

Keshet's 2024 Spring Concert Student Information Sheet (ages 9-Adult)

The Keshet 2024 Spring Concert will be presented at the Keshet Dance and Center for the Arts on **Friday, May 17th at 6:30 pm and Saturday, May 18th at 6:30 pm.**

There is ONE cast for the Spring Concert. There will be 2 rehearsals and 2 performances.

There are two ways to participate in Keshet's Spring Concert:

1. Keshet Class: Talk to your teacher to see if your class will be creating a piece.
 - Fill out and submit the ONLINE Participation form at <https://keshetarts.org/get-involved/> by **May 1st.**
 - Attend the FULL rehearsals and performances for the Spring Concert in addition to your regular class times.
2. Student Choreography: Submitting one piece of your own choreography
 - In order to submit your own choreography, please submit the Choreography Submission Form by **March 31st.** These forms can be found at the front desk and on the Call Board.
 - Attend the FULL rehearsals and performances for the Spring Concert

Rehearsal/Performance Schedule

In order to participate in the Spring Concert, you must be able to attend both the FULL rehearsals and performances for your cast.

Wednesday, May 15th:

- 4:30 pm-5:30 pm – Costume Call (if you need to borrow a costume)
- 5:30 pm-8:30 pm – Tech and Dress Rehearsal

Thursday, May 16th:

- 5:30 pm-8:30 pm – Final Tech and Dress Rehearsal

Friday, May 17th:

- 5:00 pm – *Optional Warm Up*
- 5:30 pm – Dancer call
- 6:30 pm – Performance

Saturday, May 18th:

- 5:00 pm – *Optional Warm Up*
- 5:30 pm – Dancer call
- 6:30 pm – Performance

Feel free to reach out to Laura Orozco Garrett at Laura@KeshetArts.org if you have any questions.

The costume for this class is: _____

Purchasing items for your costume is not expected and is not required. If you do not have the costume requested, let us know, we will find you something! See below for more information about how to borrow a costume from Keshet.

Spring Concert Tickets will go on sale April 5th, 2024. To purchase your tickets visit keshetarts.org. If you have any questions, reach out to the Box Office at boxoffice@keshetarts.org.

Other Important Winter Concert info:

Please pack:

- **Costume.** Bring costume to the first day of Tech rehearsal to leave at Keshet through the final performance. Please check with your student's teacher if you are unsure what their costume is. Please clearly label your costume with your dancer's name. Hair should be off the face, and jewelry should not be worn. No fingernail or toenail polish, please. If you need assistance in providing a costume, please fill out a Costume Slip at the Front Desk with a \$10 fully refundable costume deposit and contact Diana MacNeil at costumes@keshetarts.org. Deposits must be in the form of cash or check.
- **Masks:** To prevent the spread of seasonal viruses, we will be requiring everyone to wear a mask in dressing rooms. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.
- **Healthy snacks and a water bottle.** A microwave will be available for students, and breaks will be provided. Please avoid bringing snacks with nuts in them.
- **Quiet Activity.** Please bring a quiet activity to engage in whenever dancers are not on stage. We ask you to not bring cell phones, laptops, iPads, or other expensive equipment. Time backstage is a technology-free zone!

Notes for the performance:

- **Multi-Generational Dressing Rooms.** Dressing rooms backstage are an opportunity for mentorship and learning new things from dancers of ALL AGES. Performers will be assigned to a dressing room and may be paired with performers of different age groups. This is a great opportunity for mentorship and for connecting with others in their Keshet community!
- **Tickets.** Tickets will go on sale April 5th, 2024. Tickets may be purchased either in person at the front desk, by phone (505) 224-9808, or online (keshetarts.org). All of our tickets are available on a sliding scale. All ticket proceeds will benefit the Keshet Dance Company scholarship fund.
- **Backstage.** Parents are NOT allowed backstage. Dancers will have plenty of help from Keshet staff backstage during rehearsals and performances. With that, please plan on picking up your dancer at the performance in the Bay Area adjacent to the theater.
- **Stage:** The Spring Concert will be held at the Keshet Center for the Arts Black Box Performance Space.

Please, let us know if you have any questions or concerns. We are so excited to have your student dance with us.