

Note from

the director

THANK YOU for an incredible 21st season! We are so excited that you chose to dance with us! We have had so many great opportunities like performing at Sparkcon, Open Dance Nights, Holiday Cabaret, Dance As If No One Is Watching, Dance Theatre, and our performance in the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade.

We are so happy to look forward to our 22nd season with a new mission trip to Costa Rica, and our performance at Disney World! There's always something fun happening at HSSOD! Don't forget to pick up your N.Y. trip info!

This summer, we will be enjoying a full season of camps/classes! Join us!

As always, we are so grateful for your support and encouragement! I hope you are ready for the BEST recital ever!! Please let us know if you have any questions leading up to the recitals. We are here to help! On with the show!

Love, Marilyn

IMPORTANT NOTICE!

Please make sure all tuition and fees are paid before recital. We want to clear all accounts before going into summer. Check with the front desk if you are unsure of the status of your account.

Want to take a fun look back at all of the cool stuff we did this year!

Follow us on Instagram @marilynchappellhssod



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*** TUITION DEAL ***
 • Take 10% OFF YOUR DANCE TUITION when you
 • pay for the entire 2019-2020 season in advance.
 • This offer expires June 1st, 2019. Take 5% off
 • when you pay in full June 1st to Sept 1st.

Performing with us in Times Square
and on a Broadway stage?

Don't forget that your deposit is due to the front desk by May 24th. Need more info? Stop by the front desk!!

SDC, SDC Jr, Littles & Apprentice Auditions

Saturday, May 18th
9-10am Apprentices
10-11am Jr. Company
11-noon Sr. Company

Sunday, May 19th
2-3pm Littles

Dancers should arrive in a black leotard, pink tights, and hair in a bun. You should wear convertible tights for a Modern phrase and bring Jazz shoes for a short combination. You will share phrases with Ms. Marilyn, Ms. Jillian, Ms. Carrie, Ms. Mollie and additional staff members. We hope to see you there!

Young Dancer Recital

We will see all of our 3 to 6 aged classes and 7/9 Beg. level classes on May 10th for dress rehearsal at the Hope Community Church. We look forward to your performances on May 11th. Please be in full recital costume!!

- Don't forget that we will see you for the last 2 classes at the studio following the recital. Bring your camera or video camera on the last day during our awards presentation.
- Some tickets are still available for some of the Young Dancer shows.
- Recital t-shirts will arrive at the end of the month. We will give them out in class.
- Please feel free to contact us with any questions! For many of you, this is a first time experience. We want to put you at ease by answering any questions that you may have. It's going to be a big day for your dancer. Thanks so much for allowing us to be a part of it.
- Don't forget! Class Mom meeting is Thurs., May 2nd 6-7pm in studio 136.
- Call time for dancers is 30 minutes before the start of the show. Class Moms will arrive 45 minutes before the show. Dancers will be picked up in the lobby after the finale. Thank you!

We will have a professional videographer at the recital. You may videotape the dress rehearsal, but not the performance. Video order forms are now available at the studio!

FLETCHER RECITAL INFORMATION

Dress Rehearsal May 28- 30th...

Parents will arrive in downtown Raleigh and enter through the front lobby towards the left (this is the Fletcher Opera House entrance). You will see HSSOD volunteers set up to answer questions. You should **arrive in full recital costume** (this is a great time to give your hair/make-up a trial run) and enter the auditorium where volunteers will show you where to sit with your class. Parents are responsible for their children at all times during dress rehearsal. **Please do not allow your child to wander unsupervised at any time!** This facility is very big and will be a busy place with other events as well. Volunteers will take your children backstage when their class is called. Once they perform, they will sit with us backstage until we run the finale at the end of the hour. Your child will meet you in the lobby after the finale. Reminder - if you want lots of close-ups of your child, **you can videotape at dress rehearsal.** Video cameras or flash photography will not be allowed at any performance as it can be dangerous to the dancers onstage.

