



Spring Recital: "SWEET 16!"

May 8th & 9th at Columbus Middle School

The BIG SHOW: Friday May 8th at 6:30pm	All Level 1 & up classes (2nd-12th Grade)
IDP Shinning STARS SHOW: Saturday May 9th at 11am	All Itty Bitty Stars, Mini Stars & Rising Stars Classes

RECITAL TICKETS:

Tickets go on sale Tuesday April 20th at 8am for IDP graduating seniors. All other families will be able to start purchasing tickets Wednesday April 21st at 8am. You will not need a code to purchase tickets and there is no limit on how many tickets you can purchase. Tickets are \$11.75 per seat, plus a \$1.65 ticket processing fee. These funds go towards renting the auditorium, paying CMS and iDance Staff, as well as backdrop and programs. Seats will be assigned, therefore, everyone who will need a seat will be required to purchase a ticket. Children who are able to sit on an adults lap and Backstage help will NOT need a ticket. Tickets will be sold at the door for \$15 CASH ONLY. You can purchase tickets online until 11pm CT Thursday May 7th.

Here is the link to purchase tickets: <http://www.recitalticketing.com/26449/>

*****Auditorium Doors will close 5 minutes prior to each show. Anyone who enters the auditorium during the show will be assisted by the usher and will not be allowed to go to their seats until instructed.**

BACKSTAGE HELP:

To help keep the show running smoothly, we need volunteers to help backstage and ushers. You can sign up at the studio or email us directly. Dressing room assignments will be released by April 13th.. Backstage helpers and Ushers will NOT need a recital ticket. **If you volunteer to help, you will receive a \$15 tuition credit** Room moms will be able to watch their dancer's routine backstage after their assigned class is done performing, you will take the dancers back to their assigned dressing room.

DRESS REHEARSAL:

- ALL dress rehearsals are held at Columbus Middle School Auditorium on May 6th & 7th. Please see times on the next page for dress rehearsal times.
- Dancers will wear their costumes for dress rehearsals.
- You will need to enter through the north east entrance. Guests remain in the lobby or auditorium, one parent and the dancer should proceed to the auditorium.
- Please arrive 30 minutes early so dancers can get stretched and ready for their rehearsals.
- When your dancer is done with their routine(s) at dress rehearsal, they are free to leave, same goes for recital.
- NO FOOD OR DRINK MAY BE BROUGHT BACKSTAGE OR IN THE THEATER - DRESSING ROOMS or LOBBY ONLY!
- Please no flash photography during dress rehearsal or recital for the safety of our dancers.

RECITAL DAY!!

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IDP Shinning Stars Show is for all of our Itty Bitty, Mini & Rising Stars classes on Saturday May 9th at 11am

To view costume pictures & class routines click here: <https://www.idanceprojectpac.com/2026recitalinfo>

Doors to the Columbus Middle School will open 60 minutes prior to each show and the auditorium doors will open 45 minutes prior to the show.

Dancers are free to go after they have performed, but we recommend having them stay until the end for their final bow. *****Please note, Auditorium doors will close 5 minutes prior to the show*****

- Please arrive in costume with hair & make-up done for RECITAL. Make sure to pack extra ponytails, hairspray, bobby pins etc., to retouch hair. Due to the stage lights, we suggest that dancers wear make-up. It is NOT required, but the stage lights can wash out your dancers and make them look as white as a ghost. To avoid this dancers should wear lipstick and blush. Mascara, eyeliner, eyeshadow and foundation is optional. Dancers can wear glitter in their hair or on their eyes, but please apply at home and not at the high school.
- If anyone must exit the theater during any of the shows for any reason, please do so between numbers.
- At the end of the recital, dancers are can be part of the final bow. We ask for dancers to head back stage during the last few numbers of the recital. After the recital, they will be dismissed from the stage.
- Dancers are allowed to bring personal belongings to keep them entertained, but please LABEL EVERYTHING. The school or iDance will not be responsible for lost or stolen items.
- Dancers are allowed to bring food and water into the dressing rooms. We ask that they pick up after themselves and to keep snacks nut free and refrain from anything that will make a mess.
- HAVE A WONDERFUL PERFORMANCE! Your enjoyment, the student's safety and happiness is our primary concern. Please ask questions to clarify any of our request. We welcome your comments and feedback to help us help you and your dancer(s) have a wonderful recital weekend! We are looking forward to seeing your dancer(s) shine on stage!