

To the Family of: _____



2017 RECITAL PACKET

Dear Parents,

The information in this packet is very important and contains information you will need to know about the recital, recital tickets, pictures, class rehearsals, dress rehearsals, etc. Please carefully read the information provided in this packet, and mark your calendars with important dates and times. Please keep your recital packet on hand through recital. If you have questions after reading through this information, please feel free to call us at 419-447-7028, or email us at jkinmotion@sbcglobal.net.

As we approach the recital, we would like to thank each of you for your efforts, patience, and support over the year. We are excited to have you part of this year's recital, and sincerely thank you for a wonderful year!

Thank you,
Jenny & Staff

RECITAL CALENDAR

<u>March 6 - 11</u>	<u>Hand out recital packets</u>
<u>March 13</u>	<u>Stage Mom/Volunteer sign-up sheet posted at 4 pm outside main studio office</u>
<u>April 14 - 19</u>	<u>Easter break (No classes)</u>
<u>April 3- 8</u>	<u>Pre-sale ticket codes are distributed</u>
<u>April 22</u>	<u>Costume alteration day at Main Studio from 10am-1pm</u>
<u>April 22</u>	<u>Deadline to order 2017 Recital T-shirts</u>
<u>April 27</u>	<u>Deadline to order Message Ads and Business Ads for recital souvenir program</u>
<u>April 25 - May 1</u>	<u>Pre-sales Week - parents may purchase Pre-Sale tickets w/assigned pre-sale code</u>
<u>May 5 - 7</u>	<u>Recital pictures at the Main Studio (see picture schedule)</u>
<u>May 2</u>	<u>Recital tickets on sale to general public (general sales ends June 1st at 8 pm)</u>
<u>May 13</u>	<u>All account balances must be paid off IN FULL to participate in Recital</u>
<u>May 19, 22-26, 30</u>	<u>Individual class rehearsals at Ritz Theatre (see schedule)</u>
<u>May 20, 27</u>	<u>Normal Saturday classes held at studio</u>
<u>May 20</u>	<u>2017 Recital DVD Pre-orders are due (may also order in lobby Recital weekend)</u>
<u>May 29</u>	<u>Memorial Day - No classes</u>
<u>May 30</u>	<u>Stage Mom meeting at the Ritz at 7:00 pm up in National Theatre</u>
<u>May 31</u>	<u>Dress Rehearsal for RECITAL #1 (Fri 7pm/ Sat 2pm performances): begins at 5:30pm</u>
<u>June 1</u>	<u>Dress Rehearsal for RECITAL #2 (Sat 7pm/ Sun 2pm performances): begins at 5:30pm</u>
<u>June 2</u>	<u>Friday Night Performance at 7 PM</u>
<u>June 3</u>	<u>Two Performances: Saturday Afternoon at 2 PM, and Saturday Night at 7 PM</u>
<u>June 4</u>	<u>Sunday Performance at 2 PM</u>
<u>June 16</u>	<u>Student Appreciation Party from 6-8 PM</u>

2017 RECITAL THEME

This year's recital theme is "WEATHER OR NOT TO DANCE!!!" Each of our classes will be using a song representing the different weather conditions. This year's recital marks our 18th anniversary and recital! Time flies when you're having fun!!!

STAGE MOM/VOLUNTEER SIGN-UP – MARCH 13th

During each recital performance, we need numerous volunteers to help supervise students and assist with line-ups and the finale. **We will post the stage mom sign-up sheet outside the main studio office on March 13th at 4:00 PM.** Stage moms will not need to purchase a recital ticket for themselves for the performance(s) with which they are helping. Also, stage moms may need to help with their assigned classes at the dress rehearsal. **There is a mandatory meeting for all stage moms held at the Ritz Theatre on Tuesday, May 30th at 7:00 PM, up in the National Theatre.** At the meeting, we will distribute stage mom assignments and discuss important instructions regarding specific duties. Stage moms will receive a complimentary recital T-shirt at the meeting to wear while helping backstage.

RECITAL T-SHIRTS: DEADLINE – APRIL 22nd

Recital t-shirts featuring this year's recital design can be ordered using the order form in the back of this packet. Forms must be turned in to In Motion no later than April 22nd, along with payment. The cost of each t-shirt is \$13.00 (\$2 extra for 2XL/3XL). We will have sample sizes available in the studio office. Recital shirts will be handed out May 15-20, at your child's class.

