

Holiday Wishes FAQ

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?

Shows are taking place on Saturday, December 9th

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

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

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

3:30PM PURPLE Show: Arrive at 3:00PM

HOW LONG DO THE SHOWS LAST?

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

- Winter Troupe Showcase: 1-1.5 hours
- 1:00PM Show: 1.5 - 2 hours
- 3:30PM Show: 1.5 - 2 hours

Though the shows are not mandatory for performers,
we encourage all dancers to participate.

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, PLEASE let your dancer's instructor know ASAP. Thank you!

WHAT DOES MY DANCER HAVE TO WEAR?

We choose something that you probably already have, could borrow, or purchase very inexpensively.

A list of classes & costumes will be posted online and at the studio.

If you have any questions, please let us know!

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

Coming soon!

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.

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.
If they are old enough, you can send them backstage on their own.
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?

No, photography of the performance is not allowed out of respect for the professional photographer as well as others in the audience.

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. You can purchase a bundle ticket for both shows for \$25.
The troupe showcase is free to attend with the purchase of a Holiday Wishes ticket.
If the show is not sold out, they will be for sale at the door for \$20. Tickets can be purchased online.
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!