

# alice!



## May 16-18<sup>th</sup>

Based on the beloved story of 'Alice in Wonderland' and with original choreography from our own Courtney Poulos, this fast, fun production will highlight Jazz, Tap and Modern styles of dance.

This Spring Production is open to Academy dancers of all disciplines, various levels, and ages 1st grade and above.

- ***Dancers who are only enrolled in ballet ARE eligible for this program and will be cast accordingly to ensure they will pick up any movement assigned to them.***
- *Dancers who are not enrolled in a tap class at the Academy for the 2013-2014 season will not be cast in a tapping role.*

Some of you may have been involved our previous 'Alice' workshops, or if not, you may have seen selected dance numbers at last year's Recitals. This will be a in a different format, as rehearsals will be exclusively on weekends, and dancers will perform the show at Bedford Middle School along with Winter/Spring Workshop (open to Academy students in Jr II and above) in May before our end of year Recitals.

### Audition Information:

- Auditions will be held at the studio on Saturday, February 1<sup>st</sup> from 11:30am-4:30pm (see schedule below).
  - Everyone who auditions will receive a part in the show!
  - Please park in the Heymann Properties parking lot (333 Post Road West) and walk to the studio
  - Mandatory parent meeting at the beginning of each audition time slot
  - Sign up and volunteer information available at the parent meetings

<u>Grade in School</u>	<u>Audition Time</u>	<u>Grade in School</u>	<u>Audition Time</u>
1 <sup>st</sup> and 2 <sup>nd</sup>	11:30am-12:15pm	6 <sup>th</sup> & 7 <sup>th</sup>	2:30pm-3:30pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup>	12:30pm-1:15pm	8 <sup>th</sup> and above	3:30pm-4:30pm
5 <sup>th</sup>	1:30pm-2:15pm		

### Rehearsal Information\*:

- Grades 1-5 will rehearse on Saturdays between 11:30am-4:30pm – closer to show date there will be some full cast rehearsals called on Sunday afternoons as well
- Grades 6+ will rehearse on Saturdays between 1:30pm-4:30pm & Sundays between 12:30pm-3:30pm
- The number of Alice performances will depend on how many Academy students participate in the show. You must keep Friday, May 16<sup>th</sup> after school and all day Saturday the 17<sup>th</sup> and Sunday the 18<sup>th</sup> free for dress rehearsal and shows.
- Rehearsals may or may not be called the weekend prior to and during Westport's Winter and Spring Recesses. Please note on your registration form if you are available to rehearse or will be on vacation.

### Cost

\$250 per student (includes a professionally edited DVD of the performance)

Fee is non-refundable