

## TUESDAY 5:30

### BURN BABY BURN

- **Costumes will be required to be worn to class on Tuesday, April 30 for a details check.**
  - **Since this will be a details check so be sure to have everything done as explained below before coming to class that day.**
- **Don't forget to wear your black footed tights and black jazz shoes. (Please note: Panty hose will not be acceptable as they are far too sheer. Target puts out what they call tights, put they are actually panty hose, so do not go to Target.)**
- **Undergarment, if any, should be totally hidden from view and skin tone in color.**

Important: double check to see if all pieces as listed below are included in your packet.

Your costume package includes:

- Unitard
- Headband
- Streamer
- Wristlets
- Flower
- Pop clip

PICTURE DAY: Saturday May 18. DRESS REHEARSAL and RECITAL: Saturday, June 8.

### BODICE

- Try out the costume during vigorous movement. If the shoulders do not stay put, tighten appropriately.
- Form wider shoulder straps by placing the green stretch sequins from the headband UNDER the existing straps. (The headband is sewn in a loop so you will have to cut it into two pieces.)
- Securely sew in the following three spots: Top edge of bodice in both front and back, and the top of the shoulder.
- Securely sew the flower to the white center-front and top of bodice (just above the green sequins).

**WRISTLETS-** -wear at each wrist. If they slip away from the wrist, tighten accordingly

### PANTS

Pants should be long enough to touch the top of the shoe in the front, but not so long as touch the ground in the back. Trim pant length accordingly.

**HEADDRESS-** -Tie a knot in the center of the streamer. **Wear the knot in the center-front of the bun.**

- **Required: Securely sew the pop clip to the knot of the headdress. These clips work for most people, but be sure to check it out during vigorous dance movements. If it does work well, add another clip, or use another kind of clip which must be sewn to the headdress. Please note: Although bobby pins may be used in addition to the clips, it will not be acceptable to use them alone.**
- If the streamers tend to fall in the face during movement, especially after bending over, use clips or bobby pins towards the sides of the pin to hold them in place.

## **STUDENTS WITH COSTUME CHANGES:**

- **Required: Label each item with your name**, as well, to help insure no mix-ups.
- Smaller items such as headdresses and wristlets are easily lost backstage in our crowded conditions. A box with compartments that can fit on a chair is a good way to keep track of such items. (I like to use a large safety-pin and attach the wristlets to the front of my costume. Then when I pull on my costume, the wristlets are there waiting me. I then conceal the pin on my costume so it will be handy when I take the costume off.)
- Also, it is a good idea to practice costume changes including putting every item back in it's designated place.

(continue to next page for a check-off list that you can use to see if all items above are completed.)

# STUDENT CHECK-OFF LIST

Tuesday 5:30

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- **Your details check is Tuesday, April 30.**
- **Please come to class in costume with all details already completed as explained on your costume instruction sheet.**
- **You can use the following to double-check if all items are completed.**

<input type="checkbox"/>	Black jazz shoes
<input type="checkbox"/>	Black footed tights - -no sheer pantyhose types
<input type="checkbox"/>	Undergarment (if any) hidden from view
<input type="checkbox"/>	Shoulders stay put
<input type="checkbox"/>	Sequins placed <u>under</u> existing strap
<input type="checkbox"/>	Shoulder sequins securely sewn in three spots
<input type="checkbox"/>	Flower securely sewn in place
<input type="checkbox"/>	Wristlets stay put on the wrist
<input type="checkbox"/>	Appropriate pant length
<input type="checkbox"/>	Pop clip securely sewn to headdress
<input type="checkbox"/>	Headdress stays securely on and stays out of face
<input type="checkbox"/>	Name in every article (if in more than one dance, including headdress and wristlets)