

Razzle Dazzle Snazzy Jazzy Vegas Big Show - 2019 Dance Show

Stage Rehearsal Friday, June 21, 2019

Our Stage Rehearsal enables us to set the music, lighting, and stage directions for the dancers. **Dancers in Lil Showstoppers (Tuesday 6:30PM, Saturday 9:30AM, and Saturday 10:15AM) DO NOT attend the Stage Rehearsal.**

Where:

Franklin Middle School Auditorium located at 415 Francis Street, Somerset, NJ 08873

Schedule and Times:

- 6:30PM-7:30PM Showstoppers 1 & 2 and Lil Hip Hop
- 7:00PM-8:00PM Classics and Hip Hop Levels 1 & 2
- 7:15 PM-8:30PM Classics and Hip Hop Levels 3 & 4

Attire: Regular dance class attire - leotard, tights, and all dance shoes. NO COSTUMES.

Dance Show Saturday, June 22, 2019

Tickets:

Tickets may be purchased online through our website or in person at the studio - \$14 in advance and \$18 at the door. Seats are reserved and you may select your seat numbers online and print your tickets at home or access them from your smartphone.

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Dancer Drop Off Time:

- 1:00PM Ages 6 and older
- 1:30PM Ages 5 and younger

What We Provide:

- Supervision by their regular teachers, assistants and experienced mom or former student volunteers, including First Aiders.
- Bottled water.
- Fun puzzles, games, and coloring activities backstage.

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Dancer Arrival Checklist:

- Dancer dressed in costume and shoes. Please keep the costume hanging up at home before the day of the show to prevent wrinkles.
- For girls, tights are worn with no underwear underneath to avoid panty lines and bunching under the material. Remember, every child is given a brand new pair of tights to wear at the recital to ensure everyone matches and minimize the likelihood of runs.
- For boys, black socks need to be worn with their costume.
- Long hair in a secure bun with hair pins - please use hairspray or gel to smooth loose hairs. Test the bun by asking your dancer to jump up and down to ensure the bun will not fall out. Short hair should be secured, smooth, and away from the face.
- Make-up for girls should include a bright lipstick and cheeks - the bright lights make dancers appear washed-out and several shades lighter so make-up should highlight their natural features.

Preparing for the show

Dancer Security

- The safety of the dancers is our primary concern - therefore only dancers and event staff may enter the backstage or hallway areas.
- Dancer dismissal will be by age group at the conclusion of our show. We dismiss dancers from youngest to oldest and match siblings with the youngest dancer so they may exit together.
- All dancers will be released by one of our Dance Teachers to their parent, guardian, or designated adult.

Theatre Etiquette

- Enter or exit the auditorium in between dances to avoid disturbing other audience members or dancers on stage.
- Audience members must follow all rules of the theater. This includes all directions from the security officers, posted signs, printed announcements, and recorded messages.
- No flash photography.
- No videotaping - this includes smartphones and iPads. The glow from electronics detracts from the show and disturbs your neighbors in the audience.
- All music is copyrighted and Modern Motion has secured a licensing agreement for our performance. Please do not violate copyright laws or put our license in jeopardy.
- Silence all electronic devices for the duration of the show.

Policies

- Excessive tardiness or absences defined as missing more than $\frac{1}{4}$ of class and rehearsal time may lead to removal of dancer from dance pieces.
- Dancers with unpaid account balances will not be allowed to perform in the recital.
- All ticket sales are final and there will be no refunds or exchanges.