

Hip Expressions Rate Sheet

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Performance/Entertainment Types

Hire one dancer - they will make quite an impression, but of course more IS better, two or three will really WOW your guests!

DANCE SHOW:

Highly engaging, professional costumes and authentic dance, set to high-energy music to create a spectacle for you and your guests! This full-on stage show includes props, and audience participation. One dancer is ideal for 10 - 20 minutes, hire more dancers for a longer show! Perfect for weddings, lunch parties, birthdays, bar mitzvahs, seated dinners - best right after dinner or desert to get the party started into DJ hour. *Belly Dance, Brazilian Samba/Carnivale, Flamenco, Polynesian, and Fire* **Per Dancer, \$350, 10-30 min show**

CHARACTER:

Performers dressed in different themes will adorn your event and interact with your guests, a living representation of the beauty of your theme. Perfect for meeting your guests, photo ops, and raising the energy of the event! Ideal for theme parties, awards, meet ups, cocktail hours, grand openings, social events, as they will add flair but not interrupt the flow or purpose of the event.

Belly Dance, Brazilian Samba/Carnivale, Flamenco, Polynesian, Latin, 20's, Showgirls, and many more, just ask. **Per Dancer, \$150/hour, 2 hour minimum, breaks every hour**

DEMO DANCER:

Professional dancers in beautiful costumes interact with your guests, and then perform 3-6 minute high-energy dances every 30 - 45 minutes. This adds a fun splash to your event, and leaves room for mingling. Ideal for parties of any kind, really!

Belly Dance, Brazilian Samba/Carnivale, Flamenco, Polynesian, Latin, 20's, Showgirls, and many more, just ask. **Per Dancer, \$175/hr, 2 hour minimum, breaks every hour**

Questions we will need to know:

- What's the event theme
- What else is going on during the event
- What's the performing area like (inside/outside, surface area, etc)
- If the performers are bringing music to play, how will it be played
- What's the parking situation
- Who do they talk to upon arrival
- Where will they change/be able to leave their personal belongings
- Will you have refreshments for the performers (water at least is much appreciated)

Extras:

- ...extra \$50/30 minute drive outside Tampa Bay
- ...extra \$100 per 30 minute wait (outside 30 minute grace period)
- ...fire dancing is extra \$50/hr per dancer

We give discounts for weekday daytime events, just ask! Bookings require a 50% non-refundable deposit, we prefer Zelle, but other arrangements can be made.



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Performance Styles

****Belly Dancers (styles: Moroccan, Greek, Turkish, Egyptian, Lebanese, Arabic, Tribal, Fusion, Modern)

Our professional belly dance performers are award-winning dancers, dance internationally, and are ready to create a beautiful and classy cultural vibe at your next event! Trained in traditional styles, they can incorporate specific cultural musical requests, costuming, and dance moves. Have a specific prop or look in mind? They use veils, swords, Wings of Isis, finger cymbals, fan veils, skirt dancing, just ask. Every show starts with showcasing their beautiful costumes and training, from melodic and slinky moves to impressive shimmies to powerful drumming!

*fire is a fun add-on

***Brazilian Samba Dancers (Carnivale, La Hora Loca, the ultimate showgirls)

These performers come out with feathers flying, hips shaking, fancy footwork, and nothing but an attitude to make the party happen! Whether you want a splash presentation, an hour of dance madness, or beautiful ladies to greet your guests, our dancers will add the 'wow' factor to make your event unforgettable. With authentic Brazilian costumes, giant feather headpieces, and high-energy Samba party music, you'll have an event to remember!

***Polynesian Dancers (Luau, Hula, Tahitian, Maori)

Our authentic Polyensian, Tahitian, and Hula girls are the perfect addition to the summer time poolside BBQ, your beach wedding or a more formal presentation at your special event. We bring the authentic feel of the Islands, from soft arms that sway gently with the breeze, to the fast and furious rolling Tahitian hipwork that will amaze your guests. Our dancers will bring this cultural and beautiful experience to your event, interacting with your guests, or even teach them a few moves if you like.

***Flamenco

Our Flamenco dancers perform traditional, authentic dances from Andalusia, Spain, bringing the fire and passion of the region to your event. Experience fan dances and traditional *manton* shawl work, it can be quite moving! Of course, the incredible part of Flamenco is the footwork... which needs a particular floor to be showcased (will not work on tile or concrete). Contact us for details!

***Fire Dancers (can be themed with our traditional styles, Belly Dance, Polynesian, or Latin... or blended with a ANY modern theme, Steampunk, Tribal, Fairy, etc)

There is nothing more spectacular than beautiful performers dancing with flames, lighting up the night with their passion and energy... a fire show will take your event to the next level! Outdoors, just after sunset is the perfect time for a fire show. The overhead area must be clear (no branches, pool screens, electric wires, draped fabric, etc), and your guests a safe distance away. Consider having more than one dancer, or we can bring our own drummers to make the show really have a punch!