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Recreational Classes 2016-2017 Information and Registration Form

Dear Dance Student, Parent/Guardian, or Friend,

WELCOME (OR WELCOME BACK) TO PROPELLER DANCE!

We are so pleased to have you be a part of the Propeller Dance community through our classes! Below you will find important information, so please read carefully.

Please note: All students must submit a completed Registration Form at the first class of the season, even if you have already filled out one before.

Bring the Registration Form along with your payment for the semester to your first class.
If enrolling more than one student, please complete a separate form for each student.

You can keep these first two pages for your own information.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out.

Class information and expectations

1. The safety and well-being of each student is essential. **Please communicate with the teacher or our co-directors about how we can make the experience as positive as possible.**
2. Each class has one or more co-teachers or dance partner specialists. This person is there to ensure a safe and effective learning environment and assist in facilitating a positive dance experience.
3. **Please arrive to class approximately 15 minutes before start time so you have enough time to take off outdoor clothing and footwear and get settled in.**
4. We ask that you inform the teacher as far in advance as possible if you will be absent from class.
5. Classes can be done in bare feet, clean indoor soft-soled running shoes, or ballet type slippers. No slippery-soled shoes, no socks.
6. Students are required to attend class in clean clothes in good repair. Personal hygiene is important. Please be respectful of others you are dancing with.
7. **On rainy, slushy, or snowy days, please bring a cloth to wipe down your wheelchair wheels.** (You can ask a dance partner specialist to help you!)
8. **Propeller staff or volunteers will not be able to toilet students or change students if soiled.** Students will be accompanied to the outside door of the bathroom, and staff will wait for them outside as needed.
9. **If additional support is required, we welcome you to arrange for a care person to accompany you or the student.** The support person will be asked either to participate as an equal student in the dance class or to wait outside the studio until their assistance is needed if they choose not to dance. **There is no cost for the support person to attend or participate.**
10. Subsidies are available on an honour system for those in need. Please talk to your teacher.

Class Fees

Class fees are due at the first class of each season. Classes rates for the 2016-2017 season will remain the same as last year – \$12 per class (company classes, a great professional development opportunity open to dancers by invitation, are \$15 per class). If you have need, subsidies may be available as our funding permits, but please note that we cannot guarantee that one will be available to you. You can speak directly to your teacher.

Recitals and Events

At the end of each term, there is usually a recital or open class where we like to share what we have been doing and show off our talents and creativity. If you do not want to participate, please let your teacher know.

Our Community Day for all and Annual General Meeting for members takes place each December. It is usually an informal and fun showing of our term, and it is the only time all of our students from each program (children, youth, and adults) come together to meet, share, celebrate, and dance.

Mark your calendar! This year's Community Day will be held on the afternoon of Sunday, December 4, 2016. The day will start at 1:00 PM, followed by our AGM at 3:00 PM. More details will be coming along soon. It is our 10th year as well, so we think it will be extra fun and special!

About Propeller Dance

- Propeller Dance is Ontario's only integrated dance company for people with and without disability. We celebrate all forms of diversity, and value unique expressions in art making.
- Propeller Dance was founded by Alan Shain, Renata Soutter (co-director), and Shara Weaver (co-director) in 2007. **This is our tenth year in operation! Happy birthday to Propeller and the community!**
- We run a professional company of seven to nine adult dancers that perform in various arts venues, and we are the current artist-in-residence at the Great Canadian Theatre Company (GCTC).
- In addition to our professional works and classes, we also perform in schools and throughout the community, as well as hold dance workshops through a wide variety of organizations and educational institutions.
- **Propeller Dance is a registered charity that relies on individual donations to operate.** We do receive funding from arts councils, the City of Ottawa, and other public and private funders. But this year, we must increase our donor base in order to build sustainability. Please consider making a donation, designating your United Way charitable donation to Propeller Dance, helping spread the word about Propeller, or making a monthly or annual donation to support the growth and development of this innovative art form. Please support inclusive arts in Canada. You can email us at info@propellerdance.com for more information.

Connect and stay informed!

- Visit our website at www.propellerdance.com.
- Follow us on Twitter at [@propellerdance](https://twitter.com/propellerdance).
- Sign up for our e-newsletter (through our website, by email, or just tell us)
- Like us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/propellerdance.
- Check out our videos on YouTube at www.youtube.com/PropellerDance.
- Donate to Propeller Dance through Canada Helps at <https://www.canadahelps.org/dn/11640>.

Are you interested in getting more involved? We are in need of a variety of volunteers – from event organizers to archivists, fundraisers to publicists. Please email us at info@propellerdance.com for more information.

We welcome you to the PROPELLER DANCE COMMUNITY! HURRAY!

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Recreational Class Registration Form 2016-2017

Please submit one form per student for the year.

