

VanDance Year End Information Overview

Thurs May 23, Fri May 24 2019 Yates Centre

REGULAR DANCE Classes May 13, 14 and 15

Thursday May 16 (Show Run through)

Friday May 17 EXAM REHEARSAL DAY (no charge, in place of missed lessons over festival)

- We are back at the Yates Theatre this season for Year End Show
- All **dance** students who participate in classes at VanDance will perform in yearend show performance.
- **Outstanding Accounts:** VanDance studio requires all accounts to be paid up before participation in yearend show is allowed. Dancers have received our services all year; please clear up your fees that are outstanding. In addition, all festival accounts must be paid to date. Email vanessa.cowan@vandance.ca for your balance if you require the correct amount. **Accounts must be paid by Thur May 16, or sooner.** Festival accounts can be cleared up by leaving a cheque in an envelope on the desk.
- **We have had a bit of an increase in Yates rental fees since the renovation but not as expensive as the Enmax. Ticket prices will come down \$1 from our last season's Enmax rate.** Tickets are \$18 each (which includes 1.50 ticket centre fee) and go on sale to the General Public on Monday May 13 at 9:00 am. As these are sold as **assigned seats**, everyone needs a ticket who is taking up a seat. We are only doing 2 shows instead of our usual 3 Yates shows.
- **Some things to remember about tickets:** 403-329-7328 is how to purchase by phone, enmaxcentre.ca is how to purchase online or in person at the North East entrance of the Enmax centre or at the Yates.
- **Tights/Shoes/Accessories List:** This list will be emailed out. **NOW ATTACHED!** This is a detailed list of what each student is to supply. Costumes are supplied for all of our female students (as you have paid a \$30 costume fee). Tights, shoes and accessories are not supplied and will need to be ready to go for picture day. Male students, if we are providing a costume for you, a \$30 costume fee is now due, most will be providing your own, please bring it in for your teacher to see immediately.
- **Picture Day: Tuesday May 21at the Studio Detailed Schedule attached.** This is a very tight schedule. Please be on time. Even if you are not purchasing pictures, you are required to be in the group picture so please show up! The picture envelopes/ forms will be handed out next week and your child will need to bring in each separate envelope into the photography room with them as they get their picture taken. Have all envelopes/forms filled out prior to picture day...we WILL NOT WAIT. Each envelope needs a separate cheque or cash payment. Please come looking your best and picture ready with hair properly done and light make-up.
- All **festival students** are required to bring your festival costumes **and headpieces** on Picture Day and then return costumes to the Yates to be set up in dressing rooms on **YOUR First Show Night**. All headpieces are to be worn and returned on Picture Day ...then our counts are done! Many students forget them this night and we will send you home to get them as we need to count all costumes and headpieces the evening before the show. **EVERYTHING MUST BE ACCOUNTED FOR!** This is **IMPORTANT** that it gets done! It is always my biggest fear that someone will not have a costume or headpiece for yearend show.
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Final Dance Week: Mon May 20 Holiday Monday

Tuesday May 21 will be pictures.

Wednesday May 22 will be Yates practice for all Recreational classes. Festival classes will have just performed on the Yates stage and very few will be scheduled for rehearsal unless there are recreational students joining the class for year end. Schedule tba

- **Thursday and Friday May 23, 24 is the show!**

The Show is different both evenings featuring different dancers and dances.

- **Volunteers for Show Nights:** Unlike other studios, we do not charge a fee to those parents who don't help during our show, however, to run a show of this size it takes about 40 volunteers. This year, because we have two shows, we are asking parents to help out one of the shows. If you have an older child, friend, ex dancer who would be competent, please have them come help us. Most of the jobs are backstage and only 6 front of house jobs.
- **Show Week: ...please read carefully!**
All students must arrive via the backstage Yates door behind City Hall (south). Volunteers are required to be in the building **by 6:00 (NO LATER!)**. Students must arrive between 6:15 -6:30 shownight . We adhere strictly to these times as we are required to have 200 students dressed and ready for Act 1 at ShowTime...**do not be late. Dressing starts promptly at 6:30.** Your child may not be dressed and ready for the show if they are late! All students must come with hair and make-up done and with tights (no underwear under tights!) for their first dance. Carry all shoes and additional tights, along with a clean snack in a clearly marked back pack or bag. Try to wear a robe or sundress ovetop so it is easy for the dressers to help you. Mark every shoe, every tight, every item they bring with their name, first and last!
- **Videos** of the entire show will once again be filmed and sold by Cogo Productions. They do a stunning job and this is a great family souvenir. We will not be doing any pre or post sales. You may place your order in the lobby of the Yates on show nights/afternoon. Videos are \$45.00 and cheques are payable to Cogo Productions. These videos have every group dance from the entire season on them.

