

## AZD DAZZLER PERFORMANCE COMPANY AUDITIONS 2020-2021

AZD Dazzlers Performance Company. What is this you may ask? Dazzlers Performance Company perform locally throughout the season as well as 1-2 competitions. They are required to dance a minimum of 2-3 hours per week (**could be only 1 day!**) Please read through all info found in this packet carefully. If you have any additional questions feel free to email us at [dance@arizonadancestudio.com](mailto:dance@arizonadancestudio.com). Arizona Dance Studio Performance Company requires commitment to your team and positive energy to learn. We work hard year around to build your dancer in both dance and as an individual. If you are looking to be a part of one of our teams this season please make sure you are full ready to commit. We cannot wait to continue to spread the love we have for dance in your child.

### **Audition Information**

All auditions will be held online this year due to COVID-19. Please complete the following steps in order to ensure a completed application.

What to wear?

*Plain Black Top & Dance Shorts. Hair needs to be in a low ponytail with middle part. Jazz Shoes or Turners are allowed if needed.*

What skills are required?

*There are no skills required to be a part of the Dazzlers Performance Company.*

What are the auditions for?

*Everyone who auditions for our Dazzlers Performance Company is guaranteed a spot on the team. We hold auditions strictly for team placement.*

1. Complete Audition Form to its entirety by June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020. Click Here to complete:
2. Watch & Learn Choreography Video for your dancer's Current Age.
3. Video your dancer performing the choreography learned in video.
4. Upload Video and Email to [dance@arizonadancestudio.com](mailto:dance@arizonadancestudio.com) with Subject: **Dancer's Name Audition Video (ex. Adriella Husar Audition Video)** by June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020.

When do we find out results?

*Team Placement will be sent out not later than June 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020.*

### **General Arizona Dance Studio Dazzlers Performance Company Information**

Dazzlers is Arizona Dance Studio's Performance Company. We have built this program to be able to perform at both our city and state events. Upon being accepted to be a part of our AZD Dazzlers Performance Company you will be required to sign our 2020-2021 Season Handbook.

#### **Firecrackers (our youngest 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year Dazzlers)**

- ✿ 2 Competitions
- ✿ Optional Convention
- ✿ 3 Hours per Week (2 team classes & 1 of your choice)
- ✿ Some Friday Rehearsals
- ✿ 1 Group Routine
- ✿ Required Participation in Winter and Spring Recital

#### **Sparklers & Dynamite (Ages 6 and Up)**

- ✿ 2 Competitions
- ✿ 1 Convention (optional for Sparklers)
- ✿ 3 Hours per Week (2 team classes & 1 of your choice)
- ✿ Some Friday Rehearsals
- ✿ 1-2 Group Routines
- ✿ Required Participation in Winter and Spring Recital

<u>Monthly Tuition</u>	Dazzlers	\$145 (includes required classes)
	Additional Classes	\$20/per class (if you're adding more than 3 classes to your child schedule)

Approximate 19-20 Fees

Firecrackers	\$720/year (includes 2 competitions, all performance and parade entries, costume, warm-up, backpack, etc. for 1 guaranteed group routine)
Sparklers	\$720/year (includes 2 competitions, all performance and parade entries, choreography days, costume, warm-up, backpack, etc. for 1 guaranteed group routine)
Dynamite)	\$1350/year (includes 2 competitions and 1 convention, all performance and parade entries, choreography days, costumes, warm-up, backpack, etc. for 2 guaranteed group routines)

- New Dazzler Performance Company Members add an additional \$120 for jewelry and make-up.
- Start-Up Fees are broken up into 3 monthly payments beginning in August.

Attendance Policy

Attendance is crucial when it comes to the success of our Dazzlers Performance Company. Due to the fact this is a team, all dancers must make Dazzler Performance Company activities a priority over all extracurricular activities unless a grade depends on it. Withholding your dancer from practice cannot be a form of discipline. This is a team, and each dancer's participation in practice is vital to the team's success. Performances start in the middle of October, which means all dances will be taught by end of September. We understand that things do happen (i.e. sickness, school events, etc) each dancer is given 5 excused absences per semester (Semester 1 August-December, Semester 2 January- June.) **A courtesy phone call to the front desk is expected 480-696-6144.**

Classes Begin July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019, the month of July and August play a crucial part as we teach all choreography during this time. We understand that some are still traveling in the beginning of July and will not start choreography until Chandler Public School begins on July 23<sup>rd</sup>. Please look at the upcoming travel calendar and let us know ALL upcoming travel plans for 2019-2020 season on your audition form.

July 13 <sup>th</sup>	Classes Begin
September 5-7 <sup>th</sup>	Studio Closed (Labor Day Weekend)
October 5-10 <sup>th</sup>	Studio Closed (Fall Break)-Please plan vacations for this week
October 16-18 <sup>th</sup>	Celebrity Convention at Renaissance Glendale Hotel
October TBA	Performance
October 31 <sup>st</sup>	Studio Closed (Halloween)
November TBA	Performance/Parade
November 25 <sup>th</sup> -28 <sup>th</sup>	Studio Closed (Thanksgiving Break)
December 5 <sup>th</sup>	Chandler Parade of Lights
December 12 <sup>th</sup>	Winter Recital
December TBA	Basketball Halftime Show
December 21 <sup>st</sup> -January 2 <sup>nd</sup>	Studio Closed (Winter Break)-Please plan vacations for this week(s)
January 18 <sup>th</sup>	Dazzlers Performance Company Showcase
January TBA	Basketball Halftime Show
February TBA	Competition
March TBA	Ostrich Festival Performance
March 9 <sup>th</sup> -14 <sup>th</sup>	Studio Closed (Spring Break)-Please plan vacations for this week
April TBA	Performance
May 25 <sup>th</sup>	Studio Closed (Memorial Day)
June 5 <sup>th</sup> -6 <sup>th</sup>	Spring Recital

**\*\*More specific dates will be added in August.**