

# Our Favorite Things

Delaware Dance Company's Young Dancers' Concerts 2017

Mitchell Hall, June 11 at 1:00pm and 4:00pm

## Rehearsal and Performance Information

### Tickets

Tickets for the Young Dancers' Concerts will go on sale at the studio front desk on April 22<sup>nd</sup> at 9:30am. Be sure to purchase tickets for the correct show, either 1pm for Mon-Wed classes or 4pm for Thu-Sat classes. Adult tickets are \$12 and those for children 10 yrs and under are \$8. Each student performing is entitled to one ticket to allow the dancer to join her/his parents for part of her/his performance or to attend the other concert. Complimentary dancer tickets may be used only for the dancer and MUST be requested at the time that tickets are purchased. All seats are reserved and everyone over 2 years of age must have a seat.

### Dress Rehearsal

Dress Rehearsal will take place on Saturday, June 10<sup>th</sup> at Mitchell Hall on South College Ave. in Newark. Students and parents should enter through the Stage Door entrance at the end of the handicap ramp to the left of the front of the building, which faces the college green. Please do not enter at the front of the building for your rehearsal. Signs will be posted to direct DDC families to the Stage Door. The dress rehearsal will allow the students to become comfortable with the stage and is important for rehearsing exits and entrances. Attendance at the dress rehearsal is required.

Each class has a specific time for stage rehearsal. **Dancers should plan to arrive at least 30 minutes prior to the time listed on the attached rehearsal schedule** so that they have time to receive and change into their costume items. All dancers should wear their class uniform unless specifically instructed otherwise by their teacher. All costume items will be collected by the teacher after the rehearsal and will remain at the theatre.

The classroom at the bottom of the stairs by the Stage Door entrance will be available to use as a dressing room / waiting area for the rehearsals. There is a bathroom off the hallway, adjacent to the classroom. This room will be for girls only. Boys will be directed to a different location to change and wait. Dads, please do not enter the classroom that has been designated as a girls' dressing area. If you need assistance getting your daughter ready, please let us know and we will find an older dancer or a mother to assist your daughter in the changing room.

Hair should be worn pulled back from the face and in a bun for all ballet performers. Teachers will direct individual tap, jazz, modern, and theatre dance classes on hairstyle for the dress rehearsal & performance.

Make-up for stage should be worn by all students, both for dress rehearsal and performance. This includes a liquid base, blue or brown eye shadow, blush and red lipstick. Older students should wear eyeliner and mascara to define the eyes.

Unless otherwise instructed by their teacher, all ballet students should wear pink tights and pink ballet shoes with their costume. Jazz, Tap, Modern and Theatre Dance students should check with their teacher.

Parents will be allowed to wait and watch in the auditorium, but must remain quiet. For the safety of the performers, flash photography is not permitted during the dress rehearsal. Non-flash photos and videos are allowed during the dress rehearsal ONLY. **NO PHOTOGRAPHY OR VIDEOGRAPHY OF ANY KIND IS ALLOWED DURING THE PERFORMANCE!** Please be sure that your friends and relatives are aware of this policy.

## Performance Day

The order of the performances is attached. Students who are scheduled for Act 1 of the performance should arrive 30 minutes before the beginning of the performance. Students who are performing in Act 2 of the performance may go to their dressing area before Act 1 or may choose to watch the first half of the performance with their student ticket and then go back stage to get ready during the 15-minute intermission.

Dancers should arrive with hair and make-up ready and with their dance class uniform on under their street clothes so they can change quickly and easily for the performance. Enter through the Stage Door. Each class will be assigned to a dressing/waiting area. The assignments will be posted just inside the Stage Door on the day of the performance. Please be sure each child finds his/her class and remains with the other students. You will then need to exit the building and re-enter through the lobby area at the front of building, facing the green. Ushers will help you find your assigned seats.

Please remain seated during the performance until the intermission or the end of the performance. As a courtesy to other audience members, you will not be able to return to your seats if you leave so that everyone may have equal opportunity to enjoy their child's performance on stage.

During the performance, there will be no direct access to the dressing rooms from the auditorium. The doors next to the stage must remain closed for the safety of the dancers. If an audience member must leave during the performance, the doors at the back of the auditorium, into the lobby, are to be used. Audience members will not be allowed to return to their seats until intermission. They may take a seat in the upstairs side balconies until that time. Late arrivals will be seated after the first number only. Anyone who arrives after that time will be asked to take a seat in the side balconies until intermission.

Parents will need to walk outside and enter at the side, Stage Door to drop off and pick up their child. Supervision for the classes will be provided during the performance. No student under 16 will be allowed to leave the backstage/dressing room area without a parent present. Please, do not ask your child to "join you in the audience". Dancers must remain backstage throughout each half of the performance.

