



Laguna Dance Theatre

2017-18 Registration

Welcome to our Fall Semester!

*Classes will begin **Monday, August 14th, 2017.***

We offer a strong classical Ballet training program along with Jazz, Lyrical, Broadway Jazz, Tap, Pilates, Hip Hop and Musical Theater for ages 2 to adult.

Enclosed you will find our Fall class schedule, level recommendations, tuition & fees and a registration form. Recommendations are prepared by our teaching staff to meet the individual requirements of each student.

*Pre-registration is recommended to avoid an administrative fee of \$25.00. Please send us your class selections or register online by **August 21st, 2017.***

We would like to remind you of the importance of LDT's policies and procedures. Below you will find updated information pertaining to the dress code, and attendance requirements for each level. Policies will be strictly enforced.

Classical Ballet Division Class Requirements

PRIMARY/Mini *Ages 3 to 4*

1 hour per week

BALLET I *Ages 5+ Recommended*

2 hours per week

BALLET II *Ages 7+*

2.5 hours per week

BALLET III *Ages 8+*

6.5 hours per week

3 Technique Classes (Must be enrolled in a minimum of 3 to enroll in Pre Pointe)

1 Pre Pointe Class

1 Character Class

Recommended: Pilates intervention program

Additional classes offered: Jazz, Tap, Lyrical, Broadway Jazz, Contemporary, Hip Hop, or Pilates

BALLET IVA

10 hours per week

4 Technique classes and 2 Pointe required to be remain on Pointe

1 Contemporary Class (Sarah Silkin)

1 Character Class

Recommended: Pilates intervention program

Additional classes offered: Jazz, Tap, Lyrical, Broadway Jazz, Hip Hop, or Pilates

BALLET IVB

12.5 hours per week

5 Technique classes and 3 Pointe classes required to remain on Pointe

1 Contemporary Class (Sarah Silkin)

1 Character Class

Recommended: Pilates intervention program

Additional classes offered: Jazz, Tap, Lyrical, Broadway Jazz, Hip Hop, or Pilates

BALLET V/VI

14 hours per week

6 Technique classes and 4 Pointe classes

1 Contemporary Class (Sarah Silkin)

Recommended: Pilates intervention program

Additional classes offered: Jazz, Tap, Lyrical, Broadway Jazz, Hip Hop, or Pilates

YAGP is highly recommended

*These have been selected so that you will remain in your assigned level and be considered for advancement.

ATTENDANCE POLICIES

- Attendance at every class is required to maintain your level. **The office must be notified prior to all absences.** Frequent absences will result in a re-evaluation of placement.
- Make-up classes must be taken within **30 days** of the date of the missed class, or will be forfeited. Make ups can be taken in the students own level or the levels below.

TUITION POLICIES

- Tuition is due on the first day of every month and late after the 9th day of every month.
- A \$25 late fee will be applied to all tuition payments received after the 9th of each month.
- A \$30 late fee will be applied to all tuition payment received after the 14th of each month.
- Tuition fees are not transferable from month-to-month due to missed classes.
- There is no pro-rate or refunds given for missed classes, Holiday closure, or Winter Break.
- Any lessons missed due to illness must be made up within 30 days from date of missed class.
- Accounts may be put on “freeze” for extended injuries (with a Doctor note). Students recovering from injury must supply a release note to reenroll into classes.
- Classes missed during the month of June must be made up by June 30th - no exceptions.
- A \$10 re-enrollment fee will be charged to any student who drops a class for one month or longer.

REFERRAL CREDIT

We offer a credit of \$20 for any new families who register and sign up for at least two months of classes. Referral credit will be applied to your account the month following two months of full tuition. There is not a limit to how many times you can receive a referral credit.

DRESS CODE

Ballet: Solid color leotard, pink tights, canvas or leather ballet shoes. Hair is required to be in a clean professional bun. Ballet skirts are allowed for Variations class only. No extra warmups or “junk” clothing is allowed.

Students levels IVA-VI are expected to have pointe shoes at ALL TIMES!

Jazz, Lyrical, Contemporary, Tap: Fitted black clothing (sports bras, bike shorts, tight fitting tops or leotards) tan jazz shoes, hair slicked back in high bun or ponytail.

2017 Nutcracker Auditions

August 24th, 25th and September 9th at Laguna Dance Theatre

Please arrive at least 30 minutes prior to your audition time in order to register.

Thursday, August 24th:

4:00-5:30 Ballet III/IVA

5:30-6:30 Ballet IVB

6:30-8:00 Ballet V/VI

***Mandatory parent meeting for ALL returning students Aug 24th 5:30pm**

Friday, August 25th:

4:00-7:00 Clara Auditions

(Ballet IVB/V/VI Only)

***Ballet II/III/IVAB/V/VI rehearsals begin September 23rd**

Saturday, September 9th:

1:00-1:30 Pre-Ballet/Combo (Ages 5+)

1:30-2:00 Ballet I

2:00-2:30 Ballet II and boys (Ages 5-12)

***Pre-Ballet and Ballet I rehearsals start October 14th**

****Mandatory NEW Parent meeting for all
first time Nutcracker participants September 7th 1:30pm***

Performances will be held at the McKinney Theatre, Saddleback College December 14th through 17th. Each student is committed to attend. Rehearsals are on weekends, but may include weekdays. All rehearsals are mandatory; absence from rehearsal will result in a student losing his/her part and it is required to notify the office at least one week in advance.

Pre-Ballet/Ballet I/Ballet II	\$200.00
Ballet III/IVA	\$250.00
Ballet IVB/V/VI	\$280.00
Additional Sibling (in same or lower level)	30% Discount per sibling on level rate
PDX Coaching Fee	\$30.00 per rehearsal

*** Payments can be made in installments of 50% at time of audition and Final payment by 9/20/17**

***Includes 1 DVD per family and Cast Photo Headshot for program.**

Additional DVDs must be purchased separately.

Headshot JPGS will be available for purchase on Smugmug.com

***If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact the office at
(949) 855-4702 or info@lagunadancetheatre.com***

We are looking forward to another great year and hope to see you soon!