



North Shore Repertory Dance Ensemble

Saturday, August 28th

JR. ENSEMBLE GROUP

3:30 – 5:00p.m.

Ages 12-14

Students in this age group must have at least 3 years experience.

Sunday, August 29th

NORTH SHORE REPERTORY DANCE ENSEMBLE

11:00-12:30p.m.

Sr. 7 and above

Students in this age group must have at least 3 years experience.

**Auditions are held at:
North Shore School of Dance
505 Laurel Avenue, Highland Park
847-432-2060**



North Shore Repertory Dance Ensemble

North Shore School of Dance (NSSD) is seeking dancers to audition for our North Shore Repertory Dance Ensemble and our NEW Junior Ensemble Group. Auditions and all rehearsals will be held at the North Shore School of Dance Studios, 505 Laurel Avenue, Highland Park.

At this time, NSSD welcomes interested dancers ages 12 and above to audition. Roles are offered on the basis of technique, training, and cast suitability, as judged during auditions. Not every dancer will be offered a role in each dance. Dancers auditioning must be willing to accept any role for which they are cast. Every part is important! Performing is an honor.

Participation in NSSD's North Shore Repertory Dance Ensemble is a wonderful opportunity accompanied by serious responsibility and commitment.

- ❖ All participating families will be asked to pay a participation fee.
- ❖ Class and Rehearsal:
 - North Shore Repertory Dance Ensemble (Sr. 7 and above): Tuesday's 7:30-9:30p.m.
 - Junior Ensemble Group (Ages 12-14): TBA
 - Dancers cannot be absent from more than 4 rehearsals or classes. Any dancer who misses more than 4 will be dismissed from the company.
- ❖ Dancers may be asked to participate in publicity photos.

Auditions:

- North Shore Repertory Dance Ensemble (Sr. 7 and above): Sunday, August 29th; 11:00-12:30p.m.
- Junior Ensemble Group (Ages 12-14): Saturday, August 28th; 3:30-5:00p.m.

Audition Attire: Ballet attire and bun. Modern and Jazz combinations will also be given.

Rehearsals begin: Tuesday, August 31, 2010. Schedule to be provided upon acceptance.

Cast Photos: TBA

Performances at: TBA

Performance Dates: TBA

Information: If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Meghan McDermott at NSRDensemble@gmail.com.

Height _____
Leotard size _____ Jazz Pant size _____ T-Shirt Size _____

Audition Time _____ # _____

2010-2011
North Shore Repertory Dance Ensemble
Junior Ensemble Group
Audition Application

Please Print Clearly

Name _____ Phone# _____

Address _____ City _____ Zip _____

Age _____ Birth date _____

Parent Email _____ Student Email _____

(Only write if emails should also be sent to this address)

Of years training (beyond age of 6) _____ Ballet _____ Pointe _____ Modern _____ Jazz _____

Of technique classes per week:

_____ Ballet _____ Modern _____

Of other classes per week _____ Jazz _____ Tap _____ Other _____

Additional Rehearsal Availability:

Please write available times. If you are not available the entire time listed, please write your free time.

Sunday 12:00 – 6:00 _____

Are there any dates that you are unavailable for performances or rehearsal? _____

Parent and Dancer please initial below:

Being a part of the ensemble is a major commitment for each dancer, and it is critical that each member of the ensemble understands that she/he is a part of a group. The other members depend on you for your dedication. Any absenteeism places a burden on the entire group, process, and product. Ensemble members also represent the school and must adhere to the school policies at all times.

- 1) If I miss 4 or more company classes/rehearsals (excused or unexcused), I will be dismissed from the company. _____
- 2) I will always arrive no later than one half hour prior to my scheduled rehearsal to properly warm-up (unless coming from technique class, then 15 minutes prior). If arrival is at scheduled rehearsal time, dancer will not be permitted to participate for his/her safety. _____
- 3) I am responsible to supply my own tights (depending on costume) and shoes for rehearsal and performances. _____
- 4) Any negative attitude regarding casting will constitute immediate dismissal. Everyone is an important part of the company and I am willing to accept any role, including an understudy. _____
- 5) I understand that a **participation fee** will be required of each dancer, due in 2 payments (September 11, 2010 & November 15, 2010) to cover costumes, overhead costs and coaching/instruction. This participation fee is included in the Unlimited Class Payment Plan; the participation fee does not include any outside event or performance tickets. This fee is not eligible for any tuition discounts. _____ *(Parent only)*
- 6) I understand that if my account is not paid up to date, my child will not be able to participate in class/rehearsals or performances. _____ *(Parent Only)*
- 7) I understand that if my child is dismissed from the company or asked to sit out at anytime, that a refund will not be given. _____ *(Parent Only)*

Parent Signature (required) _____

Dancer Signature (required) _____

North Shore Repertory Dance Ensemble/Junior Ensemble Acceptance Form

I hereby accept all roles that were given to me and understand that being a member is a privilege and an honor. I also understand that I am a representative of the North Shore School of Dance and will adhere to all school policies and act professionally when I am at the school or other venues. I further understand that all absences must be called into the office immediately, and after 4 unexcused absences, I will be cut from the company.

Print Performer's Name: _____

Performer's Signature: _____ Date: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

(Must be signed by parent or guardian if under age 18.)

North Shore School of Dance Release Form

I hereby release and discharge North Shore School of Dance, its staff, representatives, and affiliates, from all liability arising out of, or in connection with, participation during rehearsals at the North Shore School of Dance Studios, 505 Laurel Avenue, Highland Park, IL and all performance locations.

By signing this document, I understand that North Shore School of Dance is released from all liability.

Print Performer's Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

(Must be signed by parent or guardian if under age 18.)

Photo and Video Release Form

I, _____, do hereby give my permission to be video taped and/or photographed by North Shore School of Dance or its affiliates, including clients, licensees, purchasers, agencies, periodicals, and television media, the irrevocable right to use my name and photographs or video in which I may appear, for sale and/or reproduction in any medium for purposes of advertising, trade, display, exhibition, or editorial use. I have read this release and fully understand its contents.

Print Performer's Name: _____

Parent Signature: _____ Date: _____

(Must be signed by parent or guardian if under age 18.)