

COVID GUIDELINES

The past few months we have spent learning about Covid-19 and what the best strategies are for staying safe. We are actively monitoring the situation for any new information through WHO and CDC, as well as our local and state authorities.

We always strive for exceptionally high standards regarding our classes and performances, and just as importantly our cleanliness and safety too. Even prior to Covid-19, we provided a hand sanitizing station, but will have multiple stations in our studios for your convenience, and peace of mind. Now you will see a station everywhere you look!

Signage is posted everywhere to help remind everyone to social distance whenever possible. Our restrooms are single use, and we will be cleaning them frequently throughout each day of classes. We will be relying on parents to inform their children on safe procedures, to include frequent hand washing, no touching their face or nose, and certainly no touching their fellow dancer's face or nose, or holding hands or hugging unless they are siblings.

Upon entering our studios, in accordance with CDC & state guidelines as well as our own stringent measures, we have implemented the following safety protocols.

- **Temperature Checks:** A parental temperature check should be done before classes, and if a student has a temperature of 100.4°F or above they must stay at home and take their class by Zoom.
- **Masks:** A secured mask or facial covering is required as you enter and exit the building. Students will go to their assigned bar (chair) in the studio. When class begins if a student has trouble breathing, they may place their mask on their chair with their belongings. If they need to use the restroom they must put their mask back on to and from the bathroom.
- **Entering and Exiting:** Please notice the entering and exit protocols for both of our locations:
Front Royal – Enter from the back door near the alley and parking of Good Shepherd Lutheran Church, one student/family at a time. Students then exit through the side door leading to Good Shepherd's courtyard where they will be picked up after class. There will be well marked signs.
Fort Valley – Enter from the garage door, down the hall, and go straight up the stairs to the studio, one student/family at a time. Student/family will then exit through the front studio door. There will be well marked signs.
- Please follow social distancing wherever possible by staying at least 6 feet from others.

We remain committed as always to providing you, your family, and friends with a safe experience to give you the most confidence that we have taken the necessary precautions in this evolving situation. With our safety protocols in place, and the exciting changes in our dance community, we know 2020/2021 will be GREAT YEAR OF DANCE!