

COVID-19 mitigation strategies we will be employing

Dear RPDA Families: We are excited to announce that per the Governor's order, we will be allowed to re-open our studio.

We are taking every precaution and are following the strict guidelines mandated by the order. Our operating and safety protocols will be outlined below.

We encourage each of you to assess your own comfort levels and risk factors before making the decision to return to the studio. Our community's health and safety are our number one priority and we urge you to take whatever personal precautions you need to, including staying home.

We will be offering our Super Summer Splash dance classes and camps July 6-30. Our younger dancers should be guided by a parent, as they have difficulty following social distancing protocol. Here is a breakdown of what returning to the dance studio will look like, including RPDA safety and sanitation protocols in compliance with the CDC recommendations and all official state and county orders:

What WE are doing before you get to the studio (general measures to reduce exposure):

- RPDA will restrict the number of students allowed in the dance studio at one time.
- Class sizes have been reduced to no more than 10 people and tape will be placed to ensure appropriate spacing according to social distancing guidelines (min 6 ft.).
- Sanitizing spray and hand sanitizer will be available throughout the studio. All dancers must use sanitizer upon entering each classroom and before leaving. Bathrooms will be stocked with hand soap for washing hands.
- Class formats have been adjusted so there is no shared equipment. Therabands and Acro classes will not be taught this summer.
- Extra time will be taken between our classes to allow for thorough sanitation of all equipment and surfaces.
- Staff will disinfect all common surfaces (e.g., door knobs, counter surfaces, barres, stereo equipment) before and after every class; when classes are not in session, they will perform disinfection of common surfaces every hour.
- All dancers will be verbally screened by RPDA staff members for the following symptoms prior to entering the premises: headache, sore throat, fever, dry cough, recent inability to taste or smell, shortness of breath, body aches, fatigue, diarrhea, vomiting, abdominal pain.
- All staff must comply with social distancing and hand-washing protocols and will refrain from entering the building if they are experiencing any of the pre-screen symptoms listed above.
- All RPDA protocols and appropriate signage will be posted at entrances and throughout the studio.

What it looks like for YOU when you attend the studio or a class (Protocol for Dancers):

- All dancers will be verbally screened by RPDA staff members for symptoms prior to entering the premises.
- We also request members limit the amount of personal items brought into the dance studio. Please limit yourself to a small cinch bag with appropriate dance shoes. This is to avoid bringing further outside contaminants into the facility.
- Use of drinking fountain will be prohibited. Dancers are allowed to bring multiple water bottles, but will not be allowed to fill them from water sources within the facility. Snacks will not be sold.
- Dancers will not share equipment during classes.
- Dancers must wash hands after blowing their nose, sneezing, coughing or using restrooms. Sanitize hands before and after each class.
- Dancers are expected to adhere to instructions provided with respect to social distancing.
- No parents allowed to come into the facility unless children are 6 years or younger. We will have outside drop-off/pick-up procedures.

Note: We will continue to offer online Zoom classes and use beneficial Apps for students to continue their dance education outside the studio.



Rhythm Pointe Dance Academy will be offering a magical Frozen 2 Dance Camp for ages 4-8! Boys and girls may sign up for camp and "Let it Go" while dancing to the tunes of Frozen. We will do a craft each day and explore the world of Arendelle!

- NEW BOYS DANCE FOR FREE AT RPDA (you only pay a \$15.00 registration fee for classes)! PREVIOUS MALE STUDENTS DANCE FOR \$10.00 PER CLASS PER MONTH.
- L/J/T – Leaps, Jumps and Turns Class
- Classes need 5 or more students enrolled in the class to keep it open (unless special permission is granted).
- TA – Teen/Adult Class
- TR – Teacher Recommended
- I – Beginner Level
- I/II or ½ - Advanced Beginner Level
- II or 2 – Intermediate Level
- III or 3 – Int Advanced-Advanced Level
- 4 or Adv – Advanced Level
- Grade I Ballet – approximately 3 years experience needed
- Grade II Ballet or higher – Must have passed Grade I or Teacher Recommendation

2020 Summer Tuition Rates

30 minute class - \$34.00

45 minute class - \$40.00

60 minute class - \$45.00

Summer Family Max Prices

1 Child Family Max - \$200.00

2 Child Family Max - \$265.00

3 Child Family Max - \$325.00

Summer Registration Fee

\$15.00 Fall Single Student Reg Fee

\$20.00 Fall Family Registration Fee

NOTE: CAMPS, BALLROOM & BOYS PROMO NOT INCLUDED IN FAMILY MAX FEES

ALL Private Lessons based on Teacher availability (Company & Non-Company Dancers) 30 min Private - \$35.00 cash

Please remember that tuition is due prior to dancing in first class. There will be a \$35.00 charge for all returned checks. We do not pro-rate classes. If you miss a class you may make it up in another class. (Please inform the teacher on the day of makeup.) You cannot receive credit for a class not attended. All Registration fees are non-refundable.