Hair

Festival students we do not change hairstyles at Year End! Costume changes are too quick!

- Hair is to be in a mid bun, no part for ALL dances (excluding Tiny Tots and Kindertots and Rec Hip Hop see hair list)
- You must wear a hairnet and bun should look like a firm cinnamon bun, not a knob.
- Tiny Tot and Kindertot Hair is in a ½ Pony pulled back off the face and Very Curly!!
- Pictures are posted on vandance.ca of hair and make-up.

I will not be sending a hard copy of this home. Please watch for email regarding tights and shoes.

Tights

- Tights same as Festival for Festival Students (if unsure, look at vandance.ca for this info or attached email)

- All pink, beige and black tights are matte...not shimmer!
- Recreational students, see emailed list.
- Be sure tights are clean, and in good condition. No holes or runs! All tights available at Classique Dancewear
- Please no nylons or “pretend” tights. Let’s all match and look fabulous!!

Shoes

- Shoes same as Festival for Festival Students (if unsure, look at vandance.ca for this info or attachment)
- Recreational students see email list.

Make-Up

Please go to vandance.ca for photographs and step by step process

- Make up should enhance your child's already beautiful face. It should be done with care.
- Anyone with specialty make up bring makeup remover and a wash cloth!
- Large Rhinestone Ear rings for everyone.

Reminders

- All Patten Tap shoes must have elastics not ribbons. Wear black golf socks to make them closed in if needed.
- Do not go out and buy new shoes of any style for your dances. Post on the website or Facebook what you have for sale and what you need. Also, check the boxes of shoes at the studio.
- **No** panties under tights unless called for on tights list.
- **No** jewellery or nail polish (unless called for as accessories).
- All black fishnets should be worn with beige matte tights underneath for shine and for comfort.
- Anyone showing midriff in a costume, may buy a full beige body stocking for under it if you wish.
- Dressing rooms at the Yates should be set up on Wednesday May 22 sometime between 4 and 8. All costumes must be at the Yates and set in your dressing rooms by 8:00, no later.
- No dangly earrings but large rhinestone studs for all dances are appropriate unless otherwise specified.

Attachments showing:

1. Picture Day and Time
2. Rehearsal Day and Time at the Yates(if needed)
 - Color coding (at studio copies) stands for the dressing room they have been assigned too.

- These colors do not show on hard copy only on email.
- Watch for Next Year's Registration Information to go out via email.
- We are also hosting INSPIRE Workshop this summer on August 27-29. Inspire will also be held in Moose Jaw (Sept 6-8) if Lethbridge dates do not work for you. Register online danceworkshopinspire@gmail.com starting June 1/19

Grad Solos: Mackenzie, Hannah

Let's make this year's show a really fun and organized time for our students! I truly appreciate the time and effort of all the teachers, students, costume ladies and year end parent volunteers.

Thank you in advance! Vanessa

Name of Group Please be in the Dressing Room of Your Ballet Grade	Picture Time May 21(at the studio)	Yates Rehearsal Time May 22 at the Yates Theatre	Shows Performing In? THN-May 23 FN-May 24	Tights	Shoes
GREEN ROOM (TT-PP2+rec) LOADING DOCK (GR 1 A/B) DOWNSTAIRS REHEARSAL HALL Gr 2 Downstairs Rehearsal Hall Gr 3 Dressing Room #3&bath Gr 5&6's Dressing Room #2&bath Gr 8's(a few gr 6 can bump over/backstage for a lot of changes a few can bump dressing room 1 as well) BOYS Dressing Room 4					
Buzzing Ballerinas (PP2 Ballet)	4:00	4:00	FN	Ballet Pink Microfiber	Ballet pink
Mr. Sun (PP2 Tap)	4:10	4:40	FN	Beige/white bobby socks	Black
Itty Bitty Pretty(PP2 Jazz Hop)	4:20	4:20	FN	Beige tights	Black Jazz
Spiders (PP2)Acro	4:30	5:00	FN	Bare legs	bare
Boogie Woogie Piggie	3:50	3:50	FN	Bare legs/white Bobby	Pink Ballet
Clowning Around (1A Ballet)	4:05	4:10	FN	Ballet Pink Microfiber	Ballet pink CANVAS (majority has canvas)
Yankee Doodle (Tap 1)	4:15	4:30	FN	Black	Black
Shout (Tap 2)	4:25	4:50	FN	Beige/Blk fishnet	Black
Purple People (Jazz A)	4:35	5:10	FN	Beige	Beige
Twister Mania (Modern 1 A/B)	5:00	5:20	THN/FN	Beige footless (not convertible)	Bare
Hard Knock Life (MT 1 A/B)	5:20	5:30	THN/FN	Bare with black bodysuit	Bare
Dawgs (Hip Hop 1 A/B)	5:10	5:40	THN/FN	beige	White hightop converse
Spring Time (1B Ballet)	4:50	5:50	THN	Ballet Pink Microfibre	Ballet pink LEATHER
Batdance (1B Jazz)	4:40		THN	black	black
Masquerade (2 Ballet)	4:55		THN	Ballet pink microfiber Black socks for boys!	Pink ballet ribbons (shiny side in/NO elastics)
Come Fly With Me (Tap 3)	5:30		THN	black	black
Bond James Bond (Jazz 3)	4:45		THN	black	black Jazz
Comin' In Hot	5:15		THN	Bare feet in runners no tights because pants stick	All white sneakers
Rain Dance (Modern 2/3)	5:05		THN/FN	Black footless	Bare
Story of My Life (MT 2/3)	5:25		THN/FN		

