Dear Parents,

All of the Dream Team/Pre-Pro staff is looking forward to the **Broadway at the Paramount** performance coming up on Saturday, May 10th as well as the **All Stars Showcase** performance on Friday, May 16th. Your children have been working so hard and we've seen such amazing progress over the semester. The next few weeks will be incredibly busy and we want to make sure we answer any questions clearly.

Please use this link to order tickets FOR THE DREAM TEAM SHOWCASE, tickets will go on sale in the next month or two. There is no limit for tickets per student. https://www.dmradventures.com/tickets

Tickets for BATP may be purchased at this link. ON SALE MARCH 20TH! https://www.theparamount.net/event/dmr-broadway/

To make this as easy as possible, we have included a table of dates and times with information on what to expect if your student is participating in the Dream Team showcase (see below). Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

Abbreviations:

BATP = Broadway at the Paramount

BAC = Belmont Arts Collaborative - our home base at 221 Carlton Road

SATN = "Something About This Night" (Opening number for BATP featuring Dream Team & All Stars, staff and guest artist)

FF = "Freak Flag" - Act 1 Closing number, featuring troupes and includes the entire company

Act 2 Closer = A combo of "Over the Rainbow" and "For Good", the finale for BATP. The entire company will be in this closing number

Attire: All students must wear black bottoms (skirts, pants, shorts, etc.) and their All Stars t-shirt. If they do not have one, they will receive one from us. If they do have one, be sure to wear it on both dress rehearsal and showcase night. Students must wear their jazz shoes for Showcase for the group numbers. Some students may choose to change into a dressier outfit for their solo piece(s). This is up to you, but keep in mind that you'll need to wear base layers if changing as there is not a private changing area.

DREAM TEAM SCHEDULE (JUST BATP)						
Day	Event	Time/Location	Notes			
Wednesday	All Stars/Pre-Pro	6:30-8:30 PM	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			
3/19	Class	LOCATION: GRISHAM HALL				
Wednesday	All Stars/Pre-Pro	6:30-8:30 PM	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			
3/26	Class	LOCATION: BAC				
Wednesday	All Stars/Pre-Pro	6:30-8:30 PM	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			
4/2	Class	LOCATION: BAC				
Wednesday	All Stars/Pre-Pro	6:30-8:30 PM	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			
4/9	Class	LOCATION: BAC				
Saturday 4/12	Group # Music & Choreo	12:45-3 PM LOCATION: BAC	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			
Sunday 4/13	Group # Music	2-3:30 PM LOCATION: BAC	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			
Wednesday	All Stars/Pre-Pro	6:30-8:30 PM	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			
4/16	Class	LOCATION: BAC				
Wednesday	All Stars/Pre-Pro	6:30-8:30 PM	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			
4/23	Class	LOCATION: BAC				
Wednesday	All Stars/Pre-Pro	6:30-8:30 PM	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			
4/30	Class	LOCATION: BAC				
Wednesday	All Stars/Pre-Pro	6:30-8:30 PM	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			
5/1	Class	LOCATION: BAC				
Saturday 5/3	Group # Music & Choreo	1-5:05 PM LOCATION: BAC	Eat before you arrive, bring snacks			
Monday 5/5	ALL CALL for BATP (All numbers)	6-8:15 PM Full cast/show stumble through LOCATION: BAC	Eat first, no snack.			
Tuesday 5/6	ALL CALL for BATP (All numbers)	6-8:30 PM Full cast/show run through LOCATION: BAC	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack			