It is our goal that all audience members should have equal opportunity to enjoy watching the performance. Your cooperation is greatly appreciated!

OK Video will be recording each performance. Ordering information will be distributed. DVDs must be ordered directly from OK Video.

Krista Valla Photography will be taking photos for DDC publicity purposes. These photos may be purchased from her website after the performance. Information will be sent to all DDC members when the photos are available for viewing.

A reminder: ***DDC's policy on photography during performances***

Photography or recording of any kind is strictly prohibited during any Delaware Dance Company performance for which tickets are sold. The reasons for this policy are several:

- The act of taking photographs or video recordings is often distracting to the performers and disturbing to other audience members.
- The choreography being performed is protected by copyright and may not be copied or reproduced in any manner without the express permission of the artist.
- In this age of technology, images are easily transferred to many forums and we believe that each of our students and dancers has the right to protect her/his own image.

*We ask for your understanding and cooperation concerning this policy.*

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Dress Rehearsal Schedule **Saturday, June 10, 2017** at Mitchell Hall, South College, Newark

| <b>#</b> | <b>Teacher</b> | <b>Rehearsal Time</b> | <b>Class / Level</b>           | <b>Day &amp; Time</b>  |
|----------|----------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------|
| 1        | Miss Sunshine  | 9:30-9:45a            | <b>Ballet 2</b>                | <i>Sat 10:30a</i>      |
| 2        | Miss Heather   | 9:45-10:00a           | <b>Kinderballet 2</b>          | <i>Mon 6:15p</i>       |
| 3        |                | 10:00-10:15a          | <b>Pre-Ballet 2</b>            | <i>Mon 7:00p</i>       |
| 4        |                | 10:15-10:30a          | <b>Jazz Beg A</b>              | <i>Sat 11:45a</i>      |
| 5        |                | 10:30-10:45a          | <b>Ballet 1X</b>               | <i>Thur 7:00p</i>      |
| 6        |                | 10:45-11:00a          | <b>Pre-Ballet 1</b>            | <i>Sat 9:30a</i>       |
| 7        |                | 11:00-11:15a          | <b>Ballet 1X</b>               | <i>Sat 10:30a</i>      |
| 8        | Kim Henshaw    | 11:15-11:45a          | <b>Kindercombo 1</b>           | <i>Thur 6:00p</i>      |
|          |                | 11:15-11:45a          | <b>Kindercombo 1</b>           | <i>Sat 9:30a</i>       |
|          | LUNCH          | 11:45-12:30p          |                                |                        |
| 9        | Miss Sunshine  | 12:30-12:45p          | <b>Performing Company</b>      | <i>Wed 5:00p</i>       |
| 10       | Miss Melissa   | 12:45-1:00p           | <b>Ballet 1</b>                | <i>Sat 10:30a</i>      |
| 11       |                | 1:00-1:10p            | <b>Kindercombo 2</b>           | <i>Fri 5:00p</i>       |
| 12       |                | 1:10-1:25p            | <b>Mod Beg A</b>               | <i>Sat 9:30a</i>       |
| 13       |                | 1:25-1:40p            | <b>Mod Beg B</b>               | <i>Sat 11:45a</i>      |
| 14       |                | 1:40-2:00p            | <b>YDE</b>                     | <i>Fri 6:00p</i>       |
| 15       | Miss Shannon   | 2:00-2:15p            | <b>Thtre Dance Beg A/Intro</b> | <i>Mon 5:45p</i>       |
| 16       | Miss Sherry    | 2:15-2:30p            | <b>Ballet 2X</b>               | <i>Wed 5:45p</i>       |
| 17       |                | 2:30-2:45p            | <b>Ballet 2</b>                | <i>Mon 5:00p</i>       |
| 18       |                | 2:45-3:00p            | <b>Ballet 1</b>                | <i>Wed 4:30p</i>       |
| 19       | Miss Allyson   | 3:00-3:15p            | <b>Jazz Beg C</b>              | <i>Tues 5:00p</i>      |
| 20       | Miss Brittany  | 3:15-3:30p            | <b>Pre-Ballet 1</b>            | <i>Wed 6:45p</i>       |
| 21       |                | 3:30-3:45p            | <b>Mod Beg C</b>               | <i>Wed 7:45p</i>       |
| 22       |                | 3:45-4:00p            | <b>Mod Intro</b>               | <i>Wed 5:45p</i>       |
| 23       | Miss Samantha  | 4:00-4:15p            | <b>Kindercombo 1</b>           | <i>Fri 4:00p</i>       |
| 24       |                | 4:15-4:25p            | <b>Jazz Beg B</b>              | <i>Tues 6:15p</i>      |
| 25       |                | 4:25-4:40p            | <b>Kindercombo 2</b>           | <i>Sat 10:30a</i>      |
| 26       |                | 4:40-4:50p            | <b>Hip Hop Intro</b>           | <i>Thur 5:15p</i>      |
| 27       |                | 4:50-5:05p            | <b>Pre-Ballet 1</b>            | <i>Fri 5:00p</i>       |
| 28       |                | 5:05-5:20p            | <b>Jazz Intro</b>              | <i>Sat 9:30a</i>       |
| 29       | Miss Kathleen  | 5:20-5:35p            | <b>Tap Intro</b>               | <i>Tues 5:45p</i>      |
| 30       |                | 5:35-5:50p            | <b>Pre-Ballet 2/Ballet 1</b>   | <i>Tues 5:30/6:30p</i> |
| 31       | Miss Tamoya    | 5:50-6:00p            | <b>Hip Hop Beg A</b>           | <i>Wed 5:45p</i>       |
| 32       |                | 6:00-6:15p            | <b>Hip Hop Beg B/C</b>         | <i>Wed 6:30p</i>       |
| 33       |                | 6:15-6:25p            | <b>Hip Hop Int A</b>           | <i>Wed 7:15p</i>       |
| 34       |                | 6:25-6:40p            | <b>Hip Hop Int B/C</b>         | <i>Wed 8:00p</i>       |
| 35       | Miss Erin      | 6:40-6:55p            | <b>Theatre Dance Beg B</b>     | <i>Fri 6:00p</i>       |
| 36       |                | 6:55-7:15p            | <b>Boys Tech</b>               | <i>Fri 5:00p</i>       |
| 37       | Miss Beth      | 7:15-7:30p            | <b>Tap Beg A</b>               | <i>Tue 5:00p</i>       |
| 38       |                | 7:30-7:45             | <b>Tap Beg B</b>               | <i>Fri 4:15</i>        |

