

Bridget's Dance Studio 15th Annual Recital

“Glitz and Glamour”

All shows will be located at

Milton High School 25 Gile Rd Milton, MA 02186

This is a very important year for us at BDS as we celebrate our 15th anniversary. Many of you have been with us from the start and you have helped create the amazing family feel we have here. For our new students we hope that this is just the beginning and you will continue with us towards our 30th anniversary some day. Each song is designed to make our students be a star and shine on stage with “Glitz and Glamour.” Find your class below to see what show your dancer will be performing. The following packet will guide you through the recital events.

SHOW A

Saturday, May 21st

5:00pm

Braintree Studio

Monday Basic II - 3:30pm

Monday Intro to Hip Hop - 4:30pm

Thursday Basic I - 12:30pm

Thursday Intermediate - 3:45 -

7:00pm (*Tap, Ballet, Contemporary, Jazz*)

Thursday Hip Hop - 7:00pm

Saturday Tip Toes - 9:45am

Saturday Basic I - 10:30am

Saturday Intro to Hip Hop - 11:30am

Saturday Basic II - 12:00pm

**Dance Team Routines*

Walk For Me - Teen Jazz

It's Always Been You - Teen Lyrical

Girls - Teen Jazz

Broadway Here I Come - Teen Tap

SHOW B

Sunday, May 22nd

11:00am

Braintree Studio

Monday Acro III - 5:00pm

Monday Acro II - 5:45pm

Monday Hip Hop - 6:30pm

Tuesday Basic I - 3:30pm

Tuesday Elementary - 4:30pm -
6:00pm (*Ballet, Tap, Jazz*)

Tuesday Hip Hop - 6:00pm

Wednesday Primary - 3:30 - 5:00pm

(*Tap, Ballet, Jazz*)

Saturday Primary - 2:00 - 3:30pm

(*Tap, Ballet, Jazz*)

Saturday Hip Hop - 3:30pm

**Dance Team Routines*

The Muppets - Minis Tap

Naughty - Minis Musical Theater

Skeletons - Teen Contemporary

Bruises - Teen Contemporary

Stompa - Teen Jazz

Ending - Kayleigh Fulton Sr. Solo

SHOW C

Sunday, May 22nd

3:00pm

Norwell Studio

Monday Basic II - 4:00pm

Monday Intro to Hip Hop - 5pm

Monday Acro I - 5:30pm

Tuesday Acro II - 4:00pm

Wednesday Elementary
4:00pm-6:00pm

(*Tap, Ballet, Jazz*)

Wednesday Hip Hop - 6:00pm

Thursday Primary - 4pm - 5:30pm

(*Ballet, Tap, Jazz*)

Thursday Hip Hop - 5:30pm

Friday Tip Toes - 3:45pm

Friday Basic I - 4:30pm

Saturday Tip Toes - 10:00am

Saturday Basic I - 10:45am

Saturday Hip Hop/ Acro - 11:45am

**Dance Team Routines*

All I Ask - Sr. Teen Lyrical

Shake A Tail feather - Junior Jazz

My Strongest Suit - Junior Tap

Then he kissed me - Junior Jazz

THE LOOK

All female students should wear the same hair and makeup this year for dress rehearsal and recital. We will supply each dancer with a clear mask if required by recital time.

Hair: Low slicked back bun. Part should be on the dancers left side and pulled towards the right side.

Makeup - Eye make up is optional for younger students. Older students should have a smokey eye and red lips with some blush.

Here is an example of the “look.”

**Male dancers should have hair brushed away from their face.*



SHOW TIME ARRIVAL - Milton High School

All dancers should arrive at *Milton High School* 1/2 hour before show time ready for the stage. Each show is expected to run about 2 hours. Due to covid cleaning procedures please do not arrive early. Have your dancer arrive with their first costume on with make-up and hair done, ready to go. Only one parent should check the dancer in back stage and will receive a wrist band to come pick their dancer up after the show. The auditorium will be open at the same time as student drop off. Dancers in multiple shows will be allowed to stay in between shows.

DRESS REHEARSAL: Milton High School

Dancers should arrive at dress rehearsal in their first costume with hair and make up done. We will do the finale first and then run through the show in order. Once your dancer is done with their last song they are dismissed. Each dress rehearsal is estimated to be about 2.5 hours. Only one parent is allowed at the dress rehearsal. When students arrive they should find their class sign in the auditorium and stay with their class. This allows them to watch the show as they wait and makes it easier for us to find them to come back stage. We will have a changing room open for any costume changes. No food or drink is allowed in the auditorium. Pictures and videos are allowed at the dress rehearsal.

