

FFP Apprentice Company Information, Fall 2010

If you are interested in auditioning for the new FFP apprentice program, please read the information below. If you have any questions, email the Education Coordinator, Nicole Predki, at lanakila@msn.com.

Audition Date: 4-6pm, Sunday August 22nd. Please note that you must call the FFP office to register for the audition. 303-245-8272

Who we are looking for:

Audition will not be based on ability, but rather a strong desire to learn more about the art of aerial dance.

We will be looking for a total of 30 apprentice company members, broken down into 3 ages groups: 8-10yrs, 11-16yrs, and 17+ yrs.

In each age group, we are looking for a group of dancers that work well together, and fit into our vision for our December show.

Apprentice Company Class Requirements:

Each company member must take company class, as well as one additional class, for a total of two classes per week. Depending on the apprentice company member's ability and interest, they may also be required to take a semi-private or fitness classes. Each apprentice company member will meet with the Education Coordinator to design a training program that best suits his or her needs and interests.

Company Classes:

8-10 yrs: 5-6pm, starting September 13th through December 6th
*NOTE: 8-10 year olds must also take the 4-5pm class on Mondays

11-16yrs: Wednesdays 5-6pm, starting September 8th through December 1st

17+ yrs: Fridays 5-6pm, starting September 10th through December 3rd

In addition, apprentice company members may be required for the times below. A more detailed schedule will be announced after the audition, when the cast for the December show is decided.

Sundays starting Nov 7th from 3-5pm

Monday, Dec. 6: time TBA

Wed. Dec. 8: time TBA

Thurs. Dec. 9: time TBA

Dress Rehearsal: 7 PM Thurs. Dec. 9th

All Apprentice Company members must be available for all shows

Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays

Dec. 10, 11, 12 & 17, 18, 19

7 PM on Fridays and Saturdays, 2 PM on Sundays

Costs Involved in Apprentice Program

Classes: As an Apprentice Company member, you get a 20% discount on classes. Since you have to take a minimum of 2 classes per week, *each of the 3 sessions* before the December show will cost you \$160, including the 20% discount. Depending on your skill level, you may also be required to take semi private coaching (an extra \$60/session), or Aerial Fitness classes (also an extra \$60/session).

Additional Costs: There will be a costume and production fee in order to participate in the December show. This cost will be determined once casts are set after the audition. We are trying to keep this cost under \$100.