SOUVENIR RECITAL PROGRAMS

Souvenir recital programs will be available again this year, and will include each class's recital picture, students names by class, 2017 senior bios and pictures, business ads, message ads, acknowledgements, and other memorable information. Programs are \$7 each, and can be purchased in the Ritz lobby before and during each recital performance (or until they sell out).

- **MESSAGE ADS: DEADLINE –APRIL 27th:** Family members and friends can place message ads in the program for their special dancers. Each ad space is \$15.00, and is approximately 4"x1". The ads include the child's individual recital picture, and can fit up to four lines of text. To place a message ad in this year's recital program, please fill out the message ad form included in the back of this packet. We must receive your form no later than **April 27th** to be included in this year's souvenir program.
- **BUSINESS ADS IN PROGRAM: DEADLINE – APRIL 27th:** Business ads can also be purchased for the souvenir program. A half-page ad is \$60.00, and a full-page space is \$100.00. Please stop by the studio office if you are interested in placing a business ad, and to pick up a form. **Finalized ads should be emailed to jkinmotion@sbcglobal.net or provided on a CD to the studio office no later than April 27.** *Please note that studio staff are not responsible for editing or designing business ads, so please make sure ads are the correct size (program pages are standard 8 1/2" x 11").*

2017 RECITAL DVD PRE-ORDERS- DUE MAY 20th

Flip Box Productions will be videotaping our recital once again. DVD Orders can be placed through their website: www.flipboxproductions.com anytime, or In Motion will accept DVD pre-orders through May 20th at the studio. Single DVDs are \$30; additional DVDs are \$25 each. DVDs will be available for pickup approximately four-six weeks following recital. **Checks should be made out to Flip Box Productions.** Flip Box will also be accepting order forms in the Ritz Lobby during each recital performance.

COSTUME ALTERATION DAY - APRIL 22nd, (10 AM-1 PM)

Costume alterations will be available on Saturday, April 22, from 10 am-1 pm, for anyone who needs minor costume alterations done. Please bring in your child's costume, along with your child, to discuss alterations. It is likely that most students will need shoulder strap adjustments; a flat rate of \$5.00 will be charged for strap adjustments. Most adjustments will be done on site, so that costumes are ready for recital pictures the following weekend. Some adjustments may cost more and take longer to complete, but will be ready by recital pictures weekend. Upfront payment of cash or check is required for all alterations. This will be held at the main studio inside the back entrance.

ACCOUNT BALANCES - PAID OFF BY MAY 13th

For your child to participate in this year's recital, **any balance due on your studio account must be paid in full by May 13th.** Please note that May's tuition is half of your normal monthly tuition amount. You may pay with cash/check by the 5th, otherwise it will automatically be withdrawn on May 7th.

STUDENT APPRECIATION PARTY – JUNE 16th FROM 6-8 PM

This year's student appreciation party is Friday, June 16th, from 6-8 PM, in the parking lot of the main studio. This event is for all our studio families as a token of our appreciation for their efforts over the year! There will be free food, games and prizes, balloon animals, face painting, and more. We look forward to seeing all of our studio families there after a wonderful dance season!

RECITAL PICTURES: MAY 5 - 7

Recital pictures will be taken at the main studio on May 5, 6 & 7 by Unique Images of Ohio. Each class will have a scheduled photo time, during which individual and group pictures will be taken. Students will need to wear their recital costume, recital tights, and dance shoes, and have their hair up as instructed. Light make-up is recommended for pictures, but is not required. Picture order forms will be handed out the week before pictures, and students in multiple classes will need to turn in a form for **EACH** different class they are in. Order forms need to be completed and turned in, with full payment, on picture day(s). Checks should be made out to Unique Images of Ohio. Below is the picture schedule. Note that picture times are approximate! Please plan on arriving 5-10 minutes before your child's time slot, and be prepared to stay longer if needed. If you are late, please understand we will NOT be able to wait on your child for the group photo. Also, please have your child dressed and fully prepared for her/his picture to help us and the photographer stay on schedule. If you would like to take personal pictures during picture weekend, you may do so only in the waiting areas, to ensure the photographer can continue to work without distractions.

