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# 2010 Spring Performance

Act One: *Neverland*

Act Two: I Wanna Dance With Somebody

<u>Performance Dates &amp; Times</u>	<u>Theatre</u>	<u>Directions</u>
Friday, June 11, 7:00PM Saturday, June 12, 7:00PM	Bak Middle School of the Arts 1725 Echo Lake Drive West Palm Beach, FL 33407	From Jupiter take I-95 south to exit #74 at 45 <sup>th</sup> Street. East on 45th Street to right on North Shore Dr. Go to stop sign at end of North Shore Dr. Turn right on Echo Lake Drive; parking lot is on the right.

Dance classes continue through Tuesday, June 8 at the Academy. Please attend all classes and rehearsals. Absences make it impossible to teach or learn choreography and staging. A professional, orderly rehearsal is absolutely necessary to maintain our schedule and create a high quality performance. Professional behavior by everyone is expected. Dance is an art form and should be treated accordingly. Please help us provide you and your child with a wonderful experience. We thank you for respecting our staff, performers and audience members by adhering to the following:

**1. Spring Performance Tickets.** When the balance of the annual tuition fees is paid in full through June, along with all current and past due tuition, late fees, any and all balances, then tickets may be purchased. **Tickets will be on sale beginning Monday, February 22.** All JDA Performance Company and/or Ballet Level 6 students are required to sell/buy one full page of advertisements for the Spring Performance playbill. Ad forms are available at the Academy. If tuition was paid in full at the time of registration you may purchase tickets by the date order that payment was made.

Tickets are available at the Academy during regular business hours through Monday, June 7. Tickets will also be sold during rehearsals and prior to each performance at **Bak MSOA Theatre** on June 9 & 10.

Please be certain of your dancer's performance day (Friday and/or Saturday). There is a limit of 8 tickets per JDA family per performance through Friday, April 30. Phone sales are available with a credit card. All tickets are \$25.00. All seating is reserved. **All sales are final. Refunds and exchanges are not permitted.**

**2. Rehearsal Schedules.**

**Rehearsal at Jupiter Dance Academy**  
**Saturday, May 22 and/or Sunday, May 23. All classes - not a dress rehearsal**  
 Upon arrival please check in @ the front desk to provide phone numbers for student pick up.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Rehearsal Day</u>	<u>Rehearsal Time</u>
Ballet classes in Friday, June 11 performance	Saturday, May 22	9:00am - 12:00pm
Jazz, Lyrical, Tap, Hip Hop, Acro classes in Friday, June 11 performance	Saturday, May 22	1:00pm - 4:00pm
Ballet classes in Saturday, June 12 performance	Sunday, May 23	9:00am - 12:00pm
Jazz, Lyrical, Tap, Hip Hop classes in Saturday, June 12 performance	Sunday, May 23	1:00pm - 4:00pm

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**Closed Dress Rehearsal at Bak MSOA Theatre Wednesday, June 9 - performers only (no parents)**  
 Ballet Level 6, Performance Company & Specialty Dances 8:00am - 5:00pm

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**Closed Dress Rehearsal (hair, makeup, costumes, etc) at Bak MSOA Theatre - Thursday, June 10**  
 Performers and one parent only (no siblings, grandparents, etc.) No video recording.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Rehearsal Time</u>
All Ballet Classes	9:00am - 1:30pm
All Jazz, Lyrical, Tap, Modern, Hip Hop, Gymnastics Classes	2:00pm - 6:30pm

**3. Costumes.** Please check the Academy bulletin board to see if a costume has arrived. Be sure to pick up all costumes prior to Spring Performance. JDA is not responsible for any unclaimed costumes and refunds will not be given for any unclaimed costumes. Parents and/or students are responsible for any and all costume alterations and the cost of such. Alterations must be completed prior to dress rehearsal. **Please put your child's name on all costume pieces, shoes, tights, hairpieces, accessories, etc.**

**4. Photography & Video.** You may take still photographs during the Thursday, June 10 dress rehearsal. Video recording is not permitted for the duration of any and all rehearsals and/or performances. Anyone using a video recording device will be asked to turn it off. No cameras or recording devices of any kind may be used during performances.  
***We know you have one, but please don't use your cell phone camera either.***  
 No cameras are permitted in the theatre during performances. Please inform all audience members in your party of this request. We don't wish to put anyone in an uncomfortable situation. Flashing lights from camera equipment in the audience are distracting and potentially dangerous for a performer, and diminish the enjoyment of the performance for other audience members. Please turn off cell phones, paging or electronic devices of any type prior to entering the theatre. Your cooperation is appreciated and will create a more enjoyable and professional atmosphere for rehearsals and performances.

Professional DVD's of the performances are available for purchase. DVD order forms are available at the Academy, in the Spring Performance playbill, and online at **JupiterDanceAcademy.com**. DVD's will be mailed.

**5. Volunteer Information.** Your help on performance nights will be greatly appreciated. Please consider volunteering to usher, sell tickets or concessions, or help as a dressing room assistant. Community service hours can be awarded for these volunteer hours. A Spring Performance committee member will be contacting all of our families or you may phone the Academy for further information. We thank you in advance for your contribution of drinks or individually wrapped snacks for the concession stand.

**6. Flowers, Spring Performance T-Shirts, DVDs, tickets and food concessions** are available for purchase prior to performance and during intermission.

