

2010 Recital and End of Year Information



Recital Date: **Monday June 21, 2010 6:30pm-9:30pm**

Dress Rehearsal: **Thursday June 17, 2010 5:00-9:00pm** (1st half)
Friday June 18, 2010 5:00-9:00pm (2nd half)

Location: **Walled Lake Central High School,**
1600 Oakley Park Rd, Walled Lake MI (*map attached*)

End of Year Picnic: **Wednesday June 23, 5:00-7:30pm**
Jaycee Park, Plymouth

All dancers must be backstage in their first costume with hair and makeup on by 5:30pm the day of the show. Parents can drop children off and either stay in the lobby of the school or return at show time. **Doors to the auditorium will not be opened until 6:00pm.**

During the show please make sure you enter and exit the auditorium only between numbers or during the 15-minute intermission. Ushers will not allow admittance to the auditorium while a dance is in progress.

Video Magic Productions will again be videotaping our recital. Order forms are available at the front desk and at recital. **NO VIDEO CAMERAS ARE ALLOWED IN THE AUDITORIUM,** and please no flash photography during the show as it is distracting to audience members and dancers on stage.

Please check the spelling of your dancers name on the recital lineup and give any corrections to Ms Rita by June 4.

Backstage moms are needed for all Combo and Level 1, 2 and 3 classes. Backstage moms will be responsible for helping with hair, makeup and costumes and chaperoning their group backstage from 5:30pm until all kids are picked up by their parents (either after their last number or until the end of the show). Backstage moms do not need to purchase a ticket for the recital and will be able to watch their group from the wings.

Immediately following the last number of the recital, all teachers, teaching assistants and award nominees will be recognized on stage and award/scholarship winners will be announced. If your dancer is nominated for an award please make sure they are backstage before the final number of the show begins. Award nominees will be notified by June 11.

Join us for the Metro Dance End of Year Potluck Picnic in Jaycee Park in downtown Plymouth, Wednesday June 23, 5:00-7:30pm. The park has a play structure, basketball hoops, a baseball diamond, soccer nets, a volleyball net and picnic tables. We hope all dancers and families will be able to join us to celebrate a fantastic year and we ask that everyone brings a dish to pass.

During ticket pre-sale and until June 1 recital programs are available for preorder for \$10. Additional books will be available first come-first serve during the recital for \$12. A copy of the 2009 recital program is available to view at the front desk. Anyone purchasing a "Dancer Ad" for their dancer receives a free program. Dancer Ads are \$25 and due to Ms Rita by June 4. Anyone selling/purchasing a business advertisement in the recital program receives a free Dancer Ad and recital program.

Backstage, the Company parent fundraising group is pre-selling flower bouquets to be picked up at recital. Order forms are available at the front desk.

Dress rehearsal is scheduled for Thursday June 17, 5:00pm-9:00pm and Friday June 18, 5:00-8:30pm at Walled Lake Central High School. **ALL DANCERS PARTICIPATING IN THE RECITAL MUST ATTEND DRESS REHEARSAL.** Please see the attached recital lineup and dress rehearsal schedule. All dancers should be in the auditorium stretched and ready to perform 30 minutes prior to their scheduled time incase we are running ahead. This is a FULL dress rehearsal meaning dancers must have the correct hair, makeup, shoes, tights and accessories and costumes should be pressed and performance ready.

Tryouts for the 2010-2011 competition team will be held during the summer in the studio. This group is for experienced dancers ages 8+ and dancers perform at 3-4 local dance competitions in the spring. Details to come...

Register now for summer lessons! The summer session runs July 12 – August 20 with classes in ballet, tap, jazz, hip hop, yoga, ballroom, cheer dance, contemporary and combo classes. Adult beginning ballet, intermediate ballet, pointe, hip hop cardio, tap, pilates, yoga and swing dancing also available. Complete schedule and registration forms are available in the studio and online at **www.MetroDanceCompany.com**. We'll also hold our 3rd annual Masters Dance Intensive this summer, August 23-26. Watch the website for details.

This has been a great year! We hope you and your dancer have enjoyed it. We look forward to seeing everyone at the recital!

Important Upcoming Dates

Tue May 25 – Thur May 27	Recital Ticket Pre Sale
Sat May 29- Mon May 31	No Class - Memorial Day
Tue June 1	Final Tuition Payment Due
Fri June 4	Dancer Ads and Business Ads Due
Thur June 10	Last Day of Thursday Classes
Mon June 14	Last Day of Monday Classes
Tue June 15	Last Day of Tuesday Classes
Wed June 16	Last Day of Wednesday Classes
Thur June 17	Dress Rehearsal – 1st HALF Walled Lake Central HS
Fri June 18	Dress Rehearsal – 2nd HALF Walled Lake Central HS
Sat June 19	Last Day of Saturday Classes
Mon June 21	RECITAL Walled Lake Central HS
Wed June 23	End of Year Picnic
Thur June 24	Nationals Rehearsal In Studio
Mon Jun 28- Fri Jul 2	Hall of Fame National Competition Pheasant Run, St Charles (Chicago) IL
Mon July 12	6-Week Summer Lessons Begin
Mon Aug 23- Thur Aug 26	3rd Annual Masters Dance Intensive In Studio
Mon Sep 13	Fall 2010 Classes Begin!

WALLED LAKE CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL

A: 541 S Mill St, Plymouth, MI 48170-1826

1: Start out going SOUTH on S MILL ST/N LILLEY RD toward MARIA DR. 0.7 mi

2: Turn LEFT onto ANN ARBOR RD E.1.2 mi

3: Merge onto I-275 N toward FLINT. 7.8 mi

4: Take the M-5 N/I-696/M-5 E exit, EXIT 165, toward GRAND RIVER AVE/PORT HURON.0.4 mi

5: Take the exit on the LEFT toward I-696/PORT HURON.0.4 mi

6: Take the M-5 N exit on the LEFT.1.3 mi

7: Merge onto MI-5 N.5.0 mi

8: Turn LEFT onto N PONTIAC TRL.0.6 mi

9: Turn RIGHT onto WELCH RD.1.3 mi

10: Turn LEFT onto E OAKLEY PARK RD.0.6 mi

11: End at 1600 E Oakley Park Rd Commerce Township, MI 48390-5509

Estimated Time: 25 minutes Estimated Distance: 19.31 miles

