

Additional Concert Information

IN OUR DREAMS

18th November 2023 Cannon Hill Anglican College (CHAC)

We're thrilled to be presenting to you our 2023 concert very soon!! Our end-of-year concert offers our students a professionally directed performance that allows them to present to their families and friends the results of a year's hard work, dedication, and progress. We hope you enjoy!

Rehearsals:

With only a couple of weeks to go until our performance, it is essential that your child is only absent if they are unwell. Children can still learn by watching and are letting the whole group down if they are absent as group choreography is very much a disciplined example of teamwork!

<u>Tickets:</u>

Are sold online here – <u>https://stagestubs.com/au/the-studio-dance-and-arts-pty-ltd/in-our-dreams-the-studio-dance-arts-concert</u>

Performing students will NOT require a ticket!

Photographs:

We will send through some further information about photo day on Sunday 26th November! It will run very similar to last year and is a great chance to have your performer photographed in their concert costume by a professional photographer.

Arriving at the theater on Concert day:

All students need to arrive at the theater just before their scheduled rehearsal time, so they are ready to be onstage at their scheduled rehearsal time. Please leave plenty of time for parking and walking to the theater. There is access to plenty of street and carpark parking at CHAC. A site map will be sent the week of the concert.

Rehearsals are a very important health and safety measure and help to ensure your dancer is comfortable under lights, in a new environment, during their performance. All students must attend their stage rehearsal to perform in our concert.

Stage rehearsals:

All <u>Friday evening or Saturday morning rehearsals</u> on concert day require students to be in their <u>normal class gear</u>. Students shouldn't bring anything with them for their rehearsal (e.g. no water bottle necessary) - unless they are going to be staying for a couple of rehearsals e.g. ballet **and** jazz. They may also need to bring a change of shoes if they require different shoes for their numerous rehearsals.

When students return for the show - **please have their hair and make-up done** as well as their undergarments on, with loose-fitting clothing or clothing and shoes that are easy to remove - for ease of dressing into costumes. Anything that comes with them backstage should be named and please provide a bag/backpack for them to place their belongings in to limit lost property.

There will be a sign-in sheet when you arrive for the show and parents are not permitted backstage unless there are designated backstage helpers. Please help us to keep the day running smoothly and on time by arriving with plenty of time to park and find the venue.

Video of Concert:

A professional company will film both shows and direct download will be available from our website a few weeks after the performance at a small charge. <u>Due to music copyright laws</u> <u>please do not record any part of our performance</u>.

Dressing Room Help:

If you are able to assist us for one show as a dressing room helper, an usher, on stage set-up or pack-down, or in our canteen...we would greatly appreciate it!! Volunteer sign-up form has been sent separately.

Costumes:

All costumes are supplied by us via hire. Your child's costume will be backstage waiting for them when they arrive for the concert.

Some individual classes may be requested to provide some costume elements - you will be notified separately via email. If your child is in more than one dance, we will notify you via email closer to the show, which dance will be performed first in the show, and therefore which items/hairstyle to come dressed in.

Student Requirements:

- **Creative Movement** bare feet, flesh coloured underwear. Long hair in a neat ponytail or styled away from face for those with short hair. Optional make-up.
- <u>ALL ballet students</u>- pink or flesh coloured leather soled ballet shoes (or pointe shoes, for our teen students who've been rehearsing in pointe shoes). Flesh coloured ballet tights or ballet tights the same colour as your pink or flesh coloured ballet shoes. Hair in a ballet bun. Optional make-up.
- Mini Moves jazz bare feet, flesh coloured underwear. Long hair in a <u>high</u> ponytail or styled away from face for those with short hair. Optional make-up.

- Junior Street Jazz black jazz shoes. No socks or 'no-show' socks that are not visible. Long hair in a <u>low</u> ponytail with a center part or styled away from face for those with short hair. Flesh coloured underwear. Optional make-up.
- Intermediate Street Jazz black jazz shoes. No socks or 'no-show' socks that are not visible. Long hair in a <u>low</u> ponytail with a center part or styled away from face for those with short hair. Flesh coloured underwear. Shimmer tights: <u>https://suesshop.com.au/product/energetiks-footed-professional-high-gloss-tight/</u> Optional make-up.
- Senior Street Jazz black jazz shoes. No socks or 'no-show' socks that are not visible. Long hair in a <u>low</u> ponytail with a center part or styled away from face for those with short hair. Flesh coloured underwear. Optional make-up.
- Senior Hip Hop white trainers. Flesh coloured underwear. Long hair in a <u>low</u> ponytail with a center part or styled away from face for those with short hair. Optional make-up.
- Junior Hip Hop black trainers or black canvas shoes. Long hair in a <u>high</u> ponytail or styled away from face for those with short hair. Flesh coloured underwear. Optional make-up.
- Senior Contemporary & Senior Extension Program bare feet. Flesh coloured underwear. Tan footless tights -<u>https://www.bloch.com.au/collections/footless-tight/products/t0230l-bloch-elite-footle</u> <u>ss-womens-tights-tan</u> Long hair in a <u>low</u> ponytail with a center part or styled away from face for those with short hair. Optional make-up.
- Junior Contemporary bare feet. Flesh coloured underwear. Long hair in a <u>low</u> ponytail with a center part or styled away from face for those with short hair. Optional make-up.
- Musical Theatre black footwear (lace up shoes or jazz shoes). White socks. Flesh or black coloured underwear. Optional white singlet or white t-shirt under the costume if students are worried the costume shirt untucks when they raise their arms. Own hairstyle so students look 'individual'. Optional make-up.

- Acro & Hip Hop/Acro bare feet. Black or flesh coloured underwear. Long hair in a <u>low</u> ponytail with center part or styled away from face for those with short hair. Optional make-up.
- **Drama** costume as per teachers instructions. Neat hair away from face. Optional make-up.

*We know it can be tricky finding flesh coloured underwear in children's sizes - please do your best to find something a similar colour to your child's skin tone (light pink or brown or white underwear may be easier to come by). Having appropriate underwear ensures our dancers are not showing their underwear on stage and also provides them with some coverage when they are getting changed. A <u>flesh coloured leotard</u> or underwear and crop top is the best option for our older students who want full body coverage when changing.

**Make up is optional, however we do find most students opt to wear some!

Dance Wear stores to purchase shoes, tights and undergarments:

We Recommend:

Sue's Shop - https://www.suesshop.com.au/ at Indooroopilly & Carina **Bloch** - http://www.bloch.com.au/ in Fortitude Valley Or any other dancewear store or Kmart, Best & Less etc.

We work hard to make the whole concert experience organised and incredibly fun. Keeping you informed is one of our goals! Please assist us by reading all newsletters and emails, to help make the day run smoothly and enjoyably for the children.

Please don't hesitate to ask us any questions - email is the best way to reach us.

We look forward to welcoming you to our show 'IN OUR DREAMS'!!



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