

Presents: "Adventures in the Land of Oz"

Performance Packet

RECITAL REHERSAL: JUNE 9 & 10 RECITAL: JUNE 11, 12 & 13

LOCATION: LOURDES CATHOLIC SCHOOL

The production of "Adventures in the Land of Oz" is just around the corner! Nebraska City Dance Studio has policies implemented to assist with creating a seamless/professional production, creating a memorable experience, as well as keeping dancers safe. Review the entire packet so that you are aware of dates, rehearsals, requirements and policies. If you have any questions, please let us know right away so we may address them. Keep this packet in a safe location so you may refer to it when needed. It will also be available on www.nebraskacitydancestudio.com under the resources tab.

Star Sales: Paper stars, with a personalized message, may be purchased. Dancers will receive their star(s) on Sunday to wear for the finale. Stars may be purchased during rehearsal/performance at Lourdes Catholic School.

Recital Week: All rehearsals will be held at Lourdes Catholic School **June 9 & 10.** <u>Dancers **MUST** attend every</u> rehearsal to be included in the performances!

Volunteers: Volunteers are needed during recital rehearsals and performances. Volunteer positions are posted at the studio for you to sign up for. Every Parent is expected to volunteer for at least a shift. Volunteer opportunities include but not limited to: room chaperones, check in/out & other duties, clean up, and stars.

Volunteers will receive an email with guidelines, volunteer duties and expectations. If you have any questions, please ask! Volunteers will be given a badge to wear during their shift(s), which must always be worn during your shift for backstage access and as security for our dancers. NON-VOLUNTEERS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED BACKSTAGE!!

**Any items left at the Lourdes Catholic School after the performances may be picked up at the studio. After <u>September 1</u>, all items in the lost and found will be donated.

SPACING/TECH REHEARSAL

Date: Wednesday, June 9 Location: Lourdes Catholic School

- 1. The spacing/tech rehearsal will be held in the Lourdes Catholic School.
- 2. All dancers need to check in upon arrival and go to the assigned classroom.
- 3. Dancers may leave when dismissed by Miss Kogan or a Board Member only.
- 4. See the schedule below to see when dancers need to be at the school. Dancers should arrive 15 minutes early and be ready to go. Due to the tight schedule, we cannot wait for dancers that are not on time.
- 5. Wear dance class dress code attire (including hair) for tech rehearsal.
- 6. There will be <u>no</u> seating in the auditorium to watch/view rehearsal and <u>only</u> volunteers are allowed in the classrooms.
- 7. Lourdes Catholic School is not responsible for dancers after the conclusion of rehearsal/performances so please pick your dancer up in a timely manner.
- 8. **ABSOLUTLEY NO FOOD OR DRINKS** may be in the classroom or auditorium. There will be a designated area outside of each classroom for food and drink. If you take food or drinks into the classroom/auditorium, they will be confiscated, and you may pick them up at the end of rehearsal.
- 9. Make sure you are signed up for Remind! This will be our primary method to send out any quick announcements/reminders/updates. If you need to sign up, text @ndance to 81010

ACT I: Dances 1-19 4:00 PM- 6:30 PM ACT II: Dances 21- 30 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

ACT I

- 1 Farm Ballet 1 Wednesday
- 2 Gulch Tap 3
- 3 Somewhere Over the Rainbow Lyrical 1
- 4 Tornado Pointe 2
- 5 I don't Think We Are in Nebraska Anymore-Hip Hop 2
- 6 Munchkins Pre Hip Hop
- 7 Lullaby League Ballet 1 Tuesday
- 8 Glinda's Solo
- 9 Little Glinda's Pre Ballet Thursday
- 10 Lollipop Guild Pre Tap
- 11 Wicked Witch Ballet 2
- 12 Yellow Brick Road Hip Hop 3/4
- 13 Dorothy's Solo
- 14 Little Dorothy's Mini Tap
- 15 Scarecrow Hip Hop 1
- 16 If I Had a Brain Tap 1
- 17 If I Only had a Heart Pre Ballet Tuesday
- 18 Tin Man Tap 2
- 19 Forest Modern 2

