

## CAROLINA DANCE MASTERS CONVENTION 2012

NOVEMBER 9-11

Our students have the opportunity to attend the Carolina Dance Masters Convention that will be held in Greensboro at the Koury Convention Center, Sheraton Four Seasons November 9-11. This is a wonderful educational opportunity for our students to take classes from nationally acclaimed teachers with other dancers from across our state. Students from our school who are 7 years old (2nd grade), who take at least two different types of dancing, with two years experience, may attend. Classes will be given in all subjects including Ballet, Tap, Jazz, and Hip Hop. Students will be expected to participate in all classes. Our students will be divided into age categories which are set by Carolina Dance Masters:

**Mini Students – Ages 7 - 8 Juniors Ages 9-11, Teen 12-13, Seniors 14 +, Teachers**

Classes normally begin at 9:00AM Saturday morning! Classes normally end at 4:00PM Sunday. We do not have a schedule of classes as of yet. Mini students normally have a shorter day.

All students who attend the convention must have their own chaperone and transportation to and from the convention. We suggest that parents and students double up, four to a room, and make it a mother/daughter weekend. The convention center is a little over an hour away from Concord, so parents can opt to drive back and forth for classes or spend the night at the Convention Hotel. High school students may drive themselves to the convention center with parental permission or get hotel rooms with a responsible adult chaperone. Our staff will not share hotel rooms with students or act as chaperones for them.

**How much does it cost?** Tuition for Mini students is \$130. Tuition for Junior & Senior Students is \$150. This fee includes admission to all classes, a banquet ticket for Saturday, and the Miss Dance Scholarship Competition which will be held on Friday and Saturday nights. This fee must be paid in full by Wednesday, October 10. CDM will not accept checks from parents, so make out your check to Cabarrus Dance Academy. Late fees will not be accepted. Tuition is not refundable for any reason!

Only registered students may enter the classrooms. Registered students will wear a colored arm band for identification. Parents who wish to watch student classes must purchase an Observer Pass @ \$25. Our school will receive ONE FREE PARENT/MONITOR pass to chaperone our MINI students. These younger students must be chaperoned at all times. Parents of Mini students must share this duty.

There is a banquet for students on Saturday night and scholarship competition (Fri & Sat) which are included in the fees. Students and parents can opt to attend these events. Banquet tickets are \$45 for parents. (*We do not expect parents to attend banquet*). Competition tickets are \$6 and program books are \$6. Convention tee shirts (\$15) must be pre-ordered, or purchase on site for \$20.

Hotel: Sheraton Four Seasons Hotel, Greensboro. If you plan to attend, do not delay in making your reservation. This is a very busy weekend. Call 1-800-242-6556 or 1-336-292-9161. You are responsible for making your own hotel arrangements. Confirm affiliation with Carolina Dance Masters.

The Four Seasons Mall is next door to the hotel and most students eat lunch on Saturday at the food court. Parents must chaperone and provide meals for students. The Sat. banquet is the only meal included in the student tuition.

We are proud to be members of Dance Masters and happy that we can offer this opportunity to our students. We must stand firmly by our October 12 deadline to register. 100% of your convention tuition goes to Carolina Dance Masters. Our school does not “make” anything from the convention. Neither can our school refund your money if your child is ill or changes her mind about participating at the last minute. We are a non-competitive studio, thus none of our students will be competing in any events.

This is definitely a learning weekend geared to those students who really love to dance!

Registration For Carolina Dance Masters Convention

## November 9-11

Name of Student (s) \_\_\_\_\_ Age(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
*(you must be at least 7 years old, with at least two years dance training to attend and represent our school)*

Name of Parent Chaperone \_\_\_\_\_

Age Categories: Mini 7-8, Junior 9-11, Teen 12-13, Senior 14 +, Teacher

	X\$130	MINI STUDENTS	Includes classes, banquet, competitions	\$
	X\$150	JUNIOR STUDENTS	Includes classes, banquet, competitions	\$
	X\$150	TEEN STUDENTS	Includes classes, banquet, competitions	\$
	X\$150	SENIOR STUDENTS	Includes classes, banquet, competitions	\$
	X\$190	TEACHERS	Includes classes, banquet, competitions	\$
	X\$145	DMA TEACHERS	Includes classes, banquet, competitions	\$
	X \$25	OBSERVER PASS	Includes admission to student classes	\$
	X \$6	FRI. COMP. TICKET	Parent admission to Fri. competition	\$
	X \$6	SAT. COMP. TICKET	Parent admission to Sat. competition	\$
	X \$15	TEE SHIRT	Must be pre-ordered	\$
		<i>Indicate size (not fitted)</i>	<i>CS-CM-CL AS-AM-AL-AXL</i>	
	X \$6	PROGRAM	Miss Dance Competition Program	\$
	X \$45	PARENT BANQUET	Must be pre-ordered (not required)	\$
			TOTAL AMOUNT DUE	\$

**PLEASE MAKE YOUR PAYMENT PAYABLE TO CABARRUS DANCE ACADEMY.**

CAROLINA DANCE MASTERS WILL NOT ACCEPT INDIVIDUAL CHECKS FROM PARENTS!

**DEADLINE October 10**

YOU CAN PAY AT THE STUDIO BY CASH – CHECK- CREDIT

Remember: These fees are set by Carolina Dance Masters. They are not refundable for any reason. Miss Tammy cannot get your money back if you or your child become sick, hospitalized, or change your plans. Children who are not registered may not enter classrooms. Teachers may not register as observers.