Safety Dance (Lyr 2/3)	5:45		THN/FN	beige(footless)	Beige ½ shoe
Friends (3 Ballet)	6:00		FN	Ballet pink microfibre	Pink ballet ribbons (shiny side in, no elastics)
Remains of the Day (Tap 4)	5:35		FN	black	black
Wonderland (Jazz 3)	6:10		FN	black	black
Waltz (5 Ballet)	7:35		THN	Ballet pink microfibre	Pink ballet ribbons
Thriller (Tap 5)	7:50		THN	black torn	black
Mirror Mirror (Jazz 5)	8:00		THN	black	black
Get Like Me (HH 5)	8:10		THN	Black long socks	White Nike Air Force 1
In the Clouds (Modern 5)	8:20		THN	Beige footless/ not convertible)	Bare
99 Red Balloons (Lyrical 5)	8:30		THN	¾ Beige	½ Shoe
Fantasia (6 Ballet)	7:40		THN	Ballet pink microfibre	Pink ballet ribbons
Coda (8 Ballet)	7:45		THN/FN	Ballet pink microfibre	Pink ballet ribbons
Hallelujah (Sr Tap Choreo)	7:55		THN/FN	None/short black sock that doesn't show	black
Wizard (Jazz Major)	8:05		THN/FN	black	black
Bossy (HH Major)	8:15		THN/FN	Bare feet or no show socks	White nike air force 1's
Inner Demons (Modern Major)	8:25		THN/FN	White group- beige footless Dark group- black footless	Bare
Cocktails for 2 (MT Sr)	8:45		THN/FN	Ladies-beige/Men- long black socks	Black character/Black Jazz
Gone (Lyr Major)	8:35		THN	¾ Beige footless (not convertibles)	½ Shoe
Shut it Down (Jazz Funk)	8:55		FN	Beige tights- no underwear please	White nike air force 1's
Pas de Quatre (small Pointe)	7:30		FN	Ballet pink microfibre	Pointe
Mambo #5 (Int Sm Tap)	8:40		THN	black	black
Girls Just Wanna Have Fun	9:05		FN	black	Black
Dream Girls (Jr sm Jazz)	3:50		FN	beige	beige
Me Too (Int Jazz)	8:50		THN	black	Black jazz
I Like That!	9:35		FN	Beige/fishnet	black
Magic (Jr/Int HH)	9:00		FN	Black socks	Black runner
Saturn (Lrg Contemp)	7:05		THN/FN	Bare	½ Shoe
Burn (Sm Contemp)	9:25		FN		½ shoe
Tarentella (Inter Character)	7:20		THN	beige	Black Character -put black elastic over top of pink elastic
Yes We Can (Sr Character)	9:15		THN/FN	Beige/blk fishnets	Black Jazz
Timber (Jr Acro)	3:55		FN	None	Bare
Disturbia (Int/Sr Acro)	6:50		THN	black	Black acro or jazz
Highlights from Oliver!	6:20		THN/FN	Same as festival Beige Beige	Bare Black jazz Black character with black elastics
The British Invasion (Tap2-9)	6:35		THN/FN	beige	Tap/GOGO Boots
Tiny Tots-Sat 10 (Bake Sale)	5:40	6:00	THN/FN	Pink Tights/Boy-Black Pants and Socks	Pink Ballet/Boy Black Ballet
Kindertots-Sat 10:30 (Splish Splash)	5:55	6:15	FN	Beige Tights/White pant over	Black tap
Kindertots-Tues 5:30 (5 Little Ducks)	6:05	6:30	THN	Ballet Pink Tights	Black Tap
PP1 Ballet Me and My Teddy Bear	6:15	6:45	THN	Ballet Pink Tights	Pink Ballet
PP1 Tap-Tues 6:00 Minions	6:30	7:00	THN	Underwear/white bobby socks	Black Tap
PP1 Jazz/Hop-Tues 6:30 Greased Lightning	6:45	7:15	THN	White bobby socks Boys wear jeans	Black Jazz shoes
Rec Hip Hop-8-10-Tues 7:00 Boom Clap	7:00	7:30	THN	Knee high black socks	Black runners
Rec Hip Hop-11 and up-Tues 8:30 Downtown	7:15	7:45	THN	Knee high black socks	Black runners

