



YAGP San Francisco, CA February 22 - 25, 2018

Regional Semi-Final

Tour Guide

Dear Friends,

We are thrilled to welcome you to the Youth America Grand Prix 19th competition season. Below, you will find a preliminary timeline to help you plan your schedule, and venue information, in order to help you choose the right Semi-Final location for you.

TIMELINE

Please note that the posted timeline is NOT FINAL, and is only meant to give you an idea of how each particular semi-final will be structured. For example, the Semi-Final usually begins with the pre-competitive group performances, followed by junior groups, senior groups and ensembles. Workshops are usually planned to take place on Sunday morning, but in some larger venues we cannot always hold workshops for all participants simultaneously, and in those cases we may move some of the classes to Saturday or Friday. In some cases, depending on the availability of the studio and theater space, we may accommodate additional participants by making adjustments to the timeline. In this case, the timeline will state that additional dates are "pending". If you do not see this, it means the venue has no more available time, and will not accommodate any participants beyond the standard registered number. If you see a "pending" date for your venue of choice, **we strongly suggest that you contact the YAGP Regional office before making any final travel arrangements.** Each semi-finalist is invited to participate in one workshop, consisting of three classes. Closer to the event, the master classes will be divided up by age and/or performance, at the discretion of the YAGP regional team. For example, sometimes the classes are split by age (12-14, for example) or sometimes by Soloist/Ensemble. For those semi-finals that are starting earlier in the week, on Thursday, classes will be held earlier as well, on Friday and/or Saturday.

The breakdown will be made clear in the final timeline and detailed schedule. The first draft of the updated timeline with a detailed schedule will be posted after the registration cut-off date, about five-to-six weeks prior to each semi-final. The final timeline will be posted 7 - 10 days before the event.

VENUE

Here you will find details about all Semi-Final event facilities, including theaters and studios. The number of seats in the theater can be used as a good indicator of the size of the event -- the smaller the size of the auditorium, the more limited the capacity of the event, and vice versa. Semi-finals that take place later in the season usually get more crowded. In all cases, we recommend registering early to ensure participation in your preferred venue.

Best of luck this season, and please do not hesitate to send all your additional questions to regional@yagp.org.

All the best,

The YAGP Team

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Preliminary Timeline

Registration begins 2 hours before your Competition Time.

Thursday, February 22, 2018:

Competition

Palace of Fine Arts
4 PM - 10 PM

Friday, February 23, 2018:

Competition

Palace of Fine Arts
9 AM – 10 PM

Master Classes (Pending)

Depending on the number of students registered.

*San Francisco Ballet School
3 PM - 7:30 PM*

Saturday, February 24, 2018:

Competition

Palace of Fine Arts
9 AM – 7:30 PM

Awards Ceremony

Palace of Fine Arts
8 PM - 9:30 PM

Master Classes (Pending)

Depending on the number of students registered.

*San Francisco Ballet School
10 AM - 2:30 PM*

Sunday, February 25, 2018:

Master Classes

San Francisco Ballet School
10 AM – 2:30 PM

- Please note this timeline is Tentative and Subject to Change
- The first draft of the Timeline will be posted 5 - 6 weeks before the Event
- The final Timeline will be posted 10-14 days before the Event.

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Important Information

About the Venue: The Palace of Fine Arts is an historic theatre in the Marina District of San Francisco, California, with a spacious auditorium, a beautiful lobby and views of the San Francisco Bay. There is a variety of sightseeing within walking distance, with the Marina and the trendy Fisherman's Wharf with shops and restaurants located a short drive away. Master Classes will take place at the prestigious, state-of-the-art San Francisco Ballet studios in downtown San Francisco, a 15-minute drive from the theater and located directly across from the War Memorial Opera House, where the San Francisco Ballet company performs.

Theater:

Theater: Palace of Fine Arts Theatre

Website: <https://palaceoffinearts.org/>

Address: 3301 Lyon Street San Francisco, CA 94123

Stage Size: 73'4"W x 51'D

Auditorium Size: 962

Nearby restaurants: A variety of options within a short driving distance from Theater, a few cafes within a short walk

Parking: Onsite parking, free of charge



Studios:

Studios: San Francisco Ballet School

Website: <https://www.sfballet.org/school>

Address: 455 Franklin St., San Francisco, CA 94102

Parking: Several options available: street parking at the meters for approximately \$4/2 hours; Performing Arts Garage \$15/day



Hotel:

Sheraton Fisherman's Wharf Hotel: ★★★★★

Address: 2500 Mason St, San Francisco, CA 94133

Website: <http://www.sheratonatthewharf.com/>

YAGP Special Rate: \$159

Distance from Theater: 2 miles, approximately 15 minutes drive

Distance from Studios: 3 miles, approximately 15 minutes drive

Parking: Self parking \$36, rack \$56

Breakfast: Menu prices

WiFi: complimentary

Shuttle: N/A

Book By: TBA

Reservation method: [Book your Special YAGP Group Rate here](#)