RECITAL PICTURE SCHEDULE

<u>FRIDAY, MAY 5</u>		<u>SATURDAY, MAY 6</u>		<u>SUNDAY, MAY 7</u>	
Jazz 1B Tues	4:15-4:30	Tiny Toes 1 Sat	9:00-9:15	Lyrical 4	11:30-11:45
Pre-Lyrical	4:30-4:40	Tiny Toes 1 Wed	9:15-9:30	Ballet 5 Flat	11:45-12:05
Ballet 2A Tues	4:40-5:00	Tiny Toes 2 Wed	9:30-9:50	Ballet 5 Pointe	12:05-12:25
Tap 2A	5:00-5:15	Tumble Tots	9:50-10:10	Jazz 4	12:25-12:40
Jazz 2A Tues	5:15-5:25	Kinder-Tap Wed	10:10-10:20	Acro 3B	12:40-12:55
Ballet 2B Wed	5:25-5:40	Hippity Hop	10:20-10:35	Tap 4B	12:55-1:15
Acro 2A	5:40-6:00	Pre-Ballet Wed	10:35-10:55	Hip Hop 4	1:15-1:30
Hip Hop 2	6:00-6:10	Pre-Jazz	10:55-11:15	Seniors	1:30-1:40
Jazz 2A Thurs	6:10-6:30	Ballet 1A Wed	11:15-11:30	Jazz 3B	1:40-1:55
Acro 2B	6:30-6:45	Acro 1A Sat	11:30-11:40	Int. Teen Acro	1:55-2:10
Ballet 2B Tues	6:45-7:00	Jazz 1A Wed	11:40-11:55	Ballet 4B Flat	2:10-2:25
Lyrical 1	7:00-7:20	Cheer Dance	11:55-12:05	Ballet 4B Pointe	2:30-2:50
Jazz 2B Tues	7:20-7:35	Acro 1B Tues	12:05-12:20	Lyrical 3	2:50-3:05
Tap 3A	7:35-7:55	Tap 1B	12:20-12:40	Tap 4A	3:05-3:15
Acro 3A	7:55-8:10	Ballet 1B Thurs	12:40-1:00	Ballet 4A Flat	3:15-3:30
Hip Hop 3	8:10-8:25	BREAK	BREAK	Ballet 4A Pointe	3:30-3:45
Ballet 3A	8:25-8:45	Kinder-Tap Thurs	1:40-1:50	Jazz 3A	3:45-4:05
Lyrical 2	8:45-9:00	Tiny Toes 2 Mon	1:50-2:10	Musical Theatre	4:05-4:20
Tap 3B	9:00-9:15	Tiny Toes 1 Mon	2:10-2:30	Ballet 3B	4:20-4:35
		Pre-Ballet Tues	2:30-2:45	Jazz 2B Wed	4:35-4:50
		Pre-Acro	2:45-3:00		
		Ballet 1A Thurs	3:00-3:20		
		Tap 1A	3:20-3:45		
		Acro 1A Thurs	3:45-4:05		
		Jr Hip Hop	4:05-4:25		
		Acro 1B Mon	4:25-4:40		
		Jazz 1A Mon	4:40-5:05		
		Ballet 1B Mon	5:05-5:25		
		Jazz 1B Mon	5:25-5:45		
		Ballet 2A Mon	5:45-6:00		
		Hip Hop 1	6:00-6:10		
		Tap 2B	6:10-6:20		

PLEASE ARRIVE 5-10 MINUTES EARLY TO YOUR CHILD'S SCHEDULED PICTURE TIME. PLAN ON STAYING LATER IF NECESSARY.

INDIVIDUAL CLASS REHEARSALS AT THE RITZ

To better prepare our dancers for the recital and dress rehearsal, each class will first have a 30 minute required practice on the Ritz stage. (Dance Teams each 15 min). This practice helps our dancers to become familiar with the stage space, entrances and exits, etc. **Your child's class rehearsal time is not her/his regular dance class time.** Please make special note of your child's rehearsal time, and remember that we need every student to be at their class rehearsal(s)! Students should come dressed in normal dancewear to class rehearsals, and should arrive 10-15 minutes prior to their scheduled rehearsal time to warm up. Please see the schedule below and mark your calendars for each of your child's rehearsal days and times!

