

CCD 2019-2020 Calendar of Events

Jul 29-Aug 9	Interim classes for Intermediate -Advanced
Aug 12	Classes Begin
Aug 13	Studio Company Auditions; 7:45-9:15pm
Aug 15	Studio Company Kickoff Meeting; 7:30-9pm
Aug 24	<i>Nutcracker</i> Cast Auditions
Aug 30	<i>Nutcracker</i> Kickoff Meeting
Aug 31	Studio Company Sleepover
Sep 2	Labor Day - No Classes
Sep 7	<i>Nutcracker</i> Rehearsals Begin
Sep 9-14	Spirit Week
Sep 14	Back to School Fundraising Party!
Sep 13 & 14	Tog Swap
Sep 21	Broomfield Days— <i>Come Parade with us!</i>
Sep 23-28	Free Week for New Students
Sep 28	Open House, 11am with demo class at 12pm
Nov 1 & 2	Tog Swap
Nov 7 & 12	Studio Company Lecture/Demonstration
Nov 24	<i>Nutcracker</i> Tea
Nov 25-30	Thanksgiving Break - No Classes
Dec 10	Colorado Gives Day
Dec 14 & 15	<i>Nutcracker</i> Performances
Dec 20	Sensory-Friendly <i>Nutcracker</i> Performance
Dec 21 & 22	<i>Nutcracker</i> Performances
Dec 23– Jan 4	Winter Break - No Classes
Dec 26, 27 & 30	Interim Classes
Jan 1	New Year's Day—Closed
Jan 2 & 3	Interim Classes
Jan 6	Classes Resume
Jan 10 & 11	Tog Swap
Jan 13-18	Free Week for New Students
Jan 16 & 21	Studio Company Lecture/Demonstration
Jan 18	Open House, 11am with demo class at 12pm
Jan 22	Gala Costume Packets go out to parents
Jan 25	Big & Little Snow Ball
Jan 27-Feb 1	Demonstration Week
Feb 17	Gala Attendance Requirements Begin & Gala Forms Due
Feb 21 & 22	Studio Company Community Performances of <i>The Ugly Duckling</i>
Feb 22	CCD presents 2nd Annual Free Film Screening, 7pm
Mar 6-8	Denver Ballet Guild (Dates subject to change)
Mar 13 & 14	Tog Swap
Mar 21	DanceFound & Young Choreographer's Showcase—Broomfield Auditorium
Mar 23-28	Spring Break—No Classes
Apr 17	Blossom Ball
May 4 – May 16	Mandatory Classes for Children's Ballet & Ballet Expressions Gala Participants
May 11-May 30	Mandatory Classes for Primary-Advanced Gala Participants
May 4-9	Costume Pickup Week for Children's & Ballet Expressions Gala
May 9	Dominic Walsh presents <i>Cinderella</i>
May 11-16	Costume Pickup Week for Primary—Advanced
May 16	Children's Ballet and Ballet Expressions Gala
May 25	Memorial Day - No Classes
May 30	Gala, 11am (Primary), 2pm & 6:30pm (Interm & Advanced)
June 1-12	Interim Classes at CCD
June 1-13	Compass Coaching with Dominic Walsh
June 13	Compass Premieres; 6:30pm
June 15-Jul 25	Summer Camp & Intensive
July 25	Summer Moving Project; 6:30pm
July 27-Aug 8	Compass Coaching with Dominic Walsh
Aug 8	Compass Premieres; 6:30pm
July 27-Aug 7	Interim Classes at CCD

For your convenience, this is a calendar of major CCD events and performances. You will find an updated calendar of events throughout the year in the CCD Newsletter, on your parent portal and on our website. We also communicate frequently with our families via email, so make sure we have your correct email address. **Our 2019-2020 School Year runs August 11 through May 30.**

Viewing Weeks

CCD families are invited to view classes through observation windows during viewing weeks. Viewing week is the **first full week** of each month.

September 9-14	December 2-7	March 2-7
October 7-12	January 6-11	April 6-11
November 4-9	February 3-8	May 4-9

CCD Spirit Week

September 9-14, 2019

Students are encouraged to wear CCD dress code with any blue and orange accessories (as long as they have full range of motion). We will also be having themes for each day—more info to come...

Tog Swap

September 13 & 14, November 1 & 2, January 10 & 11, and March 14. Tog Swap is for CCD families to purchase gently used, dress code approved dance wear. If you bring us your gently used dress code items, you will receive a Tog Buck. You can then use your Tog Bucks to purchase items from our Tog Swap selection! Some items are brand new!

