



Aladdin and his Magic Lamp

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Canaries CAST INFORMATION

Welcome to the Cast of *Aladdin*. You have been cast as a *Canary*. You will be in one of the three casts of *Canaries* (Sat. 1pm, Sat. 4:30pm or Sun. 1pm). Your performance day will be posted on the website the week following the audition.

PVB STUDIO REHEARSALS – ALL REHEARSALS ARE REQUIRED (REHEARSALS SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

*Rehearsals for Canaries are Saturdays beginning Jan. 23rd through March 20th**
Saturday 1:00 Cast – 10:30am – 11:15am
Saturday 4:30 Cast – 11:30am – 12:15pm
Sunday 1:00 Cast – 12:30pm – 1:15pm

*Studio Rehearsals are scheduled on Jan. 23, 30, Feb. 6, 13, 27, March 6, 13 & 20

THEATRE REHEARSALS & PERFORMANCES

All rehearsals are **REQUIRED**. **CAST MEMBERS GO TO SIDE STAGE DOOR AND SIGN IN! ALL TIMES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE!**

Thursday, March 25 **Saturday 1:00 CAST ONLY**
5:15pm – Arrive at Theatre
5:45pm – 6:15 Spacing/Dress Rehearsal

Friday, March 26 **Saturday 4:30 CAST ONLY**
2:30pm – Arrive at Theatre
3:00pm – 4:00pm Spacing Rehearsal
4:00pm – 6:00pm Full Dress Rehearsal

Sunday 1:00 CAST ONLY
6:00pm – Arrive at Theatre
6:30pm – 7:30pm Spacing Rehearsal
7:30pm – 9:30pm Full Dress Rehearsal

Saturday, March 27 **Performance at 1:00pm**
12:00 – Arrive at Theatre

Saturday, March 27 **Performance at 4:30pm**
3:30 – Arrive at Theatre

Sunday, March 28 **Performance at 1:00pm**
12:00 – Arrive at Theatre

Rehearsal Rules: Rehearsals prepare your children for their performance in *Aladdin and his Magic Lamp*. **Attendance at ALL rehearsals is required.** Missed rehearsals compromise not only the individual's safety and ability to learn, but also the group performance. If you have an emergency and need to miss rehearsal you **MUST** notify an artistic director prior to rehearsal.

If inclement weather forces the cancellation of any rehearsal you can call the PVB studio or check the website for announcements. If there is a question about weather or cancellation please have the adult bring the performer into the studio before leaving. In the past we have had students dropped off and they found the rehearsal had been cancelled.

All performances are held at the Academy of Music, 274 Main Street, Northampton, MA. For dancers' safety, **no one will be allowed to videotape, audiotape or photograph any rehearsal or performance. Absolutely no food or drink is allowed in the audience.**

All cast members use "stage door" (South Street entrance). Dancers under the age of 14 will only be allowed to leave the theatre when signed out by a parent or guardian, and IDs will be checked to ensure dancers' safety. Sign in and go to dressing rooms for make-up and costume (in that order). Dancers performing in both shows on one day **should bring water** and something to eat between shows.

Costumes: **Canaries** need: thin strap light pink leotards, pink tights and pink ballet slippers. Please label the inside of the tights and slippers with your child's name. No jewelry of any kind (including pierced earrings) may be worn on stage. Dancers are not allowed to leave the theater in costume or in makeup at any time. Dancers who ignore this rule may have consequences.

Make-up notes: **For hygienic purposes all cast members must provide their own make-up.**

Canaries must bring:

- Foundation, pancake, or base, one shade darker than skin-tone.
- Charcoal black eyeliner PENCIL.
- Any burgundy/wine color lipstick.

Dancers should bring their makeup in a zip-lock bag labeled with their name. When they are called for makeup, they will bring their bag and hand it to the makeup person.

Dancers must also provide their own hairbrushes, hair supplies, face wipes, and make-up removers.

Dancers should wear button down shirts (no pullovers or turtlenecks!).

NO ONE WILL BE ALLOWED TO LEAVE THE THEATRE WEARING STAGE MAKE-UP.

Tickets: Tickets: all seats reserved: Adult \$27, Children 8 and under - \$22
Tickets on sale at studio beginning Saturday, Jan 23 from 10:00am-3pm - hours may be expanded and week nights may be added. Check in studio for expanded hours. Tickets available online at www.pioneervalleyballet.org beginning Feb. 6th, additional fees apply. Ticket sales move to Academy of Music Tues, March 9th, Additional fees apply.

Volunteers: Please return a completed volunteer form to PVB. We need your help! *Aladdin and his Magic Lamp* would not be possible without the help of parent volunteers. Whether it is child care, sewing or makeup, we need you. Please choose which of those areas you would like to help out with, as we require at least 1 parent or guardian volunteer of each cast member to help make our shows the best they can be. For info about PVB and to view schedules as they become available, you may also visit www.pioneervalleyballet.org.

PHOTOS AND DVDS: Photos of dancers in costume (individual and group shots) will be taken during rehearsals in the Theatre (more information will follow). DVD order forms will be available at the studio prior to the performances as well as during the performances. ***For dancers' safety, no one will be allowed to videotape, audiotape or photograph any rehearsal or performance.***