

FULL RECITAL INFO

The following items are available to order (*see link in website Parent Portal*)
We highly recommend **pre-ordering** your items to ensure you get the items you want.
There will be minimal 'extras' available at the recital.

TICKETS: ONLINE @ miraclesinmotionva.org

Pre-order: \$15

At door: \$20

We will continue to sell tickets through rehearsals and recital until sold out.

T-SHIRTS: **(\$25/ \$28 XXL)**

- You will receive your pre-ordered shirts at rehearsal.
- We will also sell a **limited stock** of shirts at rehearsal & recital until we are sold out.

FLOWERS: **(\$3-\$20) Fundraiser for MIM.**

- Support our studio by **pre-ordering flowers!**
- They will be ready for you at the recital.
- We will also have a limited number of flowers for sale at the recital while supplies last.

LOVE NOTES: **(\$5)**

- Send a special note to your favorite dancer, dance friends, volunteer &/or teacher.
- Notes will be displayed in the program, pre-show & intermission slideshow presentation and will be in the recital video.

SHARE:

- *Sponsorship packet or Ad Sales Flyer* with the companies you work for or frequent.
- Sponsorship/Ads are also open to family and friends.

Event Flyer post it everywhere you go! We want our dancers to feel the love with a full house. All flyers are available to share/print on our **website** and **at the studio while supplies last**.

RAFFLE DONATIONS: We are in need of gift card/lotto card donations for our traditional raffle/lotto tree! We will be raffling off a lighted tree full of gift cards and lotto tickets along with many great baskets. **Our donation letter is available in the parent portal on our website.** Ask anywhere you frequent.

CONCESSIONS DONATIONS: We are in need of concession's donations. Please let us know if you can bring **pre-wrapped** snacks, drinks, desserts, candy to help out AND/OR bring our **donation form to a local business** that may want to donate (Bakeries LOVE to help out).

WE NEED VOLUNTEERS:

Help us help your dancers so you can enjoy the show!

Saturday, 3-7:30 and/or Sunday, 1-6:00

1) BACKSTAGE - Email us with anyone who may be able to help.

- **NEEDS:**
 - OT, PT, ABA and other therapists/students/interns to help backstage with our more significant needs
 - Volunteers (age teen - adult) to hang out backstage with our dancers while our MIM Assistants are onstage with your dancers.

2) PARENTS - We need your help in the lobby! Sign up on the **sign up genius**

MIM 2024 Recital "Make Some Noise"

REHEARSAL/PERFORMANCE SCHEDULE

Location: ALL @ **Deep Run High School** (Park in lot closest to football fields)

Dates: **May 3 Tech Rehearsal (assigned time slot)**
 May 4 Tech Rehearsal (assigned time slot)
 May 4 Dress Rehearsal (ALL)
 May 5 Performance

Rehearsals are CRUCIAL to the success of the dancers/assistants and staff. This is the only time we have on stage to ensure everyone is comfortable and cared for. **We MUST have your dancer there** to accomplish this! Please be respectful to those of us who are working hard to make a great show for your dancer.

Ensure that they are there on time, fed, dressed and prepared.

REHEARSAL INFORMATION:

DO NOT LEAVE ANY REHEARSAL UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD TO DO SO.

- We are under much pressure to do A LOT with very little time. Please be patient and provide us with the time needed to help your dancers day the best it can be.

NO PARENTS ALLOWED IN AUDITORIUM (unless signed up as a volunteer worker for that particular day).

- All rehearsals are closed so that we can have the full attention of our dancers and assistants.

DRESS REHEARSAL ONLY

- ONE ADULT PER DANCER BACKSTAGE IS REQUIRED

DRESS REHEARSAL & RECITAL

- Food/drink - Send 'clean', **peanut-free** SNACKS like crackers, cheese, fruit. **Nothing sticky or with a lot of color/ dyes** as it will ruin your dancers or another dancer's costume!!!
- **WATER ONLY. NO JUICES OR SODAS ALLOWED.**
- -TO DO - Send Coloring Books (**NO MARKERS**), Ipads, Games, anything to keep your dancer happy backstage while they wait.

