

2025 Recital Information for Families

Please read through the detailed information carefully. It should provide the answers to any of your recital related questions. If you still have questions after reviewing you can reach Erin at info@danceworkskenora.com or by calling or texting 807-464-3666.

<u>IMPORTANT:</u> To provide enough audience capacity we are running two different recitals. Please pay extra attention when reviewing schedules and buying tickets. All events will take place at the Beaver Brae Theatre.

SHOW #1

Creative Movement, Dance Foundations, Ensemble & Student Choreography Solos

Please see the chart below for the schedule including arrival and pickup times.

Parents/guardians will sign their dancer in at the backstage dressing room upon arrival for dress rehearsal
and return to sign their dancer out at the end of the show. For safety reasons, these backstage spaces are
limited to the dancers and volunteers only.

Morning Dress Rehearsal - Saturday, May 10 - 9:15 am to 10:30 am - Beaver Brae Theatre

- Dress rehearsal is an opportunity to practice the performances in costume and on stage with lighting and tech cues before the actual show. Attendance is mandatory.
- Dancers will be able to sit in the theatre to watch other groups perform at dress rehearsal. To accommodate an expected sell out of the morning show we will also be selling a limited number of tickets to this rehearsal.

Morning Show - Saturday, May 10 - 11:00 am - Beaver Brae Theatre

- After dress rehearsal the dancers will return to the backstage dressing rooms with the volunteers. They will remain there while the audience arrives and for the duration of the show.
- Some snacks and activities are provided backstage. Dancers are encouraged to bring their own snacks (no nuts please!), a water bottle, and can bring books or other items to help pass the time.

SHOW #2

Primary, Junior, Intermediate, Senior, Ensemble & Student Choreography Duos

Please see the chart below for the schedule including arrival and pickup times.

 Dancers will sign in at the backstage dressing room upon arrival for each event and sign out at the end of the rehearsal/show. Dancers age 12 and under must be signed in/out by a parent or guardian. For safety reasons, the backstage spaces are limited to dancers and volunteers only.

Dress Rehearsal - Friday, May 9 - 5:00 pm to 9:00 pm - Beaver Brae Theatre

- Dress rehearsal is an opportunity to practice the performances in costume and on stage with lighting and tech cues before the actual show. Attendance is mandatory.
- We will run the dress rehearsal in a slightly adjusted order to allow earlier pickup for Primary dancers.
- Dancers will be able to sit in the audience and watch other groups perform at dress rehearsal. For safety reasons, volunteers and dancers will be the only ones allowed in the theatre for rehearsal.

Matinee & Evening Shows - Saturday, May 10 - Shows at 1:30 pm & 6:30 pm - Beaver Brae Theatre

- All Primary through Senior classes participate in both showtimes. Run time is approximately 90 minutes.
- Performers will remain in the backstage areas for the length of each show. All dancers will return to the stage for the curtain call at the end of the show.
- Some snacks and activities are provided backstage. Dancers are encouraged to bring their own snacks (no nuts please!), a water bottle, and can bring books or other items to help pass the time.

Tickets

Tickets are general admission and can be purchased online in advance at <u>danceworkskenora.com</u>. Doors open 30 minutes before showtime. Children under age 1 do not require a ticket but must be seated on a lap.

Priority access will be active from Tuesday, April 29 at noon until Saturday, May 3 at noon.

- Each family will receive a priority code, sent to the primary account contact, that allows for the purchase of up to 3 tickets (or 5 tickets for families with multiple dancers).
- Capacity is limited in the theatre and these performances typically sell-out. Our priority ticketing is set up to ensure each dance family has the opportunity to purchase tickets and see their dancer perform.
- Note: Accounts with a past due balance that have not already made payment arrangements with the studio will not be provided with a priority code for tickets.

Open ticket sales for unclaimed priority tickets and any remaining tickets will begin on May 3 at noon and run until Friday, May 9 at midnight on a first come, first served basis. Tickets at the door (cash only) as available.