STUDENT

Please select the classes you plan to attend. For submitting payment, you can:

- Pay for the entire year at the first class
- Pay for a season at the beginning of each session
- Pay for the fall session in September and submit a post-dated cheque for the second session

Please note: you do not need to submit an additional form in the winter/spring.

Children: Saturdays, 10:00am to 11:00am

Centennial Public School Gymnasium (376 Gloucester St.)

GCTC Studio (2nd Floor, 1233 Wellington St. W.)

- Fall 2016: 17-Sept to 26-Nov (no class 8-Oct); 10 sessions plus Community Day for \$132
- Spring 2017: 25-Feb to 6-May (no class 18-Mar or 15-Apr); 9 sessions plus Hintonburg event for \$120

Youth: Saturdays, 11:30am to 12:30pm

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- Spring 2017: 25-Feb to 6-May (no class 18-Mar or 15-Apr); 9 sessions plus Hintonburg event for \$120

Adult – Mondays: Mondays, 6:30pm to 8:00pm

Richelieu-Vanier Community Centre (300 Pères-Blancs Ave.)

- Fall 2016: 26-Sept to 28-Nov (no class 10-Oct); 9 sessions plus Community Day for \$120
- Winter/Spring 2017: 23-Jan to 5-Jun (no class 20-Feb, 13-Mar, 3-Apr, 17-Apr, or 22-May); 15 sessions plus performance for \$192

Adult – Wednesdays: Wednesday, 6:30pm to 8:00pm

Centennial Public School Gymnasium (376 Gloucester St.)

- Fall 2016: 21-Sept to 28-Nov (no class 30-Nov); 11 sessions plus Community Day for \$144
- Spring 2017: 22-Feb to 10-May (no class 15-Mar); 11 sessions plus Community Day for \$144

Company Classes: Tuesday and Thursday, 10:30am to Noon (by invitation, please contact us)

GCTC Studio (2nd Floor, 1233 Wellington St. W.)

- Fall 2016 – Tuesdays: 20-Sept, 27-Sept, 4-Oct, 18-Oct; 4 classes at \$15 each for \$60
- Fall 2016 – Thursdays: 22-Sept, 29-Sept, 6-Oct, 20-Oct, 27-Oct; 5 classes at \$15 each for \$75
- Winter 2017 – Tuesdays/Thursdays: 28-Feb, 2-Mar, 7-Mar, and 9-Mar; 4 classes at \$15 each for \$60
- Spring 2017 (may be split into Tuesday/Thursday sessions): 4-Apr, 6-Apr, 13-Apr, 18-Apr, and 20-Apr; 5 classes at \$15 each for \$75

STUDENT INFORMATION

Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone(s): _____

Email(s): _____

Only if applicable:

Care Facility: _____

Contact Person: _____ Telephone number: _____

If you/student is under the age of 18, or is accompanied by a parent, guardian, or other support person

If the student is under 18 only → Participant Birthday (Month Day, Year): _____

Parent/Guardian/Support: _____

Relationship: _____

Address if different: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone(s): _____

Email(s): _____

MEDICAL AND/OR SAFETY CONCERNS

Please identify any medical or safety concerns that Propeller Dance should be aware of on an ongoing basis or in case of an emergency.

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Address: _____ Postal Code: _____

Telephone(s): _____

Email(s): _____

PERMISSIONS

- I give permission for the collection and use of photographs, video, and spoken or written quotes during my participation in Propeller Dance activities to be used in Propeller Dance instruction, performance, or publicity. I understand that there will be no financial remuneration for such use.
- Please add the student and parent/guardian/support emails to Propeller Dance's e-mail subscription list in order receive e-newsletters, electronic communication of appeals, news, and updates. (Please note that you can unsubscribe yourself at any time.)

WAIVER

- I and my heirs and assignees shall indemnify and save harmless Propeller Dance, its officers, directors, employees, agents, and volunteers from all claims, demands, causes of action, loss, costs, or damages that Propeller Dance may suffer, incur, or be liable for in relation to any injury to myself or others in connection with my participation in Propeller Dance activities, except where such damages, claims, demands, causes of action, loss costs, or damages arise out of or are a result of the negligence of Propeller Dance, its officers, directors, employees, agents and volunteers.

AGREEMENT AND AUTHORIZATION

- I acknowledge that I have read and understood the contents of this information and form, and that all of the information I have submitted is true and complete.

Student Signature: _____ Date: _____

OR

ONLY For parents and guardians:

If the student is under the age of 18, has granted power of attorney to you, or if for any reason is not able to read or understand this information, then you can simply sign below (they do not need to sign above).

- I declare that I am the parent or guardian of the participant. The participant, with my authorization, signs this form. I agree to abide by the conditions stated on this document. I acknowledge I have read and understood the contents of this information and form, and that all of the information I have submitted is true and complete.

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____