

Important Holiday Wishes FAQ'S **for Dancers & Families**

WHERE IS HOLIDAY WISHES BEING HELD?

Holiday Wishes will be at Bellamy Middle School, located at 314 Pendleton Ave Chicopee MA

WHEN IS HOLIDAY WISHES?

There are 3 shows taking place on Saturday, December 10th

Arrival Time: *Dancers should arrive 30 minutes prior to showtime.*

10:00AM Troupe Show: *Arrive at 9:30AM (ONLY Troupe Performers in this show)*

1:00PM BLUE Show: *Arrive at 12:30PM*

5:00PM PURPLE Show: *Arrive at 4:30PM*

HOW LONG DOES RECITAL LAST?

Though it is hard to say exactly how long each show will be, we can offer an approximate length.

- *Winter Troupe Showcase: 1.5-2 hours*
- *1:00PM Show: 2-2.5 hours*
- *5:00PM Show: 2-2.5 hours*

Though the shows are not mandatory for performers, we ask that dancers who are performing attend BOTH shows. Each routine is choreographed where every dancer is an important part of the team. When a dancer is missing, it can impact the other performers. Please consider this when planning out your day. If you are unable to attend both shows, PLEASE let your dancer's instructor know ASAP. Thank you!

WHAT DOES MY DANCER HAVE TO WEAR?

[Click here](#) to find out what your dancer needs for their class. If you have any questions, please let us know!

WHERE CAN I FIND THE LINE-UPS TO THE SHOWS?

[Click here](#) to view the lineups!

DOES MY DANCER NEED TO STAY FOR THE WHOLE RECITAL?

Though it is not required, dancers are asked to stay until the end in order to cheer on each and every dancer who has worked hard for their chance to perform. If everyone left when they finished performing, there wouldn't be an audience left for the dancers who are performing

towards the end of the show. We understand that younger children may not be able to sit through an entire show.

Tickets: Please have your tickets ready to show on your phone/device or print them out. We will stamp hands upon entry. Dancers do not need a ticket to watch the show.

IS THERE A CHANGING ROOM?

The cafeteria is a holding area for dancers only. One parent is allowed in this area to help their child change/get ready, but friends and family members are not allowed in this room. This is an environment for ALL dancers, not a changing room. Please use changing pods for privacy.

WHERE DO I GET MY CHILD WHEN THEY ARE FINISHED PERFORMING?

We will be calling all routines backstage 4 at a time. When your dancer's routine is called, you will walk them backstage to Ohana Staff. They will stay backstage and you will be able to return to your seat. If your dancer is nervous and not ready to stay backstage without you, you are more than welcome to stay with them! Once their routine is finished, we will hold your dancer backstage with us and you will come back to get them.

CAN WE TAKE PICTURES?

Yes, pictures are allowed. However, it is very important that you do not use flash photography.

CAN WE TAKE VIDEO?

No, videography is not allowed out of respect for the professional videographer as well as others in the audience.

HOW MUCH ARE TICKETS?

Tickets are \$15 in advance. If the show is not sold out, they will be for sale at the door for \$20.
Tickets can be purchased online [here](#).

TICKETS ARE NON-REFUNDABLE & NON-EXCHANGEABLE.

I'D LOVE TO HELP! DO YOU NEED VOLUNTEERS?

YES! YES! YES! We would love your help. Please reach out to us at info@ohanaperformingarts.com if you would like to volunteer!

ARE YOU READY FOR AN AMAZING SHOW?!

We sure are! We can't wait for you to see these amazing dancers perform, spread love during this joyous season and help to make a difference in the community!