

CREATIVE MOVEMENT AND DANCE®, INC.

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### Photographers To Be



CMD has arranged for professional photographers to attend most performances. If you choose to purchase photos of your child at these events, all transactions will be entirely between the photographer and customer. Prices may vary by location. More information will be available in April. Please check with us for more information as it becomes available, or at CreativeMovementAndDance.com

#### Ballet Slippers, Tap Shoes & Tights

Please check your ballerina's shoes to make sure they fit properly. Check your child's tights as well. As always, be sure to label your child's name on their shoes and all dance attire.



# NEWSLETTER – MARCH 2025

## **Dance Recitals**

Recital performances are now scheduled, and will be held at your child's school or on-site location in **April** or **May.** Please be sure to mark your calendar now! The date and time of your child's performance is posted at your child's on-site location (or school), attached to this newsletter, **and can be found on our website at CreativeMovementAndDance.com – be sure to check our website as time approaches, in case of any changes.** 

All Accounts Must Be Current to Participate in Recital!

#### SUMMER SESSION AT SELECT LOCATIONS ONLY

Check with our office mid-April to confirm which locations

#### **Spring Break:**

Classes will not be held during this time period. <u>April 7<sup>th</sup> - 11<sup>th</sup></u>

Cherokee and Forsyth, no classes will be held

March 31<sup>st</sup> – April 4th

#### CD/mp3 Download Available

Ballerinas On The Move is the perfect accompaniment to classroom instruction. Your child can now practice routines at home for fun, or to reinforce classroom training.

Includes 27 original songs





## **CREATIVE MOVEMENT AND DANCE**<sup>®</sup> RECITAL/PERFORMANCE NOTICE

Recitals and performances are now scheduled and will be held at your child's school. Please be sure to mark your calendar now! The <u>Date, Time</u>, AND <u>Location</u> of your child's recital is <u>POSTED AT YOUR CHILD'S ON-SITE</u> <u>LOCATION AND ON OUR WEBSITE, and EMAILED TO EACH FAMILY</u>. The performance will last 30 minutes and every child participates.

Costumes are provided by *CMD*. <u>COSTUMES MUST BE RETURNED IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE PERFORMANCE</u>! All dance students need to bring their ballet slippers and pink tights (and tap shoes if your child is enrolled in a Tap-Ballet combination class). Girls with long hair must have it up in a ponytail or bun. Ribbons and bows will be provided. If you wish for your daughter to wear make-up, please apply it prior to the recital. Also, <u>please arrive 20 minutes</u> <u>early to have your child fitted into his or her costume</u>! If a photographer is scheduled for your location, pictures will be taken <u>BEFORE</u> the recital, so allow time for that. Please wait to take any family pictures until after the recital.

As always, we appreciate your cooperation in encouraging your child to be on his or her best behavior. Here are a few pointers for a good performance:

- 1. Have your child go to the rest room at home before you leave, or at the center before the performance.
- 2. Explain to your child to pay attention to his or her teacher- not grandparents or friends in the audience.
- 3. Please do not try to capture your child's attention for a picture or video. Please be as discreet as possible.
- 4. Control laughter. This distracts the children easily.
- 5. The children must remain together until the performance is over. Please do not ask them to sit with you.
- 6. <u>BE ON TIME (min. 30 min. before recital to allow for pictures)!</u> If you are late, please come in quietly without distracting your child.

Remember, for many of these children this will be their first appearance in front of an audience. All cooperation is appreciated. We look forward to meeting you all. If you have any questions please call **(678) 482-2264**.

**<u>RECITAL PHOTOGRAPHER</u>** – We have arranged for professional photographers at *most* performances (not alloverlapping schedules prevent this). A list of locations which will have a photographer will be posted on our website. For convenience, it's best to prepay with this link: <u>www.classiccityportraits.com/cmd-pre-orders-here</u> Payments AT the recital will be cash or check only. **CMD does not handle payments or delivery of the pictures – all transactions are strictly between the photographer and customer.** Photographer info will be on the Recital Schedule posted on our website.

ALL ACCOUNTS MUST BE CURRENT (NO PAST DUE AMOUNTS) FOR YOUR CHILD TO PARTICIPATE IN THE RECITALS AND PERFORMANCES. NO COSTUMES WILL BE GIVEN OUT UNTIL TUITION IS PAID IN FULL (Teachers are <u>NOT</u> permitted to accept payments, and payment will not be accepted at the recital)

Most locations, classes will continue through the week of May 19<sup>th</sup>, except Friday classes, end on May 16<sup>th</sup>

#### Classes may be held after recital dates.

Church enrichment, P&R, and private school programs may differ. At these schools, we follow their closings.