

## **Momentum 2009 – RP's Dance Festival (25 May – 30 May 2009)**

### **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### **GENERIC**

**1. What is this festival all about?**

The main objective of this festival is to promote various genres of dance to RP and the community, as well as to provide a platform and focus for creative expressions from the burgeoning dance groups to showcase performances of excellent standards.

**2. How long is the festival?**

The festival will last for a month.

The festival opens with the photo exhibition on 1 May 2009. Activities will build up during the last week of May (25 – 30 May 2009) and these include dance workshops, movie screenings to two nights of dance performances.

**3. What sort of activities is to be expected during the festival?**

As a precursor, there will be photo exhibition commencing from 1 May onwards that showcase photos by various photographers. The photos will be exhibited at various locations within the RP campus (TRCC, OSC and South Agora).

From 25 May – 29 May 09, there will be free dance workshops and movie screenings.

Different dance groups from various educational institutions and RP's Dance Interest Groups will be putting up two nights of dance performances on 29 and 30 May 09.

**4. How much is the festival ticket?**

Tickets are priced at \$10 and \$15.

**5. Why the price difference?**

\$15 ticket holder will be seated at the central/middle block of the theatre (front to middle rows) while \$10 ticket holder will be seated at the sides of theatre, back rows and balcony.

**6. Is there any discount for the festival ticket?**

RP staff and students are entitled to one (1) free ticket for every five (5) tickets purchased. This package applies to both the \$15 and \$10 tickets.

**7. Why is it that only RP staff and students are entitled to the discount?**

This is a RP event put together by RP staff and students. Hence, the promotional package is offered to the RP community. Having said this, tickets are still priced at a reasonable rate of \$10 and \$15 for public to purchase.

**8. Where else can I get more festival details?**

You can log on to [www.rp.sg/trcc](http://www.rp.sg/trcc) or [www.rp.sg](http://www.rp.sg) for details of the festival.

**9. How many dance groups will be performing on 29 and 30 May 2009?**

There are 14 different dance groups performing on both days.

**10. Who are these performing groups?**

- NUS Dance Ensemble
- SMU's Caderas Latinas
- Ngee Ann Polytechnic's NRA
- St. Andrew's Junior College
- ITE College East (Simei)
- Evergreen Secondary School
- Deyi Secondary School
- Bowen Secondary School
- RP Indian Cultural Group
- RP Malay Cultural Group
- RP Modern Dance Interest Group
- RP Social Dance Interest Group
- RP Hip Hop Interest Group
- Dance Spectrum International

**11. How long is the dance performance?**

The dance performance is 90 minutes (1.5 hours) from 8.00pm – 9.30pm.

**12. Where is the dance performance held?**

The dance performance is held at the Republic Cultural Centre, Republic Polytechnic (9 Woodlands Avenue 9).

**13. Are the shows different or the same for 29 and 30 May?**

Both shows are the same for 29 and 30 May.

**14. What is the dress code?**

- For the dance performances on 29 and 30 May at TRCC Theatre, dress code is smart casual.
- For the dance workshops at TRCC Dance Studio 1, dress code is T-shirt, shorts & track shoes.
- For the movie screenings at Student Lounge, dress code is normal school-going attire.

**15. Where are the venues for the dance performance, workshops and movie screenings?**

- For the dance performances, it will be held at The Republic Cultural Centre, Theatre (Level 1) from 8.00pm-9.30pm. Tickets are sold at \$10 and \$15.
- For all dance workshops, it will be held at TRCC Dance Studio 1 (Level 1) from 3.30pm-4.30pm. Pre-registration is required. Kindly email your details, indicating the day of workshop to [trcc\\_events@rp.sg](mailto:trcc_events@rp.sg)
- For all movies screening sessions, it will be held at Student Lounge, 5.00pm onwards. Free admission, no registration is required.

**SALES OF FESTIVAL TICKETS****16. How do I go about purchasing the tickets?**

- Tickets can be purchased from OSC General Enquiry Counter;
- At the door on 29 or 30 May (one hour before performance starts)

**17. What are the modes of payment?**

- At OSC, payment is made via NETS only.
- At the door, payment is made via CASH only.

**18. What are the operating hours of OSC?**

Monday – Friday : 8.00am – 8.00pm  
Saturday : 8.00am – 6.00pm

**19. Is this a free-seating performance?**

No, the seats are serialized. Ushers will be at the theatre to usher the audience to their seats.

**20. Must infants pay for the ticket?**

Yes, infants (even those in arms or pram) are required to purchase their ticket to enter. However we strongly discourage infants and children below the age of 7 to enter the venue as they may pose some inconvenience to the other audience.

**21. What time should I arrive for the performance?**

Kindly arrive at least 15 minutes before the performance commences (e.g. 7.45pm).

**22. Is there any refund (for tickets bought) available?**

Tickets that are sold cannot be exchanged or refunded under any circumstances except in the event that a performance is cancelled before its scheduled performance time.

**23. Can I order my ticket through phone booking?**

Yes, but tickets are to be paid and collected within 3 working days upon phone booking. Tickets not paid and collected by then will be released for sales.

**SCHOOL PURCHASE OF FESTIVAL TICKET**

**24. If schools are keen to bulk purchase the tickets, how do they go doing it?**

Schools can call Meng Yee at 98759140 to bulk purchase the tickets.

**25. Is there any discount for the schools if they buy the tickets?**

Schools will be entitled to one (1) free ticket for every 15 tickets bought.

**26. What are the modes of payment?**

For schools order, the schools can choose to pay via GIRO or cheque.