





# **PAI Tap Company 2019-2020 Commitment Agreement**

### **General Agreement and Commitment to the PAI Tap Company:**

We provide a stimulating, fun, and dynamic environment within which to learn and work. There are expectations for behavior which must be met in order to maintain this environment. Teamwork is an essential part of our success. We require commitment and cooperation from everyone involved with our PAI Tap Companies.

### As the parent(s)/legal guardian(s) of a PAI Tap Company Member:

- I understand that the term of this agreement is for the 9-month period commencing August 13, 2019 and ending May 13, 2020. I understand and agree that this financial obligation shall be binding even in the event my son/daughter discontinues his/her participation in the Tap Company prior to May 13, 2020 and that early release from this obligation shall require the consent of the PAI Tap Company Director.
- I agree that any concerns shall be brought to the PAI Tap Company Director on matters relating to the company. The PAI Tap Company Director will review the matter and make a recommendation for a final decision.
- I understand that the policies and procedures, expectations and standards required of my son/daughter and of me for the participation in the Tap Company are necessary for consistency, status, and success of the company. I will seek to ensure that my son/daughter abides by all of the requirements of a Tap Company member and that all of my actions contribute to a positive, healthy, and supportive environment.
- I understand that I am fully responsible for the financial commitment required for my son/daughter to be a member of a PAI Tap Company in accordance with the monthly tuition.
- I understand that all monthly tuition is due and payable via automatic PayPal withdrawals.

#### **Photo Release:**

I understand that by allowing my child to participate in this program, photographs will be taken and used to increase/promote community involvement and awareness of PAI Tap Company (TC).

I grant full rights and permission to use any photographs taken of my child while participating in PAI TC activities for illustration, art, promotion, advertising, trade, or any other purpose whatsoever. I further relinquish any rights of approval or examination of the photograph(s) before publication or printing.

#### **Calendar of Events:**

Rehearsals and performances are located on the PAI Tap Company calendar via a link from the EDMT website. Every effort will be made to update the Tap Company calendar with community performance dates and times and added rehearsals as soon as those are dates are available and confirmed. 2019-2020 performances are in

the process of being scheduled and will be updated on the calendar including scheduled extra rehearsals prior to performances.

## **Monthly Fees:**

•	I, (parent/responsible
	guardian)
	understand the financial obligation and authorize EDMT to charge \$76.00 per month for 9 months,
	beginning August 2019, payable by automatic PayPal withdrawals as set-up prior to the 30th of each
	month. This cost covers tap company rehearsal one day (or as scheduled) per week, and community
	performances as scheduled on the Tap Company Calendar.*

• I understand that there may be additional at-cost costume fees and/or registration for events required throughout the season as needed, and I will be informed of these prior to charges on my account.

\*Dates for community events have not been secured yet but will be advised with ample notification via email and calendar.

### As a PAI Tap Company Member:

- I understand that the policies and procedures, expectations, and standards required of me for participation as a performer in PAITC are necessary for the consistency, status, and success of our group. I will seek to insure that all of my actions contribute to a positive, healthy and supportive environment. I will be courteous, respectful, and responsible, understanding that focus, dedication and commitment are necessary to achieve the group goals.
- I commit to being punctual and prepared for rehearsal. I will come to rehearsals and performances well-groomed and wearing appropriate attire as established by the PAI Tap Company director. Appropriate attire includes dance pants or shorts, sweatpants, with a comfortable fitted tee or tank and tap shoes. No jeans or skirts/dresses. I will remain distraction free and focused at all rehearsals. I will come equipped with a filled water bottle and tap shoes to all rehearsals.
- I will take proper care of the facility, my costumes, and equipment and will clean up after myself.
- I understand no riding in a vehicle with a staff member, performer, or another parent is allowed unless prior parental approval is obtained.
- I understand that a zero-tolerance policy is adhered to for any substance abuse. Violations will result in immediate dismissal from PAI Tap Company and the proper authorities will be contacted when applicable.
- I will use good judgment on any social media postings and refrain from profanities.
- I understand that I am expected to attend all regularly scheduled rehearsals and performances. In the event of an absence, the PAI Tap Company director will be contacted personally by me or my parent to report the reason for the absence in *advance*. A message through a fellow performer is *not* acceptable.

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- I understand that if I miss a rehearsal, it is my responsibility to ask a group member in attendance to teach me the choreography I may have missed, thus allowing me to know the choreography **prior** to the next scheduled rehearsal. If I have not learned the material prior to the next rehearsal, I understand that I may be excluded from that section or piece.
- I understand that I may not be involved with any outside activity that may interfere or conflict with my obligations to the group, rehearsals and performances without prior approval of the PAI Tap Company director. Group members must commit to the company as a first priority, including agreed upon performances and their rehearsals.

- I will enroll in a PAI tap technique class for the nine-month season as recommended by the PAI Tap Company director.
- I understand that I may enroll in additional PAI classes and participate in High Voltage and EDMT productions that will not conflict with Tap Company.

### **Acceptance of PAI Tap Company Membership**

By entering this agreement, I acknowledge that I and my son/daughter agree to accept and abide by the PAI Tap Company philosophy, rules, regulations, financial obligations, policies and standards expressed in this agreement. I/We have read the above and agree to follow them without dispute.

Tap Company Member				
(Please Print) Name (first, last)	Signature			
Date//				
Parent/Guardian				
(Please Print) Name (first, last)	Signature			
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