

## Lynx Competition Hair & Make-Up

It is very important that the team have uniformity not only in their costumes, but in hair and make-up as well. Competition hair and make-up is required at all events. This includes competitions, recital, basketball games and any other performances. Below is a short 'how to' guide for both hair and make-up.

### Make-up

The only item you will need to provide for make-up is foundation. We do not provide this because we feel it is important that you pick a brand and shade that best fits each dancer. Be sure you are selecting a brand that can stand up to sweat and not stain a costume and also a color that is one shade darker than the dancer's skin tone. Stage lights often make a performer appear more pale than normal so we recommend you select a tone that is a shade darker. You may also want to purchase a brush or sponge to apply the foundation. Your make-up kit includes 3 pairs of eye lashes. The lashes are made to be used more than once, so please take care of them. If you lose or need a fourth pair, you can purchase them from the studio for an additional \$5 per pair.

### Hair

The Lynx team will be wearing their hair differently for their tap and jazz routines.

For tap we will be wearing hair in low pig tails. Dancers will need to use hair bands that match the color of their hair and pig tails will need to be curly. Feel free to use curling irons, hair rollers etc. anything to make them big and curly!

For jazz dancers will need to have the hair pulled back in a bun, they will have hair pieces to put over their bun.

### **What to Bring to Performances and Competitions- Lynx**

Below is a list of all costume pieces and other supplies you may need to bring. Ms. Lacey will often have extra of certain supplies like earrings and bobby pins, but we do not have any extra shoes, gloves and bows. Please make sure that you and your child pack your supplies together and be sure you have everything you will need. We recommend you purchase a make-up case to keep your small supplies in and then also bring your dance bag for everything else. Costumes should be brought on a hanger (preferably in a bag), never just throw a costume in your bag, they do wrinkle! You can bring a hanging rod to place costumes on if you wish.

#### Jazz

- Red/Black Top w/skirt
- Rhinestone hair band
- Body tights
- Jazz make-up
- Earrings
- Clean jazz shoes
- Rhinestone necklace
- Red gloves

#### Tap

- Red and Blue Dress
- White hair bows
- Body tights
- Gloves
- Tap make-up
- Earrings
- Necklace
- Clean tap shoes

\*Be sure all shows and costume pieces are labeled with your child's name or initials!!!

### **Recommended Supplies**

- lots of bobby pins (try and match your child's hair color)
- hair spray
- hair gel
- extra hair bands (be sure to match your child's hair color)
- safety pins
- mirror
- Curling iron
- needle and thread
- scissors
- static spray
- extra tights
- extra shoe laces
- kleenex
- band-aids
- team warm up outfit (should be worn upon arrival and during awards)
- shoes to wear before/after
- team shirt and shorts to wear under warm-up before/after routines
- pillow and blanket so you can rest in between routines, it can be a very long day!
- money (there is often concessions and merchandise that can be purchased)
- water bottle
- smiles!