FRIDAY, MAY 19

SR Jazz DT	3:45-4:00
SR Lyrical DT	4:00-4:15
SR Jazz DT	4:15-4:30
Teen Jazz DT	4:30-4:45
Teen Lyrical DT	4:45-5:00
Teen Tap DT	5:00-5:15
Pre-Teen Jazz DT	5:15-5:30
Jr Jazz DT	5:30-5:45
Jr Lyrical DT	5:45-6:00
Minis DT	6:00-6:15
Jr Hip Hop	6:15-6:30
Ballet 4A (Flat)	6:30-7:00
Ballet 4A (Pointe)	7:00-7:30
Lyrical 3	7:30-8:00
Ballet 4B (Flat)	8:00-8:30
Ballet 4B (Pointe)	8:30-9:00

MONDAY, MAY 22

Acro 1B	3:45-4:15
Jr Hip Hop	4:15-4:45
Tiny Toes 2 Mon	4:45-5:15
Tiny Toes 1 Mon	5:15-5:45
Ballet 1B Mon	5:45-6:15
Jazz 1A Mon	6:15-6:45
Jazz 1B Mon	6:45-7:15
Ballet 2A Mon	7:15-7:45
Tap 2B	7:45-8:15
Hip Hop 3	8:15-8:45
Musical Theatre	8:45-9:15

TUESDAY, MAY 23

Pre-Ballet Tues	3:45-4:15
Tumble Tots	4:15-4:45
Pre-Acro	4:45-5:15
Tap 2A	5:15-5:45
Ballet 2A Tues	5:45-6:15
Jazz 1B Tues	6:15-6:45
Jazz 2A Tues	6:45-7:15
Acro 1B Tues	7:15-7:45
Acro 2B	7:45-8:15
Ballet 2B Tues	8:15-8:45
Jazz 2B Tues	8:45-9:15

WEDNESDAY, MAY 24

Ballet 1A Wed	3:45-4:15
Pre-Jazz	4:15-4:45
Tiny Toes 1 Wed	4:45-5:15
Tiny Toes 2 Wed	5:15-5:45
Pre-Ballet Wed	5:45-6:15
Kinder-Tap Wed	6:15-6:45
Jazz 1A Wed	6:45-7:15
Hip Hop 1	7:15-7:45
Pre-Lyrical	7:45-8:15
Jazz 2B Wed	8:15-8:45
Ballet 2B Wed	8:45-9:15

THURSDAY, MAY 25

Ballet 1B Thurs	3:45-4:15
Tap 1B	4:15-4:45
Acro 1A Thurs	4:45-5:15
Kinder-Tap Thurs	5:15-5:45
Ballet 1A Thurs	5:45-6:15
Tap 1A	6:15-6:45
Acro 2A	6:45-7:15
Jazz 2A Thurs	7:15-7:45
Lyrical 1	7:45-8:15
Acro 3A	8:15-8:45
Int Teen Acro	8:45-9:15

FRIDAY, MAY 26

Tiny Toes 1 Sat	3:45-4:15
Hippity Hop	4:15-4:45
Cheer Dance	4:45-5:15
Acro 1A Sat	5:15-5:45
Tap 4B	5:45-6:15
Hip Hop 4	6:15-6:45
Jazz 3B	6:45-7:15
Tap 4A	7:15-7:45
Acro 3B	7:45-8:15
Ballet 5 Flat	8:15-8:45
Ballet 5 Pointe	8:45-9:15

TUESDAY, MAY 30

Ballet 3A	4:00-4:30
Tap 3A	4:30-5:00
Jazz 3A	5:00-5:30
Ballet 3B	5:30-6:00
Lyrical 2	6:00-6:30
Tap 3B	6:30-7:00
Hip Hop 2	7:00-7:30
Jazz 4	7:30-8:00
Lyrical 4	8:00-8:30
Seniors	8:30-9:00

DRESS REHEARSAL MAY 31 & JUNE 1

The dress rehearsal is mandatory for all students dancing in the Recital. Students in Recital #1 (Friday at 7 PM and Saturday at 2 PM) will have a dress rehearsal on Wednesday, May 31st, beginning at 5:30 pm. Students in Recital #2 (Saturday at 7 pm and Sunday at 2 pm) will have a dress rehearsal on Thursday, June 1st, beginning at 5:30 pm. If you are in all four performances, you will need to attend BOTH dress rehearsals.

For the dress rehearsals, students will wear their recital costume, recital tights, dance shoes, and should have their hair worn as instructed. Make-up is optional for the dress rehearsal. Having the dress rehearsal in full costume helps avoid potential costume mishaps that may occur on stage during the actual recital.

We expect each dress rehearsal to run approximately 2½-3 hours. Dancers in Section 1 should arrive to the Ritz no later than 5:15 PM for dress rehearsal (slightly earlier if she/he needs to change). Dancers in Sections 2 will need to arrive no later than 6:15 PM. Students should locate their class's assigned seating area where they will wait until their rehearsal time. Students in multiple dances should report to their first class (according to the recital order). A stage mom or instructor will bring your child's class backstage to line up when it is their time to practice. After dancing, classes will return to their seats until the Finale, after which students who are done practicing will be dismissed. Students in multiple dances will need to quickly change costumes and report to their next class's seating area.

