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## **SHOW 2024**

Our school show has now been booked and is being held at Charter Hall in Colchester on the dates detailed below. Rehearsals for Senior School will start in November and all classes will involve show work after Christmas. The show is open to all students of the school including all Tots and Adult Tap classes. It is not compulsory to perform, however with the exception of the Tots/primary classes, all classes from January 2024 will involve show rehearsals. If for any reason you do not want to take part or cannot take part then please inform Jane or Jo as soon as possible. Students who do not take part will be unable to attend class during summer term (April to July 2024) but will be welcome to return to the school in September 2024. Senior students (grade 4 and above) who cannot take part in the show then please speak with Miss Jane or Jo to discuss when is best to stop and re start lessons.

As usual we will hold a spacing rehearsal and a photo call during May/June, it is important that you attend these rehearsals for the chance to rehearse with the rest of the school. A rehearsal charge of £15 per student is required which is added to the costume deposit, full details of these along with the procedure letter and costume letters will all be sent out before Easter 2024.

For those of you unfamiliar with the procedure for costumes, students are required to hire or buy the costumes from the school. To keep the costs as minimal as possible we subsidise the cost and, in many cases, especially with accessories, we loan these without cost to the students. Detailed costume lists are sent out before Easter with information on everything students will need however in order for us to start fittings/ordering of materials we require a deposit of £ 25 for all students (with the exception of adult tap).

Please be aware that we try to keep the cost of each costume to around £ 25 per costume with the exception of senior tutus which have to be made to order and are therefore more expensive.

Therefore a £40 non-refundable deposit is due by 1st November please.

## **Information for parents of Tots**

Due to licencing laws, Tots can only perform in the matinee.

All Tots will be required for the Friday rehearsal night but will be finished by 7pm.

All other classes from primary onwards must perform in both shows.

## **IMPORTANT DATES**

Spacing Rehearsal Stanway Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> May 2024 Photo Call Rehearsal Stanway Sunday 16th June 2024

**Charter Hall** 

Dress Rehearsal Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June from approx. 4.30pm Show Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June from approx. 1pm (Matinee & Evening performance)