ROUGH SHOW ORDER Thursday May 16 Run Through at Studio If you are in Act I You are to be at the studio 4-5:45 If you are in Act II You are to be at the studio 6-8:00

Thursday Night Rough Show Order		Fri Night Rough Show Order	
ACT I		ACT I	
Highlights from Oliver! (All Class MT)	THN/FN	Highlights from Oliver! (All Class MT)	THN/FN
PP1 Tap-Tues 6:00 Minions	THN	Pas de Quatre (small Pointe)	FN
Come Fly With Me (Tap 3)	THN	Shut it Down (Jazz Funk)	FN
Tarentella (Inter Character)	THN	Remains of the Day (Tap 4)	FN
		Itty Bitty Pretty(PP2 Jazz Hop)	FN
Waltz (5 Ballet)	THN	Girls Just Wanna Have Fun (Sr Sm Tap)	FN
Hard Knock Life (MT 1 A/B)	THN/FN	Hard Knock Life (MT 1 A/B)	THN/FN
Rain Dance (Modern 2/3)	THN/FN	Rain Dance (Modern 2/3)	THN/FN
Get Like Me (HH 5)	THN		
Inner Demons (Modern Major)	THN/FN	Inner Demons (Modern Major)	THN/FN
Safety Dance (Lyr 2/3)	THN/FN	Safety Dance (Lyr 2/3)	THN/FN
Fantasia (6 Ballet)	THN	Shout (Tap 2)	FN
Tiny Tots-Sat 10 (Bake Sale)	THN/FN		
*		Bossy (HH Major)	THN/FN
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Masquerade (2 Ballet)	THN	Friends (3 Ballet)	FN
Rec Hip Hop-8-10-Tues 7:00 Boom Clap	THN	I Like That!	FN
Mackenzie Grad Solo	THN	Magic (Jr/Int HH) ????????	FN
Me Too (Int Jazz)	THN	Spiders (PP2)Acro	FN
Dawgs (Hip Hop 1 A/B)	THN/FN	Dawgs (Hip Hop 1 A/B)	THN/FN
Yes We Can (Sr Character)	THN/FN	Yes We Can (Sr Character)	THN/FN
INTERMISSION		INTERMISSION	
ACT II		ACT II	
Cocktails for 2 (MT Sr)	THN/FN	Cocktails for 2 (MT Sr)	THN/FN
Kindertots-Tues 5:30 (5 Little Ducks)	THN	Mr. Sun (PP2 Tap)	FN
Spring Time (1B Ballet)	THN	Clowning Around (1A Ballet)	FN
Saturn (Lrg Contemp)	THN/FN	Saturn (Lrg Contemp)	THN/FN
PP1 Ballet	THN	Boogie Woogie Piggie	FN
Thriller (Tap 5)	THN		
Bond James Bond (Jazz 3)	THN	Wonderland (Jazz 3)	FN
Coda (8 Ballet)	THN/FN	Coda (8 Ballet)	THN/FN
99 Red Balloons (Lyrical 5)	THN		
Twister Mania (Modern 1 A/B)	THN/FN	Twister Mania (Modern 1 A/B)	THN/FN
Comin' In Hot	THN/Fri	Comin' In Hot	THN/Fri
Hallelujah (Sr Tap Choreo)	THN/FN	Hallelujah (Sr Tap Choreo)	THN/FN
In the Clouds (Modern 5)	THN		
Rec Hip Hop-11 and up-Tues 8:30 Thrift Shop	THN	Kindertots-Sat 10:30 (Splish Splash)	FN
Disturbia (Int/Sr Acro)	THN	Timber (Jr Acro)	FN
PP1 Jazz/Hop-Tues 6:30 Greased Lightning	THN	Burn (Sm Contemp)	FN
Mirror Mirror (Jazz 5)	THN	Buzzing Ballerinas (PP2 Ballet)	FN
Gone (Lyr Major)	THN	MACKENZIE GRAD SOLO	
Batdance (1B Jazz)	THN	Purple People (Jazz A)	FN
Story of My Life (MT 2/3)	THN/FN	Story of My Life (MT 2/3)	THN/FN
Wizard (Jazz Major)	THN/FN	Wizard (Jazz Major)	THN/FN
		Dream Girls (Jr sm Jazz)	FN
Mambo #5 (Int Sm Tap)	THN	Yankee Doodle (Tap 1)	FN
The British Invasion (Tap2-9)	THN/FN	The British Invasion (Tap2-9)	THN/FN