Recital Video - Download & Streaming

The recital will be professionally filmed and will be available for streaming or download, through the online ticketing site, from May 23 at 5:00 pm to June 9 at 12 midnight. Reminder: Our all-inclusive pricing for 2025 includes one digital download for each dancer! Access to your free digital download will be sent to the primary account contact once the video is available online.

Costumes

Dancers will return their costume(s) and any costume accessories to the studio between May 12 to 25, 2025. For tracking purposes, costumes cannot be returned at recital.

Late costume returns, past the 2 week deadline, will result in a late return fee of \$30 for each costume. Unreturned or damaged costumes will result in a costume replacement fee of \$95 for each costume.

Volunteers Needed!

These events are only possible with the assistance of volunteers. Thank you in advance to those who volunteer your time and energy to ensure these events run smoothly and safely for everyone involved. If you are volunteering as a backstage supervisor, you are able to watch your dancer perform from the wings.

We are still looking to fill a few more volunteer roles, if you are available please contact Erin at info@danceworkskenora.com or by text at 807-464-3666 to sign-up. Note: We cannot run these shows without enough volunteers and may delay the start of priority ticket sales if these positions are not yet filled.

- Friday, May 9 Primary Dress Rehearsal Supervisor (2) 5:00 pm to 7:30 pm
- Saturday, May 10 Matinee Dressing Room Supervisor (5) 12:15 pm to 3:15 pm
- Saturday, May 10 Evening Dressing Room Supervisor (5) 5:15 pm to 8:15 pm
- Saturday, May 10 Door Tickets/Usher (2) 5:45 pm to 8:00 pm

Class Schedule Reminder:

This year our full-year classes continue through the spring. All Dance Foundations through Senior classes will be running on their regular schedule after recital until June 20. All Creative Movement level classes end with the recital performances and registration is open for a new 5 week mini-session from May 20 to June 20. Know someone that wants to try dance? Classes are open for new students to join in for the 5 week session.

Schedule

<u>Please plan to arrive no later than the call times listed below with all hair and makeup done.</u> Be mindful of weather conditions if dancer is wearing the costume in and out of the venue.

Costumes, hair, and makeup requirements for each class are in the <u>DWK 2025 Costumes</u>, <u>Hair & Makeup</u> note.

If an emergency or illness prevents participation please notify Erin by text at 807-464-3666.

DanceWorks Kenora 2025 Year-End Recital at Beaver Brae Theatre (entrance/parking on the east side)

Reminder: The morning show is different from the matinee and evening shows. Please read carefully.

Event	Classes Included	Call Time (Arrival)	Event Starts	End Time (Pick Up)
Friday, May 9				
SHOW #2 Dress Rehearsal *includes costume and performance hair/makeup	Primary Classes	5:15 pm	5:40 pm	7:15 pm
	Junior, Intermediate, Senior, Ensemble Classes	5:15 pm	5:40 pm	8:10 pm
	Show #1 - Jr/Sr Ensemble & Student Choreo Solos			8:45 pm
Saturday, May 10				
SHOW #1 Dress Rehearsal & Morning Show	Creative Movement Wednesday & Sunday Creative Movement & Ballet / Jazz / Tap Dance Foundations Tap / Ballet / Hip Hop	9:00 am	9:15 am Show Starts 11:00 am	12:00 pm
	Ensemble & Student Choreography Solos	8:45 am	9:15 am	12:00 pm
SHOW #2 Matinee Show	Intermediate, Senior, & Ensemble Classes	12:45 pm	1:30 pm	3:00 pm
	Primary & Junior Classes	1:00 pm	1:30 pm	3:00 pm
SHOW #2 Evening Show	Intermediate, Senior, & Ensemble Classes	5:45 pm	6:30 pm	8:00 pm
	Primary & Junior Classes	6:00 pm	6:30 pm	8:00 pm