## 7. Rehearsal Day.

- Arrive early – be prepared to stay late. Rehearsals may run long or short.
- Upon arrival dress your child in costume, seat your child with his/her class in the theatre, and be seated at the back of the auditorium. Please keep conversation to a minimum. Do not bring anyone else - brothers, sisters, grandparents, etc. They will be asked to leave.
- Dancers will be called to the stage taking the order of the show without music. Dancers then remain backstage and rehearsal will run with music. Please do not leave until dismissed.
- You may purchase DVDs, Tickets and Spring Performance T-Shirts at the volunteer table located in front of the stage. Please direct all questions to the rehearsal volunteers.
- Please locate your dancer's dressing room on rehearsal day. The class or dance number will be posted near the dressing room door. Performers must dress (hair, makeup, etc.) in assigned dressing rooms only. Babysitters are permitted (and encouraged) in the dressing rooms. During rehearsals parents are responsible for providing assistance with costume changes, hair, etc. JDA staff and volunteers will assist dancers during performances. Notify your dancer's teacher if they will need assistance with a costume change during the performance.
- Provide a lunch, dinner and/or drinks, snacks, etc. if your dancer will remain at the theatre for an extended period during rehearsal or performance. Absolutely, no food, drinks, or smoking inside of auditorium. Please clean up if you eat or drink in the lobby areas. Coloring books and quiet games are suggested for our younger performers. **Please, no markers!**
- Be sure to collect all costumes, accessories, belongings, etc. prior to exiting the theatre or backstage area. Jupiter Dance is not responsible for any costumes or personal effects left at the theatre.

## 8. Performance Day.

**Dancers must not leave the backstage area and are not permitted in the auditorium, lobby or outside areas in costume or dance attire before or during performances. It is unprofessional and distracts from performers on stage. Dancers must remove stage makeup and change into appropriate attire or wear a full cover-up prior to exiting the backstage area. Please check the dressing room for all belongings. Jupiter Dance Academy is not responsible for any costumes or personal effects left at the theatre.**

There is a 5:30PM call for the JDA Performance Company and Ballet Levels 5& 6 for mandatory warm-up. All other dancers have a 6:15PM call - 45 minutes prior to performance.

**Parents** - Congestion backstage creates a chaotic atmosphere. **Please exit the backstage area as soon as possible.** The exterior lobby doors will be open. Theatre doors open 30 minutes prior to curtain.

Please do not come backstage to retrieve your child or change a costume during the performance. Dancers will stay backstage until intermission at the end of Act One (*Neverland*), or end of Act Two (I Wanna Dance With Somebody).

All audience members, including students, should remain seated until intermission or end of the performance. Unnecessary chatter and movement such as entering and exiting is extremely distracting to audience members and diminishes the enjoyment of a performance. Please be considerate and remain seated until the house lights come up and **use the lobby exits only.**

### There are Two Acts

- Act One (*Neverland*) involves all Ballet classes.
- Act Two (I Wanna Dance With Somebody) involves all Jazz, Lyrical, Tap, Hip Hop, and Acro classes.
- There is an intermission between Act One (*Neverland*) and Act Two (I Wanna Dance With Somebody).
- All dancers must remain backstage for the duration of the Act they are performing in.
- If a dancer is only in Act One (*Neverland*), we ask that parents remain seated until intermission to pick them up backstage. Dancers may not exit the backstage area while in costume.
- If a dancer is only in Act Two (I Wanna Dance With Somebody) do not bring them backstage until intermission at the end of the ballet. Then wait until the end of Act Two (I Wanna Dance With Somebody) to pick them up. Dancers may not exit the backstage area while in costume.
- If a dancer is in both Acts, parents are permitted backstage at intermission only. Please wait until the end of Act Two (I Wanna Dance With Somebody) for pickup. Dancers may not exit the backstage area while in costume.
- Please be sure to provide adequate seating for all audience members including performers by purchasing all necessary tickets.

## 9. Hair, Jewelry, Makeup, Tights, Shoes

- **Hair:** All ballet students must wear hair in a proper bun with no bangs, loose ends, bows, or barrettes. Use hairspray, gel, hairnets, etc.
- **Jewelry:** Do not wear jewelry unless it is part of a costume. Dancers should remove all jewelry prior to arriving at the theatre.
- **Stage Makeup:** **Do not use body or hair glitter!** Students in Ballet Level 4-6 (approximately age 10+) please purchase the Professional JAM Cosmetics Stage Siren Essentials kit. Students in Creative Dance through Ballet Level 3 please purchase the JAM Cosmetics Stage Siren Petite kit. Order forms and info are available at JDA. Place your order with the Academy for the best price. You may substitute Revlon #740 **Certainly Red** lipstick.
- **Tights & Shoes:** Fabrics change color with theatre lighting. Please use the following exact colors and styles:

**Ballet:** Pink leather ballet shoes  
Capezio Classical Pink Seamed Mesh #9 tights  
Max Factor Pancake Natural #121 on pointe shoes

**Jazz, Lyrical, Tap, Hip Hop, Acro:** Capezio Light Suntan Ultra Soft Tights #1815  
Bloch jazz booties if new shoes are needed.

No underpants, please. Ruffles and bulges are very unbecoming beneath tights and costumes.