Running Order for *My Favorite Things*  
Sunday, June 11<sup>th</sup> at Mitchell Hall on South College Ave., Newark

**1:00 PM PERFORMANCE**

**DDC Performing Company**  
**Jazz Beg C**, *Tue*, 5:00p, Allyson  
**Preballet 1**, *Wed*, 6:45p, Brittany  
**Intro to Tap**, *Tue*, 4:45p, Kathleen  
**Ballet 1**, *Wed*, 4:30p, Sherry  
**Hip Hop Int A**, *Wed*, 7:15p, Tamoya  
**Kinderballet 1 & 2**, *Mon* 6:15p, Heather  
**Intro/Beg A Theatre Dance**, *Mon*, 5:45p, Shannon  
**Hip Hop Int B/C**, *Wed*, 8:00p, Tamoya  
**Modern Beg C**, *Wed*, 8:00p, Brittany

INTERMISSION

**Ballet 2X**, *Wed*, 5:45p, Sherry  
**Hip Hop Beg A**, *Wed*, 5:45p, Tamoya  
**Jazz Beg B**, *Tue*, 6:15p, Samantha  
**Preballet 2 & Ballet 1**, *Tue*, 5:30 & 6:30p, Kathleen  
**Intro to Modern**, *Wed*, 5:45p, Brittany  
**Hip Hop Beg B/C**, *Wed*, 6:30p, Tamoya  
**Preballet 2**, *Mon*, 7:00p, Heather  
**Tap Beg A**, *Tue*, 5:00p, Beth  
**Ballet 2**, *Mon*, 5:00p, Sherry  
**DDC Performing Company**

**4:00 PM PERFORMANCE**

**Youth Dance Ensemble**  
**Modern Beg A**, *Sat*, 9:30a, Melissa  
**Kindercombo 1**, *Fri*, 4:00p, Samantha  
**Intro to Jazz**, *Sat*, 9:30a, Samantha  
**Boys' Tech**, *Fri*, 5:00p, Erin  
**Ballet 1X**, *Sat*, 10:30a, Heather  
**Kindercombo 1**, *Thu*, 6:00p & *Sat*, 9:30a, Kim H.  
**Preballet 1**, *Sat*, 9:30a, Heather  
**Tap Beg B**, *Fri*, 4:15p, Beth  
**Modern Beg B**, *Sat*, 11:45a, Melissa

INTERMISSION

**Ballet 2**, *Sat*, 10:30a, Sunshine  
**Kindercombo 2**, *Fri*, 5:00p, Melissa  
**Intro to Hip Hop**, *Thu*, 5:15p, Samantha  
**Ballet 1X**, *Thu*, 7:00p, Heather  
**Jazz Beg A**, *Sat*, 11:45a, Heather  
**Pre Ballet 1**, *Fri*, 5:00p, Samantha  
**Kindercombo 2**, *Sat*, 10:30a, Samantha  
**Ballet 1**, *Sat*, 10:30a, Melissa  
**Theatre Dance Beg B**, *Fri*, 6:00p, Erin  
**Youth Dance Ensemble**

