

# SMSD Recital 2021: “And The Beat Goes On”

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**Friday, June 4th**

LifeAustin Amphitheater  
8901 Highway 71 West  
Austin, TX 78735  
(no dress rehearsals)

## **IMPORTANT REMINDERS**

- Recital is only a few weeks away, and attendance in all remaining classes is VERY IMPORTANT! Absences are not permitted unless there is an illness. *If a child has too many absences and does not know the dance, they will not be allowed to perform in the recital.*
- Recital tickets go on sale May 1st. Two recital tickets are included in your recital fee that was paid in January. Additional tickets can be purchased online via TutuTix.
- Parent observation & costume hand out week is May 10th-15th (parents attend zoom last 20 min of class). Eligible dancers will receive five year (and up) dance awards in class in addition to being recognized in the recital program. *It is your responsibility to sign your student up for an award using the form that was emailed to you.* This award is only for students who have been dancing at SMSD for five or more years.

During this class, dancers will receive their costume, recital t-shirt, and tights (combo dancers) to take home. Tap shoe bows and hair accessories will be given to dancers at recital. Please take your dancer's costume out of the bag and hang it somewhere safe. Tutus and 'fluffy' dance skirts should be hung upside down.

- Remember: the costume deposit that was paid in November was only a deposit, and you may receive a bill for the remainder of the costume in May. *Full balance must be paid for your dancer to bring their costumes home.*

- Free hair and makeup tutorial class will be held via zoom on May 16th from 2-3pm. **All dancers are required to wear makeup for recital.** Dancers will need **red** lipstick, blush, dark brown or grey eyeshadow, mascara/eye liner (older dancers), bobby pins, safety pins, and hairspray. Your dancer's teacher will assign hair style.
- All dancers must wear new tights on stage that are in perfect condition—no fading, stains, runs, or snags.
  - Combo classes: tights are included with costume.
  - Level classes: receive a 15% discount when you purchase new tights in the Dancer's Den.
  - If your dancer's tights do not fit, please return them in the original packaging. The Dancer's Den will not accept returns with torn packaging.
- Recital portraits will be May 23rd at the studio. Portraits are optional. Sign up information will be sent out via email.
- Last day of class for the spring semester is May 29th. There will be no regular classes the week of May 31st-June 3rd. *Your dancer's teacher may call a rehearsal during this week if needed. You will be notified via email if your dancer has a rehearsal this week.*