

Dance Etc. 2010-2011 Important Dates

September 13th-16th: Jenny Wiley shirt orders are due for all Jazz and Hip Hop students. These will be worn for the Jenny Wiley Festival performance in October. Dance Etc Shirt order forms will be sent home and will also be available to print from the website.

September 6th (Monday): No Classes - Labor Day

October 6th (Wednesday): 6pm Prestonsburg High School Gymnasium: Jazz, Hip Hop and Lyrical students perform for Jenny Wiley Festival. (Be there at 5:30. Jazz students wear Dance Etc. t-shirt and black pants with jazz shoes. Hip Hop students wear Dance Etc. tank, black sweat pants and tennis shoes and Lyrical students wear any solid color leotard, black booty shorts, footless tan tights and bare feet or lyrical shoes)

November 1st (Monday): "Nutcracker" tickets will go on sale to parents of performers (Ballet students only. This includes Beginner Ballet thru High School Ballet. Pre-Ballet students do not perform in the Nutcracker). You must buy your tickets through the Mountain Arts Center Ticket Office. You may buy them at the ticket office or by phone. You may purchase a maximum of 4 tickets for each of the three evening shows per student you have performing during this advanced ticket sales to parents. Beginner Ballet students will be in the Dec. 7th shows, K-1 Ballet I-A on Mondays will be in the Dec. 8th shows and the K-1 Ballet I- B class on Tuesdays will be in the Dec. 9th shows. All other ballet classes 2nd grade and up will be in all six shows.

November 15th (Monday): "Nutcracker" tickets go on sale to the public. You can also purchase tickets online during Public Ticket sales at **www.macarts.com**

November 24th-25th: No Classes – Thanksgiving Break

November 28th (Sunday): 12:30pm - 5:30pm Nutcracker Full show run-through at the studio. Please see your Nutcracker packet for exact times for your class. (Packets will be distributed the first week of November) If you lose your packet you may find the info on the studio website at **www.danceetc.biz**

December 2nd: Last day of Regular Dance Classes before the Nutcracker and Holiday Break. Other than Nutcracker there will be no dance classes the rest of December and Classes will resume Monday, January 3rd.

December 5th (Sunday): "Nutcracker" Technical Rehearsal at the MAC from 2pm to 8pm.
Act I- 2pm and Act II- 5pm.

December 6th (Monday): "Nutcracker" Dress Rehearsal 4:00pm to 9:00pm at the Mountain Arts Center.
Act I 4:00pm and Act II 7:00 pm.

December 7th (Tuesday): "Nutcracker" One matinee for local schools at 10:00 am and one evening performance for the public at 7pm at the MAC.

December 8th (Wednesday): "Nutcracker" performances at 10 am and 7 pm.

December 9th (Thursday): "Nutcracker" performances at 10 am and 7pm.

December 6th- January 2nd: There will be no dance classes at the studio for the entire month of December due to the Nutcracker performances and the Holiday break. I hope everyone has a wonderful break and I will see you back in January.

January 3rd (Monday): Dance Classes resume after the break. You do not need to re-register. You simply continue with your same class schedule from the fall semester. However if you are switching any classes you MUST fill out a drop/add form in the office to assure you are being charged for the correct classes and that the correct Recital costumes are ordered for your child.

January 10th thru 13th (Monday- Thursday): All Recital Costume fees are due in full!! If costumes are not paid for by the 13th of January they will not be ordered for your child. Costume pictures and prices will be in a book in the lobby of the studio the first of January.

April 4th-7th (Monday-Thursday): Dance Etc. Spring Break. There will be no regular classes.

May 2nd (Monday): Recital tickets go on sale to parents only. Parents may purchase a limit of 4 tickets per show per child enrolled during this advanced ticket sales. Purchase tickets through the Mountain Arts Center ticket office either at the MAC or by phone.

May 2nd-5th (Monday - Thursday): Parent Observation week for All Pre-School and Beginner Ballet/ Tap and Pre-Jazz students. Parents may view the last half of dance classes this week and may video recital routines for at home practice.

May 9th-12th (Monday-Thursday): Parent Observation week for all Kindergarten through 2nd grade students. Parents may view the last half of dance classes this week and may video recital routines for home practice.

May 16th-19th (Monday-Thursday): Parent Observation week for all 4th through 12th grade students. Parents may view the last half of dance classes this week and may video recital routines for home practice.

May 16th (Monday): Recital Tickets go on sale to the public at the MAC. You may also purchase tickets online during the Public Ticket sales.

May 21st (Saturday): 9 am-12 noon Recital Costume Pick-up Day - You may pick up recital costumes, t-shirts and tights on this day at the studio anytime between 9 and 12 noon. This avoids us having to take class time to hand out these items and avoids having to send them home with kids and items getting left, lost etc. Just a reminder that all class fees must be up to date through May in order for costumes to be given out.

May 23rd-26th: Recital Group Pictures at Studio. Each class will be given assigned times in the Recital packet.

May 31st, June 1st and 2nd (Tues., Wed., Thurs.): Recital Technical Rehearsal at the MAC 4 pm to 9 pm each day. Your child's class will be assigned an exact rehearsal time on one of these days at a later date. There are no regular dance classes on these rehearsal days.

June 3rd (Friday): Recital Dress Rehearsal at the MAC 4pm to 9pm.

June 4th (Saturday): Dance Etc. Spring Recital 11am and 6pm at the MAC.