

DECATUR COMMUNITY DANCE

PRESENTS

Twisting and Twirling in Time



FEATURING EXCERPTS FROM *THE SLEEPING BEAUTY BALLET* BY TCHAIKOVSKY

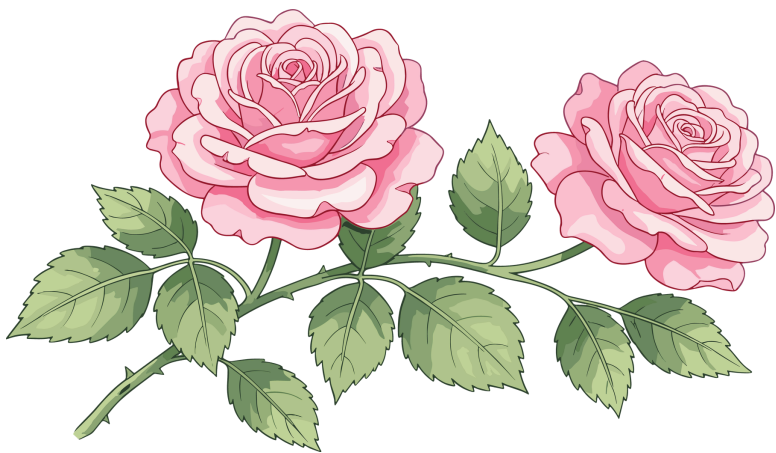
SPRING 2026 DANCE CONCERT

SATURDAY, APRIL 25 AT 6 PM
SUNDAY, APRIL 26 AT 2 PM



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With excerpts from *The Sleeping Beauty Ballet* by
Tchaikovsky



2026 SPRING DANCE CONCERT
DECATUR COMMUNITY DANCE

Richland Community College
Shilling Auditorium

Saturday, April 25th at 6 pm
Sunday, April 26th at 2 pm

Credits

Producers	Decatur Community Dance
Instructors	Nancy McReynolds Melissa Girardi Jan Taylor Chelsea White Amy Zietlow Amanda Elven Jennifer Power Amy Golz Corissa Metcalf Cora Hyde Jasperlyn Roberts Matt Heineman & Yulia Dichenko
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Lighting Design	Joe Feinstein
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Costume Coordinator	Amanda Elven
Ticket Sales	Jeff Elven
Program Cover Design	Cora Hyde
T-Shirt Design	Cora Hyde
Program Production	Decatur Community Dance

To those whose names may have been inadvertently omitted from the program or who worked behind the scenes, we thank you for your support and service to our Decatur Community Dance Family.

We would also like to thank Richland Community College for the use (rental) of SC54 and the Shilling Auditorium.

Welcome to the Decatur Community Dance's Fifth Dance Concert!

The Decatur Community Dance Staff and Board would like to take this opportunity to thank our audience members for attending our fifth annual Dance Concert "Twisting and Twirling in Time" with excerpts from The Sleeping Beauty Ballet! Our students and staff have worked very hard and have accepted some amazing challenges to present the varied dance numbers as well as the selected dances from The Sleeping Beauty Ballet.

We would especially like to thank the parents, community members, businesses, and wonderful volunteers, who have contributed their time, talent, and energy to make this concert enjoyable.

We truly appreciate those individuals who have given financial support and who continue to do so to keep our community vibrant. DCD will continue to accept your kind donations throughout the year. A special thanks to our Sponsors:

Grand Battement Level: Edward Leonard

The Decatur Community Dance Company would like to thank the following nursing homes for hosting us this season: Evergreen, The Glenwood, Imboden Creek Garden Assisted Living Center, Tanglewood Village, and Eagle Creek Living Center. If you have a community event where dance would be welcome, please contact Nancy (217-429-4764).

Special Thanks to all our Teaching Assistants!

Our instructors are able to do a better job covering lesson plans and being more creative in the classroom because of our Assistants. Instructors can spend more time encouraging correct technique and giving individual attention to those students who may need it. We appreciate you and thank you so much for your valuable time and energy assisting us in the classroom.



