

# GYM SHOW 2008 Assignment Slip

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The theme this year is "High School Musical".

*Flip City Style*

## REQUIRED GYM SHOW COSTUME

1) **Customized theme T-shirt:** The T-shirt has been customized to match our gym show theme.

Please remember that these customized shirts are non-refundable and non-creditable.

All order forms must be returned before the deadline. Refer to your Gym Show Registration Form.

2) **Red Shorts:** (Red biketards are acceptable) For safety, please no buckles, zippers, buttons, denim, shorts, etc.

3) **Other:** All hair is to be pulled up off the face and tightly kept in place. No large hair accessories for safety.

4) All children must have **bare feet** (**NO** tights), no jewelry of any kind.



## WHAT TO DO AND EXPECT:

IF YOU ARE ATTENDING read below for how to prepare properly:

1. RETURN YOUR GYM SHOW REGISTRATION FORM!! If this form is not returned, your child will be marked as not attending and his or her spot will be released to a child waiting for a show change.
2. Please arrive no more than 20-30 minutes before your scheduled show time. A line will form to the left of the door and doors will open 15 minutes before your show time. Please make sure you have arrived and checked in outside, prior to doors opening. Please prepare properly for predicted weather conditions. Shows will start on time regardless if all students are in attendance and run approximately 45-60 minutes. Shows will not be delayed at any time for children in the bathrooms, arriving late, etc. The coatroom area will be closed; therefore jackets, shoes, etc. will remain with parents in the seating area.
3. Admission is \$5 per person, however 2 tickets per student attending a show will be provided free of charge. If you do not plan to use all your tickets, do not give your extra tickets to another student in the show, instead please go to the office. To fairly accommodate all families, extra tickets will be on sale in the office beginning Saturday, May 31<sup>st</sup>. There will be a limit of 2 sold per person and are on a first come first serve basis. Please note there are approximately 40-50 extra tickets per show. **THERE WILL BE NO LOTTERY THIS YEAR FOR TICKETS.** Children ages 2 and under are admitted free and need to be seated on a parent's lap. You must have a ticket with the appropriate time listed in order to be admitted for that show. Flip City is not responsible for lost or stolen tickets. If you bring extra guests, they will have to remain outside the building during the entire performance, unless there are unsold tickets available for that show.
4. There will be additional seating in the gym area, however it will be limited. General admission includes the gym seating area, viewing room seating, and some standing room. Seating availability is on a first come basis. Sorry, there is no saving of seats.
5. In order to be in accordance with safety and fire regulations please become familiar with the following: (1) no strollers, carriages, infant carriers will be allowed in the building. (2) One purse OR camera bag, etc. is allowed per person, and must fit under the standard folding chair in front of you. (3) Standing in the marked fire exit lanes in the building is strictly prohibited. (4) We will strictly adhere to the number of people allowed in the building. Any spectator children must remain seated at all times.
6. Parking will be allowed in all areas of the lot except directly in front of the main entrance. Please car pool with family members if possible. Parking in the back of the building must be utilized. Please consider backing into a parking space, so that it is easier to pull out after the show. Parking is only permitted only at 29 Cook Street. Speed limit in the parking lot is less than 3 miles/hour. Please drive cautiously and be aware of others, there will be more people in the area than at your child's regular class time.
7. No food or beverages of any kind will be allowed in the building during Gym Show weekend. No smoking.
8. Cameras and video taping may be used, however bright lights and flash photography are strictly prohibited for the safety of the children and instructors. Please be courteous to those around you when video taping. Please remain seated.
9. Please have your child use the bathroom before leaving home. The back stage area is not located near the bathrooms or the audience. For safety reasons, we encourage children not to use the bathroom once the show has started. Parents are not allowed backstage.
10. If you need to make handicap arrangements for a guest please contact the office before GYM SHOW weekend.
11. The office will be closed Friday June 6 through Sunday June 8, due to set up, show times, and break down. Please plan appropriately. We will be unable to answer the phones at this time, and can not guarantee messages will be checked and returned during these days. Please refer to [www.flipcitygymnastics.com](http://www.flipcitygymnastics.com) for information.
12. It is rare; however Flip City Gymnastics, Inc. does reserve the right to change scheduled show times if needed.

- IF YOUR CHILD IS NOT ATTENDING: Return your Gym Show registration Form with your Gym Show tickets and fill out the clip board ASAP, so that we may use your space for others who may need to change show times. **DO NOT TELL THE INSTRUCTORS.**
- IF YOU HAVE A CONFLICT: We will be allowing parents to move gym show times for 2 reasons: (1) If you will be unable to attend your show time due to a major event, such as a dance recital or wedding (2) If you have siblings scheduled in different times and you would like to try to get them together in one show, please fill out the "Show Change" clip board. When you are trying to change show times please keep the following in mind: (1) Not every show will have every age group or class type participating in it. (2) Spaces in other shows are based on availability. Please note that classes that are held several times a week will have more scheduled show opportunities than those classes that are only held limited times a week. (3) Please be patient, we may put you on a wait list, allowing for all the show assignments to be issued. As spots open will make our best effort to move students around. However there is no guarantee of availability. (4) In rare instances if too many students move out of one class the remaining students may have to be rescheduled for a new show time. **LAST DAY FOR SHOW CHANGE REQUEST is SATURDAY MAY 10th.**