ABOUT THE FINALE:

At each dress rehearsal, we will practice the Finale between Sections 1 and 2 as a convenience, allowing students to leave if their class is finished practicing and they are not in any other dances. Because of the order change of the Finale, your child may not be in the same costume he/she will normally be wearing for Finale at recital.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE DRESS REHEARSAL

- 1.** At the dress rehearsal, only parents listed on your studio account should accompany dancers into the Theatre. Please do not invite other family members and friends to watch rehearsal. **When you arrive at the dress rehearsal, please check in with In Motion staff at the door. If you are personally unable to bring your child to the dress rehearsal, please call us by May 27, or send a signed note (before May 27) letting us know who will be bringing your child.**
- 2.** Parents may video or take pictures at any time during the dress rehearsal.
- 3.** Dancers will have access to the dressing rooms as needed to change costumes during the dress rehearsal.
- 4.** For the dress rehearsal, students will need to sit in the main theatre seats, in the section assigned to their class. Students should sit together by class so our stage moms/instructors can easily locate them when it's time to line up back-stage.
- 5.** During the dress rehearsal, students need to stay seated and quiet. Make sure your dancer understands appropriate behavior during the rehearsal; running up and down the aisles in the theatre will not be permitted.
- 6.** During the dress rehearsal, do not use the parking lots for the Knights of Columbus, Bair Brothers, or Elmwood. If you park in these lots, you may be towed!

