# ***Winter Show-Home For The Holidays-2018***

**Rehearsal Information:**

* All rehearsals for ALL CLASSES will be held at the Lincoln Center Performance Hall at 417 West Magnolia Street in Fort Collins, CO on Tuesday, December 11th and or Sunday, (show day) December 16th. Please see the rehearsal schedule below for your designated times. Rehearsals are mandatory. If you have regular scheduled classes on Tuesday, December 11th you WILL NOT GO TO CLASSES YOU WILL GO TO THE LINCOLN CENTER AT YOUR SCHEDULED TIME BELOW FOR STAGE REHEARSALS.
* They **DO NOT** need to wear their costumes to rehearsal. Either their dance clothes or something comfortable to dance in. They must however bring their dance shoes. We will wear those for rehearsal.
* Everyone will enter the South doors of the Lincoln Center, there is a small parking lot right in front of the doors, and there will also be a JFK Winter Show poster right outside by the doors, if you don’t see the poster you are not at the correct set of doors. As you enter the south doors you will immediately see a set of double doors on your left, it is called the Founders Room. All dancers will meet in this room to get ready for rehearsal. This is a closed Rehearsal so parents can either go walk around downtown, stay in cars or remain in the Founders room but there will be a lot of activity in that room. I am not allowed to have anyone in the lobby or any waiting area of the Lincoln Center during rehearsal times. Please make sure your dancer gets checked in with one of my assistant as you arrive to rehearsals. You will then pick them up in the exact same room as you left them. This is for ***ALL DANCERS FOR REHEARSALS ONLY***
* Here is the order for REHEARSALS. You will see the time that they rehearse on stage listed, **ALL DANCERS ARRIVE 15 MINUTES PRIOR TO THEIR REHEARSAL TIME**. These times are extremely important as your dancer will learn their holding area for the show prior to rehearsing on the stage. One of my assistants will take them as a class and walk through what it will look like on show day. So please, please be on time! Reminder, for rehearsal EVERYONE WILL MEET IN THE FOUNDERS ROOM. Only for the show will they report to either the Founders (2yrs-1st grade) or the Columbine Room (2nd-12th and boys).

Rehearsal Schedule Below

**SHOW DAY, December 16th**

**SHOW TIMELINE: TWO SHOWS THIS YEAR- 2:00 pm and 6:00 pm. The Performance Hall doors open 30 minutes prior to each show.**

**Show Holding Areas-will be the same as the previous year-All dancers 2yrs-1st in Founders room all other dancers in Columbine including boys.**

**Dancers in multiple performances please make sure you arrive in the correct uniform-please see show performance order timeline below.**

* **Our dancers 2 years old through 1st grade will hold in the Founders Room (same as rehearsal meeting place). Arrive 30 minutes prior to your performance time.**
* **Our dancers 2nd through 12th grade will report to the Columbine Room located on the North side of the Lincoln Center, to the North of the box office. The dancers will be shown exactly where this is during their rehearsal time. Arrive 45 minutes prior to show time.**
* **If 2nd-12th have a costume change they should arrive 1 hr prior to their show time to put costumes backstage.**
* **All changes will be done backstage in dressing rooms this year for grades 2nd-12th only, 2yr olds-1st graders will change in the Founders Room.**

**SHOW ORDER IS BELOW- ALL DANCERS 2YRS-5th GRADE WILL EITHER PERFORM AT THE 2PM OR THE 6PM SHOW SO PLEASE LOOK CLOSELY AS TO WHICH SHOW THEY WILL DANCE AT. ALL DANCERS 6TH-12TH WILL PERFORM AT BOTH SHOWS.**

Dancers performing at both shows~ The Columbine Room will remain open after the first show to go relax, eat, ect. You are allowed to leave in between shows but please be back at 5pm to get ready for the second show. Each show will be approximately 2 hours long, so there will not be that long in between shows by the time the 2pm show ends and 6pm show begins. The Columbine Room will be supervised during this time.

