

MORITA'S SCHOOL OF DANCE



RECITAL INFORMATION

TUITION



All Accounts must be paid up through November 30th by December 3rd. We understand December tuition isn't due until December 7th, but all other charges must be paid for by show time.

If you're unable to make your payment, please contact us to set up a payment plan. If no payment or payment plan is made by December 3rd, this will result in dancers being unable to participate in the recital.

Your online portal account is available 24/7 and allows you to pay anytime. Please log into your portal account to see if you have a balance.

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VOLUNTEERS



Recital volunteers are needed for both shows! If you'd like to be a backstage volunteer, please return the volunteer form that will be emailed November 17th, and return it to your dancers instructor or email it back to msdancestudio68@hotmail.com.

Backstage volunteers will be chosen by our staff, and volunteer spots are limited according to class size.



The recital rehearsals will be held at the Hampden Academy Performing Arts Center on December 3rd & 4th, according to the show you are in. Please double check the schedule before arriving!

NORMAL DANCE WEAR SHOULD BE WORN FOR YOUR REHEARSAL.

PLEASE SEE ATTACHED REHEARSAL SCHEDULE FOR YOUR DANCERS REHEARSAL TIME!

RECITAL DVDS

Both recitals will be professionally recorded and DVDs will be available to purchase! DVD order forms were sent with your November Newsletter!



DAY OF RECITAL TIPS

- Be sure to ARRIVE wearing (1st) Costume, Hair w/ accessory, and Make-up COMPLETELY READY FOR YOUR PERFORMANCE other than Dance Shoes.
 - Girls – hair should be worn in a neat bun.
 - Boys – hair should be pulled back out of face, if long enough.
- Each dancer will need their own make-up, bobby pins, safety pins, hair spray, etc.
- Put name in your shoes, tights, costumes and all accessories.
- NO UNDERWEAR with costume(s), dance tights serve this purpose.
- No strings on the front of ballet shoes please! Please make sure to tuck all strings in, or cut them off.
- Bottled water is the ONLY beverage allowed backstage and MUST have a cap or closed top. Dunkin' Donut cups, or cups like this, will not be allowed backstage, as they are easy to spill.

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SHOW TIMES

This year we have two recital shows! All dancers received a handout in last week (November 3rd-10th) letting you know what show day and time your dancer is in. Please contact us if you are unsure which recital your dancer is in. Each show is about 2 hours long. Doors will open 30 minutes prior to the start of each recital.

WRISTBANDS

All dancer's must be checked in by one person before the recital. This designated person will be asked to put a wristband on with their dancer's name. This designated person **MUST** wear their wristband throughout the performance and will be the only person allowed backstage to pick up your dancer. This is for the dancer's safety. Once your dancer is dropped off, you may take your place in line at the main entrance if you wish. If you refuse to co-operate with this rule, your dancer will NOT be permitted to perform in the Recital.

TICKETS

Due to the Hampden Academy Performing Arts Center 50% capacity guidelines, during our recital **each dancer is allowed 4 tickets**. Since we are limited to the number of bodies in the auditorium during the show, anyone entering the auditorium will need a ticket and will be counted as part of your 4 tickets allowed for each dancer.

Ticket prices are:

- \$12 – 3 years old and over
- FREE – 2 year old and under (still counted as part of your 4 tickets allowed)

Tickets will go onsale beginning Wednesday, November 17th. Please e-mail the studio with the number of tickets (up to 4) that you would like added to your online portal account. If you have someone 2 & under, please indicate that when ordering so you will not be charged for that child, but they still need a ticket.

We will send tickets home with dancers beginning Monday, November 29th, during their regular class time. Tickets will not be sent home if they are not paid for.

