

2018-2019 Elite Info. Packet

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June 13th: 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. On Wednesdays we will have technique from 10:00am-11:00am following conditioning.

June 15th-16th: Senior Jazz Choreography. Choreography will begin Friday afternoon (time to be announced) through the evening and will be Saturday 9am-? Please make sure the \$110 Choreography fee is in your account.

June 18th : Youth Prep (5th graders) Jazz Choreography. 9am-4pm. Please wear all black with your turners and hair pulled back. Please bring your treasurer \$75 choreography fee. (This will cover fees for choreography for three competition routines for the year jazz, pom and lyrical) Please pack a lunch or have someone bring them lunch. We will have a lunch break at noon.

June 19th : Youth (6th graders) Jazz Choreography. 9am-4pm. Please wear all black with your turners and hair pulled back. Please bring your treasurer \$75 choreography fee. (This will cover fees for choreography for three competition routines for the year jazz, pom and lyrical) Please pack a lunch or have someone bring them lunch. We will have a lunch break at noon.

June 19th: Senior Choreography Review 4pm-6pm

June 20th : Junior Lyrical Choreography. 9am-4pm. Please wear all black with your turners and hair pulled back. Please bring your treasurer \$50 choreography fee. (This will cover fees for choreography for two competition routines for the year pom and lyrical. We will be bringing in a choreographer for Jazz and will let you know a date and cost for this asap. Hopefully August or September) Please pack a lunch or have someone bring them lunch. We will have a lunch break at noon.

June 21st : Mini Prep (2nd and 3rd graders) Jazz Choreography. 9am-4pm. Please wear all black with your turners and hair pulled back. Please bring your treasurer \$75 choreography fee. (This will cover fees for choreography for three competition routines for the year jazz, pom and lyrical) Please pack a lunch or have someone bring them lunch. We will have a lunch break at noon.

June 22nd : Mini (4th graders) Jazz Choreography. 9am-4pm. Please wear all black with your turners and hair pulled back. Please bring your treasurer \$75 choreography fee. (This will cover fees for choreography for three competition routines for the year jazz, pom and lyrical) Please pack a lunch or have someone bring them lunch. We will have a lunch break at noon.

June 25th: Junior Practice 10:00am-11:30am (after conditioning)
Bottom half of order form and \$ is due today for tees, tanks, bags and decals.

June 27th: Youth Practice 4:30pm-6:00pm
Mini Prep Practice 6:00pm-7:30pm
Bottom half of order form and \$ is due today for tees, tanks, bags and decals.

June 27th: Senior Practice 11:00am-12:00noon (after technique)
Bottom half of the order form and \$ is due today for tees, tanks, bags and decals

June 28th: Youth Prep Practice 4:30pm-6:00pm

Mini Practice 6:00pm-7:30pm

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

July 9th-13th: 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 9th-12th: Senior Lyrical Choreography with Cara will be each day from 1pm-? Please make sure you have \$65 in your account to cover choreography fees.

July 14th: Welcome to Elite Bash. 7pm. There will be team games and bonding and we will be doing our Elite Family reveals (This is something new we are doing. There will be 11 Elite families and each will be led by Senior Elite dancers. Each family will have members from each of the Elite teams. This promotes friendship and support throughout all the levels of Elite. It will allow the dancers to better get to know dancers from all teams and age levels. This will be followed by an outdoor movie for all the dancers and their families in the Studio parking lot. We may ask parents to help us provide snacks for this event and will post that on your team pages later.

July 14th: Fall Registration

July 16th: Junior Practice 10:00am-11:30am (after conditioning)

Lyrical Costume money is due today. Please watch your team FB page for costume cost.

July 17th: Youth Practice 4:30pm-6:00pm

Mini Prep Practice 6:00pm-7:30pm

Jazz Costume money is due today. Please watch your team FB page for costume cost.

July 18th: Youth Prep Practice 4:30pm-6:00pm

Mini Practice 6:00pm-7:30pm

Jazz Costume money is due today. Please watch your team FB page for costume cost.

