

# 2024 Arts in Motion Spring Dance Concert Information

**Saturday, May 18th, 2024**  
**Purser Center at Logan University**  
1851 Schoettler Rd, Chesterfield, MO 63017

**In this packet, you will find schedules and important info pertaining to our upcoming Spring Dance Concert. Please read this notice in its entirety. If you have any questions, please call the studio (314-968-4583), email our office staff ([office@artsinmotion-stl.com](mailto:office@artsinmotion-stl.com)) or ask a staff member.**

The show date is officially set for **Saturday, May 18th!** We are so excited to offer this concert and give your child the opportunity to experience another reward of dance - a fun, positive performance to share with friends and family!

This time around we will hold two recitals - with a mix of older and younger dancers - so please read carefully to discover which performance your dancer has been assigned!

Refer to our website "Spring Dance Concert" page for all show-related details at [artsinmotion-stl.com/spring-dance-concert](http://artsinmotion-stl.com/spring-dance-concert).

Please let us know immediately of any conflicts. **If your child is unable to participate in the performance, please email [office@artsinmotion-stl.com](mailto:office@artsinmotion-stl.com) ASAP so instructors can plan accordingly.**

## **Show Assignments:**

Your dancer has been assigned to ONE of the 2 shows (see the show assignment in the left hand column of the included rehearsal schedules.) Ensemble dancers will perform in both shows, but have one 'main' show for their weekly classes.

## **Costumes, Shoes, Hair Styles and Tights:**

We do not require the students to wear any costumes other than their dress code uniform. Please see the attached chart to ensure that your dancer is wearing the correct uniform.

Please organize all of your uniforms, tights, shoes, and any other items **and write your name on everything**. Arts in Motion is not responsible for any lost items.

Please be sure to have the appropriate dance shoes and tights (clean and in excellent condition with no holes, runs or stains.) If needed, you may purchase on your own or order through the studio online boutique at [shopnimbly.com/artsinmotionmo](http://shopnimbly.com/artsinmotionmo). Make sure you have them **prior to dress rehearsal**.

Leotards should be fairly plain and in good condition. No makeup is required. Hair longer than shoulder length should be pulled back securely from the face. Dancers may not wear jewelry, headbands, tiaras, or tutus.

Any child who does not feel comfortable in a leotard and/or tights or leggings should wear plain black shorts (cotton gym short style without logos, pockets, zippers, buttons, patches, etc.) and a plain white t-shirt. No logos or stripes on either.

### **NO Dance Classes During Show Week: May 13th - 18th**

Dance classes will NOT be held at their normal schedule the week of the show. Music lessons will run as scheduled.

### **End of Season Dance Classes: May 20th - 23rd**

After the recital, dance classes will return to their normal schedule in the studio for special activities and fun during the final few days of our dance season, from May 20th - 23rd. Our 2023-24 season concludes on May 24th.

The studio will be closed and no dance or music lessons will run from May 24-June 2nd. Summer Session kicks off Monday, June 3rd.

### **In Studio Dress Rehearsals: May 13th - 15th**

Location: Arts in Motion Studio

**Each class has been assigned a short rehearsal time block during show week.** Please see the attached schedule and uniform information for your specific details.

**Rehearsal attendance is MANDATORY for show participants** as this will be your child's last opportunity to do the dance with their peers before the performance. As this time is critical to help your child be more prepared and at ease on show day, we are not able to allow students to perform in the show if they are not in attendance.

**We keep rehearsal times to a minimum because we value your time.** Rehearsals will start promptly at the times listed and we will maintain a strict schedule so as not to delay rehearsals after yours. **Please have your child in the studio lobby 15 minutes early, wearing the assigned dancewear and shoes with**

**hair pulled back as they will be wearing for the show.** This allows your child time to line up with their group as well as our staff to make sure dancers will have a uniform look on stage.

**While we have an open door policy for weekly classes, these rehearsals are CLOSED to parents and guests and cannot be interrupted for any reason.** Please wait in the lobby until your children are dismissed. Any questions you may have will be addressed by a staff member in between rehearsals. If you feel your child may have trouble without you during this time, please speak with a staff member. We appreciate your cooperation!

### **Spring Dance Concert Performances: Saturday, May 18th**

Location: Purser Center at Logan University, 1851 Schoettler Rd, Chesterfield, MO 63017

Each dancer has been assigned to ONE of the 2 shows. Refer to the included schedule for your child's assigned show.

Ensemble dancers will perform in both shows, but have one 'main' show for their weekly classes. Please see your ensemble show notice for more details as there are additional rehearsals and times not noted on this form.