Hotel Restaurant

Sol's Breakfast Café - \$\$, on site

Hours of Operation: Daily 6:30 AM - 10:30 AM

Website: <http://www.sheratonatthewharf.com/fishermans-wharf-restaurants>

Meals Served: Breakfast

Cuisine: American

Phone Number: (415) 362-5500

Link@ Sheraton Café - \$\$, on site

Hours of Operation: Daily 6:00 AM - 11:00 PM

Website: <http://www.sheratonatthewharf.com/fishermans-wharf-restaurants>

Meals Served: Snacks, light meals, beverages

Cuisine: American

Phone Number: (415) 362-5500



Distances:

Distance between theater and studios: 3 miles approximately 15 minutes driving

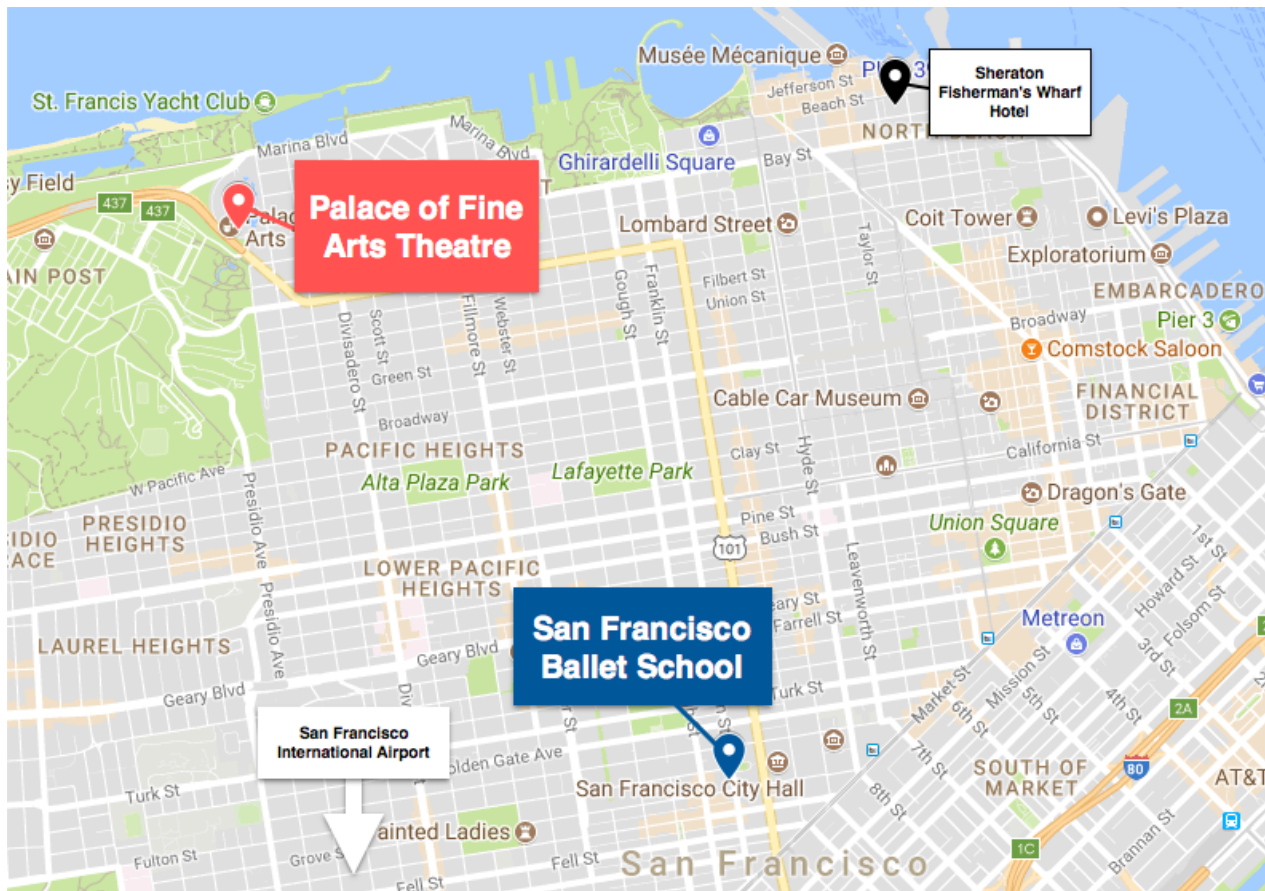
Distance from airport to theater: 15 miles approximately 40 minutes driving

Distance from airport to studios: 15 miles approximately 40 minutes driving

Distance from airport to hotel: 15 miles approximately 40 minutes driving

Distance from hotel to theater: 2 miles approximately 15 minutes driving

Distance from hotel to studios: 3 miles approximately 15 minutes driving



Dining:

Theater - nearby lunch options:

Squat & Gobble Cafe - \$\$, 0.5 miles away

Hours of Operation: Daily 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM

Website: <http://squatandgobble.com/>

Cuisine: Sandwiches

Address: 2263 Chestnut St, San Francisco, CA 94123

Phone: (415) 829-2587

Pluto's - \$, 0.5 miles away

Hours of Operation: Mon to Fri 11:00 AM - 10:00 PM, Sat & Sun 10:30 AM - 10:00 PM