- We will have a **professional videographer taping** all of the shows if you would like to purchase them. You may get order forms at the studio or at the dress rehearsal.
- You are welcome to **stay and watch** as much of our dress rehearsals as you would like. This is a great opportunity for young dancers to see other performances.
- **CLASS MOMS** - We will give all Class Moms a backstage tour during dress rehearsals. You will learn everything you need to know. **We will have a Class Mom meeting on Thursday, May 2nd from 6-7pm in Studio 136.** You will receive a special volunteer badge, class signs, and information.



Please try to attend this important meeting! Thank you so much! We couldn't do it without you!

Disney Dancers

Dancers performing at Disney World this June!
Please check that you have these dates on your calendar. . .

June 10-13
Nightly Rehearsals 7-8pm

Sat., June 15th
9-10am
So excited!



Recital Love Notes

Send a special message backstage to your sweet dancer at the recital! For only \$5.00, you will fill out a specially designed card that will be delivered to your dancer during the show! Let them know how much you love them, how proud you are, and how you can't wait to celebrate with them after the show!

Support making dancer's dreams come true, as well as someone who means the world to you!

-Purchase cards at the front desk, at dress rehearsals, or the recitals!

Lost and Found -

Please make sure to claim all items by Saturday, May 4th or items will be donated to Guardian Angel.

Summer & Fall Registration

Thanks to everyone for the outstanding response and support of the HSSOD summer season and upcoming 2019-2020 season!

If you still haven't registered, you can check out our complete summer and fall schedule at www.hollyspringsdance.com



Duke Energy Center for the Performing Arts - Fletcher Opera House

Performance day/times are:
 Friday, May 31st - 7:00 pm
 Saturday, June 1st - 10:00 am, 1:30 pm, 4:30 pm, 7:30 pm
 Sunday, June 2nd - 1:00 pm, 4:00 pm, 7:00 pm
 Anyone on waiting lists for tickets will be contacted if any become available. There are still tickets available!

Class mom meeting on Thurs., May 2nd from 6-7 pm in studio 136

T-shirts will arrive in a couple of weeks!

Video taping ONLY at dress rehearsal.

Recital tickets going home this week!

Performance

Your child should arrive in full recital costume/make-up 45 minutes before their scheduled performance time. You will meet a class mom who will be holding a class sign. Our volunteers will walk them to their dressing room to meet the other class Mom. Due to tight security, you will not be allowed backstage without the Class Mom badge. We want to ensure that everyone who is backstage is supposed to be there. We appreciate your support of this.

- Please check with your Class Mom to see if there is anything that they might want you to send. **A small bag with a water bottle, an activity or non-messy snacks are fine.** Please do not send nail polish, markers or paint sets.

- During the performance, your child will remain in a backstage dressing room until it is time to perform. At the end of the performance, Class Moms will walk dancers back to the lobby to meet you where they were dropped off. Please **send only one parent to meet your child** - your fan club can wait at another part of the lobby.

- Again, there will be **no flash photography or videotaping during performances** as it can be dangerous to the performers onstage. If you wish to videotape, you are welcome to do it at the dress rehearsal. We will have a professional videographer taping each performance if you are interested in purchasing this, order forms are available at the studio and will be available at dress rehearsals.

- Recital **souvenir t-shirts** will be available at the studio at the end of the month. Please feel free to **contact us with any questions!** We want to make this one of the best days in your child's life!

Calendar of Upcoming Events

MAY

- 2** Class Mom meeting 6-7pm in studio 136
- 10** Young Dancer Dress Rehearsal
- 11** Young Dancer Recital
- 18-19** SDC Auditions
- 20-25** Awards week at the studio for all classes
- 25** Last day of studio classes
- 28-30** Mandatory Dress rehearsals at Fletcher Opera House

Awards Day at the Studio

Remember to bring your camera or video camera to our last class as we present special awards to our dancers!

May 20-25

JUNE

- May 31- June 2** Recital
- 10** Summer Classes Begin

