

Lancaster Dance Academy

Recital 2025

RECITAL INFORMATION

LDA is excited to have their 8th annual summer recital at The Julie Rogers Theater in Beaumont. The dancers will be required to attend a special schedule for In-Studio Rehearsals the week of April 18th-26th, excluding Easter. Tech Rehearsals will be on Sunday, April 27th & Monday, April 28th with Dress Rehearsal being on Tuesday, April 29th in the theater. Recital will be Wednesday, April 30th at 6pm. Dancers must attend all in-studio and theater rehearsals to perform recital night. In order to ensure a smooth and organized recital experience, it is very important that LDA dancers and families follow all theater, studio rules and procedures.

RULES

- NO flash photography. Video and photography may be taken on dress rehearsal night only and will be provided during the recital.
- Please do NOT post any videos of dances or pictures of costumes until after the recital is over.
- No food is allowed in the audience at any time.
- Please clean up your area of the dressing room each night before you leave.
- No costumes are allowed in the audience even under a cover up.

ADDITIONAL REHEARSALS – Monday-Saturday, April 21st-April 26th

- **MONDAY, APRIL 21ST**
 - LEVELS 2 & 3 FINALE: 4:30 - 5:00 P.M.
 - LEVEL 2 & 3: 5:00 - 7:30 P.M.
- **TUESDAY, APRIL 22ND**
 - PETITES: 4:30 - 5:30 P.M. (DADS 5-5:30 P.M.)
 - BEGINNER & LEVEL 1: 5:30 - 7 P.M.
 - BEGINNER & LEVEL 1 FINALE: 7 - 7:30 P.M.
- **WEDNESDAY, APRIL 23RD**
 - BABY BALLETS: 4:15 - 5:00 P.M.
 - LEVELS 4 & 5 FINALE: 5:30-6:00 P.M.
 - LEVELS 4 & 5: 6:00 - 8:30 P.M.
- **THURSDAY, APRIL 24TH**
 - BEGINNER, LEVEL 1 & 2: 4:30-6 P.M.
 - ALL LEVELS FINALE: 6-6:45 P.M.
 - LEVELS 3, 4 & 5: 6:45-8:45 P.M.

- **FRIDAY, APRIL 25TH**
 - THIS DAY WILL BE HELD FOR FULL STUDIO REHEARSAL
- **SATURDAY, APRIL 26TH**
 - ALL LEVEL FINALE: TBD
 - THIS DAY WILL BE HELD FOR FULL STUDIO REHEARSAL

TECH REHEARSALS – April 27th & April 28th

This year, all dancers must wear their recital costume with all accessories and required shoes. Your dancer's hair must be pulled back in a bun and no make up is required for these rehearsals.

- **SUNDAY, APRIL 27TH**
 - DOORS OPEN: 12:00 P.M.
 - TECH REHEARSAL START TIME: 1:00 P.M.

****A DETAILED SCHEDULE WITH ESTIMATED TIMES IS TBA AND WILL BE SENT OUT AT A LATER DATE.****
- **MONDAY, APRIL 28TH**
 - DOORS OPEN: 9:00 A.M.
 - TECH REHEARSAL START TIME: 10:00 A.M. (BABIES & COMPANY DANCES DURING THE DAY)
 - ALL BLACK RUN THROUGH START TIME: 4:30 P.M.
 - 1st DRESS REHEARSAL TO FOLLOW

****A DETAILED SCHEDULE WITH ESTIMATED TIMES IS TBA AND WILL BE SENT OUT AT A LATER DATE.****

DRESS REHEARSAL - April 29th

- DANCERS READY: 4:30 P.M.
 - Dancers must be dressed, lined up and ready to begin the full dress rehearsal. All hair, makeup, and costumes should be worn exactly as it will be for recital night. Dress rehearsal will run in the order of recital.
- AWARDS START TIME: 5:00 P.M. WITH DRESS REHEARSAL TO FOLLOW

DRESS REHEARSAL PARENT PASS

Each LDA parent will be given a pass per child that will be given to you at the check in table at the side entrance of the theater. NO extra family or friends will be allowed on dress rehearsal. It is very important that no additional family members or friends attend this rehearsal due to insurance purposes.

