ARTISTIC PURSUIT RECITAL 2023 "NEVER GONNA NOT DANCE AGAIN"

We are pleased to announce, our second recital, *"Never Gonna Not Dance Again"*, will be held on Saturday, June 17th at **Nazareth Academy in La Grange Park**. We will be presenting our APDC Company Show on this day as well. Our goal is to have each and every dancer perform on stage, as they have worked very hard in class this season. Below is all the information needed to participate in the recital, so please take time to read through and mark important dates on your calendar. The attached permission slip must be returned to us no later than February 1st, with payment for the costumes.

COSTUMES: Costumes are required for each dance your child performs in. The cost is \$80.00 per costume, and is due in full by February 1st. We will measure the children in class and take care of the ordering. These are not custom made and therefore may need a few minor alterations once they arrive. **For our young dancers in the ballet and tap combination classes, they will perform 2 dances in the recital, one each for ballet and tap- we will be ordering "2-in-1" costumes for these classes, the cost for these costumes will be \$100.00. Our tiniest TOT Dancers will also be performing and their costume cost is \$70.00.

IF YOU DO NOT LET US KNOW YOUR DANCER IS **NOT PARTICIPATING IN THE RECITAL, YOU WILL BE AUTOMATICALLY CHARGED FOR A COSTUME (for each class they are registered for). Once your costume has been ordered, there are **NO** refunds should you choose not to participate.

ATTENDANCE IN CLASS: It is a huge challenge for the teachers to pull everything together if there is not 100% participation in class. Attendance in all classes is very important in getting our dancers ready to perform in the recital. Starting April 10th, if your child misses 3 or more classes, they will not be allowed to participate. We understand conflicts for graduations, weddings, Communion and Confirmation, etc. These are acceptable absences. Please let us know ASAP of your conflicts and when you will not be in class. If your child does miss class due to illness or school function (i.e. Band concert), please encourage them to get together with another student in their class, or their assistant teacher (when applicable) to learn missed choreography.

SHOES/TIGHTS: This is the best time of the year to order new shoes and tights for your dancer. Everyone seems to grow tremendously in the spring. Each class will be individually emailed what is required for recital. All shoes and tights can be ordered through our online store at <u>www.artisticpursuit.me</u> (click- AP STORE) with pickup at the studio. All orders need to be placed by April 15th in order to ensure delivery in time for recital. Shipping times are better but still questionable! There will be sample sizes in the lobby to try on-PLEASE have your dancer try on all necessary shoes as dance shoes and street shoes size differently, for each brand and style. Also, please don't order shoes and tights from any other site. There are a ton of different pink color tights and tan colored jazz shoes. Please only order from our store as to ensure uniformity amongst all the dancers. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask your teacher or the office.

RECITAL TECH WEEK: This takes place the week of June 12th, and is **mandatory** for everyone performing in the recital. On Monday, June 12th and Tuesday, June 13th, we will have **IN-STUDIO** rehearsals starting at 4:00pm. DRESS REHEARSAL takes place on Friday, June 16th at Nazareth Academy. There are no regular classes that week, but may have makeup classes for Memorial Day. A more detailed schedule will be sent out closer to this time, but these dates **WILL NOT CHANGE.**

<u>TICKETS:</u> Everyone attending the recital will need to purchase a ticket. This will be done on www.tututix.com. Seating will be assigned. We will send out the release date of tickets, restrictions and purchasing details at a later date.

PROGRAM ADS: This year we will be offering three different options to give your dancer(s) a "shout-out" or to advertise your business. You will be able to choose from our commemorative program, Artistic Pursuit Social Media Platforms or our Artistic Pursuit Website. Details on how to participate will be sent separately.

As always, please email us with any questions or concerns you may have. We are very excited to showcase the hard work that our dancers have put in this season with an entertaining performance!

~Best-

Miss Ashley and Co.





ARTISTIC PURSUIT RECITAL 2023 PERMISSION SLIP

I have read the attached information and my dancer,

NAME(S): _____

(Check one)

_____ Has my permission to perform in RECITAL 2023

_____ Will not be able to perform in RECITAL 2023

Please list all classes dancer will be performing in: (CLASS, DAY, TIME)

I understand the cost per costume:

\$80.00/Costume, \$100.00 for Ballet/Tap Combo Classes, \$70.00 for Tot

TOTAL COST OF COSTUMES ORDERED: \$_____

PAYMENT: CHECK ONE

_____Enclosed is my check

_____Please charge my credit card on file

_____Please charge the credit card below

Number

Exp. Date_____CVV_____ZIP CODE:_____

PARENTS'S SIGNATURE_____

EMAIL:

PLEASE RETURN THIS SIGNED FORM BY FEBRUARY 1st of 2023!