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Dear Parents,

We hope you are all safe and well as we deal with Covid 19.

We continue to monitor Covid 19, hopefully preparing to reopen after Labor Day, Tuesday Sept 8

We were able to do a very different Theatre Arts and Dance Camp June 15-26 with 7 high school students and 3 staff members. Keeping our bubble under 12 as per S.M.Cty. Public Health and Royal Academy of Dancing guidelines. Preparing for the camp enabled us to see how things should be done when reopening the dance school (hopefully) in September. This will be our protocol

Sanitizing all public areas and surfaces, restrooms, light switches, door knobs, handrails, ballet barres, all electronic equipment, marking 6ft spacing on studio floors etc. Staff and students wearing masks. One person in restroom at a time unless accompanied by a parent. Entering the building, 6ft spacing on deck stairs, taking temperature upon entering building and keeping a daily record of this.

Upon entering the building everyone using hand sanitizer which is placed at the entrance and all around the building, Along with disinfectant wipes to be used as necessary.

When we reopen we will ask parents of younger students to wait in their cars after bringing the child/ren into the building and students have gone to class. After class staff member will come to the entrance door and indicate to pick up your child.

On the class schedule we will have 15 mins. between classes to ensure spacing when leaving and entering the building, also time for staff to sanitize studios.

We will continue to update protocol as per County measures may or may not change

We sent out a survey in the May Newsletter only 10 families replied. I am resending a slightly amended one and hope you take time to reply, via dance school email. No need to do this if already responded in May.

A. Family Name

B. Student Name/s

- 1. Will your child/ren be returning for school year 2020/21? Which Class/es they will attend?
- 2. What is your expectations and concerns to convey to the dance school staff on reopening.
- 3. All students over 5 wearing masks? Note: Teachers and Staff will all be wearing masks. Thank you for your help in this.

We will be sending out Reg/Ins information mid July, please return Registration Form & check by August 15-2020 giving our staff time to prepare their classes.

As we struggle through the pandemic health wise, mentally and financially I take this time to again to thank those parents who contributed to the "GoFundMe" site set up by Mrs Grant. Then to the upper school parents who continued paying dance school tuition fee's March - June, along with 4 families in the lower school. And a special thank you to my partner Larry and my family, daughter Mrs Patterson, son Harvey Wright and my three grandsons all helping to keep us afloat.

Best Wishes to all our families, look forward to seeing you all in September, keep well Susan Hayward RAD Life RTS & Staff