BACKSTAGE AND DRESSING ROOM

No Parents will be allowed backstage. Your dancer will be lined up by a LDA staff member in the hallways at least 5 numbers before their dance. Please do not allow family members and friends to come into the dressing rooms. Each dancer will be able to have ONE parent or helper in the dressing room. No males are allowed in the girls dressing rooms at any time. PLEASE CLEAN UP YOUR DRESSING ROOM AREA EACH NIGHT BEFORE YOU LEAVE.

IMPORTANT NOTE

ALL DRESSING ROOMS WILL BE ASSIGNED.

RECITAL - Wednesday, April 30th

Doors will open to the public at 5:00 PM. Dancers will need to be dressed and ready to go no later than 5:15 PM. The recital will begin at 6:00 PM. Hannah will speak to the audience and present graduating seniors before the recital begins.

RECITAL HAIR

Every dancer must have their hair in the correct bun style for all Tech Rehearsal, Dress Rehearsal and Recital. Please make sure hair is tight, no wispies, hair spray and bobby pins.

- All Levels – Hair should be in a center part, slick back low bun. Please use a donut for the bun.
- Babies & Petites – Hair should be in a slick back low bun, left part swoop right. Please use a donut for the bun.

RECITAL MAKE UP

- Red lipstick (Please be sure the lipstick is red, not a shade of burgundy or pink. We recommend Maybelline Super Stay Matte Ink Liquid Lipstick, #118 Dancer)
- Brown Eye Shadow
- Diamond studs (If you do not have your ears pierced, you can use diamond rhinestones and apply them with eyelash glue).
- Waterproof mascara and red lip stain will work well for Baby Ballet

****IT IS VERY IMPORTANT THAT EVERY DANCER WEARS THE CORRECT AMOUNT OF STAGE MAKEUP. THE BRIGHT STAGE LIGHTS WILL WASH OUT THEIR FACES.****

TEACHER PHOTO OPPORTUNITY

We are excited to announce that this year we will have a teacher photo opportunity before the doors open to the public on recital night. We hope this takes the place of photos at the end of the show. We encourage all dancers who want to take a memorable photo with their teachers on Recital Night to take advantage of this opportunity from 4:15 - 5:00 p.m.

COSTUMES

Pick up dates and times will be emailed to each level once all their costumes have been received.

****Please note all account balances must be up to date in order to pick up costumes.****

You will receive costume information and details (required tights, shoes and accessories) when you pick up your costumes. No panties are to be worn under any tights for costume. No nail polish or additional jewelry.

Recital Ticket Information

Recital tickets will be sold in person this year **March 24-30th**. Please carefully read the notes below. If you have any questions, please reach out to us via email.

Tickets will be available for purchase at the dance studio. Ticket sales will be slightly different this year. Tickets will be issued to the top 10 gala sponsors followed by time slots based on consecutive years at the studio. You will only be allowed to purchase 7 tickets (2 Free included in the 8) at this time. The cost of each ticket will be \$15. We will be accepting **CASH ONLY, WITH CORRECT CHANGE** on this day. **If you do not purchase your tickets on this day, you will be able to purchase them in the office on Wednesday, April 2nd from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM.**

Saturday, April 5th @ 10:00 am: ADDITIONAL TICKET SALES FOR LDA FAMILIES

A link will be sent to your email regarding additional online ticket sales. This link is for LDA families only. There is no limit on this day.

Monday, April 7th @ 10:00 AM: PUBLIC TICKET SALES OPEN

Tickets will go on sale to the public on Monday, April 7th at 10:00 AM. There will be no amount restrictions on this date and no code will be needed to purchase tickets on this date.

RECITAL EXTRAS

Recital Merchandise: We will offer recital t-shirts among other things for purchase. You can look for a link in the coming weeks to be posted at LDA.

Stars for purchase- Stargram: You will be able to write a good luck message on the stars and they will be placed in your dancer's dressing area before she arrives at the theater. Each star message is \$5.00. Stargram forms must be submitted and paid for using this link (<https://forms.gle/xb58VYqH2JCGo7aU8>) by Friday, April 7th.

