



To all Dancers and Parents:

In the pages to follow, you will find information regarding Recital. We hope this packet answers any and all questions you may have.

Recital Times & Location:

Saturday, May 11th, 2024

Magnolia West High School (F.M.1774)

Show #1 - 12:00 p.m.

Show #2 - 3:00 p.m.

Dress Rehearsal Times & Location:

****NO REGULAR CLASSES WEEK of May 6th – 10th**

Show #1- Wednesday, May 8th at 5:30 p.m.

Show #2- Friday, May 10th at 5:30 p.m.

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Both Recital & Dress Rehearsal are mandatory.

Pay close attention as to what show your dancer is in!

Dress Rehearsal – Times & General Information

Show #1 Wednesday, May 8th 5:30-7:30 p.m. -MWHS Auditorium

Show #2 Friday, May 10th 5:30-7:30 p.m. -MWHS Auditorium

- Meet in your assigned dressing room on the auditorium side of MWHS 20 minutes before rehearsal time. Find the posted signs in regards to your dressing room.
- Please arrive in your first costume, along with your **hair and make-up fixed**. Please wear a cover up over your costume. Bring all your costumes and accessories with **your name on them!** Dance Connections is not responsible for any lost or stolen items.

- Any students that are 3rd grade and under must have a parent stay in the audience for the entire rehearsal. All dancers must stay for the entire rehearsal- no exceptions.
- **You may video at the rehearsal only.** We will have a professional videographer for Recital Day.
- **No food** is allowed in the auditorium or dressing rooms. We recommend that dancers bring water bottles only.
- Please check for every costume piece before arriving & leaving the rehearsal. DC will not be able to replace anything that is lost or stolen.
- Magnolia West Drill Team members are backstage in every room to be in charge of all our dancers so that you may enjoy the show! Please check your dancer in with a MWHS FILLIE when dropping him/her off in the dressing room. If for some reason your child needs you, we will contact you.
- Dancers must stay in their dressing rooms at all times! We ask your dancers to please listen and be respectful to the backstage Drill Team members. Failure to follow the rules can result in not performing.
- We suggest that you bring something to keep your dancer busy in the dressing rooms. Nothing that will get on your costume! (Ex. Tablet, books, iPad, etc.)

Finale (Dress Rehearsal & Recital)

- All of our dancers, excluding 2 yr. olds, participate in Finale! Students will keep their costume on for the Finale. DC Staff members & MWHS Fillies will walk all dancers back to their dressing rooms after the rehearsals and shows. **PLEASE REMAIN IN YOUR SEATS FOR 3-5 minutes** while we make sure our dancers arrive safely in their dressing rooms.
- Int./Jr./Sr. Teams- Wear Spring Recital shirt, Plain black leggings (no designs on them & cannot be see-through), and Twylas. Hair is to stay the same as team dances.

Recital Day

Show #1 Saturday, May 11th 12:00 p.m. at MWHS Auditorium

Show #2 Saturday, May 11th 3:00 p.m. at MWHS Auditorium

- Our show is free to attend. You do not have to purchase tickets.
- Seating is FIRST COME FIRST SERVE; Please DO NOT save seats! Respect handicapped seating for handicapped guests.
- **Doors will open 1 hour prior to show time - No earlier.**
- Arrive in your dressing room 30 minutes before your show time. Arrive dressed in your first costume, along with your hair and make-up fixed. Wear a cover up over your costume.
- Same dressing room rules apply for recital as they were in rehearsal.

Make-up & Hair

- Make-up should be heavier than normal. The stage lights will wash out the dancers' face. The amount of make-up on our little ones is parent discretion.
- **Bright red lipstick** is required for all dancers!
- Competition Teams- Wear hair the same as contest.
- Recreational classes- See table on the following page for hair details. Hairpieces need to be secured with several bobby pins.

