

CREO RECITAL 2024 - GOLD GALA

Progressive Grade 6+ & Accelerated Levels 3-4

What: Gold Gala

When: Gold Dress Rehearsal: Wednesday, June 5th 5:00-8:45pm
Gold Gala Performance: Saturday, June 8th 1:00pm

Where: Hopkins High School Auditorium
 2400 Royals Dr, Minnetonka, MN 55305

Who is Performing?: Level 3-4 and Grade 6+ classes, as follows:

CLASSES PERFORMING IN THE GOLD GALA	
<p>Ballet/Contemporary Grade 6+ Beg Ballet/Contemporary Grade 6+ Int/Adv (4P) Ballet/Contemporary Level 3 Contemporary Level 4 Faith-Based Ballet Grade 6+ Beg/Int Ballet Level 3 Ballet Level 4 *Pointe Beg - This class will also perform in the Diamond Gala *CCB Pathway - This class will also perform in the Young Children's Performance *CCB Ensemble Level 4-5 - This class will also perform in the Diamond Gala *CCB Ensemble Level 6-7 - This class will also perform in the Diamond Gala</p>	<p>Jazz Grade 6+ Beg/Int Jazz Grade 6+ Int/Adv (4P) Jazz Level 3 Jazz Level 4 Tap Int Tap Int/Adv Hip-Hop Grade 6+ *Hip-Hop Invitational - This class will also perform in the Diamond Gala *Pre-TEAM Hip-Hop - This class will also perform in the Diamond Gala *Modern Grade 6+ - This class will also perform in the Diamond Gala *Footprints (Spring) - This class will also perform in the Young Children's Performance</p>

GOLD GALA FINALE
<p>Gold Gala Finale - All Dancers! All dancers will learn finale material in their CREO classes. Please plan on the following rehearsals outside of class:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● In-Studio Finale Rehearsals: Saturdays, May 18 & June 1 from 8:00-9:00am. ● Theater Dress Rehearsal: Wednesday, June 5 (integrated within dress rehearsal call times) <p>*Multi-Recital dancers will <u>only</u> perform in the Finale dance for their "primary" performance. A dancer's primary performance is the recital that includes <u>most</u> of their classes.</p>

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GOLD/DIAMOND GALA FAMILY DANCE

Family Dance Information: REGISTER ON JACKRABBIT BY MAY 6

- This year we will again combine Gold & Diamond Gala casts - Plan to perform in both shows!
- Couples will be limited to one family member per dancer.

Family Dance Rehearsals

- Wednesdays May 8 & 22, from 7:30-8:30pm.
- Fridays May 17 & 31, from 6:30-7:30pm.
- **Dress Rehearsal:** Wednesday, June 5th from 6:15-7:45pm.
- **Gold Gala Performance:** Saturday, June 8th - Arrive at 12:15pm.
- **Diamond Gala Performance:** Saturday, June 8th - Arrive at 2:45pm.
- Plan to rehearse the Family dance on stage before the start of each gala

TICKETING INFORMATION

Recital Tickets (ShOvation.com)

For tickets and merchandise go to: tickets.shovation.com. Children age 3 and under do not need to purchase a ticket (may sit in parent/guardian lap).

Ticket Ordering Timeline

Graduating Senior Pre-Sale - Mon, April 22 - Sun, April 28

- A password will be e-mailed to you individually in order to access ticket sales at this time.
- Families of graduating seniors may purchase an unlimited number of tickets at this time.

Volunteer & Sponsor Pre-Sale - Mon, April 29 - Sun, May 5

- A maximum of **12 tickets per dancer** may be purchased by volunteers & sponsors for the Young Children's Performance, the Gold Gala, and the Diamond Gala. Due to the large number of dancers in our Silver Gala, a maximum of **6 tickets per dancer** may be purchased by volunteers & sponsors.
- A password will be e-mailed to you individually in order to access ticket sales at this time.

Family Pre-Sale - Mon, May 6 - Mon, May 20

- Tickets on sale for all CREO Families.
- A maximum of **12 tickets per dancer** may be purchased by families for the Young Children's Performance, the Gold Gala, and the Diamond Gala. Due to the large number of dancers in our Silver Gala, a maximum of **6 tickets per dancer** may be purchased by families.
- A password will be required to access ticket sales during Family Pre-Sale. This password will be *shared in weekly news and emailed to you the week of April 29th*.

General Sales - Tues, May 21 - Thurs, June 6

- Tickets on sale to the general public.
- Families may purchase an unlimited number of additional tickets at this time.

At the Door Sales - Fri, June 7 - Sat, June 8

- Remaining tickets for performances will be sold in person at dress rehearsals and on show day (until sold out).

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Ticket Pricing for Gold Gala

- **Regular Seating:** \$20 per ticket including taxes & fees
- **Premium Seating:** \$30 per ticket including taxes & fees

Multi-Show Discount Pricing

- Multi-Show Families will receive \$8 off of 4 tickets in their basket
- The discount code applies to seats in the **regular seating area only (not premium).**
- CREO defines a “multi-show family” in the following ways:
 - A family with multiple dancers performing in separate performances
 - A family with a single dancer whose pieces are not all included in one show.

MORE INFORMATION

Recital Volunteering

Our recitals are not possible without the help of our parents! A Sign-up Genius link will be available in the coming weeks through Weekly News!

