

Hello everyone,

Just a reminder that auditions for the CDBN 2017-2018 Competition Team are taking place this coming week.

Date: Tuesday, May 23, 2017

4:30pm-6pm Juniors (Boys & Girls ages 6-13) Age as of January 1, 2018

Date: Wednesday, May 24, 2017

5:00pm-7:00pm Teens/Seniors (Boys & Girls ages 14-20 years old)

Location: 1919 Menalto Ave. Menlo Park

Additional Information - - especially for our new dancers :-)

- 1) Auditions may last longer depending on the number of dancers auditioning in each group.
Parents are NOT allowed to be inside the studio while auditions are taking place.
- 2) Arrive 1/2 hour early so that you can warm up
- 3) If you are auditioning to be evaluated for both the junior and teen team, you need to attend BOTH audition sessions.
- 4) Attire: ALL BLACK
 - girls: booty shorts or dance pants. No loose t-shirts (should wear tighter fitting shirt/tank top/camisole).
 - boys: shorts and a t-shirt or tank top
 - shoes: varies depending on dance: tennis shoes (Converse, etc.) for Hip Hop; jazz shoes for jazz; tap shoes for tap; ballet slippers or pointe shoes for ballet; socks/toe-undies or bare foot for lyrical, contemporary
- 5) HAIR: pulled back and away from face
- 6) No need to prepare a dance routine. Dancers will be taught a dance segment and get to practice it a few times (in a group setting). Then small groups will perform it together so the instructors can evaluate the dancers. This will be repeated for the various styles of dance that a dancer is interested in. For example, a jazz segment for a jazz dance, a hip hop routine for a hip hop dance, etc.
- 7) We suggest you bring a bottle of water and perhaps a snack if you feel you need one for the length of your audition(s).
- 8) Remember to show emotion (ex: smile if it is an upbeat, happy song)...this is important for competition dancers.

Wishing you all the best as you audition!