



# YAGP 20th Anniversary Season Regional Semi-Final Tour Guide

## YAGP San Francisco, CA - January 19 - 20, 2019

Dear Friends,

We are thrilled to welcome you to the Youth America Grand Prix 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary 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 usually take place differently in each venue, depending on the size of the group and the location. Depending on additional availability of studio and theater space, we may accommodate additional participants from the waiting list, by making adjustments to the timeline and adding an additional day to the competition. 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 only accommodate a set number of participants.

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.

**We strongly suggest that you only finalize travel arrangements after the first draft of the updated schedule has been posted, five to six weeks before the event.**

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.

### **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](mailto:regional@yagp.org).

All the best,

The YAGP Team

# Important Information

**About the Venue:** Capuchino Performing Arts Center is located just off the El Camino in San Bruno, alongside which a number of restaurants can be found. The theater is also minutes away from the San Francisco Airport.

## Theater:

**Theater:** Capuchino Samuel Johnson, Jr. Performing Arts Center

**Website:** <http://smuhsd.theater/capuchino-performing-arts-center/>

**Address:** 336-398 Millwood Dr, Millbrae, CA 94030

**Stage size:** 44'x37'

**Auditorium Size:** 938 seats

**Nearby restaurants:** A variety of fast-food Chinese, American, Vietnamese and Mexican options within 5 min drive from the theater.

**Parking:** Free, but limited parking spots are available at the venue near Millwood Dr. and Barcelona Dr..



## 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 - [360 Grove St., San Francisco, CA 94102](https://www.sfballet.org/school)**



## Hotel:

**Hilton Garden Inn San Francisco Airport/Burlingame: ★★★★★**

**Address:** 765 Airport Blvd, Burlingame, CA 94010

**Website:**

[hiltongardeninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/california/hilton-garden-inn-san-francisco-airport-burlingame-SFOABGI/index.html](http://hiltongardeninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/california/hilton-garden-inn-san-francisco-airport-burlingame-SFOABGI/index.html)

**YAGP Special Rate:** \$129

**Distance from Theater:** 4 miles, approximately 12 minutes drive

**Distance from Studios:** 16 miles, approximately 30 minutes drive

**Parking:** complimentary

**Breakfast:** \$14.95/person

**WiFi:** complimentary

**Shuttle:** N/A

**Book By:** 01/04/2019

**Reservation method:** call the hotel directly at 650-340-4386 and mention YAGP Group Block, or [Book Online](#) to get the YAGP group rate



### Hotel Restaurant

**Garden Bar & Lounge**, on site

**Hours of Operation:** Daily 6 PM - 11 PM

**Meals Served:** Bar and appetizers

**Cuisine:** American

**Great American Grill - Dinner**, on site

**Days of Operation:** Monday-Friday

**Meals Served:** a la carte lunch and dinner, bar

**Cuisine:** American

**Great American Grill - Lunch**, on site

**Hours of Operation:** Daily 5 PM - 10:30 PM

**Meals Served:** a la carte lunch and dinner, bar

**Cuisine:** American

**Great American Grill - Breakfast**, on site

**Hours of Operation:** Monday - Friday: 6 am - 10 am

Saturday - Sunday: 6 am - 11 am

**Meals Served:** hot breakfast buffet

## Dining

**Restaurants near studios, theatres, and hotels can be found by using [yelp.com](http://yelp.com) or [google.com/maps](http://google.com/maps) and entering the address of the venue.**

# **YAGP 2019 San Francisco, CA**

## **Preliminary Timeline**

(1/2/19)

### **Saturday, January 19, 2019:**

#### **Competition**

Capuchino Samuel Johnson, Jr. Performing Arts Center  
9:30 AM – 9:30 PM

#### **Master Classes**

San Francisco Ballet School  
3:30 PM – 8:30 PM

### **Sunday, January 20, 2019:**

#### **Competition**

Capuchino Samuel Johnson, Jr. Performing Arts Center  
9 AM – 7 PM

#### **Awards Ceremony**

7:30 PM – 8:30 PM

#### **Master Classes**

San Francisco Ballet School  
10 AM - 2:30 PM

- Due to auditorium size, there will be limited audience capacity for the Awards Ceremony - teachers and 1 parent per child rule will apply
- Registration begins 1.5 hours before your Competition Time.
- Please note this schedule 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.

## Distances:

**Distance between theater and studios:** 15 miles approximately 35 minutes driving

**Distance from airport to theater:** 3 miles approximately 10 minutes driving

**Distance from airport to studios:** 14 miles approximately 30 minutes driving

**Distance from airport to hotel:** 4 miles about 8 minutes driving

**Distance from hotel to theater:** 4 miles approximately 12 minutes driving

**Distance from hotel to studios:** 16 miles approximately 30 minutes driving

