NHPA II Dress Rehearsal Reminders

Please read thru carefully! Dress Rehearsal is held at NHPA II!

SHOW I Call Times (Monday & Tuesday classes):

Call Time: 10:30am for 7-8yr., 9-10yr. & Ill's Call Time: 11:00am for ages 3-4yr., 5-6yr. & 6-7yr.

Dress Rehearsal 11:30-1:00pm

Only the 3-4yr., 5-6yr. & 6-7yr. age group will be released after they dance! All other dancers

will be released @ 1:00pm.

SHOW II Call Times (Wednesday & Thursday classes):

Call Time: 1:30pm for 7-8yr., II/III's & III's Call Time: 2:00pm for 3-4yr, 5-6yr. & 6-7yr.

Dress Rehearsal 2:30-4:00pm

Only the 3-4yr., 5-6yr. & 6-7yr. age group will be released after they dance! All other dancers

will be released at 4:00pm.

- 1. Dress Rehearsal: Please come to Dress Rehearsal dressed in your 1st costume with a coverup over the costume. Line-Ups are posted at the studio & on the website at nhpa2dance.com. Hair needs to be done as "Required" for your class level. Make-up is optional & not mandatory. Recital Costumes will be passed out this week May 28-30 Tuesday-Thursday during regular class hours. Monday night dancers are welcome to come by & pick-up your costumes since we are closed this Monday May 27th. We will try to run thru the dress rehearsal as quickly as possible, but there might be some small delays as we work out the flow of the show. Due to the size of our studio & lobby, parents will not be able to watch the Dress Rehearsal inside the dance studio. You are welcome to watch in the Lobby, but our apologies that we don't have much space for all of you to view.
- 2. Costumes: Please take special care of your costumes! Hang them & protect them always!! Please double check that you have all your hair supplies, correct shoes & undergarments for Dress Rehearsal. NO underwear under any costume unless they are skin color. NO extra jewelry allowed! Small rhinestone or diamond studs in the ears are okay to wear, but no large earrings, necklaces or bracelets please! Please DO NOT wash any costumes. If you have any questions on how to clean your dancers' costumes, please message the Teachers & let us help. Please wear a coverup over your dance costumes ALWAYS!! Parents please write your dancers' initials or name in all their dance shoes, tights & costumes. Please have a dance bag to pack all your dancers' necessities for the Dress Rehearsal & Recital so their items don't get lost in the dressing room.
- 3. Dressing Rooms: All our female dancers will change in the Small Studio during Dress Rehearsal. Boys will change in the office OR portable shed we have located on the side of our main building. No Boys or Men are allowed in the Girls' Dressing Room at any time!! We will have class signs to help keep the dancers organized with their class in the Dressing Room. Please talk to your dancer about changing. They **DO** need to get comfortable changing with other female dancers. It is just part of it!! Please pack any large coverups needed if

your dancer would like to cover their body as they change. We need to keep the bathrooms available so parents & others may use the restroom when needed.

- **4.** It's Crunch Time: Parents please please please encourage your dancers to PRACTICE over the next few weeks! The Teachers have sent videos thru Dropbox for your dancers to watch & view at home. I know we do a lot of practice in class, but they still need more practice & a lot needs to be done on the dancers' own time. A dancer only performs as well as they prepare! We want the dancers to feel confident on stage & enjoy themselves to the fullest. The dancers have been working so hard for the last 6-8 weeks on these recital dances & we want them to have a real emotional & fun experience on the stage.
- 5. **Glasses**: If your dancer wears contacts or is not going to wear glasses on stage, they do need to practice at Dress Rehearsal without their glasses on.
- 6. Please remember to check your email & the NHPA II website frequently so you don't miss any important information over the next few weeks!!
 - 7. Please make sure all accounts are current- Recital Costumes, Finale Costumes & Tuition

Recital Pictures: Saturday June 1st @ NHPA II

Dress Rehearsal: Saturday June 8th @ NHPA II

2019 Recital: Saturday June 15th @ North Shore Senior H.S. (Tickets are now on sale in the office.)

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