

PBC THEATRE & DRESS REHEARSAL ETIQUETTE

DRESS REHEARSAL IS VERY IMPORTANT FOR THE DANCERS AND CHOREOGRAPHERS TO GET THEIR ONSTAGE WORK DONE.

Parents, please **do not communicate with your students when they are onstage with their Instructors** - the Instructors are trying to give direction and constructive criticism to the dancers that is essential to the final execution, placement, and artistry of the choreography. **PLEASE DO NOT INTERRUPT THE PROCESS, THERE ARE SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS BEING GIVEN OUT!**

Parents & Students Please Remember:

- ◆ Please follow the Ushers directions. They are volunteering to ensure a safe and pleasant environment for you and your dancer.
- ◆ Please leave the theatre immediately at the end of the performance. You can then line up in the lobby if you choose to take photos in the photo area provided.
- ◆ Please do not get up during the performance while others are dancing because you will then be in our Performance Video. If you need to exit before the end of the show, please do so in between the dances (**DO NOT USE THE CENTER AISLE**). The students have worked all year for their precious time on stage, and they deserve your best attention.
- ◆ **No food or beverages in the auditorium.** (This is an extremely important request. If we violate this rule, we will not be able to return next year.)
- ◆ Please bring your dancer with proper stage makeup and **NO undergarment straps showing please!**
- ◆ Hair properly secured with gel and hairspray for all onstage dress rehearsals.
- ◆ **NO VIDEOTAPING OR FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY OF THE PERFORMANCES IS ALLOWED.** This is distracting to other patrons. Dress Rehearsal is the only opportunity to take personal photos and video of your dancer onstage.
- ◆ Professional lighting reduces dancers' facial features. Please bring dancers with proper stage makeup to enhance their features for the audience and the Performance Video.

Stage Makeup Includes:

**Bright Eyes
Red Lipstick
Blush
Mascara
Matte skin tone foundation**

Thank you for helping to make this Gala a truly Memorable Event for our dancers!