

Hello theater families,

It's been a joy to watch this theater program grow, because it brings so much to the students. But having 60+ actors, most with more than one costume each, can be a challenge, so we need a little help from you. The biggest piece is shoes!

WE ASK THAT YOU PROVIDE A PAIR OF BALLET SHOES OR JAZZ SHOES FOR YOUR CHILD.

The shoes can be canvas/leather/faux leather. Here are some random examples from Amazon:

[leather ballet shoe](#), [leather ballet shoe](#), [canvas ballet shoe](#),
[leather jazz shoe](#), [leather jazz shoe](#), [canvas jazz shoe](#)

If you're in one of the ensembles below, go with a Nude or Flesh-toned shoe

Snow Chorus
Snowflake Dancers
Summer Chorus

If you're NOT in one of the ensembles in the first column, and you ARE in one of these ensembles, please go with a black shoe

Hidden Folk
Oaken Family*
Townspople
Castle Staff

*A note for Oaken Family – check your closet to see if you have a pair of boots *that you can dance in*. Practice your choreography; do some high kicks- if the boots are comfortable and stay on, bring them to the Costume Fitting Day. Not a problem if your boots don't work out or don't have any. Comfort, safety and dance-ability are more important.

Shoes for other characters

Anna	Black ballet slipper (if you already have a black dance shoe, that's fine)
Elsa	Will discuss with you
Hans	Black dance shoe or dress shoe (if you can dance in it)
Kristoff	Provided
Olaf	Will discuss with you
Sven	Will discuss with you
Wesselton	Black dance shoe or dress shoe (if you can dance in it)

A few shoe notes:

- If you want to try on ballet slippers/dance shoes before buying, Opening Night in Dublin carries them, but they will be more expensive. Opening Night [on Facebook](#), 6371 Sawmill Rd, Dublin, OH 43017, (614) 764-0033
- Please consider donating your shoes when you outgrow them. We're trying to build a stock of loaner pairs.

Please let us know if getting a pair of shoes is a hardship for your family!

PLEASE PROVIDE CLOTHING FOR MODEST CHANGING
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Be aware that we have no dressing rooms, so all changes take place backstage, around other actors. Since most of this cast has more than one costume, we ask that you wear undergarments that allow you to change *modestly*. One combination that works well for ladies is a flesh-toned tank or cami with a pair of bicycle shorts. The top could also be black or white, depending on your other costumes.

Again, let us know if any of this is a hardship for your family!

Thanks again for being a part of this program. Theater education can enrich your student in so many ways! We're glad you're here.

-Winter & Lisa

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Feel free to email with any questions or concerns