

Maritime Dance Academy Ltd.
BEDFORD & CLAYTON PARK STUDIO
SPRING 2010

PLEASE KEEP THIS LETTER FOR IMPORTANT FINAL DATES AND TIMES!!!!

Name: _____

Class: _____

➤ **PICTURE DAY**

Photomaster will be set up at the Bedford M.D.A. Studio in Sunnyside Mall to take both individual and class pictures. Please see the office if you have not paid your costume rental for the year. Hair must be in a bun with bangs back or a French braid and white tights are worn for pictures. Please arrive 15 minutes before your scheduled photo to allow time to dress in your costume.

Your scheduled day is: **Saturday, April 24th, 2010 / Sunday, April 25th, 2010**

Your scheduled time is: _____.

➤ **RECITAL REHEARSAL**

A stage rehearsal for all classes will be held at the **Rebecca Cohn Auditorium** on Sunday, June 6, 2010.
Your rehearsal time is:

Show A - 9:00-11:30 AM Show B - 11:30-1:30 PM Show C - 2:15-4:15 PM Show D - 4:45-7:00PM

***New Preschool and Returning Dancer classes will be called up during the first 15 minutes of the scheduled rehearsal. When they have completed their dance on stage you may leave. All older level classes must be in the auditorium 15 minutes after the beginning of the scheduled rehearsal time.

It is important that you arrive on time for rehearsal. The dancers will meet in the auditorium with your class and will be called up to the stage to practice their required numbers. Please be patient as some of the dances have to be repeated a number of times for the children to orient themselves to the new surroundings. All classes, other than the New Preschool and Returning Dancer levels, must expect to remain for the entire rehearsal schedule. The students do not wear costumes on this day, so please come dressed in regular dance wear.

➤ **RECITAL TIME**

PRINCESS & THE FROG AND THE JACKSON 5

Maritime Dance Academy presents the children's program recitals at the Rebecca Cohn Auditorium –

Sunday, June 20, 2010-----Show A-----Bedford-----10:00 - 11:30 AM

Sunday, June 20, 2010-----Show B-----Bedford-----12:30 - 2:00 PM

Sunday, June 20, 2010-----Show C-----Bedford/Clayton Park-----3:30 - 5:00 PM

Sunday, June 20, 2010----- Show D-----Clayton Park-----6:30 - 8:30 PM.

➤ **RECITAL DAY**

On recital day your child is required to be at the Cohn **30 minutes before show time** with his/her **name on all dance shoes and clothing.** Dancers will be allowed in to the dressing rooms **only 1/2 hour before the show** so it is not necessary to arrive any earlier. As there are 4 shows on the same day, we require time to clear the auditorium and the parking lots and to reorganize costumes between shows. The children will remain back stage after their performance until the **end** of the show and will be well supervised. Parents may pick their children up in the same dressing room area after the show.

➤ **COSTUMES**

All rental costumes will be in the dressing rooms for you to put on prior to the show and must be left with us after the performance. **FOOD OR DRINKS are NOT** allowed back stage as students will be dressed in costume ready to perform. White tights are worn with all costumes unless otherwise advised by your instructor. Proper dance tights do not have bulky seams or the reinforced panty line on the leg and we have done our best to make these available to you at the most reasonable price. No panties are worn under costumes please. Dance tights are made with this in mind. White ribbons are required for your shoes if you are doing a tap dance in the show. No jewelry, nail polish or tattoos on performance day, please.

➤ **HAIR**

Girls need to have their hair done up in a bun or a french braid off the neck for the show. The Intensive Training Program dancers will be going on an educational dance trip to New York City and will be styling hair - buns and french braids- as a fund raiser on recital day. The cost is \$5.00. Please show up on the second floor at the Cohn 1 HOUR before show time with your own hair brush. All other hair accessories will be provided.

The Senior Dancers will also be selling flowers in the lobby of the Rebecca Cohn before and after each show. Surprise your favorite little dancer with a special token of appreciation for all his/her hard work and a beautiful performance!

➤ **TICKETS**

Tickets for the recital will be available at your studio office before the performance. (A sign will be posted to let you know when they are in.) You are welcome to invite as many friends and relatives as you wish. The recital performance will be general seating only there is no assigned seating. Advance sale tickets cannot be refunded. Tickets will also be available at the door the day of the performance- **Cash, Visa or Mastercard** accepted at the door only. **(DEBIT MACHINE IS NOT AVAILABLE FOR PAYMENT AT THE DOOR)**

RECITAL TICKET PRICES:

Adult- \$12.00 Advance Ticket / \$14.00 at the door.
Child Age 12 & Under/ Senior - \$10.00 Advance Ticket / \$12.00 at the door.

➤ **VIDEOS**

HM Videography will be taping each show and will have copies for sale as a personal keepsake. Videos must be ordered in advance and Pre-Paid- CASH PAYMENT accepted only-

At the studio before recital day- **DVD \$21.00**

At the Cohn during and after the show - **DVD \$24.00**

You MUST have a DVD-R compatible DVD player. **ABSOLUTELY NO REFUNDS** on the purchase of DVD's.

The Intensive Training Program Students and Teachers
WILL PRESENT

“ A Tribute to Michael Jackson ”

Come out and see our production at the Rebecca Cohn Auditorium.

Sunday, June 13th - 4:00 PM Clayton Park & Bedford Dancers

Sunday, June 13th - 6:30 PM Bedford Dancers

It is beneficial for all younger dance students to see what they will be capable of doing when they enter the I.T.P. levels. Tickets will be available for this performance in advance at the office and at the door prior to the show.

Adult - \$15.00 Advance / \$17.00 at the door

Child 12 Years & Under / Seniors - \$12.00 Advance / \$14.00 at the door

CONGRATULATIONS!

1. To Judith Webster, who won 1st Place in the Young Choreographer's Showcase- Taking Steps to Fly. Congratulations to all teachers and students who participated in this year's successful showcase.
2. Lauren MacEachern & Elizabeth Webster who just completed their student teacher exam with the Society of Russian Ballet.

☺ **EARLY REGISTRATION** will be accepted at all studios starting **Saturday, May 15th**.

The registration form and fee of \$15.00 plus tax will hold your place in your class time slot for the new dance year, classes starting Saturday, September 4, 2010. You must attach a post-dated cheque or Visa or Mastercard number for payment of **the first 10 weeks of classes payable August 13th, 2010**.

SIGN UP EARLY AND AVOID THE SEPTEMBER LINE-UPS!!

➤ The dance recital is the end of our dance year. Thank you to all parents and students for your cooperation and support in all dance school activities during the year. Please let us know if there has been a change in your contact information as we will be contacting all returning students for registration starting mid-July 2010. Our Bedford location will be open in the summer for registration and information. Please see our website www.maritimedanceacademy.com for registration information and hours. We hope everyone has a safe and relaxing summer and look forward to seeing each of you again in the fall.

Phyllis Paton, Instructors and Staff

☀SUMMER DANCE CAMPS 2010☀

1. **CAMP ROCK** - A full day camp for Primary/One, P1, Grade 2/3, MC, Grade 4/6, P2 & P3
July 12-16, 2010 8:30 to 4:30pm \$124.99+Tax
2. **I.T.P. Camp** - A full day camp for dancers in P2/P3 to Level 7 of ITP.
July 19-23, 2010 8:30-4:30pm. \$169.00+Tax

*All camps are at our air conditioned Bedford Studio. ***SIGN UP NOW!***

