

# Youth Dance Theatre of Michigan Company Auditions

**Sunday, August 24, 2009**

*Ages as of September 1, 2008*



## **Ages 8-12**

Registration 1:00pm                      Dance Arts of Chelsea                      548 Washington St Chelsea 48118  
Audition 1:30pm

## **Ages 13-18**

Registration 2:00pm                      Dance Arts of Chelsea                      548 Washington St Chelsea 48118  
Audition 2:30pm

## **REGISTRATION PROCESS**

- Turn in complete Registration Form and Rehearsal Conflict Form along with **\$20 Audition Fee**
- Audition Numbers will be handed out upon registration
- Dancers may then warm-up in Studio B until Audition time
- Dancers will be released from Auditions in a rolling fashion to better facilitate the audition process
- Letters of acceptance/regret will be mailed the first week of September
- Nutcracker Casting will be posted at the Dance Arts of Chelsea studios when complete

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## **Youth Dance Theatre of Michigan 2008-2009 Calendar**

### **MEMBERSHIP EVENTS**

Saturday, September 6	Time TBA	Member Car Wash Fundraiser
Sunday, September 7	4:30pm	General Membership Meeting

### **THE NUTCRACKER**

#### **MANDATORY DATES**

Sunday, November 23	Time TBA	Rehearsal-DAC
Monday, December 1	Time TBA	Rehearsal-CHS
Tuesday, December 2	Time TBA	Rehearsal-CHS
Wednesday, December 3	Time TBA	Rehearsal-CHS
Thursday, December 4	Time TBA	Rehearsal-CHS
Friday, December 5	Time TBA	Rehearsal-CHS
Saturday, December 6	12:00-10:00pm	Performances-CHS
Sunday, December 7	12:00-6:00pm	Performance-CHS

*Individual rehearsals will be held on **Saturdays and/or Sundays** beginning in September 7*

### **SPRING SHOW (Title TBA)**

#### **MANDATORY DATES**

Sunday, February 22	Time TBA	Rehearsal-CHS
Friday, February 27	Time TBA	Rehearsal-CHS
Saturday, February 28	12:00-10:00pm	Performances-CHS

*Many individual rehearsals will be held on **Saturdays and Sundays** beginning in January*

*Some limited rehearsals may take place during Winter Break*

### **ADDITIONAL PERFORMANCE OPPORTUNITIES**

#### **MANDATORY DATES IF SELECTED TO PARTICPATE**

##### Michigan Youth Arts Festival

Sunday, February 1	Time TBA	Adjudication-Detroit Opera House
Thurs, May 7-Sat, May 9	Time TBA	Festival-Western Michigan University

##### EMU Community Dance Day

Late March/Early April	Date TBA	Eastern Michigan University
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No. \_\_\_\_\_

Dancer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Height: \_\_\_\_\_

Dancer Cell: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Dancer Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parent/Guardian Information**

<u>First and Last Name</u>	<u>Business Phone</u>	<u>Cell Phone</u>	<u>Email Address</u>
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

**Dance Class Enrollment**

**You must attend 4 classes weekly (3 of which must be ballet) to be considered for YDT Membership**

Please List all dance classes you plan to attend weekly during the 2008-2009 school year

<u>Class</u>	<u>Day and Time</u>	<u>Studio</u>
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

**I would like to be considered for the YDT Pre-professional Program**

*The Pre-professional Program will include additional training and performance opportunities for those interested in participating in a more serious training program*

*Requirements for consideration:*

- Must demonstrate strength in work ethic, dedication, attitude and citizenship*
- Must make participation in YDT a priority over other non-academic activities*
- Must be working on pointe and have not yet graduated high school*
- Must take four days of ballet weekly, including pointe work and partnering as appropriate*
- Need not pursue a professional career to be considered*

(For YDT use only)

Rehearsal Conflicts Confirmed \_\_\_\_\_

\$20 Audition Fee Paid (cash) \_\_\_\_\_ (check) \_\_\_\_\_

Dance Enrollment Confirmed \_\_\_\_\_

Vital Statistics Confirmed \_\_\_\_\_ No. Assigned \_\_\_\_\_

Dancer Name \_\_\_\_\_

## 2008-2009 REHEARSAL CONFLICTS

Please list below any potential conflicts you may have with the following rehearsal dates  
Please note that the number of conflicts is considered when casting



### Performance Intention

Please consider me for Casting in the Following 2008/2009 Productions:  
Casting will be posted at the Dance Arts of Chelsea Studios when complete and all casting decisions are final

**The Nutcracker (December 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> 2008)**       **Title TBA (Feb 28<sup>th</sup> 2009)**

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SEPTEMBER</b></p> <p>6    <u>Company Car Wash</u></p> <p>7    <u>Membership Meeting</u></p> <p>13   _____</p> <p>14   _____</p> <p>20   _____</p> <p>21   _____</p> <p>27   _____</p> <p>28   _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>OCTOBER</b></p> <p>4    _____</p> <p>5    _____</p> <p>11   _____</p> <p>12   _____</p> <p>18   _____</p> <p>19   _____</p> <p>25   _____</p> <p>26   _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NOVEMBER</b></p> <p>1    _____</p> <p>2    _____</p> <p>8    _____</p> <p>9    _____</p> <p>15   _____</p> <p>16   _____</p> <p>22   _____</p> <p>23   <u>Mandatory Nut Rehearsal</u></p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>DECEMBER</b></p> <p>1-7   <u>Nut Production Week</u></p> <p>13   _____</p> <p>14   _____</p> <p>20   _____</p> <p>21   _____</p> <p>27   _____</p> <p>28   _____</p> <p>Limited rehearsals may be called over break</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>JANUARY</b></p> <p>3    _____</p> <p>4    _____</p> <p>10   _____</p> <p>11   _____</p> <p>17   _____</p> <p>18   _____</p> <p>24   _____</p> <p>25   _____</p> <p>31   _____</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>FEBRUARY</b></p> <p>1    _____</p> <p>7    _____</p> <p>8    _____</p> <p>14   _____</p> <p>15   _____</p> <p>21   _____</p> <p>22   <u>Mandatory Rehearsal</u></p> <p>27   <u>Mandatory Rehearsal</u></p> <p>28   <u>Performance Day</u></p>

Please **circle** other organizations you have made commitments to during the course of the school year, even if their activities should not impact in the rehearsal schedule.

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|---------------|----------------|------------|------------|----------|--------------|
| Band          | Boy Scouts     | Dance Team | Soccer     | Baseball | Cheerleading |
| Choir         | Drama Club     | Twirling   | Volleyball | Softball | Mission Work |
| Orchestra     | Acting Lessons | Flag Corp  | Hockey     | Tennis   | Youth Group  |
| Music Lessons | Theatre        | Drill Team | Basketball | Swimming | Other _____  |
| Girl Scouts   | Jazz Ensemble  | Football   | Golf       | Skating  |              |