2017 RECITAL - "WEATHER OR NOT TO DANCE"

RECITAL #1: FRI 7 PM/ SAT 2 PM

RECITAL #2: SAT 7 PM/ SUN 2 PM

SECTION 1:	SECTION 1:
1. ACRO 1B MON - "WEATHER FOR THE BETTER"	1. ACRO 1B TUES - "THUNDER"
2. PRE-ACRO - "SNOW DAY"	2. TUMBLE TOTS - "GREASED LIGHTNING"
3. DT- TEEN TAP - "SAX " - FRI 7 PM ONLY	3. INT. TEEN ACRO - "IT'S RAINING MEN"
3. DT- JR JAZZ - "RED BALLOON" - SAT 2 PM ONLY	
4. BALLET 4A (FLAT) - "DOG DAYS ARE OVER"	4. HIP HOP 4 - "PRECIP MIX"
5. JAZZ 1B MON - "LET IT SNOW"	5. BALLET 3A THURS - "CANDLE IN THE WIND"
6. ACRO 3B - "FROZEN"	6. BALLET 2A TUES - "HERE COMES THE SUN"
7. TINY TOES 1 MON - "LITTLE BLACK RAIN CLOUD"	7. TINY TOES 1 WED - "LITTLE BLACK RAIN CLOUD"
8. HIPHITY HOP - "ICE ICE BABY"	8. TAP 1B - "PENNIES FROM HEAVEN"
9. JAZZ 2A THUR - "HOT STUFF"	9. DT- SR JAZZ - "SICK" SAT 7 PM ONLY
	9. DT- SR LYRICAL - "GIVE US A LITTLE LOVE " SUN 2 PM ONLY
10. JAZZ 1A MON - "SHAKE SENORA"	10. LYRICAL 3 - "DROUGHT"
11. JAZZ 2B TUE - "WRITTEN IN THE WATER"	11. BALLET 2B WED - "STORMS IN AFRICA"
12. BALLET 3B - "A FOGGY DAY IN LONDON TOWN"	12. JAZZ 2B WED - "RUMBLE AND SWAY"
13. BALLET 4A (POINTE) - "DARK WALTZ"	13. TINY TOES 2 WED - "MR. HEATMISER"
14. TINY TOES 1 SAT - "RAYS OF SUNSHINE"	14. BALLET 1A WED - "SUNNY DAY"
15. TAP 1A - "GREASED LIGHTNING"	15. TAP 4B - "THUNDER"
16. TINY TOES 2 MON - "MR. HEATMISER"	16. CHEER DANCE - "HURRICANE"
17. BALLET 2A MON - "COLORS OF THE WIND"	17. BALLET 1B THURS - "ARABIAN NIGHTS"
18. LYRICAL 1 - "SNOW"	18. PRE-LYRICAL - "HAVE YOU EVER SEEN THE RAIN?"
19. JAZZ 4 - "CHASING TWISTERS"	19. ACRO 3A - "TORNADO"
INTERMISSION- 15 MINUTES	20. DT- SR TAP - "RAMALAMA" SAT 7 PM ONLY
SECTION 2:	INTERMISSION- 15 MINUTES
20. ACRO 1A THUR - "HURRICANE"	SECTION 2:
21. ACRO 2B - "SUNGLASSES"	20. ACRO 1A SAT - "NOT ANOTHER EARTHQUAKE"
22. MUSICAL THEATRE - "AIR CONDITIONER"	21. ACRO 2A - "UMBRELLA"
23. HIP HOP 3 - "THUNDER"	22. JAZZ 3B - "LIGHTNING"
24. BALLET 5 (FLAT) - "CLIMATE SONG"	23. BALLET 5 (POINTE) - "STORMS IN THE OCEAN"
25. PRE-BALLET TUES - "RAINBOW CONNECTION"	24. TAP 3A - "CALL ME THE BREEZE"
26. BALLET 1A THURS - "SOMEWHERE OVER THE RAINBOW"	25. KINDER-TAP WED - "SWAMP STOMP"
27. BALLET 1B MON - "ARABIAN NIGHTS"	26. PRE-JAZZ - "JET SET"
28. JAZZ 3A - "SUNLIGHT"	27. BALLET 4B (FLAT) - "SKYFALL"
29. BALLET 2B TUES - "STORMS IN AFRICA"	28. JAZZ 2A TUES - "HOT"
30. LYRICAL 4 - "STONE COLD"	29. HIP HOP 2 - "LET IT SNOW"
31. TAP 2B - "TRICKLE TRICKLE"	30. LYRICAL 2 - "DON'T LET THE SUN COME DOWN ON ME"
32. KINDER-TAP THURS - "THUNDER GOES AWAY"	31. JAZZ 1A WED - "SNOW DAY"
33. JR HIP HOP - "CYCLONE"	32. BALLET 4B (POINTE)- "ANOTHER ONE BITES THE DUST"
34. TAP 4A - "THERMOMETER"	33. PRE-BALLET WED - "RAINBOW CONNECTION"
35. HIP HOP 1 - "TEMPERATURE"	34. JAZZ 1B TUES - "KNOCK ON WOOD"
36. DT - JR HIP HOP - "PEP RALLY" FRI 7PM ONLY	35. TAP 2A - "MR. BLUE SKY"
36. DT - MINIS - "MAKE SOME NOISE" SAT 2 PM ONLY	
37. SENIOR DANCE	36. TAP 3B - "ENTER SANDMAN"
38. DT -PRE-TEEN JAZZ - "CALL THE LAW" FRI 7 PM ONLY	37. SENIOR DANCE
38. DT -JR LYRICAL - "SWEET CHILD O' MINE" SAT 2 PM ONLY	
	38. DT TEEN LYRICAL - "RAINS OF CASTAMERE" SAT 7 PM ONLY
	38. DT TEEN JAZZ - "CASTLE" SUN 2 PM ONLY
FINALE- ALL DANCERS	FINALE -ALL DANCERS

RECITAL TICKETS

Pre-sale ticket codes will be distributed the week of April 3rd through April 8th to our studio families. You will need this code to purchase your pre-sale tickets. Please know this code may only be entered once! Be sure to select seats for all shows your child is dancing in before checking out. **Enter the code in the "PRIORITY CODE" box on the first screen, NOT in the 4-Digit "COUPON CODE" box when checking out. Your pre-sale code is case sensitive, so be sure to enter your code exactly as it appears.** There is a limit of five pre-sale tickets per performance per family, and you will need to print out your tickets after you purchase them and present them at the door on recital weekend. As in previous years, there is a time limit to complete your ticket order, and a 15-minute limit will apply this year. That 15 minutes, however, does not begin until you place your tickets in your shopping cart. **Pre-sale ticket sales will begin Tuesday, April 25th at 9:00 AM and will continue through Monday, May 1st.**

To purchase tickets, simply click on the ticket link on our website: inmotiondancestudio.net, and follow the prompts. You will be able to select performances and seats and place them in your virtual shopping cart. All tickets are \$10.50. **Please carefully check the recital schedule to ensure you and family/friends are purchasing tickets for the correct performance!** Refunds and/or returns cannot be honored. Studio families may purchase additional recital tickets once general ticket sales begin on May 2. No code is required during general sales.

