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1. Performance Tickets on Sale May 10th!

Performance tickets are available for purchase starting May 10th. You may purchase tickets at www.brownpapertickets.com. Tickets are available online only and will NOT be available for purchase at the front desk. To purchase "Distinctly Irish" tickets click [here](#), for "Dancing through the Decades" tickets click [here](#), for "Paquita" tickets click [here](#). If you have any questions, please contact the office at 206.242.1239 or dance@momentumdanceacademy.com.



Adults	Children 10 and under	Seniors 60 and over	Registered students	Participating student
\$15	\$12	\$12	\$8	Free

2. Observation Week

Parents and visitors are invited to observe dance and music classes during the week of May 10-15.

3. Annual Spring Music Recital

Please note the **CHANGE OF DATE** for our Annual Spring Music Recital! On **Thursday, June 10th at 7:00 PM**, Momentum music students will be performing at [John Knox Presbyterian Church](#). Admission is free. Refreshments will be served following the recital. All music, art and dance students are encouraged to attend. John Knox is located at 109 SW Normandy Road, Normandy Park, WA 98166.



4. "Distinctly Irish"

We are thrilled to announce our Second Annual Irish Dance Performance, entitled "Distinctly Irish", on Monday, June 21st at the [Renton Ikea Center](#). Lobby doors open at 6:30 PM; performance begins at 7 PM. Please join us for an evening of live music and original choreography performed by Momentum Irish Dancers.

5. Performances and Art Exhibit

Come enjoy our first ever Momentum Art Exhibit featuring works by the Art Foundations class. Pieces will be on display in the lobby of the Highline PAC during the Season Finale Dance Performances.



“Dancing Through the Decades”

June 22, 2010

7 PM

Highline Performing Arts Center

Our annual Contemporary Dance Performance features jazz, tap, hip hop, Broadway and modern dance classes. Costumes typically arrive in late May and early June. Detailed information packets will be distributed in classes. Please make every effort to attend all required rehearsals. Also make a note of any costume needs, including color of tights and/or shoes, as well as hair specifications for each dance.

“Paquita”

June 29th and 30th

6:30 PM

Highline Performing Arts Center

All Joy of Movement, Creative Movement, Pre Ballet and Ballet students will perform a ballet entitled “Paquita.” Costumes typically arrive in late May and early June. Detailed information packets will be distributed in classes. Please make every effort to attend all required rehearsals. Also make a note of any special costume needs, including color of tights and hair accessories.



6. Individual and Class Photos

Momentum Music and Dance Academy has invited [Mowery Photography](#) to take individual and class pictures this year. Students participating in “Distinctly Irish” and “Dancing through the Decades” will be taking photos on Friday, June 18th. Ballet dancers in “Paquita” will have photos taken at Dress Rehearsal on Monday, June 28th. Specific photography times will be assigned to each class.

“MOWERY’S PHOTOGRAPHY is honored to be asked to photograph Momentum’s performance pictures this year. We are from Burien and have been photographing dance studios for over 25 years. We strive to maintain the highest quality in portraiture and offer a money back guarantee, so please, order with confidence. If you have any questions, please contact me at 206-935-3769 or via e-mail..... chris@mowerys.com. We look forward to meeting you in June.” ~Chris Mowery

7. Volunteers Needed

Parent and community volunteers are essential to the success of our June performances. Volunteers assist back stage during dress rehearsals and performances with chaperoning students, refreshments, costumes and setting up props and scenery, among other things. Please contact Nikki at nallen@momentumdanceacademy.com to sign up as a volunteer. Thank you for your consideration.

8. Strawberry Festival

Select classes will be chosen to perform in Burien’s Wild Strawberry Festival on Saturday, June 19th, 2010. This year’s Strawberry Festival will take place in the new Burien Town Square and feature arts and crafts, a car show, food and live entertainment for the whole family. Momentum dancers will perform on the main stage from 10:00am to 10:45am. Permission slips for this event will be available soon!

9. Tuition Payments

Tuition must be paid in full by June 10th. Students with unpaid tuition balances at the end of the school year may not be allowed to participate in the performances. We appreciate your prompt payments. Thank you.

10. Summer Classes & Camps

Each summer, Momentum offers a variety of classes and camps for music, art and dance students. This year, weekly classes will run from Monday, July 12th through Saturday, August 21st. A full list of classes is available on our [website](#) and at the front desk. Private music lessons are scheduled individually to meet the needs of each student. Weekly Camps are listed below. Students should bring a small snack and water bottle each day. Registration for summer classes is now open!



Dates	Time	Camp	Ages	Fee	Performance
July 19 - 23	9:30 - 11:45	Fairies and Fairytales	4 - 6	\$80	July 23
July 19 - 23	10:00 - 11:45	Art Foundations	9 - 14	\$80	July 23 (exhibit)
July 27 - 30	9:45 - 11:45	Liturgical	10 - 14	\$50	Aug 1 - JKPC
July 26 - 30	10:00 - 11:15	Art Foundations	5 - 8	\$70	July 30 (exhibit)
August 2 - 5	9:30 - 11:45	Sing and Dance	7 - 11	\$70	Aug 5
August 9 - 12	9:30 - 11:45	Storybook Acting	5 - 8	\$70	Aug 12
August 16 - 20	9:30 - 11:45	Princess Ballerina	4 - 6	\$80	Aug 20

11. Unattended Child Policy

To ensure safety for our students, we recommend that children arrive no more than 10 minutes before the start of their lesson. Students should wait quietly for their lesson to begin and remain in the Momentum Academy lobby. Children under the age of 6 should be supervised by an adult at all times. They may not be permitted to play in the hallways and should be accompanied by an adult to the restroom. Following their lesson, students should also wait in the lobby. They should be picked up promptly. If something occurs to delay pick up of your student, please inform the office if possible. Students 6 years and under should be met at the appropriate studio by their parent/guardian. Under no circumstance should students or siblings be left unattended at Momentum Music and Dance Academy. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

12. Mark Your Calendar

Don't Forget: We have an [Annual Academy Calendar](#) application for you! This interactive calendar can be shared, printed, or viewed as a list of events. We also offer widgets that will give you the flexibility of viewing the calendar outside of your browser. We hope that this option will help you stay connected with the happenings at Momentum!



May 10	Performance Tickets on Sale
May 10 - May 15	Observation Week
May 31	CLOSED - Memorial Day
June 10	Annual Spring Music Recital
June 18	Photo Day - "Irish" and "Decades" dancers
June 19	Strawberry Festival - select classes
June 26	Last Day of Spring Classes
July 1 - July 5	CLOSED - Independence Day Weekend
July 6	First Day of Summer Classes