Dance Year Keepsakes

- **Recital Tank: \$22 - Pre-orders due Mon, May 6**
 - An online order form will be available in the coming weeks through Weekly News.
 - Pre-orders will be available for pick up at dress rehearsal and recital.
- In order to comply with copyright laws, CREO will NOT be selling recital DVDs. Please enjoy recording your dancer’s performance on your own device. Please be mindful of visibility for patrons seated behind you while recording! *Flash photography is NOT allowed.*
- **Picture Day Orders:** Available for pickup at dress rehearsal and recital.

5 & 10-Year Awards

- If your dancer is dancing in their 5th or 10th recital they are eligible to receive their 5/10-year award! Please notify events@creodance.com by **Mon, May 6.**

Sponsorship/ Program Ads – Due Mon, May 6

- CREO would like to feature your business in our recital program! Sponsors are eligible to receive a variety of marketing perks – more information is available at creodance.com/sponsorship
- **Confirm with marketing@creodance.com by Mon, May 6.**

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GOLD GALA - DRESS REHEARSAL

Dress Rehearsal is **required for all dancers** to ensure preparedness for performance.

Wednesday, June 5

Please arrive prepared in hair & make-up ready to dance at the beginning of your call time!

Call Time: 5:00-7:45

Tap Int (M 5:15)
Jazz Level 4
Ballet/Contemporary Grade 6+ Int/Adv (4P)
Ballet Level 3
Footprints (Spring)
Ballet/Contemporary Level 3
Tap Int/Adv (M 6:00)
Hip-Hop Grade 6+
Jazz Level 3
Modern Grade 6+
Jazz Grade 6+ Beg/Int
Contemporary Level 4

Dancers please stay through the Finale rehearsal, (included within the call times).

Call Time: 6:15-7:45

Gold/Diamond Family Dance

Call Time: 6:15-8:45

Hip-Hop Invitational
Pointe Beg
Ballet/Contemporary Grade 6+ Beg
Ballet Level 4
Jazz Grade 6+ Int/Adv (4P)
CCB Pathway
Faith-Based Ballet Grade 6+ Beg/Int

Tuesday, June 6

5:00-6:00	CCB Ensemble Level 4-5
5:45-6:45	CCB Ensemble Level 6-7
5:30-6:30	Pre-TEAM Hip-Hop

GOLD GALA - SHOW DAY

Saturday, June 8

11:30am: Dancers arrive & Warm-up

12:15pm: Rehearse Gold/Diamond Family Dance and Gold Finale

12:40pm: Doors open for seating

1:00pm: Gold Gala begins!

Show Order:

Tap Int
Welcome
Jazz Level 4
Ballet/Contemporary Grade 6+ Int/Adv
Ballet Level 3
Footprints (Spring)
CCB Ensemble Level 6-7
Ballet/Contemporary Level 3
Tap Int/Adv (M 6:00)
Hip-Hop Grade 6+
Jazz Level 3
CCB Ensemble Level 4-5
Modern Grade 6+
Jazz Grade 6+ Beg/Int
Specialty Act
Contemporary Level 4
Intermission
Pointe Beg
Hip-Hop Invitational
Awards
Ballet/Contemporary Grade 6+ Beg
Ballet Level 4
Jazz Grade 6+ Int/Adv (4P)
Specialty Act
CCB Pathway
Faith-Based Ballet Grade 6+ Beg/Int
Specialty Act
Pre-TEAM Hip-Hop
Family Dance
Finale

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How does Dress Rehearsal Work?

- Dancers should arrive stage-ready with their first costume, performance undergarments, hair, and makeup at the start of their dress rehearsal call time.
- Dancers enter the theater and find the row designated for their class.
- Dancers who must change costumes quickly may leave their things in the dressing room backstage.
- A CREO Staff member will call dancers to the backstage area two dances before their turn to rehearse.
- Each dance has 7 minutes to rehearse on stage.
- When dancers are not changing, rehearsing on stage, or called to wait backstage, they should remain seated in the theater to reduce traffic in the dressing room where dancers will be changing.
- Remember to pack water and a healthy dinner or snacks if you have a long rehearsal night. Please eat in the designated eating areas. Be sure to protect your costume while you eat by wearing a large zip-up sweatshirt or button-down shirt.
- All dancers in the first call time must stay through Finale rehearsal.
- After your dancer has rehearsed all his/her dances (including Finale!!) they are dismissed unless otherwise notified!

How does Recital Work?

- Dancers may arrive in warm-up attire (CREO jacket, tank top, & leggings,) with their hair & make-up done.
- Dancers will be directed to drop their things in their dressing area (either the backstage dressing room OR the cafeteria) and then report to the stage to rehearse Family Dance and Finale.
- After rehearsing Family Dance and Finale, dancers are dismissed to their dressing areas to change into their first costume.
- Dancers who must change costumes quickly may set their quick-change costumes in the backstage quick-change area.
 - For dancers stationed in the cafeteria a quick change is defined as 3 or fewer dances to change.
 - For dancers stationed in the backstage dressing room a quick change is defined as 1 dance to change.
- Doors will open 20 minutes before the show begins!

Questions?

- In the weeks leading up to recital please direct recital questions to events@creodance.com
- On dress rehearsal and performance days, questions should be directed to the staff and volunteers stationed at the "Welcome Table."