

CONCERT HANDBOOK 2026

In 2026 there will be two concerts, a Preschool & Tinies Concert and a separate LJR Curriculum Concert

Classes NOT performing in the Concert:

General Classes:

- All General Classes do not have a performance in the concert as these classes do not have a commitment.

Classes that ARE performing in the Concert:

Preschool Classes:

- Wednesday morning LJR Stars classes will perform in the concert.
- Saturday Tinies classes will perform in the concert.

Troupe classes:

- All LJR Curriculum Troupe & hip-hop classes will perform in the concert.

PRESCHOOL & TINIES CONCERT

Confirmation:

Tinies and Preschool:

Please confirm your dancer's involvement in the concert by replying to the confirmation email which will be sent in September/October.

By confirming that your dancer will take part in the concert you are agreeing to:

- Pay in full the costume fee before the date of the concert.
- Complete your dancer's hair accordingly.
- Purchase the correct shoes and stockings from Dance Zone.

Where and When:

Where: Golden Grove Recreation Centre

When: Tuesday 15th December 2026

Arrival Time: 4:00pm

Concert Start Time: 4:30pm

(There is no rehearsal for the Tinies & Preschool Concert)

Please Arrive with:

- Your Hair done.
- Your Makeup done (optional).
- **HAVE YOUR DANCER ARRIVE IN THEIR COSTUME!**

Drop Off and Pick Up:

1. Arrive at the Golden Grove Recreation Centre
2. Drop my dancer off at the front desk with Miss Jadey and other LJR Staff
3. Go to see Miss Sherri at the theatre doors to have your named ticked off.
4. Enter the theatre and sit anywhere you please.
5. Watch the entire performance. There will be 4 acts (Tinies, Preschool & two senior acts) as well as a presentation.
6. Pick your dancer up from the stage.
7. Exit the theatre as soon as possible as LJR have their LJR Curriculum Concert to get ready for soon after.

Costume:

- All costumes will be sourced by LJR and sold to you via invoice. Estimated budget of \$80 - \$150 for the costume. The costume may be a slightly lower or higher price than the budget.

You will need to purchase:

- Theatrical Pink Stockings from DANCEZONE
- Ballet Shoes from DANCEZONE

Hair & Makeup:

It is your responsibility to do your dancers hair and makeup BEFORE you arrive at the venue.

- Hair in 2 high buns <https://youtu.be/xvoweP9AjvU>
- Makeup (optional): <https://youtu.be/A69XzoCPxdo>

Tickets & Video:

PLEASE WAIT FOR THE 'TICKET SALE EMAIL' BEFORE PURCHASING YOUR TICKETS!

You are required to purchase a ticket for every seat that you require for your family. Children under 4 years old can sit on laps and therefore do not require a ticket.

- If you wish to watch the Preschool & Tinies Concert you can purchase a ticket for **\$15 per ticket**. This price does NOT include a ticket to the LJR Curriculum Concert.

How to Purchase a Ticket:

1. Transfer the correct amount into the LJR Bank account with the reference listed as 'tickets.'
2. Email [ljrdanceacademy@gmail.com](mailto:ljordanceacademy@gmail.com) with the bank transfer receipt, confirm with the number of tickets you would like, and specify if you would like a ticket to the LJR Curriculum Concert, Preschool & Tinies Concert or both.

Once we have received the confirmation email, your name and the number of tickets will be added to our door list.

How to Purchase the Concert Video:

The concert will be professionally filmed. If you would like a copy of the concert video, please transfer \$40 to the LJR Bank Account. Please let us know in the reference if you would like to receive the video via link or USB. Please reference either "Video Link" or "Video USB" in your transfer message. This video cannot be shared due to child protection laws and copyright laws.

No filming on phones or personal devices permitted in the auditorium during the performance.

LJR CURRICULUM CONCERT

Confirmation:

All troupe members are required to be in the concert as dancers agreed to the date by enrolling in the LJR Curriculum (see troupe handbook).

By confirming that your dancer will take part in the concert you are agreeing to:

- Pay in full the costume fees before the date of the concert.
- Have your dancer attend the Closed Rehearsal and the Concert.
- Complete your dancer's hair and makeup accordingly.
- Purchase the correct shoes and stockings from Dance Zone.
- Abide by all the rules and policies set out in this handbook.

