

Dear Dance Parents and Participants,

Our 2026 dance recital, set for Saturday, May 9th, will be here soon! We are so excited and hope you are, too! Recital will take place at Westmont High School (909 Oakwood Drive) in their auditorium.

This packet contains reminders of important dates, information on the recital shows, a dress rehearsal schedule, and some information about tickets. Please carefully read through this information. For any questions or concerns that are not answered here, please contact Sarah Blazer, Recreation Supervisor, at sblazer@dgparks.org.

Important Dates

- April 20-May 2: Last 2 weeks of classes; costumes sent home
- May 5-May 6: Dress Rehearsal Days – your child will attend one day or the other
- May 9: Recital Day

Costumes

A costume, all accessories, and a pair of tights will be included in your dancer's garment bag. You will also receive a Costume Guide with hair, makeup, and shoe requirements prior to your child's dress rehearsal.

Video Recordings

The show will be professionally recorded by KTR Media; an order link for DVDs, Blue Rays, and digital downloads will be sent out once the Videographer has it ready.

Recital Tickets

A link for purchasing tickets will be sent out by April 27 & posted online at dgparks.org.

- Ticket sales will open on April 27th at \$14/ticket
- Tickets are not needed for infants sitting on laps – no strollers or carriers will be allowed in the venue
- Tickets are GENERAL ADMISSION. This means seating is NOT reserved
- A limited number of ADA accessible seats are available in the venue and will NOT need to be purchased separately
- Tickets will be available for purchase the day-of only if there are tickets still available

Recital Shows

Listed on the following page are the show groupings and times for recital. Please note, we try to the best of our ability to group siblings in the same show, but it is not always possible. **This is not necessarily the order in which classes will perform**; a link for performance order will be sent once the Program is ready. If you have a dancer in multiple classes, you will be given instructions on which costume your dancer should arrive in when costumes are sent home. For younger dancers, we may request parents help with any necessary costume changes during shows.

- **Dancer Check-In Time** is the time at which your dancer should arrive
- **Show Start Time** is when we expect the first class to take the stage
- Shows will be approximately 45-minutes in length; there is no intermission during shows
- To minimize disruptions and distractions, please plan to stay for the entire length of the show
- If your dancer is only in one show, they do NOT need to attend all three shows

Recital Shows

Show #1

Dancer Check-in Time: 9:00am

Show Start Time: 9:30am

Activity Code	Class Name	Class Day	Instructor
1162A00_02	Mini Ballet	Sa	Emma
1162A02_01	Ballet/Tap I	Th	Autumn
1162A08_03	Ballet I	Sa	Emma
1162A01_02	Pre-Ballet	Sa	Emma, Ella
1162A10_02	Jazz II	Tu	Jacqui
1162A21_01	Modern/Contemporary I	M	Trinity
1162A10_04	Jazz III	M	Trinity
Ballet Solo: Lissette			Emma
Imagine Dance Team: Group Dance			Trinity

Show #2

Dancer Check-in Time: 11:00am

Show Start Time: 11:30am

Activity Code	Class Name	Class Day	Instructor
1162A08_02	Ballet I	M	Emma
1162A01_01	Pre-Ballet	W	Jacqui
1162A00_01	Mini Ballet	Tu	Jacqui, Ella
1162A34_01	Poms I	M	Trinity
1162A24_01	Mini Tap	Sa	Ella
1162A33_01	Pre-Poms	W	Jacqui
1162A10_03	Jazz I	Th	Autumn
Tap Solo: Emily			Ella
Imagine Dance Team: Lissette & Iris			Trinity

Show #3

Dancer Check-in Time: 1:00pm

Show Start Time: 1:30pm

Activity Code	Class Name	Class Day	Instructor
1162A10_01	Jazz II	M	Jacqui
1162A34_02	Poms II	W	Jacqui
1162A35_01	Tap I	Sa	Ella
1162A09_03	Ballet III	Th	Autumn
1162A21_02	Modern/Contemporary II	Th	Autumn
1162A12_01	Hip Hop I	Tu	Jacqui, Ella
Imagine Dance Team: Emily & Harper			Trinity
Imagine Dance Team: June & Coco			Trinity

Dress Rehearsal Schedule

Attending Dress Rehearsal is optional but **STRONGLY** recommended. Dress Rehearsal is an opportunity for your dancer to become familiar with the performance space and have one final practice with their class. If you know for certain your child will not be at dress rehearsal, please let your child's instructor know.

****A parent/guardian must stay for dress rehearsal. Please do not drop your dancer off and leave.**

- Dress rehearsals will take place in the same place as the Recital: Westmont High School (909 Oakwood Drive)
- **This is not the same order that classes will perform in during Recital**
- Your dancer should arrive in costume, but please wait to change shoes until you are in the auditorium.
- If you arrive late and we have already rehearsed your dance, we will not be able to go back to run your dance again
- Please keep additional family members/siblings at home, if possible

****Please plan to arrive 5 minutes early for check-in.**

Tuesday 5/5 - Dress Rehearsal Schedule				
Rehearsal Time	Activity Code	Class Name	Class Day	Instructor
4:00-4:15pm	1162A24_01	Mini Tap	Sa	Ella
4:15-4:30pm	1162A00_01	Mini Ballet	Tu	Jacqui, Ella
4:30-4:45pm	1162A08_02	Ballet I	M	Emma
4:45-5:00pm	1162A00_02	Mini Ballet	Sa	Emma
5:00-5:15pm	1162A33_01	Pre-Poms	W	Jacqui
5:15-5:30pm	1162A01_01	Pre-Ballet	W	Jacqui
5:30-5:45pm		Tap Solo: Emily		Ella
5:45-6:00pm	1162A01_02	Pre-Ballet	Sa	Emma, Ella
6:00-6:15pm	1162A08_03	Ballet I	Sa	Emma
6:15-6:30pm	1162A35_01	Tap I	Sa	Ella
6:30-6:45pm		Ballet Solo: Lissette		Emma
6:45-7:00pm	1162A02_01	Ballet/Tap I	Th	Autumn
7:00-7:15pm	1162A09_03	Ballet III	Th	Autumn
7:15-7:30pm	1162A10_03	Jazz I	Th	Autumn
7:30-7:45pm	1162A21_02	Modern/Contemporary II	Th	Autumn

Wednesday 5/6 - Dress Rehearsal Schedule				
Rehearsal Time	Activity Code	Class Name	Class Day	Instructor
4:00-4:15pm	1162A12_01	Hip Hop I	Tu	Jacqui, Ella
4:15-4:30pm	1162A21_01	Modern/Contemporary I	M	Trinity
4:30-4:45pm	1162A10_01	Jazz II	M	Jacqui
4:45-5:00pm	1162A34_01	Poms I	M	Trinity
5:00-5:15pm		IDT Group Dance		Trinity
5:15-5:30pm	1162A10_02	Jazz II	Tu	Jacqui
5:30-5:45pm	1162A10_04	Jazz III	M	Trinity
5:45-6:00pm	1162A34_02	Poms II	W	Jacqui
6:00-6:15pm		IDT Duet: June & Coco		Trinity
6:15-6:30pm		IDT Duet: Lissette & Iris		Trinity
6:30-6:45pm		IDT Duet: Emily & Harper		Trinity
6:45-7:45pm		Adult Dancers		Michelle Dawson