ACT II

- 20 Cowardly Lions Pre Jazz
- 21 Witches Brew Jazz 2
- 22 Poppy Queens Ballet 3
- 23 Poisonous Poppies Adults
- 24 Sleepy Spell Modern 1
- 25 Snowfall Creative Movement Tue & Wed
- 26 Emerald City Jazz 3
- 27 The Wizard Mini Hip Hop
- 28 Queen of Emerald City Ballet 4
- 29 Surrender Dorothy Lyrical 2
- 30 Flying Monkeys Pointe 1
- 31 Hour Glass Tap 4
- 32 Heart Lyrical 3
- 33 Brains Jazz 1
- 34 Courage Mini Jazz
- 35 Take me Home Musical Theater
- 36 Dorothy and Glinda's Solo



DRESS REHEARSAL

Date: Thursday, June 10 4:30PM - 8:00PM Location: Lourdes Catholic School

Dancers arrive at 4:30pm – we will begin at 5:00pm

Dress Rehearsal is to mimic the performance as we want to replicate our show to make sure all dances, and technicalities are running smoothly. THIS WILL BE RECORDED!

- 1. The dress rehearsal will be held at Lourdes Catholic School.
- 2. Dancers need to arrive at 4:30 with hair and make-up done. Do **NOT** put on costume(s) until dancer is at Lourdes Catholic School and in assigned classroom.
- 3. All dancers need to check in upon arrival and then go to assigned classroom/dressing room in the High School. For Dancers safety, they may not leave the room unless going onstage or going to the restroom.
- 4. The show will run one time through. Selected dances may be asked to stay for extra rehearsal. <u>Dancers</u> must stay the entire evening until dismissed by Miss Kogan.
- 5. Please wear FULL costume for dress rehearsal. (All accessories, tights, shoes, hairstyle and stage makeup).
- 6. Arrive in hair and make-up. Do <u>NOT</u> put on costume(s) until dancer is at Lourdes and in assigned classroom.
- 7. <u>Dancers will bow in the last costume they wore.</u>
- 8. Dancers may bring food and drink, but must be consumed in the hallway with permission from their chaperones. Water bottles are allowed in the classroom. Be time conscious when going for a snack break, do not miss your dance! Throw away all trash away. **NO EATING IN COSTUME AND NO GUM!**
- 9. Nebraska City Dance Studio/Lourdes Catholic School is not responsible for lost items. Dancers keep your belongings organized and together. All items should be labeled with dancer's name. Dance costumes/tights/shoes/accessories make sure the label is in a discrete location. We suggest bringing belongings in a laundry basket to keep all items in one place.
- **10. PARENTS**: Please drop off and pick up your child at their designated classroom/ dressing room. We ask that women only drop off/pick up in the girls/female classrooms. Boy/Male dancers will be in a designated area together.
- **11.** There will be <u>no</u> seating in the auditorium to watch/view rehearsal. <u>Only</u> volunteers are allowed in the classrooms and backstage once drop off has completed and we have begun rehearsal.
- **12.** Nebraska City Dance Studio is not responsible for dancers after the conclusion of rehearsal/performances so please pick your dancer up in a timely manner.
- 13. Make sure you are signed up for Remind! This will be our primary method to send out any quick announcements/reminders/updates. If you need to sign up, text @ndance to 81010

 **If we finish ahead schedule this is how you will be notified, so please make sure you are signed up!



PERFORMANCES

Dates: Friday, June 11 at 7:00pm Saturday, June 12 at 2:00pm Sunday, June 13 at 2:00pm

Location: Lourdes Catholic School

YOU MUST ARRIVE ONE HOUR PRIOR TO SHOW TIME!!

- 1. There are no ticket fees for "Adventures in the Land of Oz; however, we do encourage donations. The performances will be open seating. Due to the number of dancer families, seats are first come first serve and may NOT be saved. Doors will open 30 minutes prior to the performances.
- 2. Performances are held in the Lourdes Catholic School Auditorium.
- 3. All dancers need to check in upon arrival and then go to assigned classroom. For Dancers safety, they may not leave the room unless going onstage or going to the restroom.
- 4. Dancers must stay the entire duration of the show.
- 5. **FULL** costume (accessories, shoes, tights, hairstyle). **NO** holes in tights, **NO** extra jewelry, **NO** nail polish!
- 6. Arrive in hair and make-up. Do <u>NOT</u> put on costume(s) until dancer is at Lourdes Catholic School and in assigned classroom.
- 7. Dancers will bow in the last costume they wore.
- 8. Dancers may bring food and drink, but must be consumed in the hallway with permission from their chaperones. Water bottles are allowed in the classroom. Be time conscious when going for a snack break, do not miss your dance! Throw away all trash away. **No eating in costumes. NO GUM.**
- 9. **PARENTS**: Drop off and pick up your child at their designated classroom/ dressing room. We ask that women only drop off/pick up in the girls/female classrooms. Boy/Male dancers will be in a designated area together.

