

TRILOGY DANCE CO. 2011-2012 SEASON INFORMATION

LARGE GROUPS:

There will be a Question and Answer Meeting held at the studio on 5/20 at 6:00pm. Each dancer new to Trilogy who is interested in auditioning must have a parent attend this meeting. The meeting is optional for returning Trilogy members. In order to help dancers prepare for auditions, there will be optional Audition Preparation classes held at the studio on 5/20. The Mini Audition class will be from 6:30-7:30pm and the fee is \$10. The Junior and Senior Audition class will be from 7:30-9:00pm and the fee is \$15.

All dancers are required to audition at the studio for the Trilogy Age Division they qualify for (as listed below):

Dancers who are 14 years old or older as of 01/01/12 will audition as a Senior
Dancers who are 11 to 13 years old as of 01/01/12 will audition as a Junior
Dancers who are 10 years old and under as of 01/01/12 will audition as a Mini

In addition to their required audition, Junior and Senior dancers may also audition for the next youngest or oldest Age Division. Sign up at the studio no later than May 27 for the Age Division(s) you will be auditioning for. When signing up, Juniors and Seniors must turn in a one-page resume listing their performance experience. Audition dates and times are as follows:

Minis	6/03	7:00pm to 8:00pm
Seniors	6/04	12:30pm to 2:00pm
Juniors	6/04	2:30pm to 4:00pm

Please bring Ballet, Jazz and Hip Hop clothing and shoes for the audition. Audition only if you are willing to commit to being a Trilogy member by signing a contract outlining the requirements. Arrive at least one-half hour prior to the audition start time to check in and warm up. Auditions will begin promptly and once doors are closed, no one will be allowed in. The audition is closed to everyone except the dancers participating who arrive on time. No one is allowed to observe.

There will be an Orientation Meeting held at the studio on 6/10 from 6:30pm to 7:30pm. All dancers who qualify for the 2011-2012 Trilogy Dance Co. must attend with at least one of their parents. **All new Trilogy members will bring a certified copy of their birth certificate to the orientation meeting for Trilogy's records.** New members will be required to purchase a uniform in August for approximately \$100 to be worn to all Trilogy functions. **Uniform payments must be paid by check only made out to Trilogy Dance Co.** Makeup will be purchased as instructed by September.

Minis will be performing two large group routines and will be required to attend one Convention, one in-house Workshop, three Competitions, the Trilogy Showcase and the Turning Pointe Recital in the Seattle/Tacoma area. Juniors will be performing three large group routines and will be required to attend two Regional Conventions, one in-house Workshop, two Competitions, the Trilogy Showcase and the Turning Pointe Recital in the Seattle/Tacoma area. Seniors will be performing three large group routines and will be required to attend two Regional Conventions, one in-house Workshop, one Competition, the Trilogy Showcase and the Turning Pointe Recital in the Seattle/Tacoma area. In addition, Seniors will be required to attend a Nationals Convention out of state during the summer of 2012. Nationals will be an Optional Event for Mini and Junior members. All Trilogy members agree to attend all required events. If member is under 16 years old, one of their parents will attend all required and optional events with them.

During the school year (September through June), members will attend required weekly classes at Turning Pointe Dance Centre. Minis in Beginning levels will attend one ballet, one jazz, one hip hop and the weekly group rehearsal class. Minis in Level 1 or higher will attend two ballet, one jazz, one hip hop and the weekly group rehearsal class. Juniors and Seniors will attend two ballet, two jazz/lyrical, one hip hop and the weekly group rehearsal class. The weekly large group rehearsal class fee will be added on as an extra class to member's studio class tuition (September through June). It is recommended that members try to take an additional technical class each week (such as Open Ballet, Open Contemporary or Turns and Progressions) if possible. Extra rehearsals will only be called if absolutely necessary. If an extra rehearsal is called, members are required to attend. There will be fees due to the studio for any extra group rehearsals.

Members agree to participate in all recital routines associated with their required classes. Recital costume fees are paid to the studio for these classes. When possible, costumes are coordinated or shared between similar classes (for example, the two weekly Ballet classes share a costume and the two weekly Jazz/Lyrical classes coordinate their costume pieces).

LARGE GROUPS (Continued):

At times there will be additional Trilogy functions that members and at least one of their parents will be required to attend, such as fund-raising events, exhibition performances, parades, parties, makeup/hair seminar, etc. Each member's parent(s) will be required to donate time to help with travel and party coordination, errands, fund raising, shopping, costumes, public relations, big sisters/little sisters, yearbook, makeup, hair, etc. Member's family will not be required to work at and/or donate gifts or services for the annual Trilogy Showcase. The Trilogy Showcase proceeds will be used for an in-house workshop, bringing in teachers from Los Angeles and New York to teach master classes at Turning Pointe one weekend during the season that all Trilogy members will attend.

