

Official School of the Schuylkill Valley Regional Dance Company

End of Year Performances 2025

****Please read this letter in its entirety and email with any questions****

Dear Parents and Students,

We are pleased to announce that our 13th Annual KDA Recital will be held on Saturday, June 7th and Sunday, June 8th, 2025, at Phoenixville Middle School. Every student in a registered class is eligible to be in the performance. Each class will begin working on a piece for the performance in January or February. Time spent rehearsing for these pieces will be towards the end of class time. Providing a performance opportunity for our students is very important to their overall development as dancers and we hope that all our students will participate in our year end performance. Please see below for a few details regarding participation, dress rehearsal, and costumes:

*Dress Rehearsal DATES: Tues. June 3rd, Wed. June 4th, Thurs. June 5th, and Fri. June 6th – Mark your calendars! Each class will meet on stage for 15 mins to run their piece on one of these days. The rehearsal schedule will be posted in March. Please save all these dates until the schedule is provided for which one(s) your dancer will have their rehearsal(s) on.
*Performance DATES: Saturday, June 7th and Sunday, June 8th, 2025 – Mark your calendars!
*Show Location: Phoenixville Middle School Theater @ 1000 Purple Pride Parkway, Phoenixville, PA 19460

DRESS REHEARSAL:

Dress Rehearsals will be on June 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th at Phoenixville Middle School. A schedule of when your dancer's class(es) have their rehearsal will be posted in early March. Each class rehearses once on ONE of these days. Please save all dates until this information is provided. **STUDENTS WHO DO NOT ATTEND DRESS REHEARSAL WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PERFORMANCES** – **NO EXCEPTIONS**. We have this policy so that it is fair to all our students. Students are expected to think of dress rehearsal as if it was the show – aka, costumes, stage makeup, hair slicked back into the hairstyle we have instructed for their class (TBD).

COSTUMES:

Each student will have a costume ordered for them if they agree to participate in the show. Instructors choose the costumes for their class, and we will provide pictures of what each class costume is in a binder, that will be located at the receptionist's desk. As we need to pay for all costumes at the time of ordering, there is a costume fee due at this time of \$80 per costume. Any student whose account balance is not paid at the time of distribution will not receive their costume until payment is received. Other items of attire that will be needed for the show include tights and shoes – the specific styles that your student will need are on our website under "Classes" then "Class Attire". If you have not purchased the specific brands and colors that we have noted for each style and class, please do so before the performance. We have the correct tights for sale at the studio. Please purchase from the receptionist. Students will receive their costumes to take home in May.

<u>Please note:</u> Students in Pointe classes do NOT have costumes if their class is doing a piece. Performance Company members costumes are billed separately if needed.

PARTICIPATION:

There is a \$25 per student recital fee for participation in our show, which is separate from costume fees. This helps with paying for theater costs and for the aid of staff before, during, and after our show.