#### **SCHEDULE: SHOW 1 PERFORMERS ONLY (11:00am Show)**

**Dance students arrive in uniform, check in backstage 10:30-10:45am** *(Please send back any dance shoes and keep your child's belongings and street shoes with you!)*

**Doors open approximately 10:30am**

**Show starts 11:00am**

#### **SCHEDULE: SHOW 2 PERFORMERS ONLY (2:30pm Show)**

**Dance students arrive in uniform, check in backstage 2:00-2:15pm** *(Please send back any dance shoes and keep your child's belongings and street shoes with you!)*

**Doors open approximately 2:00pm**

**Show starts 2:30pm**

#### **Show Drop Off:**

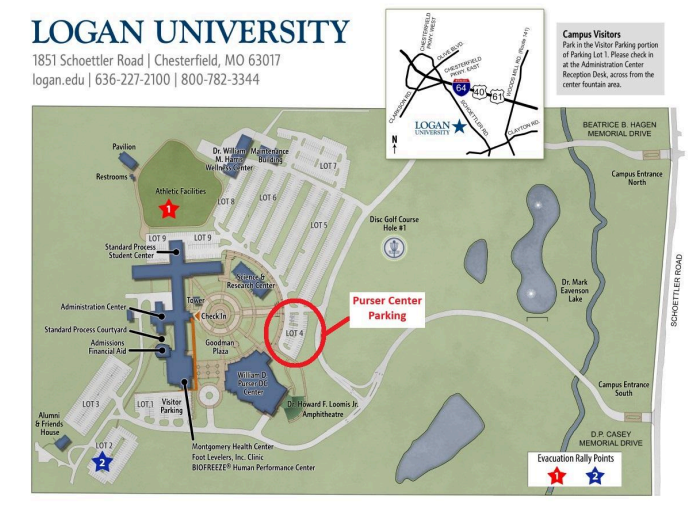
Children should be dropped off before the show at the "Dancer Check In/Check Out" table, where the parent/guardian will receive a special lanyard. Parents are not permitted to drop off dancers before their scheduled arrival time. If you feel your child may have trouble backstage without you, please notify a staff member before show day so we can brainstorm alternative arrangements.

### **Show Dismissal:**

Dancers who are not in Ensemble will be dismissed at intermission to a parent or guardian displaying the proper lanyard. Dancers are welcome to find any open seat near their family and watch the remainder of the performance. For safety reasons, dancers will not be released at any other time and parents are not permitted backstage.

### **Parking:**

Parking will be in the Purser Center lot at Logan University. Parking is free at the Purser Center.



### **Tickets:**

- Online ticket sales opens to Standard Members: Saturday 4/13 at 11am CT
- Priority Early Access ticket sales open for Gold Members: Thursday 4/11 at 11am CT
- Ticket sales close Thursday, 5/16 at 11pm CT

All tickets must be purchased online. We will not have them for purchase at the studio. Ticket purchases are non-refundable and non-transferrable. Performers do not need a ticket.

Advanced tickets are \$20 for standard, \$25 for VIP. Lap children 3 and under are free. All tickets are assigned seating. Any remaining tickets will be available for purchase on show day at the venue for an added cost.

To purchase tickets, visit our website Spring Concert page at:  
[artsinmotion-stl.com/spring-dance-concert](http://artsinmotion-stl.com/spring-dance-concert)

### **Photo & Video Policy:**

Cameras will be allowed for photographing or videoing your own child's performance with NO FLASH. Flashes are dangerous and distracting to the dancers performing on stage under stage lighting. Please remember to disable your flash setting and to be considerate of all guests while taking photos or videos, avoid blocking aisles, and keep equipment to the side or back of the theater.

### **Performance Videos:**

One of our dance families has graciously volunteered their time and equipment to film our dance concerts this spring. If you would like a FREE copy of this recording sent to you via digital format (i.e. Google Drive Link), please fill out [this google form](#) by **May 10th**.

### **Recital Extras: Performance Souvenirs, Flowers, and Love Notes**

We have put together a variety of souvenir options to help you celebrate the occasion and save you time and money.

Gifts include souvenir plushes, recital flowers, and more! For \$10, you can purchase a "Dancer Love Note", which allows you to share well-wishes and a photo of your dancer in the performance program and the pre-show slideshow on the lobby monitors.

All pre-orders will be conveniently available for pickup at the venue on show day. We cannot guarantee any extras will be available for purchase, so make sure to pre-order to ensure you receive your items.

All items can be conveniently added-on to your purchase through the ticket site.

#### Recital Gift Order Deadlines

*Dancer Love Notes: May 1st*

*Flowers: May 7th*

*Plushes: May 16th*

**We are so excited for this performance! Thank you everyone for your hard work!**

# In Studio Dress Rehearsal - All Classes

## DRESS REHEARSALS at AiM - MONDAY MAY 13TH - WEDNESDAY MAY 15TH

Dancers should arrive at the studio at least 15 minutes prior to their rehearsal time. Rehearsals will start promptly at the times listed and we will maintain a strict schedule.

