

2025 YEAR-END IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Dear Parents & Students:

In preparation for the year-end showcase, "Dance to the Music 2025", this letter is being sent out to give you all the important information you need to know for our biggest show of the year. The showcase will take place at The Richmond Hill Centre for the Performing Arts, located at 10260 Yonge Street in Richmond Hill on **FRIDAY May 30th, 2025**. If you need to get in contact with the theatre, please call (905) 787-8471.

All competition/recreational students will be performing on Friday, May 30th, 2025 @ 7:00pm. The Friday evening show will include the recreational and competitive GROUPS, TRIOS/DUET, comp technique classes and our Competitive Companies' Grand Finale.

Important Dates:

Dress Rehearsal: Thursday, May 29, 2025 @ The Richmond Hill Centre for the Performing Arts starts @ 5:15pm to 6:30pm for Recreational students & 6:15pm to 8:30pm for Competitive students.

Year End Showcase: Friday, May 30th, 2025 @ The Richmond Hill Centre for the Performing Arts starts @ 7:00 pm

Competitive Picture day is Tuesday, May 13th, 2025 and Wednesday, May 14th, 2025 @ DanceTastic Studio. Photographer Origin Films. (Detailed Schedule will be emailed within the next week) You must register online and pay the **\$25.00 sitting fee before May 10th, 2025**.

Recreational Picture Day is Tuesday May 13th, 2025 @ DanceTastic Studio. Photographer Origin Films. (Detailed Schedule will be emailed within the next week). You must register online and pay the **\$25.00 sitting fee before May 8th, 2023**.

Tickets for "Dance to the Music 2025" will go on sale at the Box Office on **Monday, May 5th, 2025 at 10:00am**

Three Easy Ways to Purchase Tickets

1. Online Box Office: www.rhcentre.ca
2. Richmond Hill Theatre Box Office Phone Number: (905) 787-8811
3. In-person at the box office in the main lobby of the theatre (10260 Yonge Street)
D.T.S.'s Sale Price: \$34.00/regular admissions ticket price, and \$1.00/age 3 and under ticket price includes H.S.T. + service fees put in place by the RH Theatre.

Regular Price

Listed Ticket Price Breakdown:

D.T.S. Sale Price	\$ 34.00
Theatre Fees	\$ 6.22
Richmond Hill Theatre Box Office Listed Price	\$ 40.22

Please note: All patrons must have a ticket including dancers and “babies in arms” (NO BABIES ARE ALLOWED ON PARENTS’ LAPS). Since this policy is put in place by the Fire Marshall, D.T.S has decided to sell tickets for children ages 3 and under for \$1.00 (plus H.S.T. and service fees). By doing this, it will ensure that all children ages 3 and under are allocated a seat in the theatre and avoids any problems when entering the theatre.

D.T.S.’s Sale Price (Age 3 & Under): \$1.00/ticket +H.S.T. + RH Theatre service fees

Listed Ticket Price Breakdown:

D.T.S. Sale Price	\$ 1.00
Theatre Fees	\$ 5.66
Richmond Hill Theater Box Office Listed Price	\$ 6.66

*All performers/dancers must purchase a ticket if they want to watch the performance in the theatre (watching of show backstage is not permitted). Please note the Showcase running time is approx. 2 1/2 hours. There will be adult supervision backstage for the duration of the performance for those dancers who do not want to watch the performance in the theatre.

2025 YEAREND DRESS REHEARSAL INFORMATION

**THE YEAR-END DRESS REHEARSAL WILL TAKE PLACE ON
Thursday May 29th, 2025 at the Richmond Hill Centre for the
Performing Arts**

All students are required to attend this rehearsal as we will be setting up the lights and music for the show. Students must be in their full costume proper make-up and hair, as this is a miniature performance for the actual showcase. **This is a closed-door rehearsal. Therefore, an audience is not permitted.** Parents are encouraged to drop off students or are welcome to wait for students in the change rooms or front lobby.

RECREATIONAL STUDENTS’ REHEARSAL TIME: Parents please drop-off & pick-up dancers on time @ Richmond Hill Centre for the Performing Arts

Thursday May 29th @ 5:15PM to 6:30PM

Recreational routines

Dance Title for Show	Regular Class Time Each Week
Never Grow Up	Wednesday @ 6:00pm
Be Alright	Wednesday @ 7:15pm
Ocean Eyes	Friday @ 6:00pm
Telephone	Saturday @ 9:45
Waltz of the Hours	Monday @ 4:45pm
Baby	Saturday @ 10:30am

Grad Dance	Grad Dancers (senior comp dancers)
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*The order above is not the order that these numbers will appear in our show.

Rehearsal time: ALL COMPETITIVE COMPANY DANCERS: MAMMA MIA FINALE
REHEARSAL **Thursday May 29 From 6:15PM to 8:30PM** @ The Richmond Hill
Centre for the Performing Arts

Other Important Studio Dates

1) **MAY SALE Pre-Registration for 2024/2025 Season's Recreational Classes REGISTRATION OPENS ONLINE ON MONDAY MAY 20th, 2025.**

DTS will be accepting returning and new customers for our 2025/2026 recreational program. Pre-registration for our new dance season will take place online www.dancetastic.ca starting Tuesday May 20th, 2025.

Register in MAY/2025 and save 15% off all classes (excluding competitive classes) and 50% off additional classes taken by same student. Full payment must be received to qualify for discount. Costume payment is not required.

2) **Picture Day:**

Competitive Picture Day is Tuesday May 13th and May 14th 2025. (Detailed Schedule will be emailed within the next week)

Recreational Picture Day is Tuesday May 13th, 2025. (Detailed Schedule will be emailed within the next week).

You must register online and pay the **\$25.00 sitting fee before May 10th, 2025**. If the student is in multiple classes you will need to purchase 1 sitting fee per class, up to a maximum of 5. After 5 purchases, any remaining classes are free. Example: Your child is in 7 classes (6 groups, and 1 solo), you need to purchase the first 5, and the last 2 classes are free. Total \$125.00.

How to register for Picture Day and Pay the Sitting Fee:

Visit DanceTastic's online

gallery <https://originweddings.pixieset.com/dancetastic/>

The tutorial will explain to how to register, download, and print photos but if you need assistance, you can contact Danny Bui from Origin Films at 416-256-3044.

Or booking@originfilms.ca.

3) **COSTUME PICK-UP:**

Costumes will be allocated to all dancers in class during the week of May 5th to May 9th You are responsible to purchase the required tights and dance shoes for the costume.

- 4) **2025/2026 Competitive Company Auditions Week:** All NEW/REC students between the ages of 6 and 16 are welcome to audition for the DTS Competitive Dance Company. Auditions will take place at the studio on Wednesday June 4th, 2025.
- 5) **No Recital Videographer:** The show will NOT have a professional videographer present during the performance. Parents are welcome to video record the dancers during the performance. However, NO flash photography will be allowed as it disrupts the dancers' performance.
- 6) DanceTastic Commemorative T-Shirts & Bouquets of flowers will be for sale by an independence dealer in the lobby of The Richmond Hill Theatre on the days of our yearend performance.

We look forward to a successful year-end performance!

Sincerely,

DanceTastic Studio Management