



Irvine, CA Event Protocols and Restrictions For Attending Studios

*In these uncertain times, we are honored to be hosting an event where dancers have the opportunity to shine on stage! Please be aware that the following protocols and restrictions are going to be **strictly enforced** for the **safety and well-being** of **all studios as well as our team members**. Your Director will be reaching out to you prior to your attendance to discuss any details in regards to your scheduled performance time.*

GENERAL REMINDERS:

- Our competition's number ONE priority and ability to host an event for your dancers is solely based on the health and safety of all attendees. **Masks are required at all times by any person who enters the venue area. Any guest violating this requirement will be escorted off the premises. Please inform your families of the importance of complying with this rule!**
- Due to the strict COVID-19 venue restrictions, **there will be limited venue capacity.**
- ALL families must practice social distancing in all areas of the premises. (both inside and outside)

TEACHER WALKTHROUGH & CHECK-IN:

- **Studio owners and all teachers** please arrive **1 hour before** the first performance for a walkthrough of the venue explaining the layout of the area, direction of traffic, dressing rooms, etc.
- Please inform your **dancers and parents** to arrive no earlier than **30 mins before** their first scheduled performance time.
- **Limited Venue Capacity:** The Venue Capacity is based upon the number of dancers attending within that specific block you are competing in. The audience seating capacity is 175 Maximum and you must not go over that number, do not include dancers in that allotment. Please email me with the number of teachers and guests you plan on attending for occupancy approval so we can prepare your participation wristbands. (Studios must wait outside until the 30 mins prior to your studios block)
- It will be the studio's responsibility to disperse wristbands for each approved guest/teacher/dancer upon arrival. **EACH GUEST/TEACHER ENTERING THE BUILDING MUST HAVE A WRISTBAND.**
- **NOTE: SOME STUDIOS ARE IN A BLOCK WITH MULTIPLE STUDIOS TO HELP WITH COSTUME CHANGING ISSUES, THEREFORE, IT IS VERY IMPORTANT YOU SEND US YOUR ATTENDANCE NUMBERS FOR APPROVAL TO MAKE SURE WE DO NOT EXCEED THE 175 SEATING CAPACITY.** Please email to Kendra@dancekar.com

DRESSING ROOMS:

- There are dressing rooms available with limited capacity. Each dressing room can accommodate 20-30 people with social distance.

PERFORMANCE TIME:

- Please have dancers arrive in full first costume and ready to perform.
- **No rehearsal or running of performances is allowed in dressing rooms/holding areas.**
- Dancers may only remove masks for the live on set performances.
- Please make sure each dancer brings a ziploc bag **labeled with his/her name** for the mask to be placed in during performances.

- **Dancers must immediately put masks back on after the performance.**
- We request that your teachers enforce face coverings as well as assist with the flow of the dancers.

PROPS:

- Props are permitted for this venue.
- All props must go immediately in and out for each performance. No overnight storing of props.
- For larger props, please assign 2 adults to manage props.
- **These prop attendants are required to wear masks at all times on premises.**
- Please coordinate with the Director & backstage team to load props in and out of the venue.

AFTER PERFORMANCE:

- You will receive all of your general awards at the conclusion of your segment. There will be no in person awards ceremonies.
- We ask that all awards be distributed off the premises.
- All High Point, Photogenic and Title/Dancer of the Year awards will be shipped to your studio.
- The announcement of High Point awards will be on our youtube page Tuesday 8th at Noon PST.
- Score sheets and judges commentary will be available on Wednesday following the event in your Studio Center.