NO JEWELRY AT REHEARSALS OR RECITAL

- We are not responsible for lost or broken jewelry.

GIRLS ONLY - NO underwear under costumes.

- Your tights and leotard serve as underwear (Pull ups and diapers ok). This is standard dancer etiquette. Underwear hangs below costumes and shows badly on stage. Underwear designs show through costumes. Don't let your child's underwear be seen by all and the focus of their performance :)

TECH REHEARSALS

May 3rd & 4th

Parents DO NOT Leave !!!!

ARRIVE 20 MINUTES PRIOR TO YOUR SCHEDULED TIME

NO COSTUMES

- dancers wear classroom dance attire, MIM t-shirts preferred, and jazz/tap/ballet shoes

Parents MUST stay with their children in the assigned waiting area.

- You may leave when **ALL** of your child's dances have been rehearsed on stage & your room mom has been given approval. Make sure you are there to pick up your dancer. **WE ARE NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR THE DANCERS ONCE THEY ARE DONE WITH REHEARSAL. DO NOT LEAVE DURING THIS REHEARSAL!** We are on a tight schedule and must have all hands in the stage area.

REHEARSAL TIMES CAN VARY

- We may start or finish later than your scheduled time. **Please be patient** and know we are doing our best to stay on schedule, but we are working with many needs that can change quickly. Our goal is to ensure EVERY dancer gets the appropriate rehearsal time so they can shine at their recital.

Plan accordingly

- To reduce anxieties, it is highly recommended that you do not schedule other activities on your rehearsal nights.

Friday, May 3

4:30-5:00	Thursday 5:00 & Solo	Company Logan	"Starships" "Ken"
5:00-5:30	Tuesday 6:00 & Solo	Company Owen	"Walking on Sunshine" "Bust a Move"
5:30-6:00	Tuesday 5:00	Company	"George of the Jungle"
6:00-6:30	Thursday 6:00	Tap	"Cuban Pete"
6:30- 7:00	Thursday 7:30	Ballet	"Irish Wedding"
7:00-7:30	Thursday 6:30 & Solo	Company Logan	"Barbie production " "Ken"

Saturday, May 4

9:30-10:30	SOLOS	Emily/ Taylor/ KM / Isabella/ Jackson/Leah	
10:30-11:00	Monday 5:00 & Duet	Company 2 Jamie,Cora	"All the Single Ladies" "Welcome to NY"
11:00-11:30	Monday	Company 2 & 3	Opening # "Make Some Noise"
11:30-12:00	Monday 6:00	Ballet 2	"A Thousand Years"
12:00-12:30	Monday 6:30	Tap 2	"Teen Beach Party"
12:30-1:00	Monday 7:00	Company 3	"Coincidance"
1:00-2:00	Wednesday 6:00 & 7:00	Company Ballet 3	"The Radio Production" "Pachelbel Canon"
2:00-2:30	Monday PLUS		"A Little Less Conversation" & "Rainbow"

DRESS REHEARSAL

Saturday- May 4th, 3-7:30

ONE ADULT MUST STAY WITH THEIR DANCER FOR ENTIRE REHEARSAL

WHAT TO BRING *(put names in everything!)*:

- ALL costumes
- Dance shoes
- **Makeup:** Case or bag with all makeup used especially lipstick (see list in parent portal)
- Hair: Brushes, Hair spray, **Hair supplies**
- **Snacks:** 'clean' peanut-free (see list above)
- **Water** bottle with lid
- Things to do (see list above)

ALL DANCERS MUST STAY FOR THE ENTIRE REHEARSAL

(Exceptions only for Pre-Approved medical needs). We are not only rehearsing your dancers' class choreography, we are also working on a finale and production numbers. Please be patient and know we are doing our best to stay on schedule, but we are working with many needs that can change quickly. Our goal is to ensure EVERY dancer gets the appropriate rehearsal time so they can shine at their recital. Plan accordingly

