THEATER STAGE DOOR DROP OFF AND PICK UP:
- Your child’s tech/dress rehearsals and performances will take place at Skyview Concert Hall at Skyview High School, 1300 NW 139th Street, Vancouver.
- Upon turning into Skyview, take an immediate right into the staff parking lot (don’t go around the loop). The stage door entrance is there, not at the main entrance. Parking spots labeled “staff” are available to Columbia Dance after 2:30pm. Please do not park in any spots marked “reserved.”
- All dancers must enter & exit through the stage door entrance to the theater. Dancers need to enter and leave the theater in street clothes without stage makeup on. Parents must wait outside of the stage door. Parents will not be able to go to the dressing rooms unless they are signed up to volunteer in the dressing rooms at that time.
- All dancers must sign in and out at the stage door entrance.
- If your child is unable to attend a dress rehearsal or performance due to illness or emergency, please call/text Becky Moore’s cell phone 925-437-2929.

THEATER & DRESSING ROOM ETIQUETTE:
- Recording Devices: no video or photographic equipment is permitted at any rehearsal or performance. Cell phones are not allowed in rehearsals or in the backstage area of the theater. They will be allowed in the dressing rooms, but must be turned off half an hour before the start of each performance and for the duration of the performances.
- Tidiness: space is extremely limited backstage. All dancers are expected to respect the other people around them and clean up after themselves. No food is permitted in the dressing room. We will have a lunch room for the children to eat in.
- Ticket Reminder: All audience members must have a ticket. Performers who wish to sit in the audience for a performance of the alternate cast must have a ticket for that performance.

MAKEUP & DANCE BAG CHECKLIST:
- Dance Bag Checklist: All dancers need to be sure that they bring the following items with them each time they attend a Nutcracker Tech/Dress rehearsal or performance. **Dancers need to have a single satchel or duffle-type bag that is able to hold all of their belongings.** Please put your child’s name on his/her belongings (especially tights and dance shoes). Dancers should always have their class uniform with them. Please be sure to put your child’s name on their belongings!
  - Hairspray & Gel
  - Brush & Comb
  - Bobby pins & Hair pins
  - Hair elastic & Hair nets
  - Ballet leotard
  - Stage makeup
  - Clean performance tights without holes
  - EXTRA PAIR of performance tights in case of stains or runs
  - Clean ballet slippers
  - Warm comfortable cover-up, water bottle & healthy snacks
  - Shoes/Slippers/Socks - no bare feet backstage
  - A quiet activity (deck of cards, coloring, book, etc)
- No nail polish or jewelry.
Columbia Dance \textit{Nutcracker 2022}  
COMPANY  
Important Costume and Hair Information  
Questions? Contact us at 360-737-1922 or info@columbiadance.org

\section*{COSTUME INFORMATION}
Columbia Dance provides the costumes for our productions. However, personal items such as tights, shoes, and undergarments are the responsibility of each performer. We have tights available for purchase at our front desk. Please label your child’s tights, shoes, and leotard with their name and \textit{Nutcracker} role. Dancers should bring these items to the December 5th and 6th studio rehearsals and to every rehearsal/performance thereafter:

\begin{itemize}
    \item 2 pairs of Mesh tights with back seams (minimum of 2 pairs)--Eurotard 219 Ballet Pink $22.50 each ($24.42 with tax) Available through \textcolor{blue}{Eurotard}
    \item 1 pair of Capezio Pink briefs $14.00 ($15.19 with tax) Available on \textcolor{blue}{amazon}
    \item 2 pairs of pointe shoes
    \item 1 pair of \textbf{LEATHER} flat shoes (if in water sprite/voyageur) Leather Split sole shoes--Eurotard A2004a Pink leather split sole $29.50 ($32.01 including tax) Available through \textcolor{blue}{Eurotard}
\end{itemize}

\section*{HAIR INFORMATION}
Dancers should arrive at the stage door with their hair performance ready for their first role of that rehearsal/performance. Dancers should have hair supplies in their bag for last minute touch-ups.

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\textbf{ROLE} & \textbf{HAIRSTYLE} \\
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Cecilia & High bun with ringlets on the side \\
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Cecilia’s Friends & Low bun with a braid over each ear \\
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Water Sprites/Voyageur & Low braid \\
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Everyone Else & High bun, no part \\
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\section*{MAKEUP INFORMATION:} Company dancers will apply their own stage makeup. You will need to have:

\begin{itemize}
    \item Foundation to match your skin tone and sponge to apply it. A crème or stick tend to work better than liquid as they won’t run when you sweat.
    \item Translucent powder and brush to apply it
    \item Pink blush and brush to apply it
    \item Eyeshadow in white, tan, and brown and brush to apply it
    \item Black eyeliner
    \item Eyebrow pencil for anyone with fair eyebrows
    \item Waterproof Black mascara
    \item Make up remover wipes (make up must be removed before leaving the theater)
\end{itemize}
This is a \textcolor{blue}{lovely kit} that has the correct color blush (pink) and eye shadow (white, tan, brown). It is a bit pricey so you could use it as a reference to pick out shades of cheaper brands.
MAKEUP INFORMATION: *Nutcracker 2022*

CALENDAR OF PERFORMANCE WEEK EVENTS

**Rehearsals at Columbia Dance COMPANY**

***Please note: from December 5-18 your child ONLY has Nutcracker rehearsals, no regular classes***

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**Monday, December 5th and Tuesday, December 6th**

*Act 2 Rough Dress Rehearsals at COLUMBIA DANCE*

**Important Information:**
- Costumes will be worn by all cast members. Students need to bring their class uniform, performance tights, and shoes.
- Students should arrive with performance hair done and leotard and tights on underneath their street clothes.
- Students may not have any nail polish or jewelry on.