Website: <http://www.plutosfreshfood.com/>

Cuisine: Sandwiches

Address: 3258 Scott St, San Francisco, CA 94123

Phone: (415) 775-8867

The Sandwich Spot SF - \$, 0.6 miles away

Hours of Operation: Mon to Thu 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM, Fri to Sun 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Website: <https://thesandwichspotsanfrancisco.com/>

Cuisine: Sandwiches
Address: 3213 Pierce St, San Francisco, CA 94123
Phone: (415) 829-2587

Starbucks - \$\$, 0.7 miles away
Hours of Operation: Mon to Sat 5:00 AM - 9:00 PM, Sun 6:00 AM - 8:30 PM
Website:

<https://www.starbucks.com/store-locator/store/15803/chestnut-2132-chestnut-street-san-francisco-ca-941232709-us>

Cuisine: Coffeeshop
Address: 2132 Chestnut St, San Francisco, CA 94123
Phone: (415) 673-6781

Balboa Cafe - \$\$, 0.8 miles away
Hours of Operation: Mon to Fri 11:30 AM - 2:00 AM, Sat & Sun 9:00 AM - 2:00 AM
Website: <http://www.balboacafe.com/san-francisco/>

Cuisine: Coffeeshop
Address: 3199 Fillmore St, San Francisco, CA 94123
Phone: (415) 921-3944

Studio - nearby lunch options:

Lunchpad - \$\$, 0.3 miles away
Hours of Operation: Mon to Fri 9:00 AM - 2:30 PM, Sat & Sun 11:00 AM - 2:30 PM
Website: <http://www.thelunchpadsf.com/>

Cuisine: Sandwiches
Address: 581 Hayes St, San Francisco, CA 94102
Phone: (415) 522-6647

SUBWAY - \$, 0.4 miles away
Hours of Operation: Mon to Fri 7:00 AM - 9:00 PM, Sat & Sun 8:00 AM - 9:00 PM
Website: <https://order.subway.com/Cart/Menu2.aspx>

Cuisine: Sandwiches
Address: 1250 Market St, San Francisco, CA 94102
Phone: (415) 621-1249

Morty's Delicatessen - \$\$, 0.5 away
Hours of Operation: Mon to Sat 7:00 AM - 5:00 PM, Sun closed
Website: <http://www.mortysdelicatessenca.com/>

Cuisine: Sandwiches
Address: 280 Golden Gate Ave, San Francisco, CA 94102
Phone: (415) 567-3354

Le Pettit's Kitchen - \$, 0.6 away
Hours of Operation: Mon to Fri 9:00 AM - 3:00 PM, Sat & Sun closed
Website: <http://lepetittskitchen.net/>

Cuisine: Sandwiches
Address: 265 Golden Gate Ave, San Francisco, CA 94102
Phone: (415) 355-9404

Lee's Sandwiches - \$, 0.6 away
Hours of Operation: Daily 6:00 AM - 8:00 PM
Website: <http://leesandwiches.com/>
Cuisine: Sandwiches
Address: 625 Larkin St, San Francisco, CA 94109
Phone: (415) 929-6888

Hotel - nearby restaurants:

Pompei's Grotto - \$\$, 495 ft away
Hours of Operation: Sun to Thu 10:30 AM - 9:30 PM, Fri & Sat 10:30 AM - 10:00 PM
Website: <http://www.pompeisgrotto.com/>
Cuisine: Italian, seafood
Address: 340 Jefferson St, San Francisco, CA 94133
Phone: (415) 776-5015

Castagnola's Restaurant - \$\$, 0.1 miles away
Hours of Operation: Sun to Thu 10:30 AM - 9:30 PM, Fri & Sat 10:30 AM - 10:00 PM
Website: <http://www.castagnolassf.com/>
Cuisine: Seafood
Address: 286 Jefferson St, San Francisco, CA 94133
Phone: (415) 776-5015

The Buena Vista - \$, 0.1 miles away
Hours of Operation: Mon to Fri 9:00 AM - 2:00 AM, Sat & Sun 8:00 AM - 2:00 AM
Website: <http://www.thebuenavista.com/home/home.html>
Cuisine: American
Address: 2765 Hyde St, San Francisco, CA 94109
Phone: (415) 474-5044

Denny's - \$, 0.2 away
Hours of Operation: 24/7
Website:
https://locations.dennys.com/CA/SAN-FRANCISCO/246607?utm_source=yext&utm_medium=local-listing&utm_campaign=yext-listing
Cuisine: American
Address: 495 Beach St, San Francisco, CA 94133
Phone: (415) 776-3700

Flying Ninja - \$, 0.5 miles away
Hours of Operation: Sun to Thu 11:00 AM - 9:00 PM, Fri & Sat 11:00 AM - 10:00 PM
Website: <http://flyingnijasushi.com/>
Cuisine: Japanese
Address: 461 Jefferson St, San Francisco, CA 94133
Phone: (415) 292-6255