

SCBT BACKSTAGE POLICIES AT THE CIVIC AUDITORIUM

CALL TIMES at the Civic Auditorium are different for different roles. Please check the schedule carefully by day according to role and cast. If the rehearsal is specifically for Cast A or Cast B, the other cast does not attend.

DANCERS MUST BE SIGNED IN AT THE THEATER BY THEIR SPECIFIED CALL TIME. This gives us time to make sure everyone is present, and to contact an alternate if necessary. Dancers who are not present or who do not sign in on the Sign In Sheet at the backstage entrance by the specified time **WILL BE REPLACED** in the rehearsal or performance. Allow plenty of time for parking and **DO NOT** park in a Reserved space unless your name is on it.

Wednesday and Thursday Dress Rehearsals **REQUIRE ALL ACCESSORIES, MAKEUP AND HAIRDOS AS IN A PERFORMANCE.** Dancers will participate in spacing rehearsals on these days and **MAY NOT LEAVE THE THEATER ONCE THEY HAVE SIGNED IN.** This is for their safety and protection.

Dancers will need to bring rehearsal attire to the theater both Wednesday and Thursday for spacing rehearsals, which includes technique shoes. **BRING EASY ON/OFF SOCKS OR SLIPPERS** to cover performance shoes backstage. Legwarmers, sweatshirts and sweatpants are okay — **NO PAJAMAS OR STREET CLOTHES ONSTAGE** at any time. The only exception to this is Party Parents may wear street clothes **WITH THEIR PERFORMANCE SHOES** for spacing rehearsals.

STAGE MAKEUP IS NOT ALLOWED OUTSIDE THE THEATER. Bring makeup remover with you. Apply makeup at the theater. The backstage area will be cleared of people who are **NOT** volunteers for any given day at half-hour call (30 minutes prior to Dress Rehearsal start or Performance curtain time).

Please equip your child with a quiet activity. Noise-making devices must be switched completely off at half-hour call (30 minutes prior to Dress Rehearsal start or Performance time) and remain off during Dress Rehearsals and Performances. Cell phones will be silenced at half-hour call.

NO GUM. NO FAST FOOD. NO COLORED DRINKS. Sugar affects your child's ability to concentrate. These rehearsal days will be long and demanding. Please clear your schedule from distractions.

THE KITCHEN IS OFF-LIMITS BEGINNING AT HALF-HOUR CALL (30-minutes prior to Dress Rehearsal start or Performance time). No dancers at the kitchen window at any time during a Dress Rehearsal or Performance *ever*. If the Dressers feel our very young dancers may need a snack during the performance, they may select carefully and save some things aside for your charges. The food is for dancers and musicians. If you are a volunteer who is backstage for a considerable amount of time and there is enough food, you may eat after dancers and musicians are finished.

VOLUNTEERS ARE ASKED TO KEEP THE KITCHEN WINDOW CLEAR FOR THE ORCHESTRA MEMBERS AT HALF-HOUR CALL AND DURING INTERMISSION.

Parents and children (including cast members) are **NOT ALLOWED** in the auditorium during spacing or orchestra rehearsals.

Thank you for your cooperation and your support of this production!