



# Important 2018 Recital Information

The *Dance Center Evanston Recital* is the culminating event of the year for all of our students. Please read through this carefully. Dancers, teachers, and staff are all working very hard to make the event flow as smoothly as possible. We need everyone to understand performance expectations. If everyone has a thorough understanding, we can guarantee a beautiful performance experience for all.

-Béa Rashid

## **IMPORTANT RECITAL AND REHEARSAL DATES:**

All dress rehearsals and performances are held at North Shore Center for the Performing Arts in Skokie.

### **Tippy Toes 1:**

Open rehearsal at the theater on Saturday, June 2.  
(The rehearsal is the recital for this level.)

### **Tippy Toes 2, Pre-Ballets 1 & 2, Ballet 1A, Intro Modern, Modern 1A, Intro Tap, Beg. Boys:**

Mandatory Dress Rehearsal at NSCPAS  
Sat. June 2 - Times TBA

There are 2 shows at NSCPAS:

Sun. June 3 at 1:00

Sun. June 3 at 3:30

Each class will perform in one of these shows.  
Dancers with multiple classes should be prepared to perform in multiple performances.

### **All other Student Div./Academy classes:**

Dress rehearsals vary by class – you need to be available Tuesday, May 29 – Sunday, June 3.

There are 3 shows: Sat. June 2 at 4:00

Sat. June 2 at 6:30

Sun. June 3 at 6:30

Each class will perform in one of these shows.  
Dancers with multiple classes should be prepared to perform in multiple performances.

### **Cecchetti Grades I-VI:**

Put-together rehearsal at DCE on Sunday, May 20,  
in addition to dress rehearsal at NSCPAS  
during tech week (Tue-Sat TBD).

## **RECITAL GUIDELINES:**

- 1. Please mark recital & rehearsal dates on your home calendar now.** Planning ahead will help limit conflicts. Registration in Session 2 assumes recital participation.
- 2. You must inform the DCE office by February 1 if your child is not able to be in the recital.** Unless the office is notified of your child's non-participation by that date, you are responsible for the costume costs (see below)\*.
- 3. Remember - regular class attendance is essential.** For many reasons, including safety, confidence, and respect for teachers and fellow classmates, any dancer with excessive absences or who misses more than 3 classes after April 1 will not be allowed to perform in the recital piece for that class.
- 4. Onstage dress rehearsals at the North Shore Center for the Performing Arts are mandatory for every child dancing in the recital.** This is a vital part of preparation and, for the safety of all dancers, must be strictly enforced. Students unable to attend their on-stage dress rehearsal will not be able to perform in that piece in the recital.
- 5. ALL performers remain backstage until the conclusion of the show.** Again, for the safety and security of all the performers and our staff, this will be strictly enforced.

*A packet containing more detailed information including rehearsal and performance times for each class will be sent home in the spring.*

**\*Costume Fees :** *Invoices will be emailed in February.*

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