

HUDSON VALLEY DANCE THEATRE

Rehearsal Schedule for "Nutcracker" November/December

Possible Community Show Date: Dec 2nd or 3rd

Confirmed Paramount Peekskill, Sunday Dec 10; 3pm

Confirmed Show Date: Mount Saint Mary College, Saturday Dec 16; 2pm & 6pm

Sat Nov 4 <u>2:30-3:00</u> Mice & Soldiers (with clara & nutcracker) & Russian Leads <u>3-3:45</u> Snow Queen <u>3-3:30</u> Clowns (with clara & Nutcracker) <u>3:30-4:00</u> Chinese (with Clara) <u>3:45-4:15</u> Mirliton Leads (no sheep) <u>4-4:30</u> Dolls	Sunday Nov 5 <u>1:00-2:30</u> Costume call, entire cast (parents fitting 3-4pm) <u>2:30-3:30</u> Full Company <u>3:30-5:15</u> Finale (Russian, Arabian, Clowns, Spanish, Mirlitons, Chinese, Sugar, Spanish & Flowers) *NO Clara, Nutcracker or Dros-selmeyer <u>4-5pm</u> Party Parents	Saturday Nov 11/18 <u>2:30-3:00</u> Mice & Soldiers & Clowns (with clara & nutcracker) & Russian Leads <u>3-3:30</u> Chinese (with clara) & Snow Queen <u>3:30-4:30</u> Party Scene with dolls & Mirliton Leads (no sheep) See Back of Page for Show Weekend Directions	Sunday Nov 12/19 Sunday Nov 5! Daylight Savings!! <u>1:30-4:30</u> Full Run of 2 Cast Entire Cast Sunday Nov 19 ONLY <u>1:00-1:30</u> *Those in Senior Company & Clara (with mom) Needing to Learn Stage Make up	Saturday Nov 25 & Sunday Nov 26 Nothing, Thanksgiving break Sunday Dec 3 <u>1:30pm-4:30pm</u> Run of 2 Cast Entire Cast	Saturday Dec 10 Show at Paramount Peekskill Friday Dec 15 & Saturday Dec 16 Mount Saint Mary Show
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Note: At the end of each rehearsal please check with the teacher/choreographer to confirm the date and time of the next rehearsal. **Watch the studio notice board & email for changes.** Call the studio, 534-9671, if you are in any doubt of dates or times of rehearsals. **DO NOT HAVE A SNACK UNLESS YOU HAVE A BREAK.**

Here are the items you need to know for the BIG weekend:

Dress Rehearsal Sun. Dec. 10 Paramount:

- ~Arrive at Paramount in Peekskill on Sunday at 10:30am
- ~Come in nude leotard, hair and make up done as for a show.
- ~Please bring all shoes needed and any extra items you may need (pink and/or black tights).
- ~We will bring the costumes and sets and props.
- ~We should finish around 12:30pm. Senior cast may have to stay until 1pm.
- ~ALL DANCERS are responsible for putting away their costumes after each practice. Costumes ruined, lost or damages must be replaced at the dancer's/parent's expense.

Sunday December 10, Paramount Show

- ~The call time for Junior company is 2:30 for the 3:30 show.
- ~Ticket sellers, raffle and nutcracker sellers, ushers and general show help must arrive at the junior company time.
- ~Senior company must arrive at 2pm for the 3:30 show.
- ~Senior company members missing part or the entire stage warm up will not be allowed to perform. (I do enforce this rule; please don't put me in that situation!)
- ~ALL DANCERS will not be allowed to leave the backstage area after the show until all the costumes are put away. Costumes ruined, lost or damages must be replaced at the dancer's/parent's expense.
- ~We ask that all families help us strike (repack the truck of all our props, flooring, lights...).

POSSIBLE Moving of the props and set pieces Thursday December 14, Afternoon:

- ~Needed are a few strong parents to help move our costumes and props into the theatre on Thursday during the afternoon hours. Mount Saint Mary will confirm day as Thursday, may change to Wednesday!
- ~Meet at the studio to load up at 5:00 with Trailer truck.
- ~Transport show items to MSM and unload, set-up set pieces.
- ~Takes about 3-4 hours from load up to finish.

Dress Rehearsal Fri. Dec. 15 Mount Saint Mary College:

- ~Arrive at MSM on Friday at 4:30pm (you will need time to check in at gate and find the theater, follow road around to left until you see Aquinas Hall, I parked behind the hall and walked in from back door.)
- ~Come in nude leotard, hair and make up done as for a show.
- ~Please bring all shoes needed and any extra items you may need (pink and/or black tights).
- ~We will bring the costumes and sets and props.
- ~If you are selling tickets please come.
- ~We should finish around 7:30/8pm. Anyone triple cast may have to stay until 8:30.
- ~ALL DANCERS are responsible for putting away their costumes after each practice. Costumes ruined, lost or damages must be replaced at the dancer's/parent's expense.

Saturday December 16, MSM Shows

- ~If we get snowed out on Friday, we will have a Dress Rehearsal at 9am, finish at 10:45am
- ~The call time for Junior company is 1:00 for the 2:00 show and 5:00 for the 6:00 show.
- ~Ticket sellers, raffle and nutcracker sellers, ushers and general show help must arrive at the junior company time.
- ~Senior company must arrive at 12:30 for the 2:00 show and 4:30 for the 6:00 show.
- ~Senior company members missing part or the entire stage warm up will not be allowed to perform. (I do enforce this rule; please don't put me in that situation!)
- ~ALL DANCERS will not be allowed to leave the backstage area after the show until all the costumes are put away. Costumes ruined, lost or damages must be replaced at the dancer's/parent's expense.
- ~We ask that all families help us strike (repack the truck of all our props, flooring, lights...).

GOOD LUCK AND ENJOY THE SHOWS!