

PLEASE READ CAREFULLY and ENTIRELY
4:00PM RECITAL

Dear Parents,

Our 2025 Spring Dance Recital will be held on **Saturday, May 31, 2025 at 4:00pm** at the;

Sugar Loaf Performing Arts Center
1351 Kings Hwy
Sugarloaf, NY 10981

Ticket information to follow.

Dress Rehearsal DAY/TIME – Dress rehearsal will be **in the studio** on **Sunday, May 18th. ACT 1** from 10am-1:30pm and **ACT 2** from 2pm-5:30pm. Each dance will be rehearsed **once**. Once you have rehearsed your last dance you may leave. Dancers should show up for rehearsal in full costume, hair and make-up. Pictures and videotaping will be permitted for the dress rehearsal **only**.

Hair – Should be pulled neatly back away from the face in a neat bun, unless discussed differently with the instructor of the class.

Make-up – Should consist of blush, eyelashes, mascara, light eyeshadow, and lipstick

Jewelry – Rhinestone earrings - NO other jewelry should be worn

SHOWTIME

- Dancers should report directly to the back door of the Performing Arts Center at **3:15pm**.
- Parents are NOT permitted to stay with their dancer backstage before showtime.
- Dancers will have assigned areas to change and stay while being off stage.
- Dancers are asked to stay in their assigned areas and with their dance classmates in the order of their performances, so that they can be directed to the stage as a group when it is their time to perform.
- Pack snacks and dinner - NO colorful food or beverages like red, orange, blue, etc.
(see additional food guidelines)
- Pack activities for downtime backstage (coloring books, paper, games, etc)

There will be a 10 MINUTE INTERMISSION during this performance.

To avoid distracting the performers and other audience members, we ask that you wait until the end of the performance to pick up your child backstage.

FOOD GUIDELINES FOR RECITAL DAY

There are a few dancers in our studio who have severe food allergies and I am asking for your cooperation when bringing food to the recital. Please be aware and **do not pack snacks with Peanuts, Tree Nuts or Dairy/milk products**. Please read the label of the products you would like to send. Some of these ingredients are sneaky and you would not expect them to be in the snacks you would like to send (ie, no Cheez-It's as this has milk powder). We also ask that you send items that will not stain the costumes. (No red fruit punch, chocolate, etc.)

Below are some suggestions for snacks (please keep in mind that manufactures change their manufacturing process so a food on this list might not now be ok. I hope this is helpful)

All Fruit and Vegetables

Plain Ritz Crackers

Plain Lays Potato Chips

Go Go Squeeze

Graham Crackers (Nestle or Honey Maid)

Skinny pop popcorn (plain)

Barnum animal crackers

Plain Wheat Thins

Saltine Crackers

Bachman Pretzel Stix

Vanilla Oreos

Teddy Grahams

Tostitos Chips

Belvita cinnamon, blueberry or chocolate