Any tickets still available after general sales ends (on June 1 at 8 PM), can be purchased at the door for \$12/each. We will accept cash/checks at the door.

RECITAL: JUNE 2, 3, 4

Our recital weekend includes four performances at the Ritz Theatre in Tiffin. Each class performs in two out of the four performances with the exception of Seniors and Ballet 5. Classes in Recital #1 perform Friday night, June 2, at 7:00 PM, and Saturday Afternoon, June 3, at 2:00 PM. Classes in Recital #2 perform Saturday night, June 3, at 7:00 PM, and Sunday afternoon, June 4, at 2:00 PM.

Students need to arrive at the Ritz Theatre 45 minutes before show time. (Note some acro classes may be instructed to arrive earlier.) Please enter through the far left glass door (when facing the front of the Ritz Theatre) labeled "Dancers Enter Here." Dancers should report to their assigned dressing room (of first dance) and remain with their class until further instructed by a stage mom or instructor. During this time, dancers may touch up hair and make-up or change into costumes. If it is raining, wearing costumes to the Theatre is not recommended. Also, please do not allow dancers to eat while wearing their costumes!

During the recital, students are expected to stay for the entire show and participate in the Finale. At no time during the performance or Intermission should students leave to sit with family/friends in the audience or visit the concession stand. Please make sure your child understands these rules. Students should use the restrooms backstage instead of the Theatre's public restrooms.

At the recital, students will need to wear their hair as instructed (you will know your child's hair instructions the week before picture weekend). Please make sure hair is sprayed or gelled well, and use bobby pins to secure any loose hairs. If your child has a hair accessory with her costume, please secure it in tightly with bobby pins so it does not fall off during the dance. All dancers need to wear make-up during the recital, as stage lights wash out skin color. We recommend using foundation (a half shade darker than normal skin color), blush, eye shadow, mascara (not on little ones), eyeliner, lipstick (not pale colors), and bronzer if skin is pale.

Regular underwear and bras can be visible under costumes on stage. If your daughter will need a dance bra, nude leotard, or dance brief, please visit the studio dance shop inside the main studio office during our office hours. Also, be sure to check your child's dance shoes to make sure they are not too tight! We recommend purchasing these items at least one month before Recital.

During the recital, we will have numerous volunteers and stage moms in charge of supervising many of our classes backstage. If there is room in the balcony, we may allow older students to watch the show during times they have long breaks. For younger students, there will be coloring books and crayons to help pass the time, and, if necessary, we will play a movie for our little ones while they are waiting in their dressing rooms. Students may want to bring a small, quiet game or activity for while they are waiting.

Because of dancers changing costumes throughout recital, only females will be allowed in the dressing room areas backstage at the Theatre. Moms should come backstage during recital, to assist younger children with costume changes. We also ask that snacks not be brought into the dressing rooms (we have multiple students with food allergies). A safe and mess-free snack (such as animal crackers and pretzels) will be provided to our dancers in the little kid dressing room and National Theatre. **Students should bring their own water bottle** (with secured lid) to help stay hydrated while waiting. Be sure to label with your child's name.

For the safety of our dancers, please refrain from using video recorders and cameras during recital. Please pass this information along to family and friends who will be attending! Pictures can be taken before and after the show.

During recital weekend, the outside doors to the Ritz Theatre will open to the public one hour before each performance. The inside lobby doors will open 45 minutes before show time, when general seating begins. Recital programs and flowers can be purchased in the Ritz lobby during each performance.

FOLLOWING RECITAL

After recital, students who are at least 10 years old will be allowed to exit the back-stage areas on their own to find their parents. Please decide on a specific meeting place to meet prior to recital weekend! Students younger than ten years old (with the exception of little ones) will return back to their dressing room and be picked up by mom. Students in Tiny Toes 1 and 2, Pre-Ballet, K-Tap and Tumble Tots will remain on stage and wait to be picked up by Mom or Dad. We ask for your patience getting backstage after the show! Before you and your dancer leave the dressing rooms, make sure you have picked up all personal items.

RECITAL AWARDS AND RECOGNITIONS

Since the recital includes four performances, and those performances include different classes, In Motion presents its yearly awards and recognitions as follows. At the conclusions of Sunday's show, the studio's 2017 graduating seniors, assistants, and staff will be recognized. Our 10 & 15 Year Students will be recognized following two separate performances, Friday night and Saturday night.

