

# ROCKLAND YMCA DANCE & RUMBLE TUMBLE

Our dance & tumbling classes offer a non-competitive setting for children to learn and engage in the benefits of a quality program without the high prices of competitive institutions. YMCA Dance programs offer instructors with years of experience. We offer classes in Creative Movement, Tap, Jazz, Hip Hop, Lyrical, Contemporary, Ballet, and Rumble Tumble.

Classes available for children starting at age 3 & up

SEPTEMBER 5 – JUNE

Tuition \$528 - 2 payments of \$264

(due September & January)

YMCA Membership required

ROCKLAND COUNTY YMCA

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845-357-4404



Dear Dancers and Parents:

Welcome and thank you for registering for class at the Rockland County YMCA Suffern. I am excited to share my passion and commitment to the art of dance with all of you. We provide a nurturing environment where children will learn to appreciate dance, tumbling and movement as lifelong activities for self-expression, grace, strength, agility, creativity, and balance. Our teachers are highly qualified and care about the development of the whole person-mind, body and spirit. To make the dance experience more enjoyable, please review the following schedule and policies.

### **Dress Requirements**

**CREATIVE MOVEMENT & COMBO:** Any color leotard, pink tights, pink ballet shoes and/or black tap shoes.

**JAZZ & HIP HOP:** Any color leotard & tan tights or tank top, black jazz pants and tan jazz shoes.

**BALLET, LYRICAL, CONTEMPORARY & TAP & JAZZ:** Black leotard, tan or pink tights, tan jazz, tap, lyrical sandals and/or pink ballet shoes.

**RUMBLE TUMBLE:** Any color leotard or biketard, white gym shoes or barefoot.

**Hair for classes** – Hair must be neatly pulled back and up off shoulders. Buns are required for classical ballet. Please have your child prepared with the proper shoes, tights and accessories for class. If they dress like a dancer, they will feel like a dancer! Please no street clothes, sports jerseys or baggy clothes!

### **Refund and Make-Up Policies**

There are no refunds - a credit may be issued towards a different class or a sibling's tuition within the dance and activity scheduled programs for year 2019-20. Missed classes may be made-up at your convenience by attending a similar class on another day other than her/his regular scheduled day.

**Snow Policy** - In the event of snow, weekday classes will follow the Ramapo Central School closings. If there is a school delay, there will be no AM dance classes. If there is an early dismissal there will be no PM dance classes. Saturday snow cancellations will be announced on voicemail 845-357-4404, WHUD 107 FM RADIO & [WWW.WHUD.COM](http://WWW.WHUD.COM)

**Classroom Protocol** - Students who change shoes during their class will need to bring a dance bag into the classroom. Parents do not help children change their shoes; we learn how to do it ourselves. Please only keep dance supplies in your child's dance bag, if the bag is cluttered with clothes and toys it makes it difficult to find their shoes in the bottom of the bag. Please have your child's name clearly marked on all shoes and supply bag. Please arrive 5-10 minutes before your scheduled class time. Please take your young child to the bathroom before class begins as it can be very distracting to have children going to the bathroom during class.

**Spring Recital** - Students will have the opportunity to perform in our annual spring recital held at Rockland Community College in June. Recital performance is optional and not required to participate in classes. Costume measurements will be taken and fees (\$85) will be collected in January. In January we begin choreography for our recital so regular class attendance is crucial.

If you have any questions please speak with your child's teacher or contact the Dance Director, Becky Hallissey at [bhallissey@rocklandymca.org](mailto:bhallissey@rocklandymca.org)

Sincerely,  
YMCA Dance Staff

# ROCKLAND COUNTY YMCA DANCE & TUMBLING

September 5, 2019 – June 2020

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			3:45 pm 3 & 4 yr. Creative Movement Becky		
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5:00 pm 5 & 6 yr. Combo Jazz/Tap/Ballet Becky	5:30 pm 10 yr. & up Contemporary Lyrical	5:30 pm 7 yr. & up Hip Hop/Jazz Lisa	5:30 pm 7 yr. & up Hip-Hop & Tumbling Becky	5:00 pm Rumble Tumble 10 yr. & up Advance II Becky	9:00 am 3 & 4 yr. Ballet Creative Movement Becky & Kathy
6:00 pm 7 yr. & up Combo Jazz/Tap/Ballet Becky	6:30 pm Invitational Classical Ballet Pointe	6:30 pm 10 yr. & up Hip Hop/Jazz Lisa	6:30 pm 10 yr. & up Hip-Hop & Tumbling Becky	5:45 pm Rumble Tumble 7 yr. & up Intermediate Becky	10:00 am 5 & 6 yr. Combo Jazz/Tap/Ballet Becky & Kathy
7:00 pm 10 yr. & up Combo Jazz/Tap/Lyrical Becky	7:30 pm 13 yr. & up Contemporary Lyrical	7:30 pm 13 yr. & up Hip Hop/Jazz Lisa		6:30 pm Rumble Tumble 7 yr. & up Advanced I Becky	11:00 am 7 yr. & up Combo Jazz/Tap/Ballet Becky & Kathy

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**2019-20 DANCE &  
TUMBLING CALENDAR**

Full year runs 32 weeks  
with a make-up week reserved for  
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HIGHLIGHTED/CIRCLED DAYS ARE  
RESERVED TO MAKEUP FOR SNOW  
CANCELLATIONS NOT FOR  
INDIVIDUAL MAKEUP LESSONS

**IN THE EVENT OF SNOW,  
WEEKDAY CLASSES WILL FOLLOW  
RAMAPO CENTRAL SCHOOL  
CLOSINGS.  
ALL CANCELLATIONS WILL BE  
ANNOUNCED ON WHUD 107 FM  
RADIO & [WWW.WHUD.COM](http://WWW.WHUD.COM)  
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**SEPTEMBER**  
Tuition Due  
5 Classes Begin  
30 Rosh Hashanah

**OCTOBER**  
1 Rosh Hashanah  
9 - 14 Yom Kippur & Columbus Recess  
31 - Halloween

**NOVEMBER**  
5 Election Recess  
7 - 11 Veterans Recess  
26 - 30 Thanksgiving Recess

**DECEMBER**  
20 - 31 Winter Recess

**JANUARY**  
1 Winter Recess

**FEBRUARY**  
Tuition Due  
13 -19 Presidents' Recess

**MARCH**  
20 & 21 Recess

**APRIL**  
6 - 11 Spring Recess  
13 -18 Snow Make up week

**MAY**  
11 Recital tickets sales begin  
20 - 26 Memorial Recess

**JUNE**  
3 no class  
4 Rehearsal at RCC  
7 Recitals

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