## {ACTION REQUIRED} Solo, Duet, Trio Registration and Costume Selections due by October 10th

Hi Specialty Dancers!

Please read over these important updates about scheduling cleaning sessions, competition registration, and costume ordering!

# Solo/Duo/Trio Webpage

We'll post updates for solos, duos, trios on our <u>S/D/T webpage</u>. You can access it from the button in the performing company portal. All important information will be added there!

### **Cleaning Sessions**

Now that almost all specialty choreography is completed, the work begins! Solo/Duo/Trios are required to schedule a minimum amount of cleaning sessions with a teacher <u>HERE</u>. At least 3 cleaning sessions should be completed by the end of October.

- Collective Company solos- 3 sessions
- Performing Company solos-5 sessions
- Duos & Trios- 4 sessions
- If this will be your first solo, you'll likely need more cleaning sessions to be prepared.

Don't wait to get your cleaning sessions scheduled. If everything tries to book at the last minute, there will not be enough availability for teachers to work with everyone. There are lots of open time slots getting left unused right now! If you schedule, stick to your commitment! A 24-hour notice is required for any cancellations. We recommend coming early to stretch to get the most out of your 1:1 lesson!

#### **Group Rehearsals**

Group rehearsals begin in November. Group rehearsals are not meant to clean routines, they are used to build endurance, develop muscle memory, and enhance performance quality. If your dancer needs to schedule additional cleaning sessions when group rehearsals begin, we'll let you know. For a routine to look its best, you need to continually be practicing to keep improving.

Rehearsal fees are \$15 per small group lesson or \$7.50 for a large group lesson and will be added to monthly tuition from November 1-April 30. Each solo/duo/trio will have approximately 2 group rehearsals per month.

Group rehearsals are not guaranteed to be aligned with your weekly class schedule. Plan on the possibility of Friday and Saturday group rehearsals.

### **Costumes for Solo Costumes**

It is time to get our costumes ordered and on the way! Soloists, look through costumes using the websites below and reply to this email with LINKS (not item numbers, not screenshots) to your top THREE choices! List them in order of 1st, 2nd, and 3rd choice. We'll make sure no one else has chosen it, and that it isn't being used for a team costume!

We will be choosing duo and trio costumes as part of our team routine selections. Duo/Trio costume fees will process on November 1st with solo costume fees.

If you need more specific suggestions on what the right style of costume is for your dancer, let us know and we'll narrow it down for you!

After team costumes have been finalized in early October, we'll reply to emails and let you know which of your three choices we've approved and will be ordering for you.

Costumes will run between \$90-110 plus tax and will be added to your account and processed with November tuition. If the costume you selected runs more than \$90-\$110 plus tax, we will contact you before ordering. You can check your parent portal for your final costume amount a few days after the due date.

Please reply with your costume selections before October 10th!

https://www.weissmans.com

https://www.revolutiondance.com

https://awishcometrue.com

## **Competition Registration**

The studio will complete all registration for solo, duos, and trios. This way we can make sure all dancers are in the correct category/level and we can get your music uploaded! Please complete the form below letting us know what competitions you would like to register in for solo/duo/trio!

We are hoping this will help make things a little less stressful for you! Competitions fill up fast and we don't want anyone to miss getting in.

Entry fees for local competitions will be added to your account. Half will be charged on December 1st and the balance will be charged on January 1st. Please email the office if you need to make other payment arrangements.

**NOTE:** Duo/Trios will be registered for all 4 competitions automatically. Please select all four on the form so we know you have read the information and are aware of when the entry fees are set to process. If your duo/trio plans to participate in any conventions, discuss that with each other before filling out the form.

Form Due by: October 10th

Complete the solo form here: https://forms.gle/8TUVSccmEpMVrWTc9