Where and When:

Where: Golden Grove Recreation Centre

When: Monday 14th December 2026 **CLOSED REHEARSAL DAY**

Tuesday 15th December 2026 **CONCERT DAY**

Concert Day (Tuesday) Arrival Time: 5:00pm

Concert (Tuesday) Start Time: 6:00pm

The Closed Rehearsal (MONDAY THE 14TH OF DECEMBER):

The rehearsal will be on Monday the 15th of December at the theatre. **THIS IS A FULLDRESS REHEARSAL (MAKEUP/HAIR AND COSTUMES)**. A timeline of the rehearsal will be given closer to the date.

Drop Off and Pick Up:

1. Arrive at the venue at arrival time.
2. Drop my dancer off at the front desk.
3. Leave the venue or wait in the foyer area.
4. Pick my dancer up from the front desk at the end of their rehearsal.

***No parents permitted in the auditorium or dressing rooms during the rehearsal. ***

The Concert (TUESDAY THE 15TH OF DECEMBER):

The Concert will be on Tuesday the 16th of December at the theatre. **THIS IS A FULLDRESS CONCERT (MAKEUP/HAIR AND COSTUMES)**. A program will be given closer to the date.

Drop Off and Pick Up:

1. Arrive at the venue.
2. Drop my dancer off at the front desk.
3. Go and find my seat in the audience.
4. Watch the show.
5. Pick my dancer up from the dressing room/foyer area after the show.

Costume:

By having your dancer partake in the concert you are agreeing to pay for their costumes in full before the date of the concert. All costumes will be sourced by LJR and sold to you. In the instance that you are required to source your costume, you will be told via email. Depending on the routine, costumes will be differing prices. The budget listed below is a general price guide that the costume could be. The costume could be slightly under or over this budget. Troupe costumes will be on the higher end of the budget. Budget - \$80-\$250. Students will perform their competition routines which you have already purchased and received a costume for. If you have enrolled in Troupe after the competitions, you will be required to pay for a costume for the Troupes that your dancer has been added into. (See Troupe Handbook for more information on Troupe Costumes). Each troupe member will be required to pay for one Finale Costume.

Hair:

It is your responsibility to do your dancers hair before you arrive at the venue for the Closed Rehearsal and the Concert. Your dancer's hair must stay in and last, therefore generous amounts of hair spray, mousse or wax must be used. Hair must be neat and secure with no fly away hairs.

All Troupe Students: Middle Part Low Bun

Makeup:

It is your responsibility to do your dancers makeup before you arrive at the venue for the Closed Rehearsal and Concert.

All Troupe students: Please follow our tutorial <https://youtu.be/A69XzoCPxdo>

Tan:

Fake tanning is optional however strongly recommended for all students in 10&u and above. Here are some tanning products that we recommended:

Gradual tan (Put on night before after shower, don't shower in morning):

- Dove gradual tan stocked at Priceline, Woolworths, Chemist Warehouse, Big W
- Eco Tan stocked at Priceline (good for sensitive skin all organic ingredients)
- Palmers gradual tan stocked at Kmart

Foam tan (Put on night before, rinse of in shower in the morning):

- Bondi Sands stocked at Woolworths, Priceline, Big W, Target
- Loving Tan stocked at Priceline or Online stores

Instant tan (Put on in the morning let dry before getting dressed):

Bondi sands GLO instant tan cream or spray

What do I pack in my dancer's Concert Bag?

***A list of the correct stockings and shoes will be sent out closer to the date of the concert. ***

- Costumes for all my routines.
- Stockings for all my routines.
- A spare pair of stockings (in case of holes).
- Dance shoes for all my routines.
- Makeup
- Hairspray and pins
- A bottle of water

Please Arrive with:

- Your Hair done
- Your Makeup done
- In casual activewear or dancewear **NOT YOUR COSTUME**
- With all the above-mentioned essentials in your concert bag

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Volunteers:

All LJR Dance Academy teachers and staff will be working in the dressing room with your dancers. All our staff and teachers have a current WWC clearance. We will require some parent volunteers with current WWC clearances to help in our dressing rooms on both the Monday Rehearsal Day and the Concert Day. If you would like to be a volunteer, please let us know. If you are a volunteer, you will still be able to watch your dancer from side stage in all their routines.

Detailed information will be sent out close to the date of our concert.