

*Orpheum Dance Program Community Ballet Class*

~ Parent Handout ~

**Community Ballet Class will be conducted in person this year. New York State health guidelines will be followed. The health and safety of the students and their families is The Orpheum Dance Program's primary concern. Until the Delta Covid surge abates, masks are mandatory for everyone upon entering the Red Barn. Masks will remain mandatory for those without proof of vaccination.**

**Classes:**

1. Class count will be limited to 10. More classes will be added if necessary.
2. Zoom classes will be held only in the event of health or weather emergencies.
3. All students must be dressed for class before arrival. Bathrooms cannot be used as changing rooms.
4. Your child must be on time for the class.
5. The required attire is:
  - Girls: pink tights, pink ballet slippers, pink or black leotard
  - Boys: white athletic or tee shirt, black tights or black athletic pants, black ballet slippers
  - Hair must be pulled away from face (preferably a bun)
6. The only beverage allowed into the studio or backstage is **WATER**. Absolutely NO sports drinks or other sugar-based, colored drinks are allowed.
7. No jewelry (it can be a safety hazard).
8. Please pick up your child promptly at the end of class outside the building.
9. Classes will be paid in eight-week sections. Some students take two classes a week, and classes must be paid BEFORE the first class in each session.

**Other important items:**

1. Please provide valid legible email addresses and check your email account daily. That is the only way you will know about changes, snow days, or other information, whether regular notices or in case of emergency.
2. Please provide us with email addresses and phone numbers, so that we can contact you at any time. Email and phone contact is vital to effectively communicate with you.
3. If you have questions about classes, email Ms. Rinaldi at [rinaldi.victoria@gmail.com](mailto:rinaldi.victoria@gmail.com) or text her at 518-369-6561.
4. If someone other than a parent will be picking up your child, you must provide us with a fully completed and legible signed note including your name, the name of the child, name of the person picking up your child, valid phone numbers and email addresses, and the date(s) involved. (See sample below)

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**Permission Slip: [Print clearly, legibly and completely – No blank spaces]**

I, \_\_\_\_\_  
(name, email address and phone number)

give permission for \_\_\_\_\_  
(name, email address and phone number)

to pick up my child(ren) \_\_\_\_\_ from **Community Ballet Class** on

the following date(s): \_\_\_\_\_.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_  
(parent/guardian)

Date: \_\_\_\_\_