AMERICAN BALLET SCHOOL

SPRING SHOWCASE INFORMATION PACKET 2020

AMB SCHOOL PRESENTS:

"PREMIERE"



Saturday, May 30, 2020
Hoff Family Arts and Culture Center Theater

11:30am: Children's Community Spring Showcase

1:30pm: Academy Spring Showcase I: Level 1-4

3:30pm: Solo Program Spring Showcase

6:30pm: Academy II: Level 5-6

In this packet you will find important information pertaining to show times, tickets, videos, flowers, t-shirts, rehearsals, dress rehearsals, etc.

Please read carefully and mark your calendars with dates and times.

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TICKETS:

Children's Community Division Spring "Premiere" Showcase (11:30pm Performance)

Reserved seating tickets are \$6.00

Academy "Premiere" Spring Showcase I: Levels 1-4 (1:30pm Performance)

Reserved seating tickets are \$11.00

Academy "Premiere" Spring Showcase II: Levels 5-6 (6:30pm Performance)

Reserved seating tickets are \$11.00

Note: Solo Program Spring Showcase (3:30pm Performance) FREE! No ticket purchases necessary. Come early for seating.

Each AMB School Student receives <u>one free ticket</u> and will have the opportunity to reserve <u>seats in advance</u> <u>starting on <u>Monday, April 13</u>. Reservations can be made online through <u>Friday, May15</u> at https://amballet.org/school/premiere/ <u>After May 16</u>, you can pick up your tickets and pay for at the Hoff Family Arts and Culture Box Office during regular Box Office hours or 45 minutes prior to the performance.</u>

Hoff Box Office hours are:

Sunday and Monday- CLOSED Tuesday and Wednesday- 12:00-4:00pm

Thursday and Friday- 12:00-6:00pm (May 29 Box Office will be open from 12:00pm-7:00pm)
Saturday- 9:00am-4:00pm (May 30 Box Office will be open from 9:00am-7:00pm)

(BOX OFFICE- 712-890-5600)

IMPORTANT

- Each student receives one free ticket. However, <u>students must reserve seats in advance</u> before May 15th to claim your complimentary ticket. Reserving free tickets WILL NOT be possible after the sales open to the general public on May 16. NO EXCEPTIONS.
- All payments must be made in-person at the Hoff Family Arts and Culture Center Box Office.
- Pick up your tickets in advance. Any unclaimed tickets will be release to the public 15 minutes prior to the start of the performance.

T-SHIRTS: One of a kind **2020 SPRING SHOWCASE** t-shirts are available for purchase. Stop by the front desk to get an order form. The t-shirts are **\$20.00**. Payments can be made by check: **payable to <u>AMB SCHOOL</u>** or cash. **ORDERS ARE DUE BY APRIL 15th**. Don't miss out!



VIDEO: To purchase a "Spring Showcase" performance video, fill out an order form available at the front desk. Make payment to **Moran Recordings**.



FLOWERS: You may purchase flowers in the lobby the day of the show for your special dancer or pre-order using the form that is available at the front desk.



FINALE: At the end of each performance, we would like to invite all students participating in the Showcase to come on stage, to take pictures with family and friends. This would be an ideal time to give your special dancer flowers on stage. We hope all of you will enjoy this special "FINALE."

Below are important dates and times for costume week and studio dress rehearsals. Please read carefully and mark your calendars!

MAY 9- 14: Costume Week and Picture Week

All classes please wear Spring Showcase costumes to class for an informal rehearsal of dances during regular scheduled class times. Come to class with hair, costume, and light makeup for pictures. Please see page 4 for hair tights and shoes.

(Saturday classes please wear recital costumes to class on Saturday, May 9)

Pictures will be taken during Costume Week and a detailed schedule will be emailed.

SATURDAY, MAY 16:

In Studio Dress Rehearsal

Arrive at the studio 30 minutes prior to rehearsal in first dance costume, hair, and makeup. The rehearsal will run in the show order. (Attendance is strongly recommended for these rehearsals.)

9:30am - 11:00am (approximate release time) Children's Community Spring Showcase

includes: All Creative Movements (Wed & Sat), All KinderDance (Wed & Sat), Children 1: Ballet (Wed), Children 2: Ballet (Wed), Children 1-2: Jazz (Wed), Children 1-2: Tap (Wed), Open 1: Ballet (Sat), Children 3: Ballet (Thurs), Children 3: Tap (Thurs)

12:00pm-1:30pm (approximate release time) Academy Spring Showcase 1: Levels 1-4

includes: Level 1: Ballet (Tues), Level 1: Jazz (Tues), Open 3: Tap (Mon), Level 3: Jazz (Mon), Level 3: Modern (Thurs), Level 3: Ballet (Mon), Level 3: Ballet (Thurs), Level 4: Jazz (Mon), Level 4: Modern (Thurs), Level 4: Ballet (Mon), Level 4: Ballet (Tues), Level 4: Ballet (Thurs), Open 3: Lyrical (Sat)

