

2020 Fact Sheet

Purpose: To provide advanced-level dancers a glimpse into the professional dance world and what it takes to make dance a career. To also provide them training by professionals working in the industry, networking opportunities, and an evaluation of where they stand in their preparation for the transition. Program participants also receive a professional working credit as featured dancers in the annual presentation of Kidz Roc at the Clay Cooper Theatre.

Date: Monday, July 20 to Sunday, July 26

Location: Branson, Missouri

Accommodations: Westgate Branson Woods Resort, double beds, 2 dancers per room,

randomly assigned.

Full Program Fee: \$2,195 total prior to any discounts being applied (\$1,695 AFTER SCHOLARSHIP).

Scholarship: \$500 Scholarship awarded to selected dancers (limit one scholarship discount per dancer).

Online Application: To begin the application process log on to talentonparade.com and click on the Go Pro tab in the Quick Links section near the top of the home page.

Application Deposit: \$250 NON-REFUNDABLE deposit secures your place in the program until the Mid-Term

deadline (see below).

Application Deposit Deadline: May 29 or until the program has filled.

Mid-Term Payment Deadline: The total of your payments must equal at least \$800 as of June 5 to continue to hold your place in the program, and ALL payments as of this date will also be NON-REFUNDABLE.

Final Payment Deadline: July 3, 2020. Preferred method for all payments is online via the PayPal invoice you will receive from us. If, however, final payment is mailed it must be postmarked and trackable by deadline.

Fundraising Ideas/Letter: Email office@talentonparade.com to request fundraising information.

Age Restriction: Program is by invitation only and restricted to advanced dancers age 13 and older. Due to the rigorous nature of this program, beginner/intermediate dancers are discouraged from applying.

Travel To/From Workshop: Participants are responsible for their travel to and from the program.

Springfield/Branson Airport transfers are available for an additional fee of \$100 each way (50 mile one-way trip), must be pre-arranged with TOP staff, and paid-in-full by June 19. Dancers driving themselves must turn in their keys at registration and will not have access to their vehicle until program concludes.

Program Transportation: All necessary transportation during the program will be provided and supervised by TOP. **Extended Stays:** An additional fee of \$175 will be charged to any dancer who requires hotel accommodations after program is dismissed. This option is only available the evening of Sunday, July 26.

Meals: Most meals during the program will be provided. A complete list of activities including paid and unpaid meals will be emailed to participants along with any other pertinent information prior to the workshop.

Show Costumes: Performance Shirts will be provided by TOP. An additional list of requested costuming items from the choreographers will be emailed based on the show/act theme. Participants are required to bring these items from their own "street" wardrobes.

Participant Supervision: Full, appropriate supervision will be provided for the participants during the course of the program. Ultimately, however, each participant will be expected to assume full responsibility for his or her own actions at all times. Rules of conduct will be established and participants, and parents, will be expected to comply. Breaking of the rules, especially drinking of alcohol or the use of illicit drugs may result in the immediate expulsion from the program without a refund. All student workshops, rehearsals, meals, etc. will be closed to parent/teacher observation. Limiting the parent/teacher contact reinforces the professional nature of this program and allows the participants to remain completely focused. We do however encourage parents/teachers/family/friends to attend one or more of the final professional show performances of Kidz Roc at the end of the week which features the Go Pro Dancers.

For questions about the program email office@talentonparade.com, or call 316-522-4836