Show A : Friday, May 20th - 5:00pm

Show B : Saturday, May 21st - 10:00am

Show C : Saturday, May 21st - 1:00pm

RECITAL ORDERS/ PURCHASES

Recital T-shirts and the video digital download where included in your recital fee.

TEAM STORE FOR RECITAL GIFTS: To avoid close contact in the Foyer, we are not selling BDS merchandise at the recital. Instead we created a virtual Team Store. Feel free to send the link out to Grandparents, Aunts and Uncles. You can purchase what you would like to give your dancer for a gift. They will love getting their new gear! All items will be shipped to the studio and we will package it up and deliver it to them back stage as a special surprise.

FLOWERS: Flowers and teddy bears can be purchased at the recital. The bouquets are lovely and a percentage of each order will go towards our favorite charity "Prayers for Charlotte."

TICKETS: Each family can receive up to 6 tickets. Two of those tickets are free and were included in your recital package. Additional tickets for the recital will be sold for \$20.00 each. The auditorium has stadium seating. All seats have an excellent view of the stage. Seating assignment is based on the amount of years your child has been a student with BDS. If you have someone in your party that might have trouble with stairs please let us know on your order form. Anyone that needs a seat must have a ticket including children.

Ticket order forms are attached and copies will be passed out in class. **Ticket order forms are due by April 16th.** We will try our best to accommodate your family. If you need wheelchair access please indicate on the form.

***If any families must attend more than one show** (ex: have children performing in both recitals doing different routines or siblings in different recitals) they will NOT have to pay for their

second show tickets. However, please indicate the number you need for the second show so I can reserve them for you.

DANCE SCHOLARSHIP: This year we will be donating several dance scholarships to students of all ages and levels. These scholarships will be based on many aspects such as: class participation, enthusiasm, improvement, attendance, positive attitude, and essay. The essay must be a minimum of one page and answer the question. BDS began with small classes at the Elk Lodge in Braintree and now we are proud to have two locations with over 500 students. Celebrating our 15th year! **For this years scholarship essay, we want to know what accomplishment you are most proud of. Please give specific examples.** Younger students may be assisted with typing and spelling but it must be their words and thoughts. The deadline for all scholarship entries is April 30, 2022 and must be typed and emailed to **bridget@bridgetsdancestudio.com**.

BALANCES: The last tuition payment is due March 1st, 2022. Any student that owes a balance will not receive their recital tickets or be able to participate in the annual performance. Once all balances are paid in full tickets will be distributed. If you need additional time to meet this payment policy, please contact me (outside of class time) and I will be happy to set up a payment plan for you.

COSTUMES: All costumes have been ordered. The costumes are delivered upon completion...please be patient, some will arrive sooner than others. All students are measured and costumes are ordered in sizes that are closest to those measurements. Never-the-less, often times some minor alterations are needed so that the costumes will fit your child better and are the responsibility of the family. You will received the proper tights with your costume. Make sure your child has the proper undergarments that are not visible through the costume and proper dance shoes.

RECITAL ARRIVAL: Milton High School

Please be at the school 1/2 hour before curtain call/start time. Children should arrive in their first costume, with hair and make up done and ready to go. Each student will have an assigned chair in cafeteria downstairs. Please set up all of their additional costumes, accessories, shoes, make-up, other recital needs, and water at their chair when you arrive. Students will stay in their last costume for the finale. Once the show starts we try to limit parents from coming in and out of the dressing rooms, unless it is an emergency. No men will be allowed in the dressing rooms. At the time of drop off, please make sure the class helper is aware of pertinent information about your child (i.e. such as sickness, food allergies, and medication). Food is not allowed in the dressing room. The shows are shorter so please make sure they eat their snacks before arrival.

AUDITORIUM RULES: The auditorium doors will open a half hour before show times. No food or drinks are allowed in the auditorium. No video cameras or still photos will be allowed during the recitals so that the dancers are not distracted by flashes, the professional videos lighting is not affected, and audience members are not disrupted while watching the show (pictures and video taping is allowed at the dress rehearsal). Please refrain from getting up from your seats during performances.