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|  | Show/Group | Song |
|  | 2pm Show |  |
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| 1 | Opener-Dream Team/Rising Stars/Starlites | Home For The Holidays |
| 2 | 2yr olds Teeny Friday Class | Let It Go |
| 3 | Middle Ballet/Lyrical 6th-7th Wednesday | What A Feeling |
| 4 | Wee Petites Kix Saturday | Jolly To The Core |
| 5 | Jr Hip Hop | Dig |
| 6 | Mini Ballet/Lyrical Tues | Humble and Kind |
| 7 | Wee Ballet Lyrical Tuesday | When You Believe |
| 8 | Wee Petite Tap | Run Rudolph Run |
| 9 | Middle Kix/Jazz Monday | Sorry Not Sorry |
| 10 | Teeny Kix Tuesday | Elf On The Shelf |
| 11 | Jr Kix/Jazz | Woman |
| 12 | Mini Kix/Jazz  Monday | Women Up |
| 13 | Middle Hip Hop Monday | Lemonade |
| 14 | Tiny Kix 3-4yr olds Friday 10am Class | Gingerbread Bounce |
| 15 | Wee Petites Monday K-1st | Go Christmas |
|  | Intermission |  |
| 16 | Mom/Daughter 2nd-5th grade | Lil Snowman |
| 17 | Mom/Daughter 3yrs-1st grade | Deck The Halls |
| 18 | Advanced Ballet Lyrical | Hallelujah |
| 19 | Middle Hip Hop Thursday | Insomniac |
| 20 | Jr Ballet Lyrical | Define Me |
| 21 | Wee Kix/Jazz Tuesday Class | That's What Christmas Means |
| 22 | Wee Petites Hip Hop Monday 4yrs-1st | Drummer Boy |
| 23 | Mini Hip Hop Tuesday | Turning Heads |
| 24 | Tiny Kix Tuesday | Must Be Santa |
| 25 | Middle Ballet/Lyrical 6th-7th Tuesday Class | Work Song |
| 26 | Tiny Kix Saturday | Little Eskimo |
| 27 | Wee Hip Hop 1 2nd-3rd Monday class | Drop It |
| 28 | Sr Hip Hop | Fergie |
| 29 | Starlites | Champion |
| 30 | Rising Stars | Rise |
| 31 | Dream Team | All I Want For Christmas |

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|  | Show/Group | Song |
|  | 6pm Show |  |
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| 1 | Opener-Dream Team/Rising Stars/Starlites | Home For The Holidays |
| 2 | Tiny Kix 1 4-5 yr Monday | Are My Ears On Straight |
| 3 | Middle Ballet/Lyrical 6th-7th Wednesday | What A Feeling |
| 4 | Wee Petite Hip Hop Thursday 4yrs-1st | Drummer Boy |
| 5 | Jr Hip Hop | Dig |
| 6 | Mini Ballet/Lyrical Wendesday | Strong |
| 7 | Teeny Kix 3yr olds Friday 9:30am Class | Gingerbread Bounce |
| 8 | Wee Ballet/Lyrical Thursday | Snow Song |
| 9 | Middle Kix/Jazz Monday | Sorry Not Sorry |
| 10 | Mini Tap | Ugly Sweater |
| 11 | Jr Kix/Jazz | Woman |
| 12 | Wee Petite Ballet/Lyrical K-1st | The Most Wonderful Day |
| 13 | Mini Kix/Jazz Wednesday | Colors |
| 14 | Middle Hip Hop Monday | Lemonade |
| 15 | Wee Hip Hop Thursday | Tu Tu's and Tennis Shoes |
|  | Advanced Ballet Lyrical | Hallelujah |
| 16 | Intermission |  |
| 17 | Mom/Daughter 3yrs-1st grade | Deck The Halls |
| 18 | Mom/Daughter 2nd-5th grade | Lil Snowman |
| 19 | Mother/Daughter 6th-12th 6pm | Rock and Roll Christmas |
| 20 | Boys Hip Hop | Over Do It |
| 21 | Middle Hip Hop Thursday | Insomniac |
| 22 | Jr Ballet Lyrical | Define Me |
| 23 | Wee Petites Thurs K-1st | Jolly To The Core |
| 24 | Mini Hip Hop Thursday | Money |
| 25 | Adult Hip Hop | En Fuego |
| 26 | Middle Ballet/Lyrical 6th-7th Tuesday Class | Work Song |
| 27 | Sr Hip Hop | Fergie |
| 28 | Starlites | Champion |
| 29 | Rising Stars | Rise |
| 30 | Dream Team | All I Want For Christmas |

