

BRAVO 2012 – “On the Radio”

Dress Rehearsal AND Show - Saturday, February 11th

*On-time attendance at all rehearsals, warm-ups, etc. is required.

Dress Rehearsal Info

8am – All Company Dancers arrive in their first costume with hair done (no make-up required) and find assigned dressing room. PLEASE BE ON TIME. EARLY IS GREAT!!!

NOTE: Please DO wear the correct color of tights and shoes for rehearsal. Dancers may wear old tights or shoes for rehearsal if you do not want to risk runs or dirtying.

8:30am – Rehearsal Begins

- 1) We will rehearse the final curtain call first so that dancers may leave after all of their dances are rehearsed and their group receives approval from Amber.
- 2) Rehearsal may run slowly. Be patient and bring snacks, lunch, etc.
- 3) Parents are not required to stay. If you do stay, you may watch/video rehearsal from the auditorium. No parents are allowed backstage during rehearsal so that it runs just like the actual show will run that evening.
- 4) We anticipate rehearsal being done by 1pm. This could be earlier or later, this is an estimate. Dancers can stay at HAYS between the rehearsal and show or leave and come back. Please be sure your dancer eats!!

After rehearsal – NEATLY reorganize all of your belongings (costumes, make-up, hair items, etc.). You do not have to take your belongings with you between rehearsal and show time. Take the time to triple check your area for all items so you do not lose anything.

Show Info

4pm – All Company Dancers arrive backstage at Hays PAC and go to their assigned dressing room. Dancers should arrive in comfy clothes BUT with their hair & make-up done for their first dance. Parents should go into the dressing rooms and make sure their dancer's costumes are organized and ready for the 6pm show.

4:15-5pm – Company Dancer pre-show warm-up on stage

5pm-5:45pm – All dancers spruce up and get dressed in their first costume.
Parents, please exit the backstage and dressing room area by 5:45pm.

5:45pm – Pre-show “Circle” and dancers take places for the opener dance

6pm- approx. 8pm – SHOWTIME!

Immediately following the show:

-Dancers change clothes and clear the dressing rooms of all belongings.

-Dancers and their immediate families are invited to attend the cast party at Hays PAC. Details about the cast party will be emailed out closer to the event from the cast party planning parents. Everyone is free to leave following the cast party.

What to Bring For Rehearsal and Show

- ALL costume pieces (double & triple check your detailed costume sheet that was handed out).
- Bravo opener costume (blue top, black jazz pants, black jazz shoes, earrings, black leotard)
- ALL company performance shoes with names inside.
- Minimum of 1 extra pair of tights in each needed color (depending on your company's costumes).
- Company earrings.
- Hair brush/comb, hair ties (matching hair color), tons of bobby pins, hair nets for buns, hair spray/gel.
- Make-up kit with mirror, plus your own foundation and powder.
- DXP warm-up jacket to wear as a cover up, as it is sometimes cold in the dressing areas..
- iPod or similar with ALL of your dancer's performance songs on it to practice with on their own while waiting to perform.
- Safety pins, band-aids.
- Camera for taking photos in the lobby, cast party, etc..
- A few healthy, non-staining snacks and a bottle of water labeled with dancer's name. Breakfast/Lunch can be eaten during rehearsal BUT NOT IN OR NEAR A COSTUME and NOT IN THE ACTUAL THEATRE.
- A nice (Sunday best) outfit on for the cast party that will follow the show.

Reminders...

- NO jewelry (This includes friendship bracelets, silly bands, etc.)
- NO nail polish on fingers or toes
- NO holes/runs in tights
- NO dirt or holes on shoes
- NO eating or drinking in costume
- NO tinsel or hair feathers
- NO body glitter

Extras...

- Professional videos will be available for purchase prior to and at the BRAVO show.
- You may take photos and video at rehearsal but not during the actual show.
- Every girl will be gifted a special t-shirt to remember BRAVO 2012.

Contact Info...

(Emergencies only please)

- Amber (512) 767-2677 or amber@danceexplosionaustin.com
- Tiffany (612) 804-2777 or tiffany@danceexplosionaustin.com
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*****OTHER DATES TO NOTE*****

- Saturday, January 7th* - All dancers should wear their Bravo hair & make-up to rehearsal
- Sunday, January 8th* - If interested in the parent dance, email Tiffany
- **Practice dates: 8:15pm-9:15pm @ DXP2 - 1/18, 1/25, 2/1, 2/8 & Full Co. Rehearsal 2/4 5-5:30pm
- Friday, February 3rd* - Extra Bravo rehearsal FOR ALL DANCERS from 7-8pm @ DXP2
- Saturday, February 4th* - All dancers should wear their Bravo opener costume to this rehearsal