Class Demonstrations

January 27-February 1, 2020

Join us in the classroom for an inside look at what your dancer is learning this year in ballet, jazz, modern, tap, and contemporary. It's best to be there for the whole class, but you're welcome to join whenever you're available!

School Closures

We will be closed September 2 for Labor Day, November 20-30 for Thanksgiving, December 23 - January 4, 2020 for winter break, March 23-28, 2020 for Spring Break and May 25, 2020 for Memorial Day. Please plan on attending for all other holidays, or call ahead to report a planned absence. For weather closures, visit the main page of our website after 2:00pm on the day of the storm. Calendar and scheduling subject to change. Makeup classes need to be made up within 4 weeks of a reported absence.

Dance with Me Sessions

Fall Session: Sept 7-Oct 26
 6 week Turkey Session: Nov 2-16 & Dec 7-21
 Winter Session: Jan 11-Feb 29
 Spring Session: April 4-May 16
 6 week Summer Session: June 20-July 25

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Nutcracker Auditions

Nutcracker Auditions will take place on Saturday, August 24. Children ages 6+ and up are eligible to participate in our performance of *The Nutcracker*! You may pre-register at the front desk by August 22, or pay a \$35 audition fee on August 24. Sample contracts are available at the front desk.

11:30am—Primary Division Registration
12:00-12:45—Primary Division Audition
12:30—Intermediate Division Registration
1:00-2:00—Intermediate Division Audition
1:45pm—Advanced 1 & 2 Registration
2:15-3:30—Advanced 1 & 2 Audition
3:15—Advanced 3/4/PPP Registration
3:45-5:00pm—Advanced 3/4/PPP Audition

- ***Please make sure to arrive at least 30-45 minutes prior to auditions.***
- ***Parents, please make certain to come inside with your dancer.***

Prior to auditions, please make certain that your dancer has fulfilled their Nutcracker Requirement during our summer session. Not Sure? Please visit the front desk and ask!

CCD's production of *The Nutcracker* will take place December 14 & 15, and 21 & 22 with a Sensory Friendly Performance on December 20. We are excited to announce that John Lam & Ji Young Chae of Boston Ballet will be our guest artists on Dec 14 & 15 and Chase O'Connell and Beckanne Sisk of Ballet West will be our guest artists on Dec 21 & 22.

Tickets are on sale now!

CCD's Wellness Center

At the Colorado Conservatory of Dance, we place the highest value on our dancers' health and well-being. Our Wellness Center provides students with exceptional care for body and mind. In our fully-equipped Karen Shanley Pilates Studio, dancers can strengthen their structure and technique by cross-training in Pilates and working with a physical therapist to recover from or prevent injury. Physical Therapy and Fascial Distortion rehabilitate injuries and re-balance bodies under the strain and rigorous physical demands of dance training. With affordable rates and special discounts for students, the CCD Wellness Center ensures a full complement of supportive services for the entire community.

To schedule wellness appointments contact the front desk at info@ccdance.org

CCD Wish List

Going shopping at Costco or Staples? Your donations of critical supplies can help reduce monthly expenses. CCD is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, so your in-kind donations are tax deductible and greatly appreciated!

- **Macintosh based system running OXS or newer**
- **Gently used computers using Windows 10 or newer**
- Printer Paper & cardstock (both white and colored paper)
- Stamps
- Brother TN450 Black Ink Cartridges
- AA & AAA Batteries
- Band-aids (generic are fine)
- Kleenex
- Hand Sanitizer
- Liquid Laundry Soap & Fabric Softener Sheets (any brand)
- OxiClean & Zout
- Static Guard
- 2-Ply Multifold Paper Towels & Paper Towel Rolls
- Toilet Paper
- Ziploc Bags (small and large sizes)
- Dish Soap/Dishwasher Soap
- Ammonia- unscented
- Clorox wipes
- Fabric Ribbon (any color and size)
- Misc sewing items (hook & eyes, snaps, safety pins)
- Any size velcro and any size or color elastic
- Old towels (hand or bath)

Studio Company Auditions

Studio Company auditions will be held on Tuesday, August 13 for those in the Advanced 1 through the Pre-Professional level (new fall placement) from 7:45-9:15pm. You may pre-register at the front desk by Saturday August 10, or pay a \$35 audition fee on August 13. Parents, please make certain to come inside with your dancer to make sure your dancer is fully enrolled and registered for the audition.

Please make certain that you are fulfilling your summer requirements to be eligible for Studio Company. Check with our front desk at info@ccdance.org to make sure you are enrolled in the correct classes/summer program.

Studio Company repertoire for 2019-2020 will include Robert Mill's *Ugly Duckling* and a world premiere of Dominic Walsh's *Cinderella*.