Dear Parents, April 18th, 2023

***Dance Show at Middleton Hall***

***We are delighted to be dancing once again at the Middleton Hall in our annual “Northern Stars” Show.***

***Please note - ALL classes participate except for Junior Commercial, Junior Lyrical and Junior Acro and Saturday Acro and Commercial***

**Dates of Shows**

**Sunday 2nd July – performances at 12.00pm & 4.00pm**

For those parents not familiar with the show this is our annual performance which showcases all our fantastic dance academy core classes and is an amazing show to be part of.

**Dress Rehearsal at Middleton Hall**

**Saturday 1st July (approx. 11.00am-4.00pm) Time TBC**

**There will be no charge for this rehearsal and all dance classes AT NAPA will be cancelled and refunded on Saturday 1st July.**

**Tickets**

It will be held at The Middleton Hall Theatre (Hull University) and tickets for the Show are available from the NAPA online box office at **www.napatickets.co.uk**. These will be on sale from 1st May at 9.00am**. Please only book the seats you need as we only have limited availability and would hate anyone to miss out. Last year sold out.**

**Please let us know if you are not taking part in the show by Wednesday 26th April. You will be charged if you have not let us know you are not participating. Please let us know by emailing julie.lovewell@northernacademy.org.uk**

**Production Fees**

NAPA, as always, subsidises costumes to be able to help our students and parents. This year’s production fees are:

**BABIES & PRE-PRIMARY CLASS (Saturday) £35.00**

**PRIMARY GRADE AND ABOVE £55.00**

**If you are only in 1 class i.e., Ballet then the charge is £35.00.**

This fee covers the costume costs and hire as well as contributing towards the production costs. This fee is applicable to all students and will be added to your online account.

**Extra Rehearsals at NAPA**

We will be holding **extra rehearsals** at which attendance is very important. Dates and times are as follows.

All rehearsals are held at NAPA and there is a £5.00 charge for these rehearsals.

**Sunday 14th May 10.00am-2.00pm**

**All Monday evening dance classes**

**Sunday 11th June 10.00am-1.00pm**

**All Saturday dance classes except Babies and Pre-Primary class**

**Sunday 25th June 10.00am-2.00pm**

**The whole School except for Babies & Pre-primary**

**Week of the show**

**Thursday 29th June 5.00-9.00pm. Dress Rehearsal at NAPA**

**The whole School except for Babies & Pre-primary**

**Throughout the run up to the show all classes will be running as normal except Saturday 1st July.**

**Dance shoes and accessories**

You must provide the following:

Pink satin ballet shoes with elastic (new please) All ballet classes

White canvas ballet shoes with elastic (new please) Boys only

Black Tap Shoes All tap classes

Pink Ballet socks Saturday dance classes

White Ballet socks Boys only

Pink Ballet Tights All other dance classes

Tan matt stirrup tights All dance classes except for Saturday

**Chaperones**

We cannot run the show without parents/chaperones. Please leave your name at reception for any of the rehearsals, dress rehearsals or shows that you are able to chaperone for. There will be a DBS CHECKED Chaperone in each room so parents can now help without a dBs or chaperone licence.

**Information**

Other information will be handed out as soon as possible.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any more information.

Many Thanks for your continued support.

Warm Regards

Julie Lovewell

Head of Dance