

Dance Connection 2016-2017 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, Dupree Convention, 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, and Parades 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. Dancers will automatically be registered for Tam Jams and Dupree Convention, and extra fees apply. Excessive conflicts may impact a dancer's ability to participate on the dance team. Cindy: cg@danceconnectionpaloalto.com.

Date	Time/Event	Notes
Sun, 8/28	DC Company Field Day! 5:30-7:00, outside at the Amphitheatre 5:30-6:15 games; 6:15-7:00 Meet & Greet and Food/Drinks*	DCPC, DCDT, DCHC, DCBC Join your friends for fun-filled games. *sign up for potluck!
Wed 9/28	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.
Sat, 11/19	Staging rehearsal for Festival of Lights Parade 11:30-12:30 outside L5-mandatory for parade	Pick up string lights for the parade after rehearsal. <i>Must be at least 12 years old.</i>
Sun, 11/20	LADM Optional Convention payment due Register in Workshops for Observers	Convention 1/27-29 Mandatory event for DCPC
Sun, 11/27	Los Altos Festival of Lights Parade for Teen Jazz Team, DCPC and Nutcracker Soloists	Ages 12+ Click on the Pre-Approved class link from your dance account.
12/1	Payment due for Tam Jams and Dupree	
Fri, 12/3- Sat 12/4	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 12/3 @ 7, Sat, 12/4 @ 4 at Smithwick Theatre, Foothill College
12/15-1/3	Winter Break	Happy Holidays!
Fri, 1/22	Optional NYCDA payment due	NYCDA optional convention 3/3-5 Register online under Workshops 3/3
Sat-Sun 1/27-29	LADM Convention--Optional DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel San Jose	Pre-registration required by 11/20. www.ladancemagic.com
Sat-Sun 2/11-12	Tam Jams Workshop: Mandatory event Master classes in contemporary, jazz, and hip hop. Everyone is pre-registered.	Mandatory for all dance team and DCPC level 1-4 dancers. Jam Session show for parents on Sun, 2/12 at end.

Sat-Sun 2/25-26	Dupree Dance Convention—Mandatory Everyone is pre-registered.	http://www.dupreedance.com
Sat-Sun 3/3-3/5	New York City Dance Alliance (NYCDA) --Optional	Info will follow. www.nycdance.com Hyatt Regency Santa Clara
Sat, 3/24	DCDT Mandatory dress rehearsal prior to the 3/25 performance. 6:30-7:30	Rehearsal for Breast Cancer Performance in L5. Mandatory
Sun, 3/25	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 Usually in March	Performance opportunity at Cubberley Time and details TBA
Sun, 4/23	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
5/13-14	Ballet Concerts at Smithwick Theatre Saturday at 2:00 and 7:00 and Sunday at 4:00	Smithwick Theatre, Foothill College Cinderella Ballet for all ballet dancers.
Sat, 5/20	Preschool Let's Dance! 11:00 & 1:00 performances	Cubberley Theatre Either 11:00 or 1:00 performance.
Sat, 5/6	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, 6/4	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 2017- 2018 in L5 and K5, optional.
Fri, 6/9	SHOWTIME! at the Smithwick Theatre, Foothill College at 7:30	Tentative performance opportunity
Sat, 6/10	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
6/12- 6/23	Beginning level DC Ballet Intensive	
6/12- 6/30	Intermediate and Advanced level DC Ballet Intensives	
8/7- 8/11	DC Intensive 2017	