

# Carnival of the Animals Dress Rehearsal Schedule

## Thursday May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026

**DRESS REHEARSAL** is Thursday May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2026 from 9am-9:30pm. It will be a **CLOSED REHEARSAL**, meaning that the Covey Center will not allow parents in the performance hall during rehearsal. **Parents will need to stay in the dressing rooms with their dancer(s) or drop them off by the loading dock and come back to pick them up.** Listed below is the dress rehearsal outline. You may pick up your dancer after their last rehearsal time. This is our one and only rehearsal on stage before the concerts. Please come dressed in *full costume, hair, and makeup*.

\*Plan to arrive 20 minutes *before* your rehearsal listed below, so that your dancer will be **ON STAGE** at the time listed. We have a tight schedule, so please **PLAN** ahead!

<b>Dance</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Class</b>
Kangaroos	9:00- 9:20am	Pre Level Cast A, B, C, D
Cuckoo Birds	9:20- 9:40am	Pre Level Cast A, B, C, D
Elephants	9:40- 10:00am	Level 1 Cast A, B, C, D
Piano Players	10:00- 10:20am	Level 1 Cast A, B, C, D
Tortoises	10:20- 10:40am	Level 2 Modern Cast A, B, C, D
Aviary	10:40- 11:00am	Level 2 Ballet Cast A, B, C, D
Elephants	11:00- 11:20am	Level 3 Modern Cast A, B, D
Donkeys	11:20- 11:40am	Level 3 Jazz Cast A, B, D
Piano Players	11:40- 12:00pm	Level 3 Ballet Cast A, B, D
Wild Mules	12:00- 12:20pm	Level 4 Modern Cast A/D, Cast B, Cast C
Aquarium	12:20- 12:40pm	Level 4 Ballet Cast A/D, Cast B, Cast C
Cuckoo Birds	12:40- 1:00pm	Level 4 Jazz Cast A/D, Cast B, Cast C
<b>BREAK FOR TECH CREW AND DIRECTORS</b>		
Ring Master Solo	2:00- 2:05pm	Soloist
Lions	2:05- 2:20pm	PDC Jazz
Lions	2:20- 2:35pm	Dance Co Jazz
Lions	2:35- 2:50pm	Senior Co Jazz
Hen Trio	2:50- 2:55pm	Soloists
Hens	2:55- 3:10pm	Company 3 Modern
Chickens	3:10- 3:25pm	Junior Co Modern
Mule Solo	3:25- 3:30pm	Soloist
Wild Mules	3:30- 3:45pm	Dance Co Modern
Tortoise Solo	3:45- 3:50pm	Soloist
Tortoises	3:50- 4:10pm	Company 2 Ballet
Elephant Solo	4:10- 4:15pm	Soloist
Kangaroo Solo	4:15- 4:20pm	Soloist
Kangaroos	4:20- 4:35pm	Company 1 Modern
Aquarium	4:35- 4:50pm	Company 2 Modern
Aquarium	4:50- 5:05pm	Senior Co Modern
Donkey Solo	5:05- 5:10pm	Soloist
Donkeys	5:10- 5:25pm	Company 2 Jazz
FINALE	5:25- 5:30pm	ALL COMPANIES
<b>BREAK FOR TECH CREW AND DIRECTORS</b>		
Cuckoo Birds	6:00- 6:15pm	Choreography Class
Cuckoo Birds	6:15- 6:30pm	Company 3 Ballet
Aviary Solo	6:30- 6:35pm	Soloist

Aviary	6:35- 6:50pm	Junior Co Ballet
Aviary	6:50- 7:05pm	Company 1 Ballet
Pianist Solo	7:05- 7:10pm	Soloist
Piano Players	7:10- 7:25pm	Company 3 Jazz
Fossil Solo	7:25- 7:30pm	Soloist
Fossils	7:30- 7:45pm	Junior Co Jazz
Fossils	7:45- 8:00pm	Company 1 Jazz
Swans	8:00- 8:45pm	PDC, Dance Co, & Senior Co Ballet
Dying Swan Solo	8:45- 8:50pm	Soloist
Aquarium Solo	8:50- 8:55pm	Soloist
Aquarium	8:55- 9:10pm	PDC Modern

**CAST A – Performs Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup> @ 4:00pm**

*Pre-Level, Level 1, and Level 2 Monday Classes*

**CAST B – Performs Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00pm**

*Pre-Level, Level 1, and Level 2 Tuesday Classes*

**CAST C – Performs Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> @ 4:00pm**

*Pre-Level, Level 1, and Level 2 Wednesday Classes*

**CAST D – Performs Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> @ 7:00pm**

*Pre-Level, Level 1, and Level 2 Thursday Classes*

**Level 3 Cast A (Monday 4:00-6:00 & Wednesday 6:30-8:30) – Performs Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup> @4:00pm**

**Level 3 Cast B (Tuesday 4:00-6:00 & Thursday 6:30-8:30) –Performs Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup> @7:00pm**

**Level 3 Cast D (Tuesday 7:00-9:00 & Thursday 4:00-6:00) –Performs Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> @7:00pm**

**Level 4 Cast A/D–Performs Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup> @4:00pm & Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> @7:00pm**

**Level 4 Cast B–Performs Friday, May 15<sup>th</sup> @7:00pm**

**Level 4 Cast C–Performs Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> @4:00pm**

**\* Company Dancers will perform in ALL 4 concerts**

**DRESSING ROOMS- Please remember** that ALL casts are there for the dress rehearsal and the **dressing rooms can be very crowded. Please don't loiter in the dressing rooms or hallways** while other dancers are trying to get to their rehearsal time. The concert nights will only have one cast and there will be more room for everyone to stay in the dressing rooms while they wait for their performance time. *Please do not dress in the lobby areas or bathrooms!*

**PARKING-** The Covey Center offers parking in their lot, but parking is also available in the parking lot off 100 South located south of the Covey Center if you are not able to find a spot. There is limited parking on Center Street and is subject to restrictions. Those parking on Center Street do so at their own risk. CCA and TDC are not responsible for any tickets or fines.

**FOOD-** There is absolutely no food or drink (other than water in closed water bottles) in the performance hall or lobbies. For those dancers that will be at the rehearsal for a longer duration may bring snacks to be eaten in the dressing room only.

**COSTUMES AND DANCE ATTIRE-** Please mark **ALL** belongings. TDC is not responsible for lost items and is not able to replace lost items. Please refer to the costume checklist for costume information, as well as hair and makeup information.

**WARM UP – May 15<sup>th</sup> and May 16<sup>th</sup> ALL PDC, Dance Co, Senior, and Junior Company dancers**

will need to be at the Covey Center for warm up from 2:30-3:20pm in the classroom upstairs and on the stage. **Company 1, Company 2, and Company 3 dancers** will need to be at the Covey at 3:00pm for a half hour company warm up in the classroom upstairs. **ALL OTHER** dancers will need to be at the Covey at 3:30pm for the 4:00pm concerts and 6:30pm for the 7:00pm concert.

**PICTURES AND VIDEO-** You may take pictures during the concert as long as there is **NO FLASH**. All video cameras must be self-contained. You can purchase concert videos at [www.baldwinmedia.com/tdc](http://www.baldwinmedia.com/tdc)

**TICKETS-** Concert tickets are \$10.00 each and can be purchased through the Covey Center website or by calling/visiting the box office. The performance hall will not open until a half an hour before each concert. Between concerts, you will have to **EXIT THE HALL** to allow for cleaning before the second concert.