SCHEDULE

3:00 VOLUNTEER CHECK IN

3:30 DANCERS ARRIVE

***IN FIRST COSTUME** with cover up over it. **STAGE HAIR AND MAKEUP**

- **ONE ADULT ONLY MUST STAY**
- CHECK IN AT **FRONT TABLE**, LEAVE YOUR # & ANY SPECIFIC NOTES FOR RECITAL DAY
- WALK BACK TO **HOLDING ROOM** W/ YOUR DANCER, SET UP SUPPLIES
- BRING ALL **COSTUME CHANGES** TO THE DRESSING ROOM AREA (make sure it is **well labeled**)
- ADDITIONAL PARENTS QUICKLY RETURN TO THE LOBBY ONCE YOUR DANCER IS CHECKED IN, ATTENDED TO & SET UP (very important!!! We need the space and time to get the show going)

3:30 STAFF & VOLUNTEER MEETING ON STAGE W/ MS KIM

4:30 REHEARSAL BEGINS PROMPTLY

7:30 REHEARSAL ENDS – DO NOT LEAVE UNTIL YOU ARE EXCUSED.

- WE ALL LEAVE TOGETHER. Your dancers may not be finished with all their dances or we may need to run their dance again. We ALL love to leave early!! We ALL want to get our kids home and in bed ASAP. But please remember, the staff and volunteers are managing a multitude of needs and issues in a short amount of time. I can promise you; we are beyond tired and would love to get home too. Thank you for helping us help the dancers have a great show.

RECITAL DAY - May 5th

*****Leave a number that we can text/call you if needed during the show**

***** ANY DANCER WITH A MAJOR MEDICAL OR BEHAVIORAL NEED WILL BE REQUIRED TO HAVE AN ADULT ATTENDANT OR PARENT WITH THEM BACKSTAGE FOR ENTIRE PERFORMANCE (discuss with Ms. Kim if unsure). Please plan accordingly (you will still be able to go out and watch your dancer when they perform. We also provide a live stream of the performance backstage)**

Arrival times:

1:00 Assistants→ Arrive for set up and Meeting with Ms. Kim
2:00 Dancers → Arrive in first costume, hair, make up
(walk backstage to help set up, all parents return to lobby asap)
3:00 Performance (approx. 2 hrs w/ intermission)

AFTER THE SHOW:

WE WILL NOT RELEASE DANCERS EARLY. NO EXCEPTIONS!!!

We will release dancers only when the ENTIRE show is over. This is very important for safety reasons.

Final Notes:

- **CONTACT MS. KIM FOR ANY SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS THAT NEED APPROVAL FOR BACKSTAGE ACCESS.**
 - Exceptions to all the above are made for urgent needs concerning serious medical, feeding & medication needs. ALL MUST BE APPROVED BY MS. KIM PRIOR TO RECITAL WEEKEND.
- **IF YOU PREFER TO WORK BACKSTAGE, PLEASE SIGN UP ON THE SIGN UP GENIUS.** We will be happy to have your help!!
- **FEEL FREE TO SEND YOUR ATTENDANT** help backstage with your dancer.
 - Please sign up on the **SIGN UP GENIUS** with the attendants name & to confirm that they will be at dress rehearsal & recital. This is VERY IMPORTANT to how we manage backstage needs.
- **WE PROMISE WE WILL GET YOU IF WE NEED YOU :)**
 - At a mainstream dance studio, parents work backstage during the show. But we believe our parents need the opportunity to sit back and enjoy their dancers' performance. We have gone to great lengths to create a performance that allows you to do this. So sit back, enjoy and try not to worry!
- **CELEBRATE THE BIG DAY!!**
 - Traditionally dancers receive flowers after a performance. We will have flowers for pre-sale and sale in the lobby. You may also feel free to bring gifts, balloons, flowers or anything that will make your dancer feel special on their big day. Oh and don't forget your tissues :) We hear everyone cries tears of joy at our performance!

ENJOY THE SHOW!!!!!!!!!!