HELPFUL TIPS & REMINDERS FOR RECITAL

1. No videotaping or taking pictures during recital performances. You may video or take pictures during dress rehearsals.
2. No underwear or bras under costumes. Nude dance bras, nude leotards, and nude dance briefs are allowed and can be purchased in the studio office before Recital.
3. Please label all dance shoes, tights, costumes and accessories with your child's initials.
4. Due to food allergies, do not bring snacks to recital. **Please bring a small water bottle with a lid.** In Motion will provide animal crackers/pretzels to younger students if needed.
5. Dancers are not permitted in the audience or lobby or at the concession stand at any time during the recital.
6. Please be sure your child uses the restroom before recital. Students should use the restrooms backstage only.
7. Dancers enter through the far left glass door on the front of the Ritz building labeled "dancers enter here." Dancers should use this door throughout recital week.
8. Only females are allowed backstage and into the dressing rooms. Do not bring children or family members with you. 9. We ask that moms only come back stage to assist young children with costume changes.
10. Please double-tie tap shoe ribbons and tuck ballet shoe strings into shoes before recital.
11. Please be respectful and pick up after yourself while at the Ritz.
12. Students should bring a quiet game or activity while they wait in the dressing rooms.
13. Make sure all hair accessories are secured in place with bobby pins.
14. Students must stay for the entire recital and Finale. If there is a special reason or circumstance for which you must leave early, please submit that reason on paper to Jenny by May 15 for approval.
15. Please be respectful to our volunteers and stage moms who are helping during recital. They have a big job! Be courteous to others in your dressing room.
16. Only enter or exit between dances in the Theatre to avoid blocking the view of others watching.
17. Remember the most important part of Recital HAVE FUN!!!

***THANKS FOR TAKING THE TIME TO READ THIS INFORMATION.
WE ARE EXCITED TO HAVE YOU PART OF THIS YEAR'S RECITAL!!!***

2017 RECITAL T-SHIRT ORDER FORM- DUE APRIL 22nd

NAME OF STUDENT/S: _____ 1ST CLASS OF WEEK: _____
(STARTING WITH MONDAY)

PLEASE WRITE THE NUMBER OF SHIRTS YOU WOULD LIKE TO ORDER, NEXT TO THE SIZE YOU WANT TO ORDER. SAMPLE T-SHIRT SIZES WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE STUDIO OFFICE FOR SIZING PURPOSES.

CHILD SIZES:

_____ SC (6-8)
_____ MC (10-12)
_____ LC (14-16)

ADULT SIZES:

_____ SA _____ XLA
_____ MA _____ 2XLA (\$2.00 MORE)
_____ LA _____ 3XLA (\$2.00 MORE)

RECITAL T-SHIRT COST IS \$13.00 EACH

***PAID WITH:** CASH _____ CHECK # _____ (checks made out to In Motion) CREDIT CARD _____

CREDIT CARD # _____
VISA/ M/C/ DISCOVER: _____ EXP DATE _____
SEC CODE _____
CARDHOLDER'S SIGNATURE _____

RECITAL T-SHIRTS WILL BE HANDED OUT MAY 15th- 20th.
RECITAL T-SHIRTS WILL HAVE THE 2017 RECITAL DESIGN ON FRONT OF SHIRT.

MESSAGE AD FORM – DUE APRIL 27th

NAME OF DANCER(S) AD IS FOR: _____

WHICH INDIVIDUAL CLASS PICTURE WOULD YOU LIKE TO USE? PLEASE LIST ONE CLASS: _____

NAME OF PERSON PLACING AD: _____

PHONE NUMBER IN CASE OF QUESTIONS: _____

PLEASE WRITE THE TEXT BELOW EXACTLY AS YOU WOULD LIKE IT TO APPEAR IN THE AD. INCLUDE WHO AD IS TO AND WHO IT IS FROM. THE AD SPACE IS 4 INCHES WIDE BY 1 INCH TALL. THIS CAN FIT APPROXIMATELY 4 SMALL LINES OF TEXT. WE RECOMMEND KEEPING THE MESSAGE SIMPLE AND SHORT.

*We will choose a font for your ad **unless** you specify one below. (Microsoft Word fonts only)*
**FONT PREFERENCE:* _____

MESSAGE ADS ARE \$15.00 EACH

PAID WITH: CASH _____ CHECK# _____ CREDIT CARD _____ (MC, VISA, DISCOVER)

CREDIT CARD # _____
VISA/ M/C/ DISCOVER: _____ EXP DATE _____
SEC CODE _____
CARDHOLDER'S SIGNATURE _____