

# RECITAL HANDBOOK



Elevate Dance

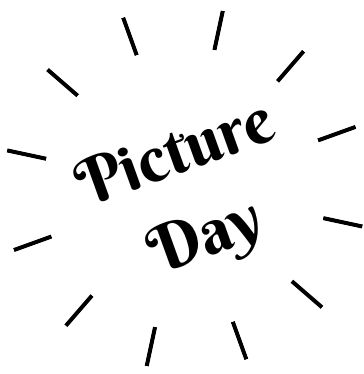
*Sensational Six*

Sixth Annual Recital

June 1, 2024

Wilmot HS

All information in this packet will be available to you on the parent portal and on our website. Please make sure to mark your calendars with all the upcoming dates for your dancer. If you have any questions, please contact the front desk and we will be happy to assist you.



# Elevate Dance will be using the photography services of Doug Dienelt Photography.

Recital pictures will be taken on Sunday, May 5, 2024 at Elevate Dance.

Photo appointments are scheduled in 10~20 minute increments depending on class size. Please bring your child at least **5 minutes before** your scheduled appointment. Dancers should be in costume, dance shoes and tights, with hair and make-up done to your styling.

## What Your Picture Day Looks Like

All pre-orders, orders and viewing is done through Doug Dienelt Photography's online proofing system, which works great on both computers and smartphones.

Before picture day you will be provided a custom postcard. Parent/student information will be gathered prior to picture day to help this day run smoothly.

On picture day, dancers will be able to see big posing banners which helps with some last minute confidence and inspiration. This greatly improves picture day speed. Posing will be done by a dance school staff member or the photography staff. The large screen available on set quickly shows the images taken and is always a favorite for dancers and staff.

After picture day, photos begin being processed immediately. Doug Dienelt Photography works quickly to review every image and make any adjustments needed. Within 14 days or less, all photos will be uploaded to the studio gallery. Information will be sent to parents with details on how to get into their private galleries. Parents can view their photos and purchase just the ones they want.

Each class will have a group photo taken along with an individual photo. Parents will not be allowed past studio doors as per the photographer's request unless needed to capture the perfect picture. **While taking an individual photo is not required, we would like everyone to come in for each class photo.**

\*\* If you have picture times back to back, we will have you take your individual picture first so you have time to make costume changes. \*\*

# PICTURE DAY SCHEDULE

## SUNDAY, MAY 5TH IN STUDIO 1

CLASS DAY/TIME	PICTURE TIME
Dancing Tots - Wednesday 9:45	9:00 AM
Debut Ballet - Monday 4:30	9:10 AM
Pre Ballet/Tap - Wednesday 12:30	9:25 AM
Debut Jazz - Wednesday 4:45	9:35 AM
Dancing Tots - Thursday 4:30	9:55 AM
Debut Tap - Tuesday 4:30	10:10 AM
Debut Lyrical - Wednesday 5:30	10:20 AM
Primary Tap - Thursday 5:00	10:30 AM
Pre Ballet/Tap - Wednesday 9:00	10:50 AM
Ballet 1 - Monday 5:15	11:05 AM
Pre Ballet/Tap - Friday 4:30	11:25 AM
Pre Ballet/Tap - Saturday 9:30	11:45 AM
Ballet 2- Wednesday 6:15	12:05 PM
Debut Ballet & Tap - Friday 5:15/6:00	12:20 PM
Advanced/Elite Tap - Thursday 8:00	12:40 PM
Debut Hip Hop - Thursday 5:00	12:55 PM
Ballet 6 and Pointe 2 - Monday 6:30 and 8:00	1:15 PM
Intermediate Tap - Tuesday 7:30	1:30 PM
Primary Jazz - Monday 6:00	1:40 PM
Ballet 3 - Wednesday 7:15	2:00 PM
Advanced Jazz - Tuesday 7:30	2:15 PM
Primary Lyrical - Monday 5:15	2:30 PM
Ballet 4 - Wednesday 4:30	2:45 PM
Elite Jazz - Thursday 9:00	3:00 PM
Intermediate Hip Hop - Thursday 5:45	3:10 PM
Advanced Contemporary - Tuesday 8:30	3:25 AM
Advanced Hip Hop - Thursday 7:15	3:40 AM
Intermediate Lyrical - Wednesday 8:15	3:55 PM
Advanced Lyrical - Monday 8:00	4:10 PM
Elite Lyrical - Monday 8:45	4:20 PM
Intermediate Jazz- Thursday 8:00	4:35 PM
Primary Contemporary - Tuesday 5:15	4:50 PM
Ballet 5 and Pointe 1 - Wednesday 6:15 and 7:15	5:05 PM

**If you would like to have a sibling photo taken, that can be arranged while others are getting their individual pictures taken.**

**Please let Ms. Lisa know of sibling pictures when you arrive.**

## Hair:

All ballet classes will wear a low bun at the base of the neck. Lyrical, Jazz, Tap and Hip Hop classes will wear a low pony tail at base of the neck. If you are in multiple dances you can switch between the pony and a bun if time allows. AIM Company

Members wear company hair style and put in a bun for studio ballet classes.