Dancer Feature/Business Ad: You must use the same link as above (<https://forms.gle/xb58VYqH2JCGo7aU8>) to submit and pay for a business ad or dancer feature that will be placed in the recital program. This form gives you the opportunity to submit a dancer

feature you have created on your own, or details for a feature you would like Hannah Lancaster to create for you. All program ads and dancer features are due by Friday, April 7th. More information is provided at the end of the recital packet.

Video: Attached you will find an order form for our recital video. Recital videos are great keepsakes to remember this special time in your dancer's life. The order form can be found at the end of the packet and at the recital. Form and money to be returned to LDA.

Photography: Leo Weeks will be taking stage shots this year during recital. Look for more information in the coming weeks to prepay as you will not be able to purchase photos after the recital.

Cookie Gifts: Cookie gifts by Kalene's will open early April. Cookies will have the recital logo among other designs. Use the flyer below and also Kalene's business facebook page.

Flowers: Use the link or QR in the flyer below to purchase beautiful bouquets for your dancer to be picked up in the lobby before recital.

Recital Program 2025

Business Ads, Dancer Features & Stars



A business ad for LeAnn Corley, a Travel Advisor for Always Magical Travel Co. It features a QR code, a list of services, and photos of Disney destinations. Text includes: "LeAnn Corley TRAVEL ADVISOR", "ALWAYS MAGICAL TRAVEL CO.", "281-229-2409", "LEANN@ALWAYSMAGICALTRAVELCO.COM", "SPECIALIZING IN:", "Walt Disney World", "Disneyland", "Disney Cruise Line", "Aulani", "Adventures by Disney", "Disneyland Paris", "Universal Studios Orlando", "Universal Studios Hollywood", "Royal Caribbean", "INSTAGRAM: ALWAYSMAGICALLEANN", and "FACEBOOK: ALWAYS MAGICAL TRAVEL BY LEANN".



You must use the following link or QR code to submit any ads, dancer features or stars! **Deadline is April 7th.**

<https://forms.gle/xb58VYqH2JCGo7aU8>

Stars (placed in dancer's dressing room): \$5 each, each dancer can purchase up to 10.

Dancer Features (placed in the program): 1/2 page = \$60, full page = \$110, each dancer can purchase **ONE** feature or you can purchase one feature for multiple dancers. Hannah Lancaster will design your feature or you can submit your own.

Business Ads (placed in the program): 1/2 page = \$60, full page = \$110. Business ads must be designed when submitted. Each **FAMILY** can purchase **ONE** business ad.



SUMMER

save the dates

TWO WEEK TRAINING SESSION

MAY 12 - MAY 22

WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES

Extreme Stretch and Skills
Int/Adv Ballet
Hip-hop w/guest

ADVANCED INTENSIVE + TINY DANCER & MINI WORKSHOP

GALA CHOREO WEEK

July 28 - August 3rd

early registration

Classes resume for year 9 on August 4th. Save by registering early for Fall 2025. Registration opens April 1st. LDA families will receive the link in their email.

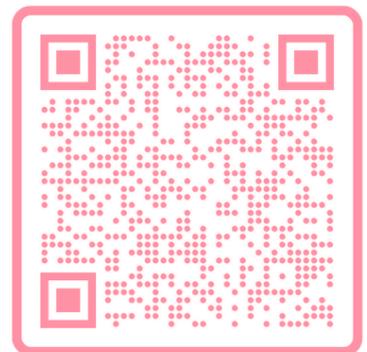
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day of Recital!**

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ORDERS OPEN THE BEGINNING OF APRIL

EMAIL OR MESSAGE WITH QUESTIONS
KALENEWOODS@GMAIL.COM
OR FACEBOOK BUSINESS PAGE -
KALENE'S

**PICKUP ORDERS IN THE LOBBY
BEFORE THE SHOW**

CAN ADJUST OR ACCOMMODATE MOST REQUESTS
DIFFERENT DANCER SILHOUETTE, SWITCHING OUT
DESIGNS ETC.



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VIDEO ORDER FORM

NAME _____ CELL # _____
MAILING ADDRESS _____
CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____
EMAIL _____

**USB PRELOADED WITH
THE ENTIRE SHOW**

\$65

QTY 1 2 3 4

TOTAL _____

METHOD OF PAYMENT _____

CASH OR CHECK ONLY (MADE PAYABLE TO LDA)