Costume Details:

<u>Song</u>	<u>Tights</u>	<u>Shoes</u>	<u>Hair</u>
“Learning to Fly” 1 st -3 rd Ballet	Footed Tan	Pink Ballet	Low Pony Tail with part over dancer LEFT eye (Curled)
“Do You Believe in Magic” 1 st -3 rd Jazz	Footless Tan	Nude Dance Paws	Low Pony Tail with part over dancer LEFT eye (Curled)
“Make it Super Loud” 1 st -3 rd Hip-Hop	None	DARK colored Tennis Shoes	Low Pony Tail with part over dancer LEFT eye (Curled)
“Thneedville” 1 st -3 rd Pom	Footless Tan	Nude Dance Paws	Low Pony Tail with part over dancer LEFT eye (Curled)
“A Little Party” 4 th -6 th Jazz	Footless Tan	Nude Dance Paws	Low Pony Tail with part over dancer LEFT eye (Curled)
“Read All About It” 4 th -6 th Ballet	Footed Tan	Pink Ballet	Low Pony Tail with part over dancer LEFT eye (Curled)
“Way Up” 4 th -6 th Hip-Hop”	None	DARK colored Tennis Shoes	Low Pony Tail with part over dancer LEFT eye (Curled)
“Up, Down, Touch the Ground” Mon. 2 Yr. Old	Footed Tan	Pink Ballet	Curled, pulled back at the ears, secured with a hair tie to match the color of your hair. <i>See picture below.</i>
“I Just Can’t Wait to be King” Mon. 3&4 Yr. Old Thurs. 3-6 Yr. Old	Footed Tan	Pink Ballet	Curled, pulled back at the ears, secured with a hair tie to match the color of your hair. <i>See picture below.</i>
“Unwritten” Tues. 3&4 Yr. Old	Footed Tan	Pink Ballet	Curled, pulled back at the ears, secured with a hair tie to match the color of your hair. <i>See picture below.</i>
“Bare Necessities” Tues. 5&6 Yr. Old	Footed Tan	Pink Ballet	Curled, pulled back at the ears, secured with a hair tie to match the color of your hair. <i>See picture below.</i>
“Beauty and the Beast” Wed. 3&4 Yr. Old Fri. 3&4 Yr. Old	Footed Tan	Pink Ballet	Curled, pulled back at the ears, secured with a hair tie to match the color of your hair. <i>See picture below.</i>
“Burning Love” Wed. 5&6 Yr. Old	Footed Tan	Pink Ballet	Curled, pulled back at the ears, secured with a hair tie to match the color of your hair. <i>See picture below.</i>

DETAILS:

- All tights need to be a matte or flat finish, **not shiny, satin, or gloss!**
- Please make sure all shoes and costumes have your name in them!
- Tights and shoes can be purchased at the front desk.

DC Rhinestone earrings are available for purchase for your dancer to wear on Recital Day with her costume! Clip on & pierced are available. This purchase is OPTIONAL & open to all Rec dancers!

Earrings- \$10.00



2024 RECITAL SHOW ORDER

Show #1

1. Sr. Team Novelty- "Another Day of Sun"
2. Int. Team Pom- "70s Mix"
3. 4th-6th Jazz- "A Little Party"
4. Dazzler Prep. Novelty- "Fabulous"
5. Mascot Team Lyrical- "Live Your Story"
6. Sr. Team Modern- "The Winner is"
7. Wednesday 5&6 Yr. Ballet- "Burning Love"
8. Jr./Sr. Prep. Contemporary- "Running Up That Hill"
9. Int. Team Jazz- "Higher"
10. 4th-6th Hip-Hop- "Way Up"

Intermission

11. Sr. Team Pom- "Money Mix"
12. Mon. 2 Yr. Old Ballet- "Up, Down, Touch the Ground"
13. Int. Team Open- "VK Mashup"
14. Jr./Sr. Prep. Jazz- "Fashionista"
15. Thursday 3-6 Yr. Old Ballet- "I Just Can't Wait to be King"
16. 4th-6th Ballet- "Read All About It"
17. Mascot Team Novelty- "Hard Knock Life"
18. Sr. Team Jazz- "Blue Monday"
19. Int. Team Lyrical- "Half Light"
20. Tuesday 3&4 Yr. Ballet- "Unwritten"
21. Dazzler Prep. Lyrical- "Alive & Breathing"
22. Wednesday 3&4 Yr. Ballet- "Beauty and the Beast"
23. Finale- "I Fly"