Dancing Tots and Pre Ballet/Tap classes must have hair pulled back away from face as much as possible for the amount of hair that they have.

## Make-up:

Ages 2.5-8 years old: Light make-up, blush and lip gloss. Ages 9 and up: Please wear stage make-up, which is a little heavier than normal everyday make-up.

AIM Company members should wear full competition make-up.

## Shoes and Tights

For your convenience, Elevate Dance will be creating a Recital 2024 Dress Code requirement through Discount Dance. We will have your required shoe style and tight color/style posted on our website. The front desk will also have a list of what your dancer needs for their class. Please be aware that some dancers might need more than one pair as the color/style might change depending on the styles of dance they are in. This will be updated as costumes are handed out. The link will be on our website.

## Costumes

Please note any alterations to be done must be done before picture day. Costumes are not to be worn to classes or at home. Replacement costumes may not be available, and if they are, it could cost twice the original amount due to shipping times.

## Ticket Sales

Recital tickets will go on sale Monday, May 6 at the front desk. Tickets are **\$15.00 each**. Tickets sold at the door the day of recital will be **\$20.00 each**. If you purchase 10 or more tickets prices are \$12.00 a ticket. Anyone who is in a seat needs a ticket. Tickets must all be bought at the same time to get the discounted price. Seats for the recital will be available "first come first serve", however, there is no bad seat in this auditorium. We do not have a limit of how many tickets you can purchase, so invite your whole family!!

## **Media Fee**

Welsh Video has been contracted to video record the 2024 Recital! Each dancer will be charged a Media Fee of \$30.00 that will be due on May 15th. This fee provides your family unlimited access to all recital downloads. Sit back and enjoy the show knowing Welsh Video will provide you with the following services: Each dancer will receive a link to watch the video and to pass along to as many people as they like. Two-camera coverage. A 3-Chip broadcast camera for close ups and another camera in back for full stage shots. Opening sequence set to music with titles in the beginning of the video. Closing credits listing the Elevate Dance Staff involved. Closing sequence set to music. Personal videotaping and flash photography is PROHIBITED during the Dance Recital.

Fee is per dancer and is set by the videographer.

## **Class Chaperone**

Each class will be required to have at least 1 volunteer chaperone. The chaperone will not require a ticket for the show. We will have all dancers sitting in the auditorium to watch the recital and they will be escorted back stage 4 numbers before they are set to dance on stage.

A class chaperone's duties include...

- Sitting with the class throughout the entire duration of the recital.
- Taking the class to the washroom.
- Assisting with costume and shoes (if required).
- Staying with the class until each child has been picked up after the performance.

A sign-up sheet for class chaperones will be available at the front desk. Dancers are not allowed to sit with parents with the exception of the Dancing Tots class.

## **Dress Rehearsal**

Dress Rehearsal will be on Friday, May 31, 2024 at Wilmot Union High School located at 11112 308th Ave, Wilmot, WI 53192.

See the last page of the packet for what show you are in and what rehearsal you will have to attend. Dress rehearsal is in FULL costume, hair, tights and shoes.

Dancers will sit in the auditorium in assigned areas. Once they dance onstage they may leave. Please have only 1 person bring your dancer to the dress rehearsal.

Dress Rehearsal will be run in show order. Each class will run their dance once unless stage blocking is needed. We are very limited on our time so we cannot wait for late arrivals or re-run classes who had people missing.

## Recital Day

Our sixth annual Dance Recital "Sensational Six" will be held on Saturday, June 1, 2024 at Wilmot Union High School located at 11112 308th Ave, Wilmot, WI 53192.

The show times are 10:00am, 12:30pm & 3:30pm. On the day of the recital we ask that families arrive no earlier than 30 minutes before show time. Dancers must be in their costumes (if possible), tights, shoes and make-up. Please do not come to the theater expecting to have time to do your dancer's hair and make-up.

Performers will be escorted to their reserved seating area with their class chaperone. Elevate Dance will have staff and volunteers on-site to escort your dancer(s) backstage and return them to their assigned seating after they are done on stage. Dancing Tots classes will sit in the auditorium with their parents until they are called up by Ms. Lisa. After they are done dancing they will be escorted back to their parents in the auditorium.

Dressing rooms will be available for our dancers who have multiple costume changes. Younger dancers will not be allowed in the dressing rooms.

