



# CK Dance Academy Spring Dance Recital 2022 “Dancing Through History”

Saturday, May 21, 2022

4 small shows

Lincoln Southeast High School (37<sup>th</sup> and Van Dorn, Lincoln)

## Recital Week Schedule

Saturday, May 14 -Thursday, May 19

Recital Pictures and dress rehearsal at CK Dance

Dancers come to class ready for group and individual pictures. After pictures they will rehearse their dance.

Saturday, May 21-Recital Day

Location: Lincoln Southeast High School

<b>9:45am Show #1 arrives</b>	<b>11:00am Show #2 arrives 11:15-11:30 rehearsal</b>
Sat BT 2-3 yr olds Mon HH/Acro 3-6 yr olds Mon 5:45 BT 3-4 Wed BTJ Wed am BT Dance Company Mon BTJ 10:30am Mon BTJ 4-5 yr olds 6:15	Tap I/II Mon BT 2-3 yr olds Tues Ballet I/II Wed Ballet I/II Tue BT 3-4 Jazz I/II Mon BTJ 5-6 Adv/Adult Tap Tues Acro Hip Hop I/II Kicks 4 Christ
10:00-10:45am Showtime	11:45-12:45 pm Showtime
10:45am Show #1 leaves	12:45 Show #2 leaves
<b>1pm Show #3 arrives 1-1:45 rehearsal</b>	<b>3:15pm Show #4 arrives 3:30-4:30 rehearsal</b>
Tues Ballet III/IV Sat Ballet III/IV Thurs Acro I/II Lyrical III/IV Tues Jazz III/IV Sat BTJ 4-5 Sat Jazz III/IV Thurs Acro III/IV/V Hip Hop III/IV Tap III/IV	Mon Pointe Lyrical V/VI Thurs Acro VI+ Sat BTJ 5-6 (arrive at 4:15) Ballet V/VI Thurs Pointe Teen Fusion Tap V/VI Jazz V/VI Hip Hop V/VI
2-3 pm Showtime	5-6 pm Showtime
3pm Show #3 leaves	

This concludes our dance season. Summer classes start Monday, June 6.

# Picture Week/Studio Dress Rehearsal

Location: CK Dance Academy in Lincoln (4820 RentWorth Drive)

Saturday, May 14-Thursday, May 19: Ashley Johnson will take group and individual pictures of the classes which will be uploaded to a Google drive and links emailed so you can access the pictures. You can download, print, share pictures for your family. This cost is covered through your recital production fee. All performers must wear their makeup and hair as it will be worn for the performance (each teacher will check the dancers for proper hair, makeup and tights). Please be dressed and ready to go by your class time. This all takes place during your last regular class time.

\*Kicks 4 Christ pictures will be Saturday, May 14 at 11:45am at CK Dance Academy

## Recital Day

### ROOM MOMS/CHAPERONES

Room moms/chaperones are essential to making the day stress free for the dancers. The chaperone is in charge of keeping the class together, masks on until performance, making sure everyone is ready to perform, and releasing students to parents. Please let us know if you are interested. We need one or two for each class.

Yes, you will be able to watch the show. When it's time for your class to travel to the stage you will walk them to the theater door. There you are greeted by a CK staffer. You have the choice to come backstage and watch or go to the back of the house and watch.

### VIDEO OF SHOW

We will video the show and upload it to our CK Dance Academy-Lincoln YouTube channel. Each dance will be edited so you can share it with your family and friends. This feature is covered by your production fee.

### TICKETS

There are no tickets to purchase this year. The seating will be general admission and masks required if LPS requires them on the day of the show. No food, drink in the theater.

### THE PERFORMANCE

- Make sure every performer uses the restroom before checking into the gym.
- Have your performer dressed in costume with hair and makeup done. Specific hair instructions will come from your instructor. The bright stage lights can wash out faces, so we do ask that everyone wears some makeup.
- Remember correct color tights, shoes and all parts of their costume. Please LABEL all pieces.
- Performers should be dropped off in the cafeteria on the first floor and be checked in with the designated chaperone. Performers will be backstage with their chaperone for the entire show; no performer will be allowed to leave before the entire show is completed.
- When the show is over, send ONE person to pick up your child and check out with your chaperone. Chaperones will stay with the group until all of the children have been checked out.
- Please expedite your departure so we can get the next dancers in.
- Flash cameras are prohibited in the auditorium as well as digital cameras with light up displays (LCD screens). You may take pictures after the show outside.



## Costume Care and Appearance Tips

### Costume Care

Costumes with tutus should be hung upside down to stay as fluffy as possible. Wrinkles may be removed by steaming or hanging in the bathroom during shower time. In addition to this letter, you have received a picture of the costume with information regarding accessories, etc. If you are unsure what to do with a specific costume piece, please call the studio.

