

2024 Dress Rehearsal & Show Day Information!!!

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Mandatory Dress Rehearsal at LACES

Sunday June 2, 2024

10:00am – 6:00pm

(Allotted slot time for your child highlighted below)

Performance Date at LACES

Sunday June 9, 2024 at 3pm

Doors open at 2:30pm

Los Angeles Center for Enriched Studies (LACES)

5931 W. 18th St., Los Angeles, CA 90035

THE DRESS REHEARSAL AT THE THEATER is MANDATORY for: all dancers, "class moms" and backstage volunteers. We greatly appreciate your cooperation with the above. It will help the performance run smoothly and help to make it an enjoyable experience for your child.

Here are some **VERY IMPORTANT** updates including information about your child's hair, make up, what they will need to be wearing and where to drop your children off for both dress rehearsal and show day! **I ask that you please read this whole letter (front and back) to help better understand the process and answer any questions you may have about the recital!!!**

Dropping off your child for the dress rehearsal on Sunday, June 2nd

Your child will need to be dropped off at the **auditorium door** from **12:00pm – 1:00am** on Sunday, June 2nd wearing their costume with **pink tights, pink ballet shoes** for the girls **white ballet shoes** for the boys and **hair in a slick back high bun with headpiece on the left side** for the girls and **clean hair** for the boys. Please apply a little bit of **blush and lipstick**, as they will also be taking their professional group pictures at this time! Reminder if you would like your child to take individual pictures you need to sign up by going to <https://www.mygymdance.com/recital-individual-pictures-and-video-link>. The sooner you sign up the better chance you will have for their pictures to be taken during their hour time slot during dress rehearsal. **NO** parent's are allowed in the auditorium during dress rehearsal unless you are assigned as a backstage volunteer and are on the list!!!

Dropping off your child for the performance on Sunday, June 9th

You will kindly need to drop your child off at the **SIDE GATE TO THE LEFT OF THE AUDITORIUM** dressed and ready to go (same as dress rehearsal) but instead of the auditorium door they will need to report to the **side gate to the left of the auditorium** by **2:30pm** to be assigned to his/her dressing room area and get ready for the show.

***** Any dancers performing in more than one dance may ask Miss Anat, Miss April, Miss Arianna, Miss Kiri or Miss Ashley for their order for the day of the show.**

Very Important Information

Parents will **NOT** be able to come into the dressing room before, during or after the show. We kindly ask that you abide by this request to make the show go very smoothly. Please **DO NOT TRY** to come pick up your child once they are done dancing (as you will not be able to) and need to wait until the end of the show. If your child is in more than one dance a recital team staff member will be there to help them change as well as fix their hair (if needed).

Tickets

You're allotted 2 tickets for the shows will be available for pick up at The Dance Center as of May. You may also purchase more tickets at \$30.00 per ticket. We kindly ask that you pick up your allotted tickets as well as purchase any extra tickets before the show date of Sunday, June 9th in order to avoid long lines and the higher rate. You can purchase extra tickets as of May at our website of mygymdance.com under the store tab. You may still purchase tickets at the door for \$35.00 if still available. Since we are limited on tickets we are requesting any children ages 5 years and under sit on laps or on the floor in the front of the stage. Otherwise they will need to purchase a ticket!

Flower Pick Up

There will be a designated area for your flower pick up. Please pick up your flowers allotted to you (with the package you already purchased) before the show.

Seating & Video Taping

Seating for the show will be first come first serve with doors opening at 2:30pm. Please make sure to have your tickets out and ready for the doorman. There will be a designated area for videotaping and we kindly ask that you **ONLY** video tape your child's class and let others have a seat to video their child. Once you are done video taping your child's performance we ask that you then return to your seats for the next group of parent's who want to video their child. There will be a professional videographer on the day of the show to video the whole show and put together a professional video link. Video links are available for purchase at \$20. Video links are purchasable at <https://www.mygymdance.com/recital-individual-pictures-and-video-link>.

Parking

There is a parking lot for the school as well street parking around the neighborhood!

Classes Continuing Over The Summer.....

Regular classes will continue once the recital is over and highly recommended! If you are planning to stop any classes over the summer please make sure to put in your freeze or cancelation and **DO NOT** assume that we will just cancel your account. If you would like to freeze your account we are more than happy to do that as long as it is for a 4-8 week (consecutive) period. Summer classes are always so much fun and a great time to keep your children engaged in their dancing as well as challenge them with new dance steps and curriculum's. Sometimes taking too long of a break will set them back in class and they will then need to re familiarize themselves with all the steps they have learned in the past and new steps that have now been taught while away! If you are interested in dance camp we run an awesome Fairytale Dance Camp for ages 3-6 Monday-Friday from 9am – 12pm. Make sure to get your child registered as spots fill up quick!

If you have any questions or concerns please contact Miss Anat at 323-496-1547 or dancecentermygym@gmail.com