Each show will end with a group bow with all dancers and staff on stage. We ask that you remain for the entire recital, as this is part of the video recording. If you are dancing in two or more shows, you have the choice of leaving the school and getting a snack or staying and eating a packed lunch.

As asked by the school, ONLY water is allowed in the dressing rooms. All other food and beverages must be kept outside the dressing rooms and auditorium.

There is a cafeteria area available.

I know this is a lot of information. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask the front desk or leave a message for me. With all of us working together, and with your patience and understanding, I am confident that we will have the most successful recital. Lisa Stay - Owner/Instructor

# Who is in what show

This is not the show order or dress rehearsal order.

The show order will be released closer to the actual Dress Rehearsal and Recital. Speciality and AIM dances will be added and sent to company members via e-mail.

**Dress Rehearsal 5/31 - 5:00pm**  
**Arrive at 4:45pm**  
**Recital 6/1 - 10:00am**  
**Doors open at 9:30am**

Adult Tap
Ballet 1 - Monday 5:15
Dancing Tots - Thursday 4:30
Dancing Tots - Wednesday 9:45
Debut Ballet - Monday 4:30
Debut Hip Hop - Thursday 5:00
Pre Ballet/Tap - Wednesday 9:00
Primary Contemporary - Tuesday 5:15
Primary Jazz - Monday 6:00
Primary Tap - Thursday 5:00
Ballet 6/Pointe - Monday 6:30
Pointe 2 - Monday 8:00

**Dress Rehearsal 5/31 - 6:15pm**  
**Arrive at 6:00pm**  
**Recital 6/1 - 12:30pm**  
**Doors open at 12:00pm**

Advanced Jazz - Tuesday 7:30
Advanced/Elite Tap - Thursday 8:00
Ballet 3 - Wednesday 7:15
Ballet 4 - Wednesday 4:30
Debut Ballet - Friday 5:15
Debut Lyrical- Wednesday 5:30
Debut Tap - Friday 6:00
Elite Lyrical - Monday 8:45
Intermediate Hip Hop - Thursday 5:45
Intermediate Jazz- Thursday 8:00
Intermediate Lyrical - Wednesday 8:15
Pre Ballet/Tap - Saturday 9:30
Pre Ballet/Tap - Wednesday 12:30

**Dress Rehearsal 5/31 - 7:30pm**  
**Arrive at 7:15pm**  
**Recital 6/1 - 3:30pm**  
**Doors open at 3:00pm**

Adult Contemporary
Advanced Contemporary - Tuesday 8:30
Advanced Hip Hop - Thursday 7:15
Advanced Lyrical - Monday 8:00
Ballet 2- Wednesday 6:15
Ballet 5 - Wednesday 6:15
Debut Jazz - Wednesday 4:45
Debut Tap - Tuesday 4:30
Elite Jazz - Thursday 9:00
Intermediate Tap - Tuesday 7:30
Pointe 1 - Wednesday 7:45
Pre Ballet/Tap - Friday 4:30
Primary Lyrical - Monday 5:15

Keep your eye open for an email for recital gifts that you pre-purchase and pick up on recital day!!

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### **RECITAL BOUQUET**

Twelve long-stem roses with baby's breath.  
Available in a large variety of colors.



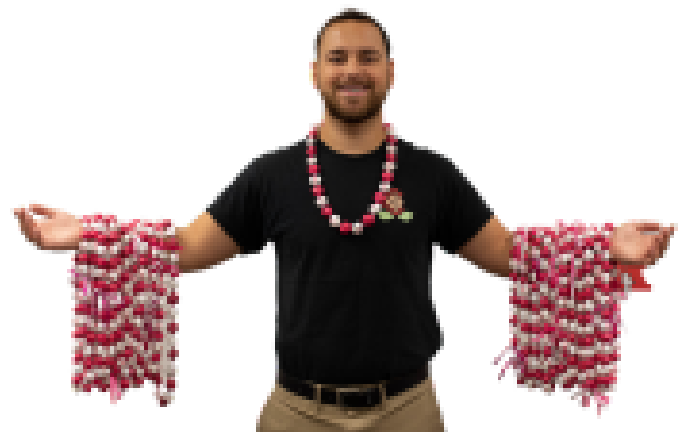
### **RECITAL T-SHIRT**

T-shirt featuring all dancers listed on the back and studio logo on the front.



### **HALF DOZEN BOUQUET**

Six long-stem roses with baby's breath.



### **DANCERS KUKUI NECKLACE**

A lei made of painted kukui nuts, celebrating your dancer.



### **DANCING BEARS**

Twelve-inch plush teddy bear in a dancing tutu outfit.

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