Dear Parents,

All of the Dream Team/Pre-Pro staff is looking forward to the *Broadway at the Paramount* performance on Saturday, May 18 and the *Dream Team Showcase* performance coming up on Friday, May 31. Your children have been working so hard and we've seen such amazing progress over the semester. The next few weeks will be incredibly busy and we want to make sure we answer any questions clearly.

As there are a number of dates and details, we have outlined the schedule and provided some reminders below.

Please use this link to order tickets FOR THE DREAM TEAM SHOWCASE, tickets will be available soon.

https://www.dmradventures.com/tickets

Tickets for BATP may be purchased at this link <a href="https://www.theparamount.net/event/dmr-broadway/">https://www.theparamount.net/event/dmr-broadway/</a>

To make this as easy as possible, I have included a table of dates and times with information on what to expect if your child is signed up to fully complete Dream Team through the end of the year.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you have any questions.

#### Abbreviations:

BATP= Broadway at the Paramount

BAC= Belmont Arts Collaborative - our home base at 221 Carlton Road

RBYE= "Right Before Your Eyes" (Opening number for BATP featuring our troupes, staff and Matthew Steffens)

Believer = "I'm a Believer" - Act 1 Closing number, featuring troupes and includes the entire company

Act 2 Closer = A combo of "Beauty and the Beast" and "So Long, Farewell", the finale for BATP. The entire company will be in this closing number

DREAM TEAM SCHEDULE (BATP & SHOWCASE)					
Day	Event	Time/Location	Notes		
Wednesday 4/24	Dream Team/Pre-Pro Class	6-8 PM LOCATION: BAC	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack		
Tuesday 4/30	BATP Rehearsal Music for Believer and Closing Number	<i>5:45-6:45 PM</i> LOCATION: BAC	There is not time to eat, eat before or after.		
Wednesday 5/1	Dream Team/Pre-Pro Class	6-8 PM LOCATION: BAC	Eat before you arrive, bring a snack		
	BATP Troupe Choreo for ALL troupes for "RBYE" "Believer" and closing	7:00-8:30 PM LOCATION: BAC Please note this is a half hour extension to learn choreography!			
Saturday 5/4	ALL CALL for BATP (All numbers)	11:45 AM - 4:00 PM LOCATION: BAC	(Bring lunch or eat first)		
Sunday 5/5	BATP	1:00-5:30 PM RBYE 1:00-2:30 pm Believer 2:30-4:00 pm Act 2 closer 4:00-5:30 pm LOCATION: BAC	Eat lunch first Bring snacks		
Wednesday 5/8	Dream Team/Pre-Pro Class	6-8:30 PM LOCATION: BAC			
	BATP Group Numbers	7:00-8:30 PM We'll work with All Stars and Dream Team on the numbers in which we are featured. RBYE, Believer, and the Act 2 closing numbers LOCATION: BAC			
Saturday 5/11	BATP	6:30-8:30 PM Full Cast/Show stumble through LOCATION: BAC	Bring jazz shoes and snack, eat before arrival		
Tuesday 5/14	BATP	5:30-6:45 PM Full cast with Matt Steffens LOCATION: BAC	Bring jazz shoes and snack, eat before arrival Dream Team released at 6:45 UNLESS in Finding Nemo		

Wednesday 5/15	ВАТР	6-8 PM This is a very important time with our guest artist!! Last rehearsal at the BAC! LOCATION: BAC	Bring jazz shoe - may not have time for snack, so eat before and after!
Thursday 5/16	BATP Tech Rehearsal	5:15-7:50 PM LOCATION: The Paramount	Dream Team released at 7:50 UNLESS in Sound of Music (please reference other SoM Info Packet for that release time)
Friday 5/17	BATP Dress Rehearsal	4:30-9:00 PM LOCATION: The Paramount	Dinner will be provided. This is a dress rehearsal.
Sat. 5/18	BATP SHOW DAY!	12PM-9:00 PM  Break from the end of 1st show until 6:00PM if doing Red Carpet Walk, and 6:30 if not doing carpet walk.  Eat lunch before arrival, eat dinner on your break  LOCATION: The Paramount	12:00 PM - Student Call 1:00 PM - Lobby Opens 1:30 PM- House Opens 2:00 PM - SHOW 3:45 PM - SHOW END 3:50-4:00 PM - Sign Out 6:00 PM - Red Carpet Opens 6:30 PM - Lobby Opens 7:00 PM- House Opens 7:30 PM - Performance!
Weds. 5/22	Dream Team/Pre-Pro Class	6-8 PM LOCATION: BAC	Please have what you are doing for the showcase picked out by this date.
Weds. 5/29	Dream Team SHOWCASE Dress Rehearsal	6-8:30 PM LOCATION: BAC	Please bring what you plan to wear for the showcase
Thurs. 5/30	Dream Team SHOWCASE Dress Rehearsal	6-8:30 PM LOCATION: BAC	We understand this was a late addition to the calendar so we know some people have/will have conflicts. Please bring what you plan to wear for the showcase.
Fri. 5/31	Dream Team SHOWCASE	5:30 CALL TIME 7 PM SHOWTIME LOCATION: BAC	Last Dream Team event on the calendar for the year!

### What are Dream Team students performing in the Dream Team Showcase?

- Opening Up (all)
- Jitterbug (all)
- I'm A Believer (all)
- Scenes (There are two potential group scenes and a few small group scenes)

- Individual Showcase
  - o This should be around 3 minutes in length
  - Students may perform
    - A full song
    - A monologue
    - A combination of song and monologue
    - Please confirm this choice by Wednesday, May 22nd Dream Team rehearsal.

#### Reminders:

- Please encourage your Dream Team student to review "Jitterbug" and "Opening Up" choreo and songs posted on BAND - practice "as they would perform" (i.e. practice their staging)
- Bring a water bottle and snack to each rehearsal. An optional pizza dinner will be provided before Showcase Dress Rehearsal. Students are, of course, able to bring their own dinner and/or eat at home before arrival. On Showcase night – be sure to eat before and bring a snack.
- If students are planning to wear a face mask on-stage for the performance/dress rehearsal, we would like it to be black.
- Please arrive on-time, we will start promptly.
- Dream Team T-shirt: If you don't have one we will be ordering one for you. Please wear
  black pants/bottoms you can dance in. You can wear whatever you like for your
  individual showcase moment. Some will stay in their Dream Team shirt, some will
  change to something dressy. This is up to you, but keep in mind that you'll need to wear
  base layers if changing as there is not a private changing area.

#### What are Dream Team students performing in Broadway at the Paramount?

- Right Before Your Eyes (opening number, featuring our troupes, staff and Matthew Steffens)
- Jitterbug (Dream Team only, featuring Matthew Steffens)
- I'm a Believer (this is the FULL company and features Matthew Steffens and our pre-pro troupes)
- Act 2 Closing number: Beauty and the Beast/So Long Farewell.
- There may be additional numbers if your student was a part of any Mainstage Season Shows or JTF!