10. NO PARENTS ALLOWED BACKSTAGE!

- 11. FRIDAY Please arrive at 6:00 PM to check in and put on your costume. Once the show has come to an end, dancers will need to collect all belongings and change out of costume (DO NOT WEAR YOUR COSTUME WHEN LEAVING) and meet families in the lobby to go home. All items must be taken home with you, they cannot be left at the school.
- **12.** <u>SATURDAY</u> Please <u>arrive no later than 1:00 PM</u> to check in and put on your costume. Once the show has come to an end, dancers will need to collect all belongings and change out of costume (DO NOT WEAR YOUR COSTUME WHEN LEAVING) and meet families in the lobby to go home. All items must be taken home with you, they cannot be left at the school.
- **13.** <u>SUNDAY</u> Please <u>arrive no later than 1:00 PM</u> to check in and put on your costume. Once the show has come to an end, dancers will need to collect all belongings and meet families in the lobby to go home. All items must be taken home with you, they cannot be left at the school.
- 14. **INTERMISSION -** We will have a 15-minute intermission. **DANCERS MAY NOT BE VISITED BACKSTAGE/IN CLASSROOMS!** Parents/Guests will need to wait until the conclusion of the show.
- 15. <u>Dancers are not allowed to leave the backstage area during the show or during intermission</u>. Only in an emergency will a dancer be taken from backstage. They will be escorted by a volunteer, board member or instructor. This is for safety and security!



DANCER GUIDELINES

- 1. All dancers must listen and respect Nebraska City Dance Studio Staff, Board Members and volunteers.
- 2. Arrive early to rehearsals/performances so you are prepared to dance. Dancers need to check in before each rehearsal and performance.
- 3. Pack costume(s), make up, hair supplies, and anything else you will need in advance to ensure you have everything you will need.
- 4. When you are not dancing, please <u>stay in your seat/classroom and keep voices low</u>. There is <u>NO</u> running/roaming around of hallways and other classrooms!
- 5. Leave valuables at home. If you choose to bring handheld games, iPod, iPad, DVD players etc., Nebraska City Dance, nor Lourdes Catholic School is responsible for lost belongings.
- 6. Keep your space clean and remember to take your belongings home after each rehearsals/ performance. Nebraska City Dance Studio nor Lourdes Catholic School are not responsible for lost or stolen items.
- 7. Quiet games, cards, and books are great to bring. We ask no coloring books with markers because they can stain the costumes.
- 8. There is **NO** talking in the hallways or backstage; the audience will hear you.
- 9. Dancers may bring food and drink, but must be consumed in the hallway with permission from their chaperones. Water bottles are allowed in the classroom. Be time conscious when going for a snack break, do not miss your dance! Throw away all trash away. NO EATING AND COSTUME AND NO GUM!
- 10. Dancer's account must be in a current status to participate in recital.

TIGHTS

Wear tights as indicated by instructor. Bring a backup pair just in case the dancer's first pair rips. No holes in tights. *Tights may be purchased through the studio.

NO UNDERWEAR

Underwear will show through costumes or stick out. If extra coverage is needed, wear a nude leotard (with nude straps) under costumes.

COSTUME CHANGES

If a dancer has multiple costumes during the show, wear a nude leotard under costume(s) to make it quicker and easier to change. Notify a Nebraska City Studio Board Member/Staff member if you need help with a quick change. We then can assign a backstage volunteer to help you in the quick-change station.

NO NAIL POLISH OR JEWELRY

These items catch the light and distract the audience from the dancing.

NO VIDEO TAPING OR FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY

Videotaping is not permitted. Flash photography is not permitted during performances as it is distracting and dangerous to the dancers. Nebraska City Dance will give 1 DVD of the recital to each dance family. Donations to offset the costs are appreciated. You will be notified via email when the DVD's are ready and may be picked up.

