area for girls & boys and pop up single changing rooms.
- Although the tent will have sides, all female dancers in multiple numbers should wear a nude leotard as a base, for modesty while changing in the tent.
- Miss Mari & Miss Julia will be backstage with the dancers. Please remind your dancers to be on their best behavior when backstage. There will be no running around or misbehaving at any time backstage. Dancers can bring a blanket to sit on and something to occupy them while they are backstage.
- Parents and adults should avoid being in the backstage area. It is a small area and we need to keep everyone socially distanced. The less people back there, the better.

What is the Opening Number?

- The Opening Number is the first number in our recital! All dancers ages 7yrs & up will perform in the opening number.
- Dancers learned the Opening Number routine during their normal dance classes
- All dancers will be giving a bright colored tshirt to wear. Girls should wear black leggings and boys should wear the same black pants they wear for the show. Jazz shoes or ballet slippers should be worn.
- A \$5 tshirt fee was added to the Parent Portal of all students participating in the Opening Number. If you have not yet paid that fee, please try to do so as soon as possible either online or by cash/check at the studio.

What is the Finale?

- The finale is the last moment in the show where all dancers will come onstage to bow and dance along to a fun song.
- Dancers should wear the last costume they were wearing in the show.
- If dancers have a Recital T-Shirt they can put it on over their costume or wear it with black leggings or black dance shorts.
- After the finale, dancers 6yrs & under will sit onstage with their class. Parents should come onstage to get their child. Dancers 7yrs & over will go backstage, ONE parent should come backstage to get their child.

Do dancers need to wear masks while dancing?

- As of right now, the simple answer is YES. Our number one priority is that everyone feels safe at our show, both onstage and offstage. *(We will re-assess things as we get closer to the show to see if it would be safe to make masks optional. But as of right now, just plan on everyone wearing a mask)*
- Masks are mandatory at all times backstage and in the audience.

WHAT TO BRING TO THE RECITAL

- Costumes
- Mask(s)
- Tights
- Nude leotard (for dancers in multiple numbers)
- Shoes
- Hair Ties
- Bobby Pins
- Hairspray
- Comb/Brush
- Makeup
- Water (No colored juices or food while in costume)
- **Put your dancers name on EVERYTHING!!**
- Bring a laundry basket, big box or big bag to throw costumes/shoes/accessories in while changing
- A blanket to sit on backstage
- Something to keep them occupied backstage if they are only in a few numbers (coloring pages, small toys, etc...)

ORDER OF THE SHOW

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2. New York, New York
3. Empire State of Mind
4. Boss
5. Car Wash
6. Cruisin' for a Bruisin'
7. Good Morning Baltimore
8. Teenage Mind
9. Sing a Song of Flowers/Here Comes the Sun
10. The Devil Went Down to Georgia
11. Survivor
12. When you Wish Upon a Star
13. Down in New Orleans
14. Dancing in the Streets
- **15 minute Intermission***
15. Shut Up and Drive
16. The Yellow Rose of Texas
17. Route 66
18. Somewhere Over the Rainbow
19. Vegas
20. Viva Las Vegas
21. Sand
22. Fabulous
23. Surfin' USA
24. City of Angels
25. Finale

RECITAL EXTRAS

Recital T-Shirts

Recital T-Shirts are NOT mandatory. However, any student who has a t-shirt can put it on over their costume, or with black dance shorts, for the finale. They also make great recital keepsakes! Tshirts are \$15.00

Deadline to order is May 15th

Senior Spotlights

We will be featuring each of our graduating seniors in our Recital Program! If you are a graduating senior, please visit our website to fill out the online form, or see Miss Maria for a form. Please return form by May 22nd!!!

Dancer-grams

Dancer-grams are a super fun way to show your dancer just how proud you are of them! Your dancer will love seeing your words of encouragement in our program!

\$10- 20 word max

\$20- 20 word max & 1 picture

\$30- 20 word max & 2 pictures

Deadline is May 22nd

Business Ads for Program

A great way for local businesses to advertise in our program!

1/4 page ad (business card size)- \$25

1/2 page ad- \$50

Full page ad- \$100

Deadline is May 22nd

Recital Recording

Our recital will be recorded and a digital copy will be sent to all families free of charge this year.



HOW TO ORDER

Visit the 'Recital Info' section of our website for all ordering info!!

AWARDS

3 year award

5 year award

10 year award

15 year award

These awards will be given each year at the end of the recital to all students who have participated for that # of consecutive years.



**SHOW YOUR DANCER SOME LOVE AND
SUPPORT IN OUR RECITAL PROGRAM**

DANCER-GRAMS!

Placing a DANCER-GRAM in this year's recital program allows families to celebrate their dancer and their amazing year here at Valley Dance! Wish them luck, tell them how proud of them you are, it's up to you!

**DEADLINE:
MAY 22ND 2021**

**\$10- 20 word max
\$20- 20 word max & 1 picture
\$30- 20 word max & 2 pictures**

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How to submit your Dancer-Gram:

1. Email information to director@valley-dance.com by May 22, 2021.
There is no need to design your dancer-gram, we will do it for you!
2. Please specify what price dancer-gram you would like
3. Fee will be added to your Parent Portal. You can pay online or by cash/check at the studio.

Business Ads

Ads will be printed in black & white in our 2021 recital program which will be handed out to over 300 audience members.



**1/4 Page Ad
(Business
Card Size)**

\$25



**1/2 Page
Ad**

\$50



**Full
Page Ad**

\$100

EMAIL US YOUR AD!

Ads can be emailed to
director@valley-dance.com

Deadline is May 22nd 2021

**PROMOTE
YOUR
BUSINESS IN
OUR RECITAL
PROGRAM!**



Senior Spotlight



**We would like to spotlight each of our
graduating seniors in our recital program!**

**Senior should fill out the form below and return it
to the studio by May 22nd.**

A photo can be emailed to director@valley-dance.com

Senior's Name: _____

High School: _____

Sports/Hobbies/Activities: _____

How long have you been dancing?

What are your plans after graduation?

What is a fun fact about you?

Why do you love dance?

