

Dance Class Descriptions and Dress Code Information

We are excited to announce our partnership with Revolution Dance to offer exclusive deals on dancewear tailored to our ClubHouse Academy dress code. **Dancewear can be purchased online at** <u>https://www.shopnimbly.com/clubhouseacademy</u>, will be sent to the studio, and delivered to dancers during their weekly classes. Dress code will be enforced in all classes and at all levels. As you enroll in dance classes, please make sure to browse the ClubHouse Academy dancewear site to familiarize yourself with the dress code and stock up on essentials.

ClubHouse Academy observes a dance dress code. A uniform dress code helps keep distractions to a minimum, instills discipline, and keeps everyone looking and feeling professional. Our Ballet students will have a class color based on their level. Pink or flesh colored tights must always be worn for ballet classes. For other dance styles, students are expected to wear appropriate dance attire, including dance shoes, with hair off of the face and no distracting large bows or hair pieces.

DRESS CODE WILL BE STRICTLY ENFORCED.

<u>Preschool Ballet</u> - Introduction to the world of dance, through child friendly music, rhythm, creative movement, and simple dance moves focusing on ballet. This class is designed to enhance the creative ability, attention span, physical coordination, and musicality in the young beginner while fostering a love and appreciation for the art of dance. Pre-dance students begin to learn basic ballet vocabulary, cooperation, classroom etiquette and memorization.

<u>Pre Jazz/Tap</u> - A creative jazz class for young children who enjoy moving fast and love percussive music. It's great fun & full of excitement while exploring all the basic skills of jazz dance. Tap dance emphasizes the flow of movement by teaching the dancer to find rhythms and beats not only in music but in their own bodies.

Attire for class: Ballet slippers (pink or flesh toned preferred). Black Tap Shoe, Black Jazz shoe Any dance attire is fine, hair should be off the face.

Musical Theatre Levels 1-4 So you want to be on Broadway? This class is your first step to becoming a triple threat performer. Musical theatre dance class brings the exciting world of Broadway to life. Learn the latest moves and choreography. Broadway scores and popular music are used to teach stage movement and dance styles as we work on actual dance numbers from shows. Learn audition techniques and a variety of repertoire in this fast paced Broadway style dance class. **Required Attire**: Jazz shoes (black preferred) and dance attire should be worn, such as leotards, tights, dance shorts etc. Boys- Black bike or basketball shorts, t-shirt or tank (no jeans, t-shirts over leotards, long skirts or street clothes). Hair should be pulled off the face.

Musical Theatre Performance Technique, JR. and SR. (Vocals, Acting, Dance) This fun, engaging, high-energy class will help you develop the skills you need to become a triple threat. Focusing on all the aspects of musical theatre, students will hone their vocal, acting, and dance technique. This class allows students to grow in a process-focused environment. Topics include audition technique, performing as a soloist, performing as an ensemble, monologue and scene work, dance technique, dance repertoire, characterization, improvisation, and more.

Required Attire: Sneakers or jazz shoes and comfortable clothes you can move in like sweats, leggings or dance attire should be worn. (no jeans, skirts or street clothes). Hair should be pulled off the face.

Ballet 1-6 Our classes range from Beginner Level 1 to the more advanced Level 6. They cover the fundamentals and more advanced levels of classical ballet technique. It is a more formal setting that will give students the discipline to mature as dancers. The importance of strength, flexibility, rhythm, musicality, focus and memorization will be stressed. Performance technique will be taught. Your child will develop a sense of classroom behavior and manners as well as confidence, grace, and poise while having fun. * Level 2 and above classes are by teacher placement only. Once placed in Level 2 and above, students are encouraged to take more than one class per week in ballet or other styles*

Required Attire for Level 1: Pink leotard, Pink or Flesh colored tights and pink or flesh colored ballet slippers. Hair should be pulled off the face in a bun. A headband for shorter hair is fine, to pull hair out of the face.

<u>Required Attire for Level 2</u>: Light Blue leotard, Pink or Flesh colored tights and pink or flesh colored ballet slippers. Hair should be pulled of the face in a bun. A headband for shorter hair is fine, to pull hair out of the face.

