

BRAINERD WINTER SHOW NEWSLETTER

DEC 2ND

BRAINERD HIGH SCHOOL GYMNASIUM

1:00 – 3:30 – 6:00PM

*See the show line up to know which show your child is in.

TICKETS:

Please order tickets online from the link that we e-mailed out. We want to have ALL pre-sale tickets done online.

Due date for pre-sale tickets is **Friday, November 24th**.

	PRESALE	AT THE DOOR
Adults	\$6.00	\$10.00
Students	\$4.00	\$6.00
5yrs and under		FREE

SHOW SHIRTS:

Orders for the Winter Show Shirts can be made online in your student account at:

justforkix.com/danceclasses

Then click on the custom wear tab.

T-Shirt cost: \$12.00

HOLIDAY SHOW REHEARSAL - BHS GYM MONDAY, NOVEMBER 27TH

Show rehearsal will be at the Brainerd High School Gym. We rent the gym space for this rehearsal so it is VERY IMPORTANT that you make every effort to attend.

Finale: Rehearsal will be for 4-12th grade dancers from 2:00-3:00pm in the Main Gym. K-3rd will be 2:15-3:00pm in the West Gym (behind the curtain).

Rehearsal Schedule for BHS 11/27

10:00 - 10:45am: Senior Kix (Annie) - Main Gym

10:45 - 11:45am: Rising Stars, Shooting Stars & Starlites (Ali & Annie) - Main Gym

11:00 - 11:45am: Monday Middle Kix (Amanda) - West Gym (behind the curtain)

11:45 - 1:15pm: Hip Hop Production (Ali & Annie) - Main Gym

1:15 - 2:00pm: 2-12th Jazz Production (Ali & Annie) - Main Gym

2:00 - 3:00pm: ALL 4-12th Finale Practice - Main Gym

2:15 - 3:00pm: ALL K-3rd Finale Practice - West Gym (behind the curtain)

3:00-3:15pm: Monday Mini Kix (Amanda) – Main Gym

Monday classes held at the studio at regular times



MEETING LOCATIONS: ON SHOW DAY

- Preschool: Meeting at the sound table 15min before show time or Intermission.
- 2 – 12th Grade JFK: Gymnastics Room
- Starlites, Shooting Stars & Rising Stars: Locker Room Under Stairs
- Quick Changes: Locker Room Under Stairs
- All Firecrackers classes (K-1st) – Weight Room Area
- Warrior Dance Team: Boys Locker Room

JFK Dancers are not allowed in the Kixter locker room (Boys locker room). Thank you.

There will be NO food or drinks allowed in the meeting areas, thank you!

QUICK CHANGES

We are striving to IMPROVE the professionalism of our shows. We have had negative feedback regarding the ins and outs of the parents doing quick changes during the shows.

- Be organized. Using a laundry basket allows you to find items easier.
- Label everything!!!! (Especially shoes.)
- Have all needed supplies. (Gel, bobby pins, clips, binders, hair net, donut, safety pins, make up, hair spray)
- Have a plan for how your child will change without help. Practice it at home. Kids 3rd grade and up should be able to change alone. A female helper CAN be back stage but should watch from the chute or balcony to not go in and out. One person could help 3 or 4 kids. Take turns at the various shows.
- Cannot go to far away bathroom or you hold up the show. Use the Quick Change locker room.
- Arrive with make up and hair done.
- Items frequently forgotten, extra tights, black knee-high socks for kick.
- Speed is important, dancers should not hold up the show!
- Parents can sit in the front corner by the chute (opposite side of the doors to the gym) so you can get in and out quickly.

WHAT TO EXPECT: ON SHOW DAY

PARKING

With a large number of families arriving at the same time, parking can get crazy. However, there is more than enough parking available if you use the North lot, South lot and the pit (by the football field) if necessary.

ADMISSION

Remember to have your pre-sale tickets available to give to the door monitors. Pre-Sale ticket holders, DO NOT wait in the admission lines, go directly to the doors. You can enter the gym via the south doors, lower level or gymnastics doors.

SEATING

We will have a full crowd, but there will be enough seats for everyone. Our routines are choreographed to be viewed from above, so every seat in the gym is a good one. We ask that the floor seats are reserved for parents of our Teeny/Tiny Kix and families that have a member unable to climb in the bleachers.

DURING THE SHOW

Once the show has begun, please refrain from moving while a team is performing. If you must leave your seat, please do so in-between numbers.

Applause is welcome. When you see something you like while the team is performing, let them know. A dance performance is an interactive experience.

AFTER THE SHOW

Our last number will be the finale' which encompasses all classes K-12th. Our staff will stay on the gym floor with the younger dancers until parents come down onto the floor to pick them up. Older dancers are free to meet their parents in the bleachers after the finale'. Make sure to arrange a meeting place prior to dropping your dancer off.

Our preschool dancers will sit with their families following their last performance.

BETWEEN SHOWS

We will be clearing the gym after each show. If you are attending multiple shows, please make sure to exit the gym and re-enter with the next show's ticket. Thank you for your cooperation.



HAIR: ON SHOW DAY

- Pre – 1st – ½ up and curly
- 2nd and older – High bun on top of head. No bangs.

GOT TIGHTS?

Check for tights, shoes, barrette, etc.

Dancers are encouraged to lay out all show items and get them organized at least one week before the show to avoid last minute panic.

HAIR PIECES:

If you have a hair piece with your costume please make sure that it is securely in place and does not fall out. Here is a helpful hint from one dance mom for how to fasten a head band type hairpiece:

I hot glued bobby pins and then criss crossed Bobby pins in their hair and had them fling their head all around and it didn't move at all.



