

2017-2018 Elite Info. Packet

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June 5th: Junior and Senior conditioning starts today. Conditioning will be every M-W-F this summer at 9am at the studio. It will last an hour and the cost is \$3 per class. The class will consist of cardio and strength training. This is a mandatory class unless on vacation. If you live more than 30 minutes away and have trouble making it three times a week please talk with us about alternate conditioning for your dancer.

June 12th : Pee Wee Silver Jazz Choreography. 9am-12pm. Pee Wee Purple Jazz Choreography 1:00pm-4:00pm. Please wear all black with your turners and hair pulled back. Please bring your treasurer \$25 choreography fee. Please bring a water. There will not be a snack break so eat well before choreography.

June 13th: Prep Jazz Choreography 9am-4pm. Please wear all black, turners and hair up and pack a lunch. Please bring your \$25 choreography fee.

June 14th: Junior Jazz Choreography. 9am-4pm. Please wear all black with your turners and hair pulled back and pack a lunch. Please bring your \$25 choreography fee.

June 16th: Senior Elite Choreography 9am-?. Please wear all black with your turners and hair pulled back and bring money to go out to lunch. Please bring your \$80 choreography fee.

June 17th: Senior Elite Choreography 9am-?

June 19th-23rd: NYC Trip

June 27th: Bottom half of order form and \$ is due today for tees, tanks, bags and decals.

Pee Wee Silver Practice 9am-10am

Pee Wee Purple Practice 10am-11am

Prep practice 11am-12pm

Junior practice 1pm-2:30pm

Senior practice 2:30pm- 4:30pm

July 10th-14th: Dance Etc Summer Camp 9am-noon daily. This camp is open to dancers entering K thru 8th grades. There is a reduced fee of \$75 for Elite Dancers for the week and this includes a Camp tee shirt. There is a performance on the last day of camp. This Camp is not mandatory but is highly recommended for dancers K thru 8. We really encourage Elite dancers to attend this. There will be age appropriate and challenging material for the older dancers. Forms are available on the studio website and you must postmark your registration by June 30th to get a free t-shirt. Otherwise the t-shirts are \$15. Also if you attend Camp you can pre-register for Fall classes. All registration forms must include payment for the first month.

July 11th: Pee Wee Silver and Purple Practice 12:30pm-2:00pm

July 12th: Prep Practice 12:30pm-2:00pm

July 13th: Junior Practice 12:30pm-2:00pm

July 14th: Senior Practice 12:30-2:00

July 15th: Fall Registration

July 25th: \$ due for jazz costumes today (Please watch the FB page for price TBA)

Pee Wee Silver Practice 9am-10am
Pee Wee Purple Practice 10am-11am
Prep practice 11am-12pm
Junior practice 1pm-2:30pm
Senior practice 2pm- 4:30pm

August 7th: Fall Classes resume at Dance Etc

August 10th: Top Half of Order Form is Due (warmups, parent shirts and Pom uniform. Poms)

September 28th: Entry fees due for Cheers for the Holidays. \$25 , We will compete Jazz. Solos are \$30.

October 11th: Jenny Wiley Festival Performance at Prestonsburg High School Gymnasium. All Elite teams will perform. All dancers must be there by 5:30 and performance is at 6pm.

October 28th: Hallo-Fest Cheer and Dance Championships at the Mountain Arts Center. We are the hosts of this event and it is a fundraiser for our Elite teams. All dancers who wish to participate must raise \$200 in ads and parents must work 1/2 day on the day of the event. Also all Elite teams exhibition at the competition. You will receive more detailed info about this event at a later date but please keep this date open.

November 2nd : Entry fees due for WinterJam Lexington. \$109 includes Pom and Jazz. No solos and duos at this event. (This is last years pricing. They have not posted this year yet)

November 4th: Cheers for the Holidays Competition at Bryan Station H.S. in Lexington. Spectator fee is \$6. No overnight stay is required.

November 28th, 29th and 30th: Nutcracker Performances

December 16th: Winter Jam Competition at the Lexington Convention Center. No overnight stay required. (This could possibly be on the 17th so please keep both dates open.

December 27th: Pee Wee Silver Lyrical Choreography 9am-12noon, Pee Wee Purple Lyrical Choreography 1pm-4pm ** The Groove Columbus entry fees due \$170 for three routines. Solos are \$150 and duos \$160.

December 28th: Prep Lyrical Choreography 9am-2pm *Groove Columbus Entry fees due. \$170 for three routines. Solos \$150, Duos \$160.

December 29th: Junior Lyrical Choreography 9am-2pm **Groove Columbus Entry fees due. \$170 for three routines. Solos \$150, Duos \$160.

December 30th: Senior Choreography 9am-?

**Groove Entry fees due. \$170 for three routines. Solos \$150, Duos \$160

January 3rd: DE Classes resume

January 4th: Cheer Elite competition entry fees due. \$49 includes Pom, Jazz and Lyrical. \$40 for solo (This is last year's pricing. They have not posted this year)

February 1st: Groove Dance Nationals Pigeon Forge Entry fees are due. \$170 for three routines.

Solos \$150, Duos \$160 (\$80 each)

February 3rd and 4th: The Groove Columbus. This is a two day event and we compete both days. Hotel and venue info to follow. This will require a two night stay.

February 10th: Cheer Elite Competition at the MAC

March 10th-11th: Groove Dance Nationals. Le Conte Center. 2986 Teaster Ln Pigeon Forge TN. *Master Class, *Participant Celebration party, *Participant gifts. Hotel TBA

April 22nd: Elite Showcase at the MAC. All Elite dancers are required to participate.

April 26th-May 1st: Dance Worlds Orlando (Seniors only) More info will be distributed about this event and travel arrangements will be made pending receiving bids.

June 1st, 2nd, 3rd: Dance Etc Spring Recital. Elite dancers are required to participate in ALL four Recitals regardless of which shows your regular classes are in.

June 18-22: This will again be our training camp and choreography week. Please do not schedule vacations during this week :)

Other: The vast majority of things you will need and need to know for Elite are included in this packet. However there are a few things we will be ordering at a later date including a lyrical costume, rhinestones for costumes, earrings, tights, shoes etc.

If you have any questions you can contact me via email at gjshep@suddenlink.net or you can call my cell at 606-791-3325 or my home number at 606-886-0716. Thanks, Jody