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**Wednesday December 7th and Thursday, December 8th**

*Act 1 Rough Dress Rehearsals at COLUMBIA DANCE*

**Important Information:**
- Costumes will be worn by all cast members. Students need to bring their class uniform, performance tights, and shoes.
- Students should arrive with performance hair done and leotard and tights on underneath their street clothes.
- Students may not have any nail polish or jewelry on.

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<td>4:30-5:30 Warm up class and then into costume</td>
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**Friday, December 9th**

*DAY OFF*

**Saturday, December 10th**

*Full Ballet Run-Through Rehearsals at COLUMBIA DANCE*

**Important Information:**
- No costumes or performance hair for this rehearsal. Students can wear any leotard, and tights.

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<td>9:30-10:45 Class</td>
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**Sunday, December 11th**

*DAY OFF*
### Rehearsals/Performances at Skyview

**COMPANY**

#### Monday, December 12th

**Act 1 Spacing Rehearsal at THEATER**
- Students should be signed in at the stage door in street clothes with rehearsal clothes on underneath.
- No costumes or performance hair for this rehearsal. Students can wear any leotard, tights, and ballet slippers.
- Students must be signed out by a parent at the stage door before leaving the theater.

**CAST A & CAST B:**
- **Monday, December 13th:**
  - 4:30-5:45 Warm up AT COLUMBIA DANCE (party scene dancers should warm themselves up at the theater)
  - 5:30-7:00pm Party Scene both casts
  - 6:30-8:00pm Battle Scene both casts
  - 7:30-9:00pm Snow Scene both casts

#### Tuesday, December 13th and Wednesday, December 14th

**Tech/Dress Rehearsal at THEATER (PHOTOS TAKEN!)

- Students should be signed in at the stage door in street clothes, with performance hair, and their performance duffel bag.
- Students may not have any nail polish or jewelry on.
- Students must be signed out by a parent at the stage door before leaving the theater.

**CAST A**
- **Tuesday, December 13th:**
  - 2:45 Arrive
  - 3:00-3:45 Warm up on stage
  - 4:15 Start of Act 1 Dress Rehearsal
  - 6:20 Spacings of Act 2 pieces
  - 7:45 Start of Act 2 Dress Rehearsal
  - 10:00 Dismissed

**CAST B**
- **Tuesday, December 13th:**
  - 2:45 Arrive
  - 3:00-3:45 Warm up on stage
  - 4:15 Start of Act 1 Dress Rehearsal
  - 6:20 Spacings of Act 2 pieces
  - 7:45 Start of Act 2 Dress Rehearsal
  - 10:00 Dismissed

**Wednesday, December 14th:**
- 2:45 Arrive
- 3:00-3:45 Warm up on stage
- 4:15 Start of Act 1 Dress Rehearsal
- 6:20 Spacings of Act 2 pieces
- 7:45 Start of Act 2 Dress Rehearsal
- 10:00 Dismissed

#### Thursday, December 15th

**DAY OFF**

#### Friday, December 16th

**School Performances at the THEATER**
- Students should be signed in at the stage door in street clothes, with performance hair, and their performance duffel bag.
- Students may not have any nail polish or jewelry on.
- Students must be signed out by a parent at the stage door before leaving the theater.

**CAST A**
- **Friday, December 16th:**
  - 8:00am Arrive
  - 8:15-9:15 Company Class on stage
  - 10:00am Act 1 Performance
  - 12:00pm Act 1 Performance
  - 1:00 Act 2 Rehearsals
  - 2:30 Dismissed

**CAST B**
- **Friday, December 16th:**
  - 3:45pm Arrive
  - 4:00pm Company Class on stage
  - 6:00pm Performance
  - 7:00pm Dancers not in Act II dismissed
  - 8:00pm All dancers dismissed

#### Saturday, December 17th and Sunday, December 18th

**Public Performances at the THEATER**
- Students should be signed in at the stage door in street clothes, with performance hair, and their performance duffel bag.
- Students may not have any nail polish or jewelry on.
- Students must be signed out by a parent at the stage door before leaving the theater.
- Students not in Act II may leave at intermission (with parent/guardian) or remain backstage until the end of the show.
- On days when students have 2 performances, they can either remain at the theater and eat in the lunch room or leave for a quick break with their parent being sure to sign back in by the appointed time.

**CAST A**
- **Saturday, December 17th:**
  - 10:00am Arrive
  - 10:15-12:00 Class on stage
  - 1:00pm Performance
  - 3:00pm All dancers on break
  - 3:30pm Arrive back at theater if left on break
  - 5:00pm Performance
  - 7:00pm All dancers dismissed

**CAST B**
- **Saturday, December 17th:**
  - 10:00am Arrive
  - 10:15-12:00 Class on stage
  - 1:00pm Performance
  - 3:00pm All dancers on break
  - 3:30pm Arrive back at theater if left on break
  - 5:00pm Performance
  - 7:00pm All dancers dismissed

**Sunday, December 18th:**
- 10:00am Arrive
- 10:15-12:00 Class on stage
- 1:00pm Performance
- 3:00pm All dancers on break
- 3:30pm Arrive back at theater if left on break
- 5:00pm Performance
- 7:00pm All dancers dismissed