Dear friends,

We would like to invite you to take part in the international ballet school exhibition of non-professional classical ballet. The best dancers get can show their skills with no stress as well as represent their school in a wonderful historical building.

This event gives them the chance to compare their effort with the others in a non-competitive way and motivate them to practise and study harder by allowing them to perform in a professional theatre.

**The 9th International BALET GALA Pilsen will be held on 5 November 2016 at 6 pm in the J. K. Tyl Theatre (the Grand Theatre venue) in Pilsen.**

The event is organized by Balet, z. s. It is an organization associating former members of the J. K. Tyl Theatre ballet group and former students of the J. K. Tyl Theatre ballet school.

**Conditions of participation in BALET GALA 2016, the international ballet school exhibition**

1 Max. 2 ballet performances per school. A single application form is required for each performance.

2 Choreography based on the classical ballet technique.

3 A single performance should not be longer than 3 minutes.

4 Solo and group performances allowed (up to 8 dancers).

5 The youngest dancers need to be 6 years old.

6 The programme will be scheduled by organisers of BALET GALA 2016. The organisers reserve the right to make an exception in conditions of participation and the programme.

7 There is no option to ask for light effects, etc.

8 The stage rehearsal is without the music.

9 The music in MP3 audio format only.

10 The participation fee is € 8 (200 CZK) per dancer. It will be paid during the stage rehearsals.

**The stage in J. K. Tyl Theatre:**

* size: 10 m in width, 11 m in depth
* floor: roll-out ballet floor
* no lights or other effects available

Organizers don’t pay the travel costs and accommodation. We can book the accommodation. In some case we can make an exception and partly pay some accommodation costs.

The stage rehearsals timetable will be available at the end of October.

Timetable:

13:30 – entering the theatre, dressing rooms available

14:00 – stage rehearsals

17:00 – the end of stage rehearsals

18:00 – the beginning of the show (one break)

20:15 – the end

Till 21:00 – leaving the theatre

**Please, send the application forms by 23 October 2016 to** **balet.os@email.cz**

**Send the music in MP3 audio format by 23 October 2016 to** **SolcPetr@seznam.cz**

We look forward to meeting you!

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