2:00pm-3:30pm (approximate release time) Academy Spring Showcase II: Levels 5-6

includes: Teen Int/Adv Tap (Mon), Level 6: Jazz (Tues), Level 5: Jazz (Tues), Level 6: Ballet (Thurs), Level 6: Variations (Wed), Level 5: Ballet (Tues), Level 6: Ballet (Tues), Level 5: Ballet (Mon), Level 5-6: Modern (Wed), Adult Int/Adv Tap (Mon)

Below are hair, tights, and shoe requirements for each class for the Spring Showcase.

CLASS	DANCE	HAIR	TIGHTS	SHOES
Creative Movement (Wed)	Rainbow Connection	½ up ½ down	Pink	Pink ballet
Creative Movement (Sat)	Baby Take a Bow	½ up ½ down	Pink	Pink ballet
KinderDance (Wed)	A Million Dreams	½ up ½ down	Pink	Pink Ballet
KinderDance (Sat)	Do You believe in Magic	½ up ½ down	Tan	Black Taps
Children 1: Ballet (Wed)	Opening Night at the Ballet	½ up ½ down	Pink	Pink ballet
Children 2: Ballet (Wed)	Pizzicato	½ up ½ down	Pink	Pink ballet
Children 1-2: Jazz (Wed)	Celebrate	½ up ½ down	Tan	Bloch Tan "Pulse" Jazz Shoe
Children 1-2: Tap (Wed)	First Day of School	½ up ½ down	No tights	Black Taps
Open 1: Ballet (Sat)	A Whole New World	½ up ½ down	Pink	Pink Ballet
Children 3: Ballet (Thurs)	Opening Act	Low Bun	Pink	Pink ballet
Children 3: Tap (Thurs)	Take a Picture	Low Bun	Tan	Black Taps
Open 3: Tap (Mon)	Pennsylvania 6500	Low Bun	Tan	Black Taps
Open 3: Lyrical (Sat)	A Million Dreams	Low Bun	No tights	Bloch Tan "Pulse" Jazz Shoe
Teen Int/Adv Tap (Mon)	The Greatest Show	Low Bun	Tan	Black Taps
Level 1: Ballet (Tues)	Emeralds	Low Bun	Pink	Pink Ballet
Level 1: Jazz (Tues)	Paparazzi	Low Bun	Tan	Bloch Tan "Pulse" Jazz Shoe
Level 3: Ballet (Mon)	Spring Waltz	Low Bun	Pink	Pink Ballet
Level 3: Ballet (Thurs)	Walpurgis Night	Low Bun	Pink	Pink Ballet
Level 3: Jazz (Mon)	Prince Medley	Low Bun	Tan	Bloch Tan "Pulse" Jazz Shoe
Level 3: Modern (Thurs)	Begin Again	Low Bun	No tights	Barefoot
Level 4: Ballet (Mon)	Aurora's Friends	Low Bun	Pink	Pink Ballet
Level 4: Ballet (Tues)	Merry Go Round	Low Bun	Pink	Pink Ballet
Level 4: Ballet (Thurs)	The Entertainer	Low Bun	Pink	Pink Ballet
Level 4: Jazz (Mon)	Cosmic Girls	Low Bun	No tights	Bloch Tan "Pulse" Jazz Shoe
Level 4: Modern (Thurs)	Facade	Low Bun	No tights	Barefoot
Level 5: Ballet (Mon)	Dance for Eight	Low Bun	Pink	Pink Ballet
Level 5: Ballet (Tues)	Meet Me in the Ballroom	Low Bun	Pink	Pink Ballet
Level 5: Jazz (Tues)	Showtime	Low Bun	Tan	Bloch Tan "Pulse" Jazz Shoe
Level 5-6: Modern (Wed)	Violin Strings	Low Bun	No tights	Barefoot
Level 6: Ballet (Tues)	Emeralds	Low Bun	Pink	Pink ballet or pointe
Level 6: Ballet (Thurs)	Diamonds	Low Bun	Pink	Pink ballet or pointe
Level 6: Jazz (Tues)	Fever	Low Bun	Tan	Bloch Tan "Pulse" Jazz Shoe
Level 6: Variations (Wed)	Talisman	Low Bun	Pink	Pink ballet or pointe
Adult Tap	Bounce	See instructor		

Pink tights: All dancers should have Body Wrappers- THEATRICAL PINK (TPK)

Tan Tights: Dancers needing tan tights will need to purchase: Body Wrappers- JAZZY TAN (JTN)

Children's Division Make-up: Rosy blush and lipstick, black mascara. (No blue eye shadows)

<u>Academy and Adult Division Make-up:</u> Foundation, brown eye shadows (No blue eye shadows), rosy blush and lipstick, black mascara or false eyelashes.

