



Rainbow Grand Rapids Event **Protocols and Restrictions For Attending Studios**

*In these uncertain times, we are honored to be hosting an event where dancers have the opportunity to shine on stage! Please be aware that the following protocols and restrictions are going to be **strictly enforced** for the **safety and well-being** of **all studios as well as our team members**. Your Director will be reaching out to you prior to your attendance to discuss any details in regards to your scheduled performance time.*

GENERAL REMINDERS:

- Our competition's number ONE priority and ability to host an event for your dancers is solely based on the health and safety of all attendees. **Masks are required at all times by any person who enters the venue area. Any guest violating this requirement will be escorted off the premises. Please inform your families of the importance of complying with this rule!**
- **Dancers may NOT remove their masks while performing.**
- Live stream feed of all performances will be provided for your families' viewing pleasure.
<https://rainbowdance.com/virtual-competition/theater>
- Once your schedule has been set as final, it cannot be changed at the event.
- ALL families must practice social distancing in all areas of the premises. (both inside and outside)
- Waivers are required for all guests to enter the building

TEACHER WALKTHROUGH & CHECK-IN:

- **Studio owners and all teachers** please arrive **1 hour before** the first performance for a walkthrough of the venue explaining the layout of the area, direction of traffic, dressing rooms, and to pick up the studios wristbands for dancers, staff and approved number of guests that will be in the attendance.
- Please inform your **dancers and parents** to arrive **no earlier than 30 minutes** before their scheduled performance time and will be assigned a parking lot to help ease congestion.
- **The following will be required for every individual entering the venue area:**
 - **Completed Health Waiver - Please note there are 2 different waivers:**
 - **Rainbow Health Waiver Adult**
 - **Rainbow Health Waiver Minor**
 - **Please inform your dancers, teachers and chaperones that their waiver should be in-hand upon check-in. This will make the check in process much easier and quicker for your dancers to get into the venue and begin warming up.**

LIMITED VENUE CAPACITY:

- The theater capacity is based upon the number of available seats per social distancing guidelines. **There are a maximum of 175 seats available in the auditorium and each dancer can have no more than 1 guest with them. Even if you are under the max capacity the venue is only allowing 1 guest per dancer.** Parents can share their wristbands by exiting the building and giving the wrist band to another parent to re-enter the building with a completed waiver.
- No more than 80 dancers can be in the venue at one time.

- Please email me with the **names of your teachers, 2 prop attendants and number of guests not to exceed 175** that you plan on having in attendance for occupancy approval so we can prepare your participation wristbands. Please email to cierra@dancekar.com no later than April 26.

DRESSING ROOMS:

- Dressing rooms are available and will be limited in the number of dancers per dressing room. The venue will be assigning dressing rooms, dressing room assignments will be sent to you next week.
- Please exit the dressing rooms as quickly as possible to allow for cleaning and sanitizing between studios.

PERFORMANCE TIME:

- After check-in, dancers will drop off any bags to the dressing rooms and report to the initial Holding Area.
- Please have dancers arrive in full first costume and ready to perform.
- **No rehearsal or running of performances is allowed in the Holding Area.** This room should be used for stretching and preparing the dancers to be called to the stage.
- Dancers may NOT remove masks for the live on stage performances.
- We request that your teachers enforce face coverings as well as assist with the flow of the dancers from holding areas to the stage.

RESTROOMS:

- Are available to attendees, staff, audience members and dancers.

PROPS:

- Props are permitted for this venue however the space is extremely limited. IF YOU HAVE PROPS, PLEASE BE SURE TO INDICATE PROP ON YOUR PERFORMANCES IN YOUR STUDIO CENTER.
- All props must go immediately in and out for each performance through the front entrance.
- **Prop attendants are required to wear masks at all times on premises and must check in with a waiver.**
- No more than 2 prop assistants may help with props per studio.

AFTER PERFORMANCE:

- You will receive all of your general awards at the conclusion of your segment.
- We ask that all awards be distributed in the parking lot or off the premises.
- All High Point, Photogenic and Title/Dancer of the Year awards will be shipped to your studio.
- The announcement of High Point awards will be on Sunday, May 2 approximately 1.5 hours after the last performances via Virtual LiveStream. <https://rainbowdance.com/virtual-competition/theater>
- Score sheets and judges commentary will be available upon the conclusion of the on Wednesday following the event in your Studio Center.