Please take the short amount of time necessary to be sure everything will be secured properly for the rehearsal and recital weekend so you can enjoy watching your child dance, not fuss with the costume. Routines go by very quickly when students are on stage and young ones are distracted by straps that slip off or headpieces that are not secured.

Please discuss with your child the importance of their costume and that it is not to be used for play or dress up before rehearsal and recital. With this in mind, we ask that you place your child's costume(s) in a safe place as soon as they have been tried on once, and after any necessary alterations have been made. If anything gets lost or damaged before the show, there will be no time to replace it.

Be sure to label all pieces of your child's costume(s). This includes tights, shoes and headpieces.

**A MASTER RECITAL CHART WILL BE POSTED CLOSER TO RECITAL. This chart will include, show order, hair style, tight color and shoes to be worn for each class.**

### Hair

Hair/Headpieces: Hair will be worn differently with each class based upon the routines; it is not always as it appears on the costume picture. If your child's hair is too short for the designated style, simply pull it off the face (behind the ears) as much as possible. Please do not wear any additional hair accessories that are not provided with your child's costume.

Ballet/Tap and Ballet/Tap/Jazz classes: Half back/partial ponytail (bangs okay)- for a "half back" hair style, use a tight ponytail holder that matches hair color, pull the front and sides of hair into a small ponytail at the crown of the head. All remaining hair will be left hanging down in the back, behind the ears.

Low ponytail: Hair should be pulled completely back into a ponytail at the base of the hairline. Beginning with wet hair will make it easier to slick back bangs. There should be no loose pieces, or ringlets hanging in the face. Use a tight ponytail holder and spring clips that match hair color and keep hair smooth by using gel and spray.

Ballet Bun: View our YouTube page CK Dance Academy-Lincoln and watch our bun making tutorial. You can access the channel by clicking the icon on our website in the upper right-hand corner.

## **Makeup and Extras**

Makeup should appear heavy to the eye. Once on stage and under the lights it will not appear as dark. (Parents of small children may use their discretion regarding the amount of makeup to be worn. Makeup for small children is not required.) If wearing makeup, please follow the guidelines below.

**Eyes:** Line eyes with brown or black eyeliner (you may use pencil or liquid but keep the line thin). Curl lashes and use mascara. A small amount of shadow should be worn—use neutral colors that match your eye color.

**Cheeks and Lips:** A natural shade of pink, red/burgundy should be used to define the lips and accent cheeks. No orange or purple shades. A translucent powder should be worn under and over makeup to set it and keep moisture to a minimum.

**Shoes:** All ballet shoes should have the elastic sewn on securely and drawstrings tucked in. Tap shoes should have the tap ties and not ribbons. Some classes have special ties to match their costume. Check with the CK office if you need to purchase some. Hip Hop tennis shoes must be double knotted to avoid coming untied.

**Tights:** Be sure to check the recital grid to determine which color tights you need. There are shades of tan and pink tights and all dancers on stage need to match. We carry the Revolution brand of tights and I have the exact colors available for sale. You can purchase ours or match a pair you already have.

Other notes:

**Jewelry** of any kind should not be worn. The only exception to this rule is if your child has newly pierced ears. In this situation, small and basic stud earrings should be worn. Also, **no fingernail polish or toenail polish** unless they are skin toned colors.

Panties and undershirts should not be worn with costumes. To maintain a clean, un-bulky line, **dance tights are designed** to take the place of panties. Wearing underwear with dance attire is like wearing underwear with a swimsuit.

Older dancers should make every effort to find appropriate undergarments that will not show under their costumes. **Bras should be neutral colored with discreet straps** or consider purchasing a “made for dance” undertard to be worn in place of traditional items.

**Do not eat or drink (other than water) while wearing costumes.** No outside food will be permitted at the theater so please be sure your child has eaten before dressing for the recital or show. If anything gets spoiled there is no time to fix it.

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# Finale Dance

This year the finale dance brings our show to modern times with an electric dance party. The teachers will begin the dance and all other dancers will eventually join them on stage. Everyone will be in their costumes from their previous dance.



Each dancer will be given a light up bracelet and light up star wand to use and keep. If you want to light up your dancer with more fun light up headbands, etc. go for it.

All dancers will be learning the finale choreography in their classes. There will not be extra rehearsals. The teachers and dance company students will be on stage for them to follow.

We will be ordering recital T-shirts. They will have our logo and all the names of the performers on the back. You can pick white or hot pink. (These could look great under the black light in the finale if they want to put it over their costume)

## 2021 Recital Shirt Order

This is a one-time order. **Order by Feb 20.** All orders will be billed to your CK Dance account and will be paid March 1 by our auto pay system.

	 White Basic T	 Hot Pink Basic T
Youth XS (2/4) Youth Small (6/8) Youth Medium (10/12) Youth Large (14/16) Adult Small Adult Medium Adult Large Adult XL Adult XXL		
Cost	\$15	\$15
Totals		

Questions or concerns? Please call or email Kari at 402.423.4048 or kari@ckdancelincoln.com