*Note: Dancers with multiple costume changes should wear a spaghetti strap nude leotard under their costumes. This will help with costume changes in the backstage area. No Clear Straps, PLEASE!

*Children Showcase dancers with multiple costume changes will be assigned a staff member or older dancer to help them change backstage.

SPACING REHEARSALS at Hoff Family Arts and Culture Center Theater

WEDNESDAY, MAY 27 / THURSDAY, MAY 28

(These are closed rehearsals / only staff is permitted!)

Spacing rehearsals help dancers understand where they are on the stage during a routine. What wings to enter/exit, line formations, etc. Spacing rehearsals are important for the dancer to be comfortable on stage and with their surroundings backstage.

<u>All DANCERS</u>: Arrive 30 minutes prior to the start of your rehearsal and enter the auditorium seating area. Dressing rooms will not be available during spacing rehearsals. No food or drink is allowed in the auditorium. Check in at the lobby desk when you enter the building and then proceed to the auditorium. It is important that dancers not be late for their rehearsal time. If the dancer is late, we cannot guarantee that the dancer will be able to participate in their allotted time on stage.

<u>NOTE:</u> No costumes, hair, or make-up are required for the spacing rehearsals on Wednesday or Thursday. Dress code dancewear is to be worn during spacing rehearsals. <u>Dancing in street clothes (shorts, jeans, etc.)</u> is prohibited.

After dancer's rehearsal:

- 1) Dancers proceed to lobby area.
- 2) Dancers sign out of building.

PARENTS/GAURDIANS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN AUDITORIUM DURING SPACING REHEARSAL

Wednesday, May 27 Spacing Rehearsals	Thursday, May 28 Spacing Rehearsals	
Hoff Family Arts and Culture Center Theater	Hoff Family Arts and Culture Center Theater	
Arrive 30 minutes prior to the start of your rehearsal	art of your rehearsal Arrive 30 minutes prior to the start of your rehearsal	
(No Costumes, hair, or makeup needed)	(No Costumes, hair, or makeup needed)	
4:30-4:50- Level 6: Variations (Wed) Seate	4:30-4:40- Level 1: Ballet (Tues) Schweitzer	
4:50-5:00- Level 6: Ballet (Tues) Leppek	4:40-4:50- Level 1: Jazz (Tues) Schweitzer	
5:00-5:10- Level 6: Ballet (Thurs) Schwietzer	4:50-5:00- Children 1: Ballet (Wed) Goodwillie	
5:10-5:20- Level 5-6: Modern (Wed) Schweitzer	5:00-5:10- Children 1-2: Jazz (Wed)Goodwillie	
5:20-5:30- Level 5: Ballet (Tues) Van der Mars	5:10-5:20- Children 1-2: Tap (Wed) Goodwillie	
5:30-5:40- Level 6: Jazz (Tues) Rocz	5:20-5:30- Children 2: Ballet (Wed) Schweitzer	
5:40-5:50- Level 5: Ballet (Mon) Hoffman	5:30-5:40- Level 3: Ballet (Thurs) Schweitzer	
5:50-6:00- Level 5: Jazz (Tues) Schulman	5:40-5:50- Open 1: Ballet (Sat) LeCraw	
6:00-6:10- Int/Adv Tap (Mon)	5:50-6:00- Level 3: Ballet (Mon) Goodwillie	
6:10-6:20- Level 4: Modern (Thurs) Schulman	6:00-6:10- Level 3: Modern (Thurs) Schweitzer	
6:20-6:30- Level 4: Ballet (Thurs) Schulman	6:10-6:20- Children 3: Ballet (Thurs) Leppek	
6:30-6:40- Open 3: Lyrical (Sat) Schulman	6:20-6:30- Level 3: Jazz (Mon) Robinson	
6:40-6:50- Level 4: Ballet (Mon) Grimm	6:30-6:40- Children 3: Tap (Thurs) Robinson	
6:50-7:00- Level 4: Ballet (Tues) Southerland	6:40-6:50- Open 3: Tap (Mon) Robinson	
7:00-7:10- Level 4: Jazz (Mon) Goodwillie	6:50-7:00- Adult Tap (Mon) Robinson	

DRESS REHEARSALS AND SHOW ORDER at Hoff Family Arts and Culture Center Theater

SHOWCASE DRESS REHEARSALS FRIDAY, May 29

(This is a closed rehearsal / only staff is permitted!)