You can also take safety pins and attach on inside of headband and bobby pin through the pin to the hair to hold the headband in place.

OUTBACK PIZZA/FLOWER FUNDRAISER:

The Brainerd Outback Bowl Dancers will be selling Pizza and Flowers at the show. Please help support them in their final fundraiser before they leave for Tampa!

NEW TICKET TABLE PROCEDURE FOR SHOW DAY

We have a new process for purchasing tickets this year! Please pass this info on to anyone needing to purchase at the door. The **ONLY** ticket table to purchase show tickets the day of the show will be at the **South Doors**. Anyone that did not purchase presale tickets will need to purchase at the south door admission table.

If you have presale tickets you can head right to the gym doors on the day of the show.

TIMELINE 1:00PM SHOW

K – 12 th grade dancers arrive:	12:15pm
Preschool dancers arrive:	12:45pm
Doors Open:	12:15pm
Dance Floor Cleared:	12:45pm
Take Your Seats:	12:55pm
Approx. End Time:	2:30pm

TIMELINE 3:30PM SHOW

K – 12 th grade dancers arrive:	2:45pm
Preschool dancers arrive:	3:15pm
Doors Open:	2:45pm
Dance Floor Cleared:	3:15pm
Take Your Seats:	3:25pm
Approx. End Time:	4:45pm

TIMELINE 6:00PM SHOW

K – 12 th grade dancers arrive:	5:15pm
Preschool dancers arrive:	5:45pm
Doors Open:	5:15pm
Dance Floor Cleared:	5:45pm
Take Your Seats:	5:55pm
Approx. End Time:	7:25pm

1:00pm Show Order

Jazz Production – 2-12th grade Jazz Classes
Wed Teeny Kix Cupcake Cuties (Cindy)
Mon Firecracker Kick (Amanda)
Rockette Christmas – Warrior Dance Team
Wee Lyrical (Brianna)
Mon Firecrackers Jazz (Annie)
Rising/Shooting Stars Kick (Ali & Annie)
Mini Lyrical (Brianna)
Starlites Kick (Ali)
Shooting Stars Lyrical (Brianna)
Warrior Dance Team Varsity Jazz
Hip Hop Production – 2-12th grade Hip Hop Classes
Intermission
Mini Tap (Annie)
Wed Tiny Kix Broadway Babies (Amanda & Kelly)
2-6th Father/Daughter (Jamie)
Warrior Dance Team JV Jazz
Mon Mini Kix (Amanda)
210 Stepettes (Dani/Amanda/Annie)
Mon Wee Kix (Amanda)
Rising Stars Lyrical (Ali)
Senior Kix (Annie)
Starlites Lyrical (Ali)
Sparklers Kick (Jamie)
Warrior Dance Team JV Kick
Warrior Dance Team Varsity Kick
371 Steppers (Ali/Annie)
K-12th Grade Finale

3:30pm Show Order

Jazz Production – 2-12th grade Jazz Classes
Wed Teeny Kix Itty Bittys (Amanda & Kelly)
Thurs Tiny Kix Sugar & Spice (Cindy)
Rockette Christmas – Warrior Dance Team
Wed Dynamite Firecrackers Jazz (Ali)
Starlites Kick (Ali)
Rising/Shooting Stars Kick (Ali & Annie)
Wed Dynamite Firecrackers Kick (Amanda & Kelly)
Tues Wee Kix (Jamie)
Shooting Stars Lyrical (Brianna)
Warrior Dance Team Varsity Jazz
Hip Hop Production – 2-12th grade Hip Hop Classes
Intermission
Pre-1st Father/Daughter (Cindy & Ali)
Warrior Dance Team JV Jazz
Tues Mini Kix (Jamie)
210 Stepettes (Dani/Amanda/Annie)
Rising Stars Lyrical (Ali)
Senior Kix (Annie)
Starlites Lyrical (Ali)
Sparklers Kick (Jamie)
Warrior Dance Team JV Kick
Warrior Dance Team Varsity Kick
371 Steppers (Ali/Annie)
K-12th Grade Finale

6:00pm Show Order

Jazz Production – 2-12th grade Jazz Classes
Mon Tiny Kix Little Stars (Amanda)
Wed TNT Firecrackers Jazz (Dani)
Rockette Christmas – Warrior Dance Team
Middle Lyrical (Brianna)
Rising/Shooting Stars Kick (Ali & Annie)
Starlites Kick (Ali)
Wed TNT Firecrackers Kick (Amanda & Kelly)
Shooting Stars Lyrical (Brianna)
Warrior Dance Team Varsity Jazz
Hip Hop Production – 2-12th grade Hip Hop Classes
Intermission
Wed Tiny Kix Dancing Darlings (Dani)
Thurs Firecrackers Jazz (Cindy)
Warrior Dance Team JV Jazz
Mon Middle Kix (Amanda)
Starmakers Lyrical (Annie)
Thurs Firecrackers Kick (Dani & Amanda)
210 Stepettes (Dani/Amanda/Annie)
Rising Stars Lyrical (Ali)
Senior Kix (Annie)
Starlites Lyrical (Ali)
Sparklers Kick (Jamie)
Warrior Dance Team JV Kick
Warrior Dance Team Varsity Kick
371 Steppers (Ali/Annie)
K-12th Grade Finale

5 Minutes before the shows are to begin, we will play “It’s The Most Wonderful Time Of The Year” all dancers are to exit the gym and spectators take their seats.