



## Forest Grove Dance Arts



## FOOTNOTES

October 2009

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Forest Grove Dance Arts **Crystal Logo Jackets** order forms are due by October 10. More details are available at the studio along with the crystal design.

We realize that the waiting area is very small. Loud conversations in the observation area of the waiting room are very distracting for students and teachers. Help each student get the most out of every class by visiting quietly and not crowding the door while class is in session. We appreciate your cooperation!

As we move into the second month, the instructors will be checking and correcting students who are not following our dress code. Please refer to our handbook for guidelines. Proper attire allows teachers to observe and correct posture and positioning and allows students to move freely and safely.

### DRESS CODE

**Creative Movement:** Pink tights, pink leather ballet shoes, any color leotard, hair in a BUN or PONYTAIL.

**Boys:** Black pants or shorts, solid color t-shirt. No Denim.

**Pre-Tap:** May go with Creative Movement or Tap's dress code.

**Pre-Ballet, Ballet:** Pink tights, pink ballet shoes, BLACK leotard, BLACK skirt, hair in a BUN.

**Tap, Jazz, Hip Hop Jazz, and Irish:** Black jazz pants, SOLID COLOR leotard or FGDA t-shirt or close fitted SOLID COLOR t-shirt, black tap or jazz shoes, hair in a PONYTAIL.

**Acrobatics and Tumbling:** Must wear a LEOTARD and have HAIR UP for spotting purposes. May wear shorts over leotard or tights with ballet shoes. Please no skirts!

**Hip Hop:** Modest comfortable active wear (no midriff showing).

***A Chance to Dance:*** On December 5, 2009, at 1:00pm our advanced students will be showcasing their talent at the Senior Center. The classes will be dancing to holiday songs to spread Christmas cheer to senior citizens from the Forest Grove area.

**BALLET FOREST GROVE,** our nonprofit ballet company, will be performing Excerpts from the Nutcracker on December 12, 1:00 & 7:00, at the Forest Grove High School Performing Arts Center. Please support our ballet company and come and enjoy our performance! Tickets go on sale at the UPS Store October 26-31 for performer's families and November 2 to the public. Tickets are \$8.00 a seat. Nutcracker Rehearsals are Friday December 11, Show I, 5:00-6:15 and Show II 7:00-8:15. Please look to the BFG bulletin board for show divisions and more information.

**As a reminder, we will have classes on Saturday, October 31<sup>st</sup>.**