



What is the Performing Company?

The Performing Company is for the dancer who wants to become more involved in dance and take their dancing to the next level. Dancers will compete in 2-3 local dance competitions during the spring and will also perform their company dance(s) at the Spring Recital.

What are dance competitions?

Dance competitions are events where dance studios in an area (usually a state) come together to compete against each other with pre-choreographed dance routines. Competition is generally grouped by dance style and age of competitor. Each routine is judged by a panel of professional judges who give each dance a score, along with comments and critiques. Winners receive awards, prizes, and chances to compete at higher-level competition (National Championships).

We are planning on opening our new studio in late August/Early September in Lawrenceville. All company rehearsals will be held at the studio however classes can be taken at the studio or our park locations.

Dance Company Auditions:

Auditions for our 2013-2014 Performing Company will be held on Saturday June 8th at Bogan Community Center. We will be having another audition at the end of the summer. If you will be trying out then, we encourage you to take a 6 week session during the summer.

1:00-1:45 Ages 4-6

1:45-3:00 Ages 7 and up

Dancers will need to bring with them a \$10 audition fee and a self addressed stamped envelope.

****Boys Hip Hop Company** (Ages 5 and up)

- Attend one six week session in summer 2013
- One day a week time commitment (One hip hop class and One 30 minute rehearsal a week)
- Perform one dance at competition
- Attend 4 local competitions, National competition optional

Monthly Cost:

Hip Hop class	\$38
Company Rehearsal	\$15
Company Payment(see details below)	\$25.50

Approx Monthly Fee **\$78.50**

****Mini Star** (ages 4-6)

- Attend one six week session in summer 2013
- One day a week time commitment (ballet/tap class and One 30 minute rehearsal a week)
- Perform one dance at competition in the beginner category
- Attend 4 local competitions, National competition optional
- Attend Friday evening rehearsals before each competition

Monthly Cost:

Ballet/Tap class	\$38
Company Rehearsal	\$15
Company Payment	\$25.50

Approx Monthly Fee **\$78.50**

The "Company Fee" is the following fees divided up into 10 payments (Aug-May)

Competition costume	\$75
Friday Rehearsals before competition	\$20
Competition Entry Fees	\$160 (\$40x4)

The above fees do not include a company jacket (\$45) or shoes and tights needed for the competition dance.

****Rising Star** (Ages 6 and up)

- Attend one six week session in summer 2013
- One day a week time commitment (One 60 minute ballet/jazz/tap class and Two 30 minute rehearsals a week)
- Attend 4 local competitions and a national competition in Savannah OR Gatlinburg in the summer
- Perform two dances at competition
- This group will compete in the beginner category at competitions

Monthly Cost:

Ballet/Tap/Jazz class	\$50
Company Rehearsals (Two 30 minutes a week)	\$30
Company Payment (see details below)	\$49

Approx Monthly Cost: \$129

The “Company Fee” is the following fees divided up into 10 payments (Aug-May)

Competition costumes	\$150 (\$75x2)
Friday Rehearsals before competition	\$20
Competition Entry Fees	\$320(\$40 x2 dances x 4 competitions)

****Shining Star** (Ages 6 and up)

- Attend one six week session in summer 2013
- Two days a week time commitment
- At least** One 60 minute Ballet Class a week
- At least** One 60 minute Jazz/Tap class per week
- 30 minute rehearsals per week x how many dances performing in
- Attend 4 local competitions and a national competition in Savannah OR Gatlinburg in the summer
- Perform at least 2 dances at competition in the intermediate category
- Have the option to perform solos, duets or trios.

Monthly Cost:

Ballet Class	\$50
Jazz/Tap Class	\$50
Company Rehearsals (Two 30 minutes a week)	\$30
Company Payment (see details below)	\$49
Approx Monthly Cost:	\$179

The "Company Fee" is the following fees divided up into 10 payments (Aug-May)

Competition costumes	\$150 (\$75x2)
Friday Rehearsals before competition	\$20
Competition Entry Fees	\$320 (\$40 x2 dances x 4 competitions)

Additional Dances for Shining Star...

Solos:

\$200	choreography fee (this includes 7 hours of rehearsal)
\$85 per competition	entry fee at competitions
\$75	costume

Duets/Trios:

\$100	choreography fee (per person) this includes 7 hours of rehearsal
\$45 per competition	entry fee per competition
\$75	costume

Small Groups:

\$75	choreography fee (per person) this includes 7 hours of rehearsal
\$40 per competition	entry fee per competition
\$75	costume