### Monday May 13th Dress Rehearsal

<i>Show Assign</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Studio #</i>	<i>Rehearsal Day/Time</i>	<i>Uniform/Shoes</i>
Show 2: 2:30pm	Company Ballet (Katy)	1	Mon May 13th; 5:30-5:45pm	black leotard, black ballet skirt, ballet shoes
	Modern 7/8 (Carly)	2		black leotard, black leggings, bare feet
Show 2: 2:30pm	Ballet 7/8 (Katy)	1	Mon May 13th; 5:45-6:00pm	black leotard, black ballet skirt, ballet shoes
	Company Modern (Carly)	2		black leotard, black leggings, bare feet
Show 1: 11:00am	Ballet 5/6 (Katy)	1	Mon May 13th; 6:00-6:15pm	black leotard, black leggings, ballet shoes
Show 2: 2:30pm	Advanced Jazz (Carly)	2		black leotard, black leggings, jazz shoes
Show 2: 2:30pm	Pointe (Katy)	1	Mon May 13th; 6:15-6:30pm	black leotard, black ballet skirt, pointe shoes
Show 1: 11:00am	Modern 5/6 (Carly)	2		black leotard, black leggings, bare feet
Show 2: 2:30pm	Advanced Tap (Emily)	1	Mon May 13th; 6:30-6:45pm	black leotard, black leggings, tap shoes
Show 2: 2:30pm	Broadway Teens (Emily)	1	Mon May 13th; 6:45-7:00pm	black leotard, black leggings, jazz shoes

### Tuesday May 14th Dress Rehearsal

<b>Show Assign</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>Studio #</b>	<b>Rehearsal Day/Time</b>	<b>Uniform/Shoes</b>
Show 2: 2:30pm	Preschool Dance Thurs (Amanda)	1	Tues May 14th; 5:30-5:45pm	pink leotard, pink or skin tone tights, tap shoes
	Ballet 3/4 (Katy and Carly)	2		navy blue leotard, black leggings, ballet shoes
Show 2: 2:30pm	Kindergarten Dance Wed/Thurs (Emily and Amanda)	1	Tues May 14th; 5:55-6:10pm	light blue leotard, pink or skin tone tights, tap shoes
	Modern 3/4 (Carly)	2		navy blue leotard, black leggings, bare feet
Show 2: 2:30pm	Beginning Jazz Wednesday (Alexis)	1	Tues May 14th; 6:20pm-6:35pm	cobalt blue leotard, black leggings, jazz shoes
	Preschool Dance Tues/Wed (Carly)	2		pink leotard, pink or skin tone tights, tap shoes
Show 1: 11:00am	Beginning Jazz Monday (Alexis)	1	Tues May 14th; 6:45-7:00pm	cobalt blue leotard, black leggings, jazz shoes
Show 2: 2:30pm	Ballet 2 Tues/Wed (Katy and Alexis)	2		cobalt blue leotard, black leggings, ballet shoes
Show 1: 11:00am	Ballet 1 Mon/Wed (Alexis)	1	Tues May 14th; 7:10-7:25pm	cobalt blue leotard, black leggings, ballet shoes
Show 2: 2:30pm	Modern 2 Tues/Wed (Katy and Carly)	2		cobalt blue leotard, black leggings, bare feet
Show 1: 11:00am	Modern 1 Mon/Wed (Alexis and Carly)	1	Tues May 14th; 7:35-7:50pm	cobalt blue leotard, black leggings, bare feet
	Beginning Ballet/Modern Combo (Emily)	2		cobalt blue leotard, black leggings, ballet shoes
Show 1: 11:00am	Beginning/Intermediate Tap (Carly)	1	Tues May 14th; 8:00-8:15pm	cobalt blue leotard, black leggings, tap shoes
	Broadway Kids (Emily)	2		cobalt blue leotard, black leggings, jazz shoes

**Wednesday May 15th Dress Rehearsal**

<b>Show Assign</b>	<b>Class</b>	<b>Studio #</b>	<b>Rehearsal Day/Time</b>	<b>Uniform/Shoes</b>
Show 1: 11:00am	Preschool Dance Sat 10:05am (Emily)	1	Wed May 15th; 5:30-5:45pm	pink leotard, pink or skin tone tights, tap shoes
	Kindergarten Dance Sat 9am (Alicia)	2		light blue leotard, pink or skin tone tights, ballet shoes
Show 1: 11:00am	Ballet 1-2 (Emily)	1	Wed May 15th; 5:55-6:10pm	cobalt blue leotard, black leggings, ballet shoes
	Preschool Dance Sat 9am (Alicia)	2		pink leotard, pink or skin tone tights, tap shoes
Show 2: 2:30pm	Intermediate Jazz (Carly)	1	Wed May 15th; 6:20pm-6:35pm	navy blue leotard, black leggings, jazz shoes
Show 1: 11:00am	Kindergarten Dance Sat 9:15am (Emily)	2		light blue leotard, pink or skin tone tights, ballet shoes
Show 2: 2:30pm	Intermediate Tap (Emily)	1	Wed May 15th; 6:45-7:00pm	navy blue leotard, black leggings, tap shoes
Show 1: 11:00am	Groovin' With Your Grownups Show 1	1	Wed May 15th; 7:00-7:30pm	class leotard, black leggings, bare feet; parent wears white button up and blue jeans
Show 2: 2:30pm	Groovin' With Your Grownups Show 2	2		class leotard, black leggings, bare feet; parent wears white button up and blue jeans