



Dear Parents and Dancers,

Believe it or not, it is time to plan for our annual year-end recital! This year's recital will take place on **Saturday, June 10th** at the Kendal L. Gunlicks Auditorium located at Independence Middle School

Preparing for the recital takes a lot of pre-planning. For the costumes to arrive on-time and to allow for any needed exchanges, costumes will be ordered by December 20th. Therefore, we need to know if you will be participating in the recital, and if you are in more than one class, if you will be participating in all class routines.

Please be aware that there are costs associated with a recital that are not included in your monthly tuition. Costumes generally range in price from \$75-\$90. Dancers must also have the proper color and style of shoes. Required shoes were outlined in the studio welcome packet as part of the dress code. However, some of the routines may require a different color or style of shoe based upon the costume chosen. Some costumes will also require tights. In February, a detailed packet with required accessories will be distributed. We will be taking orders for tights through the studio at that time. Recital tickets will be approximately \$17 each.

To help spread out some of the costs associated with the recital, we will collect the costume fee and a recital participation fee during October through December.

- **The first payment will be \$40 per person (\$80 max. per family) recital fee** to cover the various costs associated with the production of this event. This will be **due by October 29th**.
- **The second payment of \$50 per costume** (for example, if you are in 2 classes, you will pay \$100) will be due the week of **November 21st**
- **The final amount** will be due on **December 12th**.– You will receive an invoice the third week of November, with the amount owed.
- **PLEASE NOTE: All costume fees and participation fees should be paid with CASH OR CHECK in the studio.**

We hope that you will be able to participate in this spectacular event. This is the moment the dancers all wait for! There is nothing more rewarding than having the opportunity to showcase their talents to their loved ones. It is a very proud day for them and is an incredible self-esteem builder. Please use the link below to fill out the online form or print the attached form and return to the front desk by October 29th.

Thank you,

Miss Rebecca and The Studio Staff

[Online Participation Form](#)

Dancer/s Name/s: _____

- Will be participating in the June 10th recital
- Will NOT be participating in the June 10th recital

Please estimate how many tickets your family might purchase for the performance: _____

Please return to the front desk by 10/29 along with Participation Fee