From June through May, Trilogy membership fees will be paid each month to cover expenses such as group routine costume fees, convention and group entry fees at required events, music edits, Trilogy functions, administrative costs, etc. For those members with convention scholarships for required events, scholarship credits will be applied to member's account at the beginning of June, 2012. The large group monthly membership fees are due on the first of each month and will be:

Minis	\$100/month
Juniors	\$125/month
Seniors	\$175/month

All Trilogy members are required to attend a one-week Dance Intensive Camp and a one-week Choreography Camp at Turning Pointe Dance Centre during the summer of 2011 as follows:

MINI REQUIRED CAMPS:

Large Group Choreography	8/01-8/05	11:00am to 03:30pm	\$175 camp fee*	Due by 6/10
B3-L2 Well Rounded Dance Intensive	8/08-8/12	10:00am to 02:30pm	\$175 camp fee*	Due by 7/01

JUNIOR REQUIRED CAMPS:

L3-4 Well Rounded Dance Intensive	8/15-8/19	10:00am to 04:30pm	\$275 camp fee*	Due by 6/10
Large Group Choreography	8/22-8/26	01:30pm to 08:00pm	\$275 camp fee*	Due by 7/01

SENIOR REQUIRED CAMPS:

Large Group Choreography	8/15-8/19	10:00am to 04:30pm	\$275 camp fee*	Due by 6/10
L4-6 Well Rounded Dance Intensive	8/22-8/26	10:00am to 04:30pm	\$275 camp fee*	Due by 7/01

***Discounted camp fee for Trilogy members only.**

The June Trilogy membership fee and the first Camp fee will be due at the orientation meeting on June 10. The July Trilogy membership fee and the second Camp fee will be due no later than July 1. All payments can be paid by credit card or check made out to Turning Pointe Dance Centre. TRILOGY MEMBERSHIP, CLASS TUITION, CAMP, COSTUME AND UNIFORM FEES WILL NOT BE PRORATED AND ARE ALWAYS NONREFUNDABLE, EVEN FOR EXCUSED ABSENCES.

SMALL GROUPS:

Within the Mini, Junior and Senior divisions, small groups will be performed. Mini, Junior and Senior dancers have the option to sign up to audition to be a member of small group routines. Auditions for small groups will be held during the audition times noted on the previous page. **DANCER MUST AUDITION FOR LARGE GROUPS IN ORDER TO AUDITION FOR SMALL GROUP ROUTINES.** Sign up at the studio no later than May 27 to audition for small group routines.

Minis will be performing one small group routine. Juniors and Seniors will be performing up to three small group routines each. All members are required to attend all rehearsals. Small group routines will be performed at all required events. The Director will determine which routines will be entered at each required event.

IN ADDITION TO THE REQUIREMENTS LISTED FOR THE LARGE GROUP DIVISIONS, SMALL GROUP MEMBERS ARE ALSO REQUIRED TO:

Sign up for and attend the small group rehearsal class. This class will be added as an additional class to the member's studio class tuition. During the school year (September through June) Mini small group members are required to take a lyrical class each week at Turning Pointe Dance Centre, in addition to the classes required for large group members.

From June through May, membership fees will be paid to Turning Pointe Dance Centre each month to cover Trilogy small group routine costume and required event entry and workshop fees, music edits, etc. The small group monthly membership fee is due on the first of each month and is \$25 per small group routine the member is performing in per month. For example, a member in one small group routine would pay an additional \$25/month for the small group routine; a member in two small group routines would pay an additional \$50/month for the two small group routines, etc.

Routines will be choreographed during the following Choreography Camp sessions:

Mini Small Group	8/15-8/19	05:00pm to 07:00pm	\$ 85 camp fee	Due by 7/1
Junior Small Groups	8/15-8/19	05:00pm to 08:00pm	\$125 camp fee	Due by 7/1
Senior Small Groups	8/22-8/26	05:00pm to 08:00pm	\$125 camp fee	Due by 7/1

These fees are in addition to the large group fees. The June Trilogy small group membership fee will be due at the orientation meeting June 10. The July Trilogy small group membership fee and the Choreography Camp fees will be due no later than July 1. All payments can be paid by credit card or check made out to Turning Pointe Dance Centre. TRILOGY MEMBERSHIP, CLASS TUITION, CAMP, COSTUME AND UNIFORM FEES WILL NOT BE PRORATED AND ARE ALWAYS NONREFUNDABLE, EVEN FOR EXCUSED ABSENCES.

SOLO/DUO/TRIO ROUTINES:

The Trilogy Director(s) will decide which members are ready to perform solo, duo and/or trio routines. These types of routines will be performed at the Showcase and Optional Events. Dancers performing Solo, Duo and/or Trio routines are required to attend a half hour private lesson every other week for each routine they are in. Each Member's parent will be responsible for completing the registration paperwork and paying for all solo, duo and/or trio routine entries at Optional Events themselves.