## **COMPANY GUIDELINES & REQUIREMENTS**

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Dear Parents & Students,

We are grateful to have had a very successful 2014-2015 dance school year with our companies Soli Deo Gloria, Chosen, Faithful, Glorious, and Victorious. We were able to present our Christmas Celebration, "Jesus, The Priceless Gift," and our June Worship Celebration, "The Sleeping Giant." Many lives were touched deeply by our students' and their families' commitment, hard work, prayers, sacrifices, etc. through these celebrations. By God's Holy Spirit we were able to encourage, exhort, challenge, and bless many believers, as well as share the gospel with many non-believers. It is a privilege being used by our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ to display "How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him who bring good news" (Isaiah 52:7a). Thanks to all of you who made the sacrifices necessary to be a part of these events. We love to serve together with you and your daughters & sons.

Thank you to all who served very well with clean-up at both the Christmas and June Celebrations this past dance year. It was such a blessing to see Soli, Chosen, Revelation, plus many others and their families from various companies helping with clean-up this past year! We are so grateful!

I am excited to announce that Praise His Name With Dancing is adding another Company. For now, we are calling them New Company. This New Company is a lovely group of young ladies who have been prayerfully awaiting their opportunity to become more involved with the ministry of Praise His Name With Dancing. I am looking forward to this group coming together and bringing their ideas and Scripture verses together so that we can find their company's name! We will discuss this naming process on our first Wednesday class at 3:30 so that everyone understands.

Please call for clarification or comments regarding this list. We are asking for a commitment from you in these areas, if you or your daughter/daughters will be involved. Please sign the last page of this form so we know that you understand and agree to the responsibilities of being a Praise His Name With Dancing Company Member.

### **Company Member Requirements**

- Company members are required to take three classes per week (Ballet, Modern or Ballet/Pointe), except our New Company that still has the two class option.
- COMPANY MEMBERS <u>MUST BE</u> AVAILABLE FOR OUR CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS JESUS, THE PRICELESS GIFT – SATURDAY, DECEMBER 19, 2015 – 3:30 & 7:30
- Each company member needs to be present for both celebrations, and rehearsals below.
  - 1. Friday, December 18, 2015 check arrival times below end time 10p.m.
    - a. 3:45 p.m. arrival time & set-up for Soli Deo Gloria, Chosen & Revelation
      - b. 5:00 p.m. Faithful & Glorious
      - c. 5:45 p.m. Victorious & New Company
  - 2. Saturday, December 19, 2015 from 1p.m. till finished All Companies
    - a. Rehearsal for Soli, Revelation, Chosen begins at 9 a.m.
    - b. Rehearsal for Faithful, Glorious, Victorious & New Company begins at 1p.m.
    - c. Cleanup until the truck is loaded is required for all Soli Deo Gloria & Chosen members. They will finish close to 12 a.m.
- COMPANY MEMBERS <u>MUST BE</u> AVAILABLE FOR OUR JUNE CELEBRATIONS AND REHEARSALS. Please Note -We have scheduled a 3<sup>rd</sup> Celebration on Saturday afternoon.
  - 1. Monday, May 30 5:45-10:00 Soli, Chosen, Faithful, Revelation & Glorious (9:30)
  - 2. Monday, June 6 5:45-10:00 Soli, Chosen, Faithful, Revelation, Glorious (9:30), Victorious (9:00) & New Company (9:00)
  - 3. Thursday, June 8 from 4:30-? Soli Deo Gloria, Chosen & Revelation
  - 4. Friday, June 9 from 1:30p.m-7p.m. Faithful, Glorious & Victorious (Soli, Chosen & Revelation till 8p.m. for rehearsal – needed to stay later for set-up)
  - 5. Saturday, June 11 Morning rehearsal 9a.m.-12:00p.m. Soli, Chosen & Revelation
  - 6. Saturday, June 11 from 1:00 p.m. finish (1p.m. rehearsal for all companies)
  - 7. Sunday, June 12, 2016 from 2:00 p.m. finish
- It is MANDATORY that all Soli Deo Gloria, Chosen & Revelation members help clean-up following the Christmas and June Celebrations. This means that members are not permitted to leave until the truck is loaded. Many hands make light work.
- There will be a list of 30 minutes of exercises given to each of our Company members to do two other times a week for Soli Deo Gloria, Chosen, Faithful, Glorious & Victorious. Our New Company will be given the same 30-minute list and will be required to complete it one day a week. These exercises are needed to increase the strength of each student for the more intense demands of ballet at the company level, which will reduce the risk of injury. We specifically design these exercises to target specific areas of the body that need to be strengthened for ballet. Some of our students will be doing other activities that would be equal to one of our exercise sessions (such as the extra technique classes offered on Tuesday and Friday.) Please check with Mrs. Hoffman to see if your activity could count for an exercise session.
- All extra outreaches are optional, however, we really want to take the opportunity to go out and share the Gospel through dance when we are invited. We will check with your schedules to make sure that it will work for you.
- Students must be able to perform at the technique level set for each company. You may be moved up during the year if needed, or moved down if you are not performing at your company's level.
- In comparison to other dance companies we ask very little. We do ask that you give 100% priority and participation to these requirements. Thank you!

# **COMPANY DANCE CLASS SCHEDULES**

Soli Deo Gloria	Modern – Mondays 5:45 – 7:15 Ballet – Mondays 7:15 – 8:45 Pointe/Ballet – Thursdays 8:00 – 9:30
Chosen	Ballet – Mondays 4:00 – 5:45 Modern – Thursdays 4:15 – 5:30 Pointe/Ballet – Thursdays 5:30 – 7:00
Faithful	Ballet – Mondays – 3:00-4:30 Modern – Thursdays - 1:30-2:45 Pointe/Ballet – 2:45-4:15
Glorious	Ballet – Mondays – 4:30 – 6:00 Modern – Fridays – 4:00 – 5:15 Ballet/Pre-pointe/Pointe – Fridays – 5:15 – 6:45
Victorious	Ballet – Mondays – 3:00-4:30 Modern – Thursdays – 10:45-12:00 Ballet/Pre-pointe/Pointe – 12:00-1:30
<b>New Company</b> Name to be picked	Ballet – Mondays – 3:00-4:15 & 4:30-5:45 (1 per girl) Ballet/Modern (rotate style) Wednesdays -2:15-3:30 Ballet/Modern (rotate) Wed. 3:30-4:45 (if only taking one of the Wednesday classes, the 3:30-4:45 slot will be the only one offered for a single Wednesday class.)

Please return only this page of this form. Please mark your calendars with the information from the first two pages.

### PRAISE HIS NAME WITH DANCING

### Worship Dance Classes

### SOLI DEO GLORIA, CHOSEN, GLORIOUS, VICTORIOUS, & NEW COMPANY

We have read, marked our calendars, and prayerfully agree to all the things listed in the Company Guideline & Requirements Form.

**Parent Name & Signature + date** 

Student Name & Signature + date

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