

IMPORTANT INFORMATION ABOUT THE REHEARSAL AND RECITAL

Again this year, we will have our recital at the State Theatre/Regional Arts Center in downtown Eau Claire. There are FOUR separate recitals. The dates and times are as follows:
(Your class recital date/time is highlighted below)

RECITAL: SATURDAY, JUNE 13TH AT 1:00 P.M. (REHEARSAL THURSDAY, JUNE 11TH)

RECITAL: SATURDAY, JUNE 13TH AT 6:00 P.M. (REHEARSAL THURSDAY, JUNE 11TH)

RECITAL: SUNDAY, JUNE 14TH AT 1:00P.M. (REHEARSAL FRIDAY, JUNE 12TH)

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*****En Avant will be charging \$2. per person in addition to the E.C.R.A.C.'s \$2 maintenance fee, for a total of \$4. at the door. Recital weekend is also counted as one lesson which you are charged in June.

*****To avoid long lines at the door on recital day, you may purchase tickets in advance at the dress rehearsal, or through the ECRAC ticket office any time the week of recital.

*****For your convenience, flowers will be available in the lobby at all recitals. All profits from flower sales go to Regis High School.

*******Attached is a print out of your account. For those of you with multiple children/ classes, May/June lessons are itemized by class and child. The total at the bottom of your statement reflects your total account balance. All account balances must be paid in full by Wed June 10th.**

*******Also attached is the rehearsal schedule. This relates in NO WAY to the actual recital schedule. We have carefully planned the schedule and hope to stay on time, so please come a few minutes early. During the rehearsal, the students may sit in the auditorium and watch the other classes perform until they are called backstage.**

*****All pictures requiring flash or movie lights must be taken during the rehearsal. ABSOLUTELY NO FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY will be allowed during the recital, as it is a distraction to the audience and dancers.

*****Absolutely no students will be allowed in the auditorium in costume at any time before or during the recital. Older students who are only in one dance may watch the other half of the recital provided that they are not in costume. They must also sit in the back of the auditorium or the balcony, so they do not disrupt the audience or other dancers.

*****Absolutely no food or beverages allowed in the auditorium at any time. In the dressing rooms, please bring only food or beverages that cannot damage costumes if they are spilled. (i.e. water and pretzels) Be responsible and clean up after yourself. Remember that different girls use the dressing rooms for each show, so bring everything home after your rehearsal and bring it back for the recital.

*****Kids will need help pinning tutus, fixing shoes, putting on headpieces, make-up etc. The best way to know your child is ready to perform is to go down to the dressing room and make sure yourself, especially if you have 4-9 yr. olds performing.

*****Children should not wear underwear with their costumes. Older girls who wish to wear underwear must make sure it will not show. No jewelry or watches are to be worn either.

*******ALL GIRLS MUST WEAR THEIR HAIR UP FOR BALLET DANCES** if it is long enough. Even short hair must be pulled away from the face.

*****Because the intense stage lights used on stage fade skin tones and features, it is vital that all dancers wear a considerable amount of make-up. Most important items are eye shadow mascara, rouge, and bright lipstick.

*****All students must wear complete costume and make-up for both rehearsal and recital.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION! Mary Liz & Heather