If we have any extra tickets for our recitals, they will be available to purchase. We will be sending an email on Sunday, November 28th, to let everyone know which recitals have extra tickets available. We'll begin selling additional tickets on Monday, November 29th at 8:00am! There will be no limit on the number of extra tickets purchased. These tickets will be sold on a first come first serve basis, based on the time your email arrives in our inbox starting on Monday, November 29th at 8:00am. Please do NOT email us any ticket orders, for additional tickets, between now and then. Any additional ticket purchases will need to be paid for by December 2nd. All additional tickets purchased will be given to your dancer during their recital rehearsal.

FACEMASKS

All dancers and guests will be required to wear a Face Mask/Covering Policy while inside the Hampden Academy Performing Arts Center and will need to wear a face mask or covering during the entire performance for your dancer.

COMMUNICATION

This is a super busy time of year for us. We try our best to ensure every one of your needs is met and information is delivered appropriately and timely. Please excuse us if we are unable to respond to your emails or phone calls as promptly as normal. With only 2 ½ weeks before our performances, many things need to happen to ensure the shows go off without a hitch!

RECITAL REHEARSAL SCHEDULE

LOCATION: The Hampden Academy Performing Arts Center, Hampden

Normal dance wear should be worn for your rehearsal. Senior Line, Junior Line, Junior Junior Line and all Dance Team Members, please wear a black leotard, black shorts, and tan tights.

Please arrive prior to your rehearsal time listed below. The rehearsal time below is the time these classes will be onstage rehearsing.

To view the full rehearsal scheduled, please visit www.moritasschoolofdance.com, and you'll find all of our show information and rehearsal information under the "Recitals" tab located at the top of the page.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 3RD

Rehearsal Time	Regular Class Day/Time
3:30pm	Monday, 3:30-4:30pm – Age 3 through Preschool – Tap & Ballet
	Monday, 3:30-5:00pm – Jr. Jr. Line – Tap, Ballet & Jazz
	Tuesday, 3:30-4:30pm – Grades K-2 nd – Tap & Ballet
	Tuesday, 5:00-5:30pm – Grades 2 nd -4 th – Musical Theatre
4:00pm	Tuesday, 3:30-5:00pm – Grades 2 nd -4 th – Tap, Ballet & Jazz
4:30pm	Thursday, 3:30-4:00pm – Grades K-2 nd – Hippity Hop
5:00pm	Monday, 5:00-5:30pm – Jr. Jr. Line – Musical Theatre
	Wednesday, 3:30-4:15pm – Grades 2 nd -5 th – Lyrical Ballet
	Wednesday, 4:00-4:30pm – Grades 5 th -8 th – Hip Hop
	Saturday, 11:15-12:45pm – Grades 3 rd -5 th – Tap, Ballet & Jazz
5:30pm	Tuesday, 5:30-6:15pm – Jr. Jr. Line – Lyrical
	Tuesday, 6:15-6:45pm – Jr. Jr. Line – Hip Hop
	Wednesday, 4:15-4:45pm – Grades 2 nd -5 th – Hip Hop
6:00pm	All Dance Team Members
6:30pm	All Senior Line Members
	All Junior Line Members
	Advanced Adult Ballet
7:00pm	Advanced Adult Tap
7:30pm	Advanced Adult Jazz
8:00pm	Advanced Adult Hip Hop
8:30pm	Beginner Adult Hip Hop

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 4TH

Rehearsal Time	Regular Class Day/Time
11:00am	Dover Foxcroft – Grades 3 rd -6 th – Tap, Ballet & Jazz
	Saturday, 9:00-10:00am – Grades K-2 nd – Tap & Ballet
	Saturday, 11:00-12:00pm – Grade 2 nd – Tap & Ballet
11:30am	Dover Foxcroft – Grades K-2 nd – Tap & Ballet
12:00pm	Saturday, 10:00-10:30am – Grades K-2 nd – Hippity Hop
12:30pm	Dover Foxcroft – Age 3 through Grade K (Both Classes) – Tap & Ballet
	Saturday, 9:00-10:00am – Age 3 through Preschool – Tap & Ballet