



G2D Christmas Show Details

Thank you for your patience as we worked to confirm details of our 2020 Christmas Show. As we were expecting, performances will look a bit different this season than what we are used to. There are new theatre COVID regulations in place and we wanted to ensure our event adhered to these regulations appropriately.

The Red Deer Memorial Centre has been our recital venue for nearly 10 years because of its ample seating, raised stage, professional sound and lighting, and changeroom areas. The current COVID regulations state that we can have no more than 100 attendees in the audience and 50 performers backstage, which includes teachers and assistants. The Memorial Centre seats 700, and we have nearly filled the theatre to capacity for past Christmas Show performances. This obviously imposes restrictions on the scope of this year's show, both in terms of attendees and dancers.

Because of this, we have made the decision that **this year's Christmas Show will include Recreational, Rising Stars and Junior level dancers only**. (If your dancer is an assistant for Recreational classes, Rising Stars or Junior Ballet, we also ask that they attend, if possible. Assistants do not require a ticket.) Although the Christmas Show has traditionally featured all of our students, its primary purpose was to provide a second performance opportunity to our Recreational dancers, in addition to our year-end recital. Because our older dancers will have more on stage opportunities this season, this will allow us to focus more time on their competitive routines, and provide the chance for our younger dancers to get on stage. We hope that next year we will be able to return to our regular recital format!

We will be putting on two small shows: a 1 p.m. performance and a 3 p.m. performance. Both shows will last only 20 minutes and feature five groups. This will ensure we can properly organize and distance dancers backstage and give one hour in between performances for the theatre to be cleaned and sanitized. We have tried our best to organize the shows so that any dance siblings perform together, but it could not be accommodated in all circumstances. Thank you for your understanding!



Christmas Show Performance #1

Saturday, November 28, Red Deer Memorial Centre

Show time: 1 p.m. | Estimated length: 20 minutes

Ticket price: \$10 (dancers performing do not require a ticket)

Groups performing (this is not the show order):

Kinderdance II (Mondays, 5:45 p.m. – 6:15 p.m. class)

Kinderdance IV (Tuesdays, 5 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. class)

Rec Hip Hop

Junior Ballet I

Junior Ballet II



Christmas Show Performance #2

Saturday, November 28, Red Deer Memorial Centre

Show time: 3 p.m. | Estimated length: 20 minutes

Ticket price: \$10 (dancers performing do not require a ticket)

Groups performing (this is not the show order):

Kinderdance I (Mondays, 4 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. class)

Kinderdance III (Tuesdays, 4:10 p.m. – 4:40 p.m. class)

Beginner Combo

Rising Stars Ballet

Rising Stars Jazz



Ticket details

Because of the restrictions on number of attendees in the theatre, **each dancer will be allotted two tickets ONLY**. One week before the show, any remaining tickets can be purchased at will, and we will send an email notification to parents, letting you know how many tickets are still available for purchase. Tickets WILL NOT be sold at the door. This year's shows will be general seating, and audience members will be asked to appropriately distance themselves within the theatre when seated. Again, the theatre has 700 seats, and only 100 tickets will be sold, allowing for plenty of room to socially distance.

In the event that the G2D Christmas Shows are cancelled due to COVID restrictions, G2D will provide a full refund on ticket purchases.

Tickets will go on sale November 1st at 8 a.m. through Eventbrite.

Tickets to show #1: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/got-2-dance-productions-christmas-show-1-tickets-124937879561>

Tickets to show #2: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/got-2-dance-productions-christmas-show-2-tickets-124939193491>

More details regarding the shows will be communicated in our upcoming November newsletter. Thank you again for your support as we work towards providing performance opportunities for our dancers in the safest manner possible.

Sincerely,

Gjenna & Anne-Alisa