

620 DANCE CENTRE

2019 SPRING CONCERT INFORMATION

Please read and return the signed portion,
to the studio, by **November 15, 2018**

This year, 620 Dance Centre will present our Spring Concert for students on **June 1st, 2019 at the Lake Travis High School Performing Arts Center**, located on the Lake Travis High School campus. It is rewarding for the dancers to display their talents and share their enthusiasm with the audience on such an exciting occasion. Participating in the Concert is a privilege and should be taken seriously regardless of the level or age of the student.

It is important for you to fully understand the Spring Concert Agreement. By giving you this important information in advance, we can be sure that everyone knows the policies and procedures before committing to participate in our Concert. We want nothing more than to provide the best for our students and this includes having a wonderful year-end Concert! Having everyone who is involved cooperate, will aid us in providing the best performance experience for every dancer.

SPRING CONCERT GUIDELINES

Spring Concert a time to celebrate the hard work and growth students have achieved throughout the season. Participation is by choice and is strongly encouraged. Students gain a great deal of self-confidence and accomplishment in this on-stage performance experience.

PERFORMANCE FEES

A Performance Fee of \$75.00 per student or \$100.00 per family are charged November 1, 2018 to all accounts. A \$15.00 late fee will be charged to unpaid accounts after November 10th. The fee is used to cover the expenses we incur holding the Concert including rental fees, technical fees and numerous other items. Spring Concert Performance Fees are non-refundable.

COSTUME FEES

Costume fees are charged to all accounts November 1, 2018. A \$15.00 late fee will be charged to unpaid accounts after November 10th. There are NO refunds on costumes! Any fees for size exchanges or alterations to a costume are the responsibility of the parent. Exchange fees on costumes are very costly. 620 Dance Centre cannot take responsibility for these fees. It is your responsibility to pick up your costumes, etc. if you drop out of the program for any reason. Spring Concert Costume Fees are non-refundable.

ATTENDANCE & COMMITMENT

620 Dance Centre reserves the right to remove students who are not attending class on a regular basis from the Concert. **Dancers are allowed 4 absences, per class from January until the Spring Concert.** Dancers who miss multiple classes create a disruptive learning experience for the entire class. Springtime brings a multitude of activities that peak our interests, however they are not valid excuses to miss class. Though we do not strive for "perfection", students do need to learn the choreography and teachers need to be able to set staging. Every child's participation in the Concert is crucial. It is inconsiderate to inform the teacher that a child will be unable to perform in the Concert once the choreography has been started.

SPRING CONCERT DATE IS SATURDAY, JUNE 1, 2019, 7:00pm

LAKE TRAVIS HIGH SCHOOL PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

Upon signing the Spring Concert Agreement, you are agreeing that your dancer will be in the Spring Concert. Nothing is more devastating to a class than to have a student drop out once staging has been set. Please impress upon your dancer that it is very important to follow through with the year.

DRESS REHEARSAL IS SATURDAY JUNE 1, 2019 9:00am-4:30pm

LAKE TRAVIS HIGH SCHOOL PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

Dress rehearsals are mandatory for dancers participating in the Concert. If your dancer is participating in the Concert they **MUST** attend the dress rehearsal, in costume, to be ready to perform. There are NO exceptions to this rule.

STAGE MAKE UP

Make up is mandatory; students dancing in the Spring Concert will be expected to wear a certain amount of makeup during the performance. This is needed due to the lighting we have on our stage. You will be given specific information on this in the spring.

POLICIES

During the Concert, dancers will sit together backstage, as a class, the entire act in which they perform. No dancer will be released prior to the intermission and/or end of the Concert. The backstage area is well-secured and only staff, dancers and assigned stage volunteers (two per class) are allowed in this area. Each class under the age of 12 will be required to have two stage volunteers in order for the class to perform. So that you are able to concentrate fully on your dancer, it is recommended that you **DO NOT** bring younger siblings and/or larger strollers to the backstage area, space is limited, and we are not equipped to have more children than those participating in the area.

AUDIENCE ETIQUETTE

NO FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY OR VIDEO OF ANY KIND DURING THE SPRING CONCERT. This is dangerous and distracting for the performers and inconsiderate to the other audience members. Should a guest choose not to follow this rule, that audience member will be asked to leave. A professional photographer and videographer will be provided, by the studio, for portraits and concert video.

We ask that you treat the Concert as a professional performance. Please remain seated for the entire performance. It is not proper to leave the theatre unless it is an emergency during a performance of this type. It is disrespectful to the dancers and the people around you. If you must leave your seat, please do so between dances or at intermission.

It is at the discretion of the Director of 620 Dance Centre and/or Lake Travis High School Performing Arts Center to remove any audience member, parent or dancer who is disrespectful to any volunteer or staff member working the Concert.

Rehearsal and Concert dates are published well in advance. This enables everyone to make arrangements regarding time off from work, family vacations and other activities so that the dancer will be in attendance.

2019 SPRING CONCERT AGREEMENT FORM

Please read and return the signed portion to the studio by November 15, 2018

Please initial each statement below

_____ I understand that I am responsible for the entire amount of the costume cost and that my student's tuition account must be paid in full, including any accumulated fees, for my student/students to participate in the Spring Concert.

_____ I understand that my child must maintain good attendance in his/her classes in order to participate in the Spring Concert.

_____ I have read and agree to abide by the policies and procedures set forth in this agreement. I understand that all Spring Concert Fees are non-refundable.

FEE SCHEDULE

PERFORMANCE FEE:

Charged November 1, 2018 (NON-REFUNDABLE)

- \$75 PER STUDENT/\$100 PER FAMILY

COSTUME FEES:

Charged November 1, 2018 (NON-REFUNDABLE)

- COMBO CLASSES: \$60 each
- ADVANCED COMBO CLASS: \$70
- BEGINNER 1 THROUGH ADV BEG 2 AND HIP HOP KIDS CLASSES: \$80 each
- INTERMEDIATE LEVEL AND ABOVE, DRILL TEAM AND ALL TEEN LEVEL CLASSES: \$90 each

No costume fees for Turns and Techniques or High School Drill Team Skills classes

EFT customer accounts are drafted November 1, 2018 for their Performance & Costume fees

Signed _____ Date _____

Please print student's name _____

Spring Concert Agreements can be dropped into either tuition box at the studio or mailed to:

620 Dance Centre
15500 Stroup Circle
Austin, TX 78734

Agreements are due: November 15, 2018