

Dance Connection 2015-2016 Jazz Dance Teams (DCDT)

Rehearsal and Event Schedule

Jazz Team--Level 2 jazz required. The Monday 3:15-4:00 Jazz II class prior to the rehearsal class is required so the dancers are warmed up and ready for their rehearsal class. Late arrivals due to school dismissal time is accepted. Tam Jams and Parades are mandatory. Weekly Rehearsal: Mondays 4:00-4:45.

Teen Team--Level 3 jazz required. It is required that the prior jazz class, Teen Jazz II or Jazz III be taken prior to the rehearsal class. Tam Jams and Dupree Convention are mandatory. Weekly Rehearsal: Tuesdays 8:15-9:00.

Some parental participation is required. All events are mandatory unless noted as "optional." Any conflicts must be communicated via email to Cindy or returned PDF Rehearsal and Event Schedule with comments noted on or before 10/30 to Cindy. Excessive conflicts may impact a dancer's ability to participate on the dance team. Cindy: cg@danceconnectionpaloalto.com.

Date	Time/Event	Notes
Sun, 9/27	DC Company Field Day! 4:00-5:30, outside L5 4:00-4:45 games; 5:00-5:30 Parent Meet & Greet and Info Meeting	DCPC, DCDT, DCHC, DCBC Join your friends for fun-filled games. Parent meetings follow.
Wed 9/30	Warm Up Suit order proof changes DUE Duffle Bag orders DUE	Warm Up Suits will be ordered per the online order on dance accounts. Proof sizing is due with any changes.
Thurs 10/1	Payment due for Tam Jams Workshop	
Sat-Sun 10/10- 11	Tam Jams Workshop: Mandatory event Master classes in contemporary, jazz, and hip hop. Everyone has been pre-registered.	Mandatory for all dance team and DCPC level 1- 4 dancers. Jam Session show for parents on Sun, 10/11 at end.
Mon, 11/9	Staging rehearsal for Festival of Lights Parade 7:45-8:30 outside L5-mandatory for parade	Pick up string lights for the parade after rehearsal. <i>Must be at least 12 years old.</i>
Fri, 11/20	LADM Optional Convention payment due Register in Workshops for Observers	Convention 1/29-30 Mandatory event for DCPC
Sun, 11/29	Los Altos Festival of Lights Parade for Teen Jazz Team, DCPC and Nutcracker Soloists	Ages 12+ Click on the Pre-Approved email link
Fri, 12/4- Sun 12/6	Dance Connection Nutcracker Ballet performances. Come watch your friends perform in the ballet. Purchase through your dance account. Dancers only.	Purchase \$10 seats for DC dancers online. Performances: Fri 12/4 @ 7, Sat, 12/5 @ 2 & 7, and Sun, 12/6 @ 3 Spangenberg Theatre, Gunn High
12/16- 1/3	Winter Break	Happy Holidays!
Fri, 1/22	Optional NYCDA payment due	NYCDA optional convention 3/5-6 Register online under Workshops 3/5

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Sat-Sun 1/29-30	LA Dancemagic Convention--Optional DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel San Jose	Pre-registration required by 11/20. www.ladancemagic.com
Sat-Sun 2/13-14	Dupree Dance Convention—Optional Oakland Marriott City Center	http://www.dupreedance.com Pre-registration due by 1/15
Sat-Sun 3/5-3/6	New York City Dance Alliance (NYCDA) www.nycdance.com Hyatt Regency Santa Clara	Info will follow.
Sat, 3/20	DCDT Mandatory dress rehearsal prior to the 3/20 performance.	Rehearsal for Breast Cancer Performance in L5. Mandatory
Sun, 3/20	4:00-6:00 Arrive to Cubberley Theatre @ 2:00 Performance	Breast Cancer Benefit Performance at the Cubberley Theatre. Mandatory
Date TBD	Cubberley Community Day	Performance opportunity at Cubberley Time and details TBA
Fri, 4/22 Sat, 4/23	Ballet Concerts at the Spangenberg Theatre Friday at 7:00 and Saturday at 2:00	
Sun, 4/24	Ballet Company Ballet Concert. DCDT dancers and parents are elected to help volunteer behind the scenes for the company.	Parent and dancer volunteers needed. Info to follow. Cubberley Theatre 3:00-6:30
Sun, 5/1	Preschool Let's Dance! at the Cubberley Theatre 3:00 & 5:00 performances	
Sat, 5/6	Parade Rehearsal for May Fete Parade: 5:00-6:00	Outside L5
Sat, 5/7	Palo Alto May Fete Parade. Mandatory except for school band conflicts.	9:00-12:00; meet at 9:00, location TBD. Parade begins at 10:00.
Sun, 6/5	Ballet Company Auditions: 9:30-11:30 DCHC Hip Hop Crew Auditions: 12:00-1:00 DCPC Auditions: 1:00-5:30	Auditions for DCPC and Ballet Company 2016-2017 in L5 and K5, optional.
Fri, 6/10	SHOWTIME! at the Smithwick Theatre, Foothill College at 7:30	Tentative performance opportunity
Sat, 6/11	Let's Dance! at the Smithwick Theatre, Foothill College at 2:00 and 7:30	Extra performance in the matinee at 2:00. Tentative performance at 7:30
6/13- 6/24	Beginning level DC Ballet Intensive	
6/13-7/1	Intermediate and Advanced level DC Ballet Intensives	
8/8-8/12	DC Intensive 2016	