

NWDA Newsletter

Northwest Dance & Acro presents



Fairytale Winter

December 16, 2018

Recital Reminders

It's hard to believe but it's that time of year again! The holidays are just around the corner and, with them, our semi-annual recital! Fairytale Winter has combined two shows into one epic masterpiece now scheduled at 4:30 p.m. on Sunday, December 16, 2018. We hope you will join us for this festive celebration as our dancers demonstrate the skills they have mastered this season!

Picture Day

Fairytale Winter recital photos are scheduled for December 8th. An email was sent outlining the picture schedule, as well as hairstyle, shoe, and accessory instructions for each class. Remember, you can always find this information on the Recital page of our website nwdanceandacro.com! A copy of the photo order form is available there for your reference and/or to download and fill out ahead of time, though paper copies will be available the day of photos. If you have any questions at all, you may email the photographers directly at madcap@madcapphotography.com!

Rehearsals

A great show requires a great deal of preparation and to help with that we have two dress rehearsals planned. The first dress rehearsal will take place on December 14th beginning at 4:30 p.m. at NWDA. The second dress rehearsal will be a technical rehearsal at Byrnes Performing Arts Center on Saturday, December 15, from 10-2. Dancers will not be required to stay for the entirety of these rehearsals, schedules will be released the first week of December so families can plan their weekend. We highly recommend taking advantage of the dress rehearsals as they help parents and dancers anticipate any wardrobe challenges and know what to expect at the performance. Also, the technical rehearsal on Saturday will be a great chance for parents to snap their own photos of dancers as flash photography and video are not allowed during Sunday's show.



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Grand Opening Memories

NWDA's Grand Opening was a smashing success! Guests mingled in the lobby, toured the new classrooms, and posed for selfies on the red carpet. The junior/teen and teen/senior teams gave preview performances of their competition pieces for this season and, for the grand finale, dancers of all ages came together for a special piece prepared for the Grand Opening itself, giving us a rousing interpretation of *The Greatest Show*. Afterwards, we closed the day out with some team bonding activities for families. We'd like to take a moment to thank everyone who came out and made it so special. It was an afternoon to remember and we can't thank you enough for all of your support over the years. We look forward to making many memories with all of you in our new home!



Triumphant Return

We are thrilled to welcome back NWDA alums Abby Hau and Rachel Stallcup as they return from their studies in California to share their knowledge with our dancers! Abby and Rachel will be teaching master classes on Saturday, 11/24. View all the details and see how to register on our website!



Wrapping Up

With the end of our fall/winter session fast approaching, we hope your dancers have enjoyed their classes! This is just a reminder that our class rosters will roll over to the next session in January unless we are otherwise notified. This means that if your dancer plans to drop a class that they are currently enrolled in, we must be notified by December 10th. Otherwise, your dancer will automatically be reregistered for their current class(es) and billed January 5th, as usual, with classes resuming on January 7th. If you have any questions, please contact us at office@nwdanceandacro.com or stop by the front desk Monday-Thursday from 4:30-8:30.

Important Dates

11/22-11/23	Studio Closed
11/24	Master Class
12/08	Picture Day
12/10	Class Drop Due
12/14	In-Studio Rehearsal
12/15	Tech Rehearsal at PAC
12/16	Recital
12/17-12/21	Bring a Friend to Class
12/22-1/06	Studio Closed
1/07	Classes Resume