Wednesday 5/7	All Stars/Pre-Pro Class *PLEASE NOTE DIFFERENT TIME	6:15-8:30 PM LOCATION: BAC	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack
Thursday 5/8	ВАТР	5:15-7:50 PM Full cast with guest artist. LOCATION: The Paramount	Bring jazz shoes and snack, eat before arrival. Dream Team released at 7:50 UNLESS in Select Number.
Friday 5/9	ВАТР	5:15-9 PM LOCATION: The Paramount	Bring jazz shoes & snack. Dinner provided OR students may bring their own dinner.
Saturday 5/10	BATP SHOW DAY!	12PM-9:00 PM Break from the end of 1st show until 6:00PM if doing Red Carpet Walk, and 6:30 if not doing carpet walk. Eat lunch before arrival, eat dinner on your break LOCATION: The Paramount	12:00 PM - Student Call 1:00 PM - Lobby Opens 1:30 PM- House Opens 2:00 PM - SHOW 3:45 PM - SHOW END 3:50-4:00 PM - Sign Out 6:00 PM - Red Carpet Opens 6:30 PM - Lobby Opens 7:00 PM- House Opens 7:30 PM - Performance!

What are Dream Team students performing in Broadway at the Paramount?

- Holding Out for a Hero (All Stars Only)
- Something About This Night (Features Dream Team & All Stars, our guest artist, staff, seniors)
- Freak Flag (this is the FULL company and features our guest artist and our pre-pro troupes)
- Act 2 Closing number: Over the Rainbow/For Good.
- There may be additional numbers if Dream Team students were a part of any Mainstage Season Shows, are a part of YAS! or JTF!

Reminders:

- Please encourage your student to review "Holding Out for a Hero" & "Something About This Night" choreo, staging & songs posted on BAND - practice "as they would perform" (i.e. practice their staging)
- Bring a water bottle and snack to each rehearsal. An optional pizza dinner will be provided before Thursday's 5/9 Dress Rehearsal. Students are, of course, able to bring their own dinner and/or eat at home before arrival. On Showcase night – be sure to eat before and bring a snack.
- If students are planning to wear a face mask on-stage for the performance/dress rehearsal, we would like it to be black.

- Please arrive on-time, we will start promptly.
- Attire: We will be providing shirts for students to wear during their numbers. We would love for all students to dress up in something nice for our finale! The color scheme for this number is black, gold, red or white. If they plan on changing, they should bring undergarments as there is not a private changing space. This finale outfit can be what they wear for the red carpet!
- The red carpet walk is optional, but incredibly fun!
- There will be a gathering between shows for our graduating seniors, sponsors, staff and their families. Please plan to attend if you are part of one of those groups.

DREAM TEAM SCHEDULE FOR AFTER BATP (LEADING TO SHOWCASE) * Note please work with Melissa and Claire to schedule private lessons to be prepared for your individual showcase							
Day	Event	Time/Location	Notes				
Wednesday 5/14	All Stars/Pre-Pro Class	6:30-8:30 PM LOCATION: BAC	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack				
Thursday 5/15	Showcase Dress Rehearsal & Tech	5:45-8:45 PM LOCATION: BAC	Bring what you plan to wear for the showcase, including provided t-shirt and potential other outfits for solos.				
Friday 5/16	Dream Team Showcase & Rehearsal	3:00-9:00 PM LOCATION: BAC	Don't forget jazz shoes. Bring what you plan to wear for the showcase, including provided t-shirt!				

What are Dream Team students performing in the Dream Team Showcase?

- Holding Out for a Hero (all)
- Together Wherever We Go (small group)
- Flying Away (small group)
- Freak Flag (all)
- Paris Holds the Key to Your Heart (all)
- Individual Showcase Piece(s).

Reminders:

 Please encourage your Dream Team student to review all songs listed above - choreo and music posted on BAND - practice "as you would perform" (i.e. practice your staging, etc. and practice full out)

- Bring a water bottle and snack to each rehearsal. Please eat before dress rehearsal night and bring some snacks. On Showcase night – be sure to eat before and bring a snack.
- If students are planning to wear a face mask on-stage for the performance/dress rehearsal, we would like it to be black.
- Please arrive on-time every day as we will start promptly. The showcase itself starts at 7 PM on Saturday.
- Attire: Wear your All Stars t-shirt. If you don't have one we will be ordering one for you.
 Please wear black pants/bottoms you can dance in. You can wear whatever you like for
 your individual showcase moment. Some will stay in their All Stars shirt, some will
 change to something dressy. Small groups may coordinate outfits if they would like to
 know.