



21 May 2019

Synergy Dance Festival Final Information 2019

Dear Parents/Caregivers,

As you are aware our Synergy Dance Group will be performing at the Synergy Dance Festival. This will be held at the Evan Theatre, Penrith Panthers.

➤ **Rehearsal Day** - **Wednesday 5th June**

On this day, students will be travelling by bus to at the Evan Theatre, Penrith Panthers. Students must arrive at school by **8am** to ensure that we are completely ready before leaving school at **9am**.

We hope to be back at school by **2:30pm** depending on traffic.

All students are to wear their school uniform. Students must bring along recess and lunch and a drink.

➤ **Evening Performance** - **Wednesday 5th June**

For this performance students are expected to be dropped off by a parent or car-pooling is also allowed (please see permission slip on back).

Students will need to come to the Evan Theatre, with their hair and foundation done and be dressed in part of their costume.

It is recommended that students wear warm and comfortable clothing (school uniform does not need to be worn for night performances).

Students are encouraged to bring a small snack and drink. They may also like to bring along a quiet activity to do whilst we are waiting (book, card game, etc. **No electronic devices or mobile phones.**)

- Students will need to meet Mrs Franzke and Mrs Wilson in the foyer of Panthers at **6:30pm**. We need this time to ensure that students are ready to perform, so your cooperation would be greatly appreciated.
- **Parents are unable to take their child from Penrith Panthers whilst the festival is on and need to wait until the festival is over.**

Parents are not allowed in the holding area where all students will be waiting whilst the festival is on.

➤ **Matinee** - **Tuesday 11th June**

On this day, students will be travelling to the Evan theatre by bus. Students must arrive at school by **8:30am** to ensure that we are completely ready before leaving school at 10am and anticipate that we will be back at school by **2pm**.

All students are to wear their school uniform.

Students must bring along recess and lunch and a drink.

Important Information for Every Performance

- **Hair**

Girls must have their hair neatly pulled back into a plait or braid (tucked & pinned up), fringes to be pulled back off the face. Please use gel or hairspray to keep hair neat throughout the entire day or night. We need their hair to be as flat as possible as they will be wearing wigs.

Boys are to have their hair slicked back with gel and hairspray to keep it neat throughout the performance.

Every student is required to have their own supply of bobby pins (a whole packet would be appreciated)

- **Make-up**

All students are to have foundation on their face and have a neutral coloured lip gloss on their lips before arrival at school or Penrith Panthers. **Boys** are to wear foundation only.

No other make-up is required.

Some make-up will be added at the performance by the teachers, if your child suffers allergies, etc, please let us know.

Students may wish to bring along some make up wipes to remove their make up at the end of the performances.

- **Costumes**

Girls must wear their plain black leotard.

All students must bring along their black jazz or canvas shoes in a plastic bag with their name clearly labelled on them. The shoes will only be worn for the performances.

- Students will change into their costumes for rehearsal and matinee performances at school. For the evening performance, students will be required to arrive dressed in the pieces of costume they are given.
- **Costumes are kept at school until all performances for the year are completed, after the last performance, students will be allowed to take their costume home.**
- **Students are not to wear any jewellery or nail polish to any of the performances. This includes earrings.**

- **Photographs/ DVD**

A photograph of the group will be taken on rehearsal day. This photo will be available ordering during the festival week. A DVD of our performance will also be available for purchase on the evening. More information regarding the photos and DVD will be available at the festival.


- **Bus Cost**


Students will not have to pay for travel via bus to the rehearsal or matinee performance, but will have to return a permission slip by **Monday 3rd June 2019.**

We look forward to seeing you at the dance festival.

If you have any further questions please do not hesitate to contact either Mrs Franzke or Mrs Wilson on 4737 9571.

Yours sincerely,


Mrs Nicole Franzke & Mrs Sharon Wilson
Dance Coordinators


Mrs Kathy Browne
Principal

Synergy Dance Festival Permission Slip

I give permission for _____ of Class _____ to travel to and from Penrith Panthers by bus on Wednesday 5th June and Tuesday 11th June 2019.

I also give permission for my child to participate in the Synergy Dance Festival.

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

Travel to Night Performances Advice Slip

- PLEASE RETURN EVEN IF YOU ARE TAKING YOUR OWN CHILD

My child _____ of class _____ will be travelling to and from the night performance with: e.g. Renee (Mum) or Sonia (Sienna's Mum)

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

**** Make sure the Publicity form is attached. ****



**SYNERGY PUBLIC SCHOOLS DANCE FESTIVAL
2019**

PUBLICITY FORM

This form needs to be completed by parents / guardians of participating students. Please return this completed form to your child's Dance Teacher to keep on file at school.

By signing this form I hereby agree to;

My child (name) _____ of
_____ School

to be involved in the **SYNERGY PUBLIC SCHOOLS DANCE FESTIVAL 2019**, allowing their image, student comments or performance to be used in promotional activities for this event.

I understand this may include still photography and video photography, to be used on the **SYNERGY PUBLIC SCHOOLS DANCE FESTIVAL website.**

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Relationship to child: (circle) parent / guardian