



# RED RIVER DANCE THEATRE COMPANY



## GUEST MEMBER and PARENT CONTRACT for *THE NUTCRACKER* 2009

This document signifies an agreement between Red River Dance Theatre Company, hereinafter referred to as **THE COMPANY**, and \_\_\_\_\_ and his/her parents, hereinafter referred to as **GUEST MEMBER and PARENTS**. It is understood that all matters related to training and performing will be under the direction of the Artistic Director; all matters related to operating the organization will be under the direction of THE COMPANY.

### THE COMPANY agrees to provide the following:

1. Formal instruction according to a schedule recommended by the Artistic Director and approved by THE COMPANY including classes, choreographic sessions and rehearsals, all under the supervision of the Artistic Director and Rehearsal Mistress.
2. Costuming for productions, excepting shoes, tights, makeup and personal garments.
3. Production aspects of the performance.
4. Accident and liability insurance for activities associated with training, rehearsing and performing.
5. Administrative support for students in their school environment (obtaining excused absences, verifying participation for club service requirements, etc.)

### THE GUEST MEMBER and PARENTS agree to provide the following:

6. Non-Refundable Performance fee of \$100.00. This fee includes one T-shirt and may be split into two payments: \$50.00 by September 15, 2009 and \$50.00 to be paid by October 15, 2009. Reduced fees apply if more than one member of a family participate. Non-payment of the performance fee renders a dancer ineligible for participation in *The Nutcracker*. There are scholarships available.
7. Recognition of the Artistic Director as the responsible party for disciplinary policy and enforcement.
8. Compliance with COMPANY RULES (see attached).
9. Appropriate dance attire, shoes and hair (see attached rules).
10. Necessary performance supplies.
11. A current medical release and information form.
12. Advance written notice to the Artistic Director for ANY absence. Written excuse form is enclosed. If a dancer is sick, you must call the Artistic Director as soon as possible.
13. Cooperation with the COMPANY in planning for volunteer involvement in all activities.
14. I hereby give the COMPANY authorization to use any appropriate pictures that are taken of my child by an authorized member of the staff for use in publications and publicity material. Any pictures taken by our staff of the rehearsals or performances will not identify any children by name but will be for sale to parents and participants through <http://www.redriverdance.smugmug.com>.

This contract is in effect for Red River Dance Theatre Company's production of *The Nutcracker*, beginning September 1, 2009 and ending in December 1, 2009.

Dancer (sign) \_\_\_\_\_ Parent (sign) \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Phone (day) \_\_\_\_\_ (night) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Parent's E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Home Dance School \_\_\_\_\_ Dancer's E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Academic School \_\_\_\_\_ Artistic Director (sign) Linda Mioton

Date \_\_\_\_\_