**What should dancers bring to the show?**

* Uniforms should be worn as they arrive for the show. They may wear pants, hoodies and street shoes over their uniform but must take off and put on remaining uniform pieces as soon as they get to their holding area. A good ole fashion laundry basket works great for show days. Sometimes bags get a little too crowded and items are not seen properly, this mainly pertains to dancers that are in multiple classes with multiple performances. **Label every single uniform piece with your dancers name prior to show day.**
* Please have your dancers wear show make-up to the show, dancers 1st and under it is to the parent’s discretion. Performance makeup is heavier than normal make-up.
* Hair for all dancers should be worn in a high slicked back bun. Bun builders, hot buns, sock buns are great to make your bun look extra fabulous, YouTube has many tutorials for all types of hair ☺ If your dancer looks straight forward and you cannot see her bun then it is not high enough. Buns should be on the crown of the head. If your dancer has a hair piece, then it will be placed on the dancers right side of the bun. Please make sure your dancers bun is secure with bobby pins, hairspray and little hairs are slicked back. For dancers that have hair that will absolutely not fit in a bun, hair can be worn curled with the sides pulled back away from the face, hair pieces will also be worn on the right side.
* Snacks, water only, electronics, pillow, blanket, card games ect. Please make sure their name is on all of their belongings.
* Above is the order of performances for the show. For dancers of multiple class/multiple shows, please make sure you arrive in the correct uniform then you may lay out your uniforms in the order you need them.
* **Dancers will remain backstage for the entire show. Dancers DO NOT NEED A SHOW TICKET** The only exception will be our Teeny Kicks Class our dancers that are 2 and 3 years old (separate email to follow for families with a Teeny Kicks dancer.)

**After The Show**

* Once our show concludes your dancers will be in their holding areas. At that time you may go meet your dancer. Please double check your dancers’ area to make sure they have not left anything behind and have cleaned up their area. I must be out of the Columbine Room by 8:30pm after the 2nd show and that is where the majority of our dancers holding area is so please make every effort to gather your belongings and pick up messes, this would be much appreciated!

**Important Reminders and Ticket Information**

* Your dancers account must be current in order for them to dance in the show.
* Show Tickets will go on sale November 14th at 12pm MST, Adult tickets are $14, students $9, children 5 and under are free. If you are adding a free ticket for children 5 and under you MUST CALL or GO TO the Lincoln Center box office to purchase your full ticket order, they have to do a special purchase for the orders containing free tickets so online purchases are not available if your order includes a free ticket. A discount will be given of $2 for each adult and student ticket if you are attending both the 2pm and the 6pm show (Bundle). If ordering online, you will simple select tickets for both shows and the discount for a bundle will be given at checkout. Dancers DO NOT need tickets. Link to purchase tickets: <http://tickets.lctix.com/JustForKixHomefortheHolidays>
* I will not have show shirts for sale, only online orders are accepted please order online through your dancers account if you wish for him/her to have one. Great memento of the show! It’s not too late to order online through your dancers account in custom wear. This is an optional purchase only. <https://www.justforkix.com/danceclasses/store/>
* Once the show has begun please make sure that if you need to leave the performance hall for any reason please do so in between numbers and take your ticket with you. Applause is welcome at any time of the performance. If you see something you like please let the dancers know by a roaring applause.
* **Please stay for the entire show. The dancers work very hard and a full audience is fantastic for all our dancers.**
* It is helpful to print this newsletter and have a copy for your dancer to look over, that way they can look at the rehearsal and show order and it relieves some tension on them knowing how long they have between numbers, time to change ect. ☺
* **PARKING\*\*\* Please make sure you leave plenty of time to find a parking space at both rehearsals and prior to the show. It is going to be a full house and the parking can become tricky. YOU CAN NOT PARK IN THE POST OFFICE PARK LOT THE LOT EAST OF MAGNOLIA STREET. YOU WILL SEE MAIL CARRIER TRUCKS IN THE LOT, DO NOT PARK THERE OR YOU WILL BE TOWED, AND THE LINCOLN CENTER INFORMED ME THAT THIS HAS BEEN HAPPENING. THERE IS ALSO AN APARTMENT COMPLEX THAT PROHIBITS PARKING AS WELL THAT IS NEAR BY TO PLEASE BE ON THE LOOKOUT FOR PROHIBITED PARKING SIGNS. That would be the worst, is to come out and not find your car!**

If you ever have a question about anything, please call, text or email me. On rehearsal and show day I will have my phone close by but I may not be available for instant communication. My day is planned out by the minute! ☺ This is going to be a great show and great memories will be made! I’m so excited for your dancer, it’s going to be a great day, make it as special as you can for them, they have worked hard! Christin phone: 970.213.0123 email: Windsor\_co@justforkix.com