Show #2

1. Sr. Team Novelty- "Another Day of Sun"
2. Jr. Team Contemporary- "Baby One More Time"
3. Dazzler Team Hip-Hop- "Nerd Mix"
4. Int. Prep. & Jr./Sr. Prep. Lyrical- "World is Mine"
5. 1st-3rd Jazz- "Do You Believe in Magic"
6. Sr. Team Modern- "The Winner is"
7. Tuesday 5&6 Yr. Ballet- "Bare Necessities"
8. Jr. Team Pom- "Fire Mix"
9. Dazzler Team Pom- "Artificial Intelligence Mix"
10. Int. Prep. Hip Hop- "Write My Story"
11. 1st-3rd Pom- "Thneedville"

Intermission

12. Sr. Team Pom- "Money Mix"
13. Dazzler Team Novelty- "A Cover is Not a Book"
14. Jr. Team Jazz- "Disco Pop"
15. 1st-3rd Hip-Hop- "Make it Super Loud"
16. Int. Prep. Pom- "Directions Mix"
17. Monday 3&4 Yr. Ballet- "I Just Can't Wait to be King"
18. Sr. Team Jazz- "Blue Monday"
19. Jr. Team Novelty- "Haus of Holbein"
20. Dazzler Team Lyrical- "Story of My Life"
21. 1st -3rd Ballet- "Learning to Fly"
22. Friday 3&4 Yr. Ballet- "Beauty and the Beast"
23. Finale- "I Fly"

Attention 3&4 Yr. Old AND 3-6 Yr. Old Class Parents!

If you have a 3&4/3-6 yr. old child participating in the recital, she will need to sit with you during the **first half of the show during rehearsal AND recital.**

At **intermission**, you will walk her backstage to the 3&4/3-6 yr. old dressing rooms so they can prepare for their dance. Please do not bring them backstage before intermission. There will not be a person in charge until intermission has started. Your child needs to be in her costume with a cover up on and ready to dance while sitting in the audience.

This includes:

Monday 3&4 Yr. Ballet- “I Just Can’t Wait to be King”

Tuesday 3&4 Yr. Ballet- “Unwritten”

Wednesday 3&4 Yr. Ballet- “Beauty and the Beast”

Thursday 3-6 Yr. Ballet- “I Just Can’t Wait to be King”

Friday 3&4 Yr. Ballet- “Beauty and the Beast”

Attention 2 Yr. Old class Parents!

If you have a 2 yr. old child participating in the recital, she will need to sit with you during the **first half of the show during rehearsal AND recital.**

At **intermission**, you will walk her directly backstage to be handed off to DC Staff. Immediately following her performance, you will pick up her backstage. Your child needs to be in her costume with a cover up on and ready to dance while sitting in the audience.

2 yr. olds will not be participating in the Finale.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- **Spring Recital Add-ons for you dancer(s):**
 - Recital T-Shirts – Pre-order in parent portal – Deadline: April 5th
 - Program Ads – Submission through parent portal, then via email – Deadline: April 5th
 - Trophy/Tiaras – Pre-order in your parent portal – Deadline: April 15th
 - Flowers – Order forms at front desk / on our website – Deadline: April 22nd
 - Recital Video – Order forms at front desk / on our website – No Deadline
- Your dancer’s Spring Recital music is in your Parent Portal, under “View Class Documents”, so your dancer can practice her/his dance at home!
- Please remember that you will not be allowed to save any seats for the big day! Seats will be on a first come first serve basis!
- **There will be no video cameras or cameras allowed during recital on show day!** There will be professional videographers present to capture the moments for you. They would like to provide the best quality job for you without interruptions. You may bring your cameras to rehearsal only!
- **Dance class will continue for 2 weeks after Recital!**
 - “Outer-Space Dress up Week”- May 13th – 17th
 - “Bring a Friend Week”- May 20th – 24th
- **DON’T FORGET TO REGISTER FOR SUMMER CAMPS & FALL DANCE CLASSES!** All Registration opens Monday, March 25th! Like us on Facebook & Instagram! For more information regarding Summer/Fall Classes, Visit our website: www.dcmagnolia.org