<u>All DANCERS</u>: Sign in at the lobby desk when you enter the Hoff Center and then proceed to your designated dressing area backstage. It is important that dancers not be late for their rehearsal time. If the dancer is late, we cannot guarantee that the dancer will be able to participate in their allotted time on stage.

CHILDREN'S Community Spring Showcase: Dancers arrive at the theater in their first full costume, hair, and make-up at the ARRIVAL times posted below, sign in at the lobby desk and report to assigned dressing room. Be sure that all shoes and costumes are labeled with dancer's name. If your child is in more than one dance, they will be shown where they can make their costume changes backstage with the assistance of a staff member. Put multiple costumes in a suitcase or basket. Please bring activities, water, and non-greasy/messy snacks for your child to have in dressing room.

After your dancer's rehearsal:

- 1) Proceed to dressing room to pick up child and personal items.
- 2) Check out at desk.

PARENTS/GAURDIANS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN AUDITORIUM DURING SPACING REHEARSALS

Friday, May 29 (Hoff Theater)	Friday, May 29 (Hoff Theater)	Friday, May 29 (Hoff Theater)
2:00-3:30pm	4:30-6:00pm	6:30-8:00pm
Academy Showcase II: Levels 5-6	Children's Community Spring Showcase	Academy Showcase I: Levels 1-4
Arrive at 1:30pm	Arrive at 4:00pm	Arrive at 6:00pm
in costume, hair and make-up	in costume, hair and make-up	in costume, hair and make-up
Teen Int/Adv Tap (Mon): The Greatest Show	Child 1-2 Jazz (Wed): Celebrate	Open 3: Tap (Mon): Pennsylvania 6500
Level 6: Jazz (Tues): Fever	Creative Movement (Sat): Baby Take a Bow	Level 1: Ballet (Tues): Emerald
Level 5 Jazz (Tues): Showtime	Creative Movement (Wed): Rainbow Connection	Open 3: Lyrical (Sat): A Million Dreams
PAUSE	KinderDance (Sat): Do You Believe in Magic	Level 3: Jazz (Mon): Prince Medley
Level 6: Ballet (Thurs): Diamonds	Children 2: Ballet (Wed) : Pizzicato	Level 4: Jazz (Thurs): Cosmic Girls
Level 5: Ballet (Tues): Meet Me in the Ballroom	Children 1: Ballet (Wed): Opening Night at the Ballet	Level 1: Jazz (Tues): Paparazzi
Level 6: Ballet (Tues): Emeralds	Children 3: Ballet (Thurs): Opening Act	Level 3: Modern (Thurs): Begin Again
Level 5: Ballet (Mon): Dance for Eight	KinderDance (Wed): A Million Dreams	Level 4: Modern (Thurs): Facade
Level 6: Variations (Wed): Talisman	Open 1: Ballet (Sat): A Whole New World	PAUSE
PAUSE	Child 1-2: Tap (Wed): First Day of School	Level 4: Ballet (Mon): Aurora's Friends
Adult Int/Adv Tap (Mon): Bounce	Children 3: Tap (Wed): Take a Picture	Level 3: Ballet (Mon):Spring Waltz
Level 5-6: Modern (Wed): Violin Strings		Level 4: Ballet (Tues): Merry Go Round
		Level 3: Ballet (Thurs): Walpurgis Night
		Level 4: Ballet (Thurs): The Entertainer
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Approximate Release time: 3:30	Approximate Release time: 6:00pm	Approximate Release time: 8:00pm
Parent/Guardians pick up your dancer in the	Parent/Guardians go to dressing room to pick up	Parent/Guardians pick up your dancer in
lobby and sign out.	your child and belongings. Sign out.	the lobby and sign out.



11:30pm: Children's Community Spring Showcase

1:30pm: Academy Spring Showcase I: Levels 1-4

3:30pm: Solo Program Spring Showcase

6:30pm: Academy Spring Showcase II: Levels 5-6

Shows will start promptly at 11:30am, 1:30pm 3:30pm & 6:30pm (Please allow ample time for parking.)

- All dancers must arrive at the theater ½ hour before show time and sign in at the desk.

 Children Community Spring Showcase students please arrive in full costume, hair, make-up and ready to perform when you arrive at the theater. Academy Showcases arrive with hair and makeup done.
- At the end of each show there is a FINALE, where the dancers will be brought back onto stage. This is
 where family members can give their special dancer flowers, take photos on stage. If you do not want to
 participate in the finale, after their dance(s) you can go to the dressing room to pick up your dancer and
 proceed to the desk to sign out. We invite you to support the school and the other dancers by watching the
 show(s) with your dancer.

All audience members need a ticket.

The use of cameras and recording devices will not be permitted during the performance.

Thank you for your cooperation.

The performance will be professionally videotaped. Order forms are available at the front desk or on the lobby table at the theater.