July 18th: Senior Elite Practice 11:00am-12:00noon after conditioning

August 6th: Fall Classes resume at Dance Etc

August 9th: Top Half of Order Form is Due (warmups, parent shirts and Pom Costume. Poms) The 9th is the deadline but please bring this whatever day you have Elite this week.

October 4th: Entry fees due for Cheers for the Holidays. \$25 for ALL teams. We will compete one routine. Solos are \$30. The deadline is the 4th but please bring whatever day you have Elite this week.

October 10th: 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.

November 1st : Entry fees due for WinterJam Lexington. \$118 includes Pom and Jazz. This Competition is for Mini Prep, Mini, Youth Prep and Youth teams ONLY. Juniors and Seniors will not attend this event. No solos and duos at this event. The Deadline is November 1st but please bring whatever day you have Elite this week.

November 10th: Cheers for the Holidays Competition for ALL teams at Madison Central

High School in Richmond. Spectator fee is \$6. No overnight stay is required.

November 21st: Junior and Senior Elite Ameridance Buckeye Open Nationals Entry fees due. Seniors \$150 for two routines, \$200 for three routines. Juniors \$160 for three routines.

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

December 3rd, 5th, 10th, 12th: Mini Prep Practice 4:30-6:00pm
Senior Practice 4:30pm-6:00pm
Junior Practice 6:00pm-7:30pm

December 4th, 6th 11th, 13th: Youth Practice 4:00pm-5:30pm
Mini practice 4:30pm-6:00pm
Youth Prep practice 6:00pm-7:30pm

December 15th: Winter Jam Competition at the Lexington Convention Center for all younger teams. No Juniors and Seniors. No overnight stay required.

December 27th: Mini Prep Lyrical Choreography 9am-12noon, Mini Lyrical Choreography 1pm-4pm ** The Groove Columbus entry fees due \$195 for three routines. Solos are \$135 and duos \$90 each and Trios \$70 each.

December 28th: Youth Prep Lyrical Choreography 9am-12noon, Youth Lyrical Choreography 1pm-4pm. *Groove Columbus Entry fees due. \$195 for three routines. Solos \$135, Duos \$90 each and Trios \$70 each.

December 31st: Junior Practice 10:00am-12:00noon
Senior Practice 12:00noon-2:00pm
**Groove Entry fees due. \$195 for three routines. Solos \$135, Duos \$90 each and Trios \$70 each.

January 2nd: Senior Practice 4:30pm-6:00pm
Junior Practice 6:00pm-7:30pm

January 7th: DE Classes resume

January 12th: Ameridance Buckeye Open National Championship. Greater Columbus Convention Center. Junior and Senior teams only. Admission \$20

January 17th: Cheer Elite competition entry fees due for all teams except Seniors. \$49 includes Pom, Jazz and Lyrical. \$40 for solo. Duos, Trios ? TBD

February 2nd and 3rd: The Groove Columbus. This is a two day event and ALL teams compete both days at the Greater Columbus Convention Center. This will require a two night stay.

February 7th: Groove Dance Nationals Pigeon Forge Entry fees are due for ALL teams. \$205 for three routines. Seniors may not attend this event depending upon bids. Solos \$135, Duos \$90 each and Trios \$70 each

February 9th: Cheer Elite Competition at the MAC

March 9th-10th: Groove Dance Nationals for ALL teams. Le Conte Center. 2986 Teaster Ln Pigeon Forge TN. Seniors may not attend this event depending upon bids awarded at this

point. This is a two day event. All teams compete both days.

April 14th: Elite Showcase at the MAC. All Elite dancers are required to participate.

April 25th-30th: Dance Worlds Orlando (Seniors only) More info will be distributed about this event and travel arrangements will be made pending receiving bids.

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

June 17th-21st: 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 your team President or one of the Elite Coaches. Please make sure you check the team FB page daily as we distribute ALL information this way. Thanks, DE Staff