Required Attire for Level 3: Red or Burgundy leotard, Pink or Flesh colored tights and Pink or Flesh colored ballet slippers. Hair should be pulled back in a bun. A headband for shorter hair is fine, to pull hair out of the face.

Required Attire for Level 4: Dark Blue leotard, Pink or Flesh colored tights and Pink or Flesh colored ballet slippers. . Hair should be pulled back in a bun. A headband for shorter hair is fine, to pull hair out of the face. **Note**: For all class levels, students may wear a dance skirt or tight fitting dance shorts to wear over their leotard and tights (no jeans, leggings, t-shirts over leotards, long skirts or street clothes).

Required Attire for Level 5/Pointe: Purple or Plum leotard, Pink or Flesh colored tights and Pink or Flesh colored ballet slippers. . Hair should be pulled back in a bun. A headband for shorter hair is fine, to pull hair out of the face. **Note**: For all class levels, students may wear a dance skirt or tight fitting dance shorts to wear over their leotard and tights (no jeans, leggings, t-shirts over leotards, long skirts or street clothes).

<u>Required Attire for Level 6/Pointe</u>: Purple or Plum or Black leotard, Pink or Flesh colored tights and Pink or Flesh colored ballet slippers. . Hair should be pulled back in a bun. A

headband for shorter hair is fine, to pull hair out of the face. **Note**: For all class levels, students may wear a dance skirt or tight fitting dance shorts to wear over their leotard and tights (no jeans, leggings, t-shirts over leotards, long skirts or street clothes).

Required Attire for Variations: Class Color or Black leotard, Pink or Flesh colored tights and Pink or Flesh colored ballet slippers. . Hair should be pulled back in a bun. A headband for shorter hair is fine, to pull hair out of the face. **Note**: For all class levels, students may wear a dance skirt or tight fitting dance shorts to wear over their leotard and tights (no jeans, leggings, t-shirts over leotards, long skirts or street clothes).

Tap The rhythm and movement of tap, created by the metal taps on the heels and toes of a dancer's shoes, transforms the dancer into a percussive musician. Tap dance emphasizes the flow of movement by teaching the dancer to find rhythms and beats not only in music but in their own bodies.

Required Attire: Tap shoes (black preferred) and dance attire should be worn, such as leotards, tights, dance shorts etc. Boys- Black bike or basketball shorts, t-shirt or tank (no jeans, t-shirts over leotards, long skirts or street clothes). Hair should be pulled off the face.

Jazz-Jazz is a dance form that appeals to everyone because of its energy, variety and vitality. It is a form that is inspired by swing, blues, pop, soul, and funk. Jazz is sharp and fluid movements to create a visually technical dance and style. It is usually done to popular music. Body isolations, stretching, turning, leaping, and technical steps are taught in this class.

Required Attire for all jazz classes : Jazz shoes (black preferred) and dance attire should be worn, such as leotards, tights, dance shorts etc. Boys- Black bike or basketball shorts, t-shirt or tank (no jeans, t-shirts over leotards, long skirts or street clothes). Hair should be pulled off the face.

Lyrical Lyrical is a style of dance that grew from a combination of ballet and jazz technique. Rather than deriving from a base in rhythmic dancing, lyrical dance helps dancers to interpret the lyrics of a song and convey emotion through dance. It is a beautiful and freeing style, especially for those who enjoy the beautiful, flowing movements of ballet, but also enjoy the modern and sharp music and movement of jazz dance.

<u>Contemporary</u>-Contemporary dance is a style of expressive dance that combines elements of several dance genres including modern, jazz, lyrical and classical ballet.

Required Attire for Lyrical and Contemporary: Ballet slippers, half-sole dance shoes or "Foot Undeez" (in skin color) and dance attire should be worn, such as leotards, tights, dance shorts etc. . Boys- Black bike or basketball shorts, t-shirt or tank (no jeans, t-shirts over leotards, long skirts or street clothes). Hair should be pulled off the face.

<u>Hip Hop</u> This class will consist of the fundamentals of hip-hop, including; breakin', popping, grooves, and choreography. Strength in the dancers' arms and core are very important for floor work and will be focused on in this class.

Required Attire: Sneakers and comfortable clothes you can move in like sweats, leggings or dance attire should be worn. (no jeans, skirts or street clothes). Hair should be pulled off the face.