

# **ARRANGEMENTS FOR COLLECTING YOUR CHILDREN**

## **NEW AND REVISED 2018 – ALL GROUPS**

### **PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

At the end of the show all of the dancers will go back to the dressing rooms and during this time the Civic Hall staff will empty the theatre of all audience persons via the downstage bar only. We do advise that family members make their way to the car straight away as only 1 parent/guardian is allowed to pick up the children.

The juniors, Inters & Babe's classes will then be brought down from the dressing rooms by the chaperones and they will sit at the front of the auditorium in their classes.

#### **BABES**

The Civic Hall staff will call the babe's group first for which the parent will enter the theatre and collect the child from the front row. Make a speedy exit please and do not hang around as we cannot get the next group out until you have all gone. There will be no exit back through the bar.

#### **JUNIORS**

Once the Babe's have all gone then the juniors parents will be allowed in to collect their child/children. Once you have your child make a quick exit please. There will be on exit back through the bar or upstairs. The only exit is through the stage door.

#### **INTERS & PRE SENIORS & SENIORS UNDER SCHOOL LEAVING AGE**

We advise that you take a seat in the downstairs bar whilst the Babe's and juniors are making their exit from the auditorium. Unfortunately the Inters and Pre Seniors will be the last groups leaving. The Civic Hall staff will call you once the Inters are all out and then you can go in and collect your child/children.

#### **SENIORS 17 PLUS**

You will be required to stay and tidy dressing rooms and side stage before leaving.

Please do not make things more difficult for us by staying in your seats at the end of the show as the children will not be allowed down until every person in out of the auditorium. We are very lucky that we have been able to come to this arrangement with the Civic Hall as the original rules were that all children were met outside at the Stage door where parents would have to wait outside no matter what the weather. We considered this to be not suitable for the amount of dancers we have at Stages and so the Manager of the Civic Hall has allowed us this ticking out from inside the theatre.

Please, please let's make this work again for us by Only 1 Parent picking up the child.

On the night you are a chaperone you will need to wait with your group until the parents have taken and signed out the children in your group and then you can go home.

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