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The Decatur Community Dance Spring Dance Concert

Part I



(1) Popular

Composer: Wicked (Ariana Grande)

Class: Saturday; I'm Two; I'm Terrific

Instructor: Cora Hyde (Assistants: Rachel Jerabek, Charlotte Kaufman)

Students: Scarlett Abner, Aurora Hobbs, Hazel Howse, Xzavier Rebelsky, Elise Ruebhausen

(2) Good Time For A Good Day

Composer: Forrest Frank

Class: Thursday; Kid's Hip Hop

Instructor: Jan Taylor

Students: Orion Hollis-George, Rory Hollis-George, Norah Martin, Everly Smith, Jamarion Taylor, Sunny Taylor

(3) Mr. Blue Sky

Composer: Voice Play

Class: Monday; Beginning Jazz

Instructor: Melissa Girardi

Students: Blakely Craycraft, Sadie Deets, Meredith Dull, Amelia Ferguson, Audriana Golz, Charlotte Marshall, Kenna Power

(4) Once Upon A December

Composer: Anastasia (Christy Allomare)

Class: Saturday; Preballet

Instructor: Cora Hyde (Assistants: Maisey Elven, Rachel Jerabek, Charlotte Kaufman)

Students: Harper Copeland, Irene Crist, Alilliana Jaco, Fynlee Johnson, Rowyn Johnson, Margaret Leonard, Rosalie Reed, Ava Sarna

(5) Zoo Time

Composer: Zootopia II; Shakira

Class: Thursday; Tap & Jazz

Instructor: Jan Taylor

Students: Gwendolyn Ekiss, Adam Glause, Isaac Glause, Ruby Glause, Abigail Jaco, Braylon Wilcoxon, Savanna Yowell



(6) Twist and Shout

Composer: The Beatles

Class: Wednesday; Ballet/Tap/Tumbling

Instructor: Jan Taylor (Assistant: Cora Hyde)

Students: Grace Byers, Emmy Herek, Aria Kirk, Everly Smith,

Kiori Tempel, Clara Thomas, Kenleigh Thomas, Henry Ward, Lucy Ward

(7) A Million Dreams

Composer: The Greatest Showman (Jessica Vosk)

Class: Saturday; Primary Ballet

Instructor: Cora Hyde (Assistants: Rachel Jerabek, Charlotte Kaufman)

Students: Michaela Layton, Charlie Meek, Arianne Paulson, Allison Sloan

(8) Pretty Little Baby

Composer: Connie Francis

Class: Thursday; Beginning Tap & Jazz

Instructor: Jan Taylor

Students: Kassius Anderson, Margaret Leonard, Eleanor Mills,

Everly Tipsword-Coelho, Oliver Winchester

(9) Do the Twist

Composer: Chubby Checker

Class: Wednesday; Beginning Ballet & Tap II

Instructor: Jan Taylor

Students: Kaliyah Anderson, Emma Ford, Lydia Ford, Ella Herek,

Daphne Pettyjohn

(10) Twist My Hips

Composer: Tim James & Nevermind

Class: Thursday; Youth Hip Hop

Instructor: Jan Taylor

Students: Matilda Celiz, Avarie Crutcher, Gwendolyn Ekiss,

Avery Fasnacht, Kora Houston, Aleaha Jaco-Terrell,

Raelynn Jaco-Tudor, Priya Janes, Mabel Mason, Charlotte Porter,

Jimi Porter, A'Riyah Reed, Raelyn Weaver, Baron Wilcoxon,

Savanna Yowell



The Decatur Community Spring Dance Concert Part II

La Belle au Bois Dormant (Sleeping Beauty)

By Tchaikovsky (Choreography by Petipa)

(Interpreted and arranged by Nancy McReynolds, Kristina McReynolds, and the following teachers: Amy Zietlow, Melissa Girardi, Chelsea White, Corissa Metcalf, Cora Hyde, and Jasperlyn Roberts)

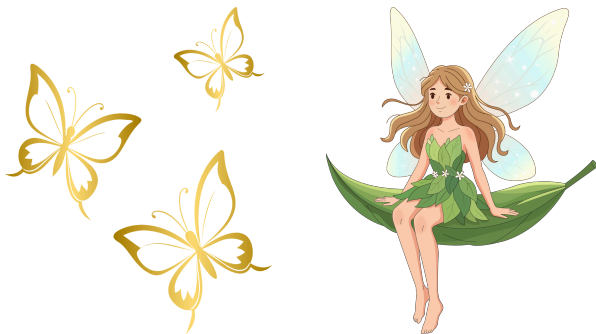
Prologue: The Christening

In an imaginary kingdom, King Floristan XXIV and his Queen are celebrating the christening of their infant daughter, Aurora. Six fairies, including the benevolent Lilac Fairy, arrive. Each Crystal Fairy dances to display the special grace or virtue she will give the young princess.

Five of the fairies present their gifts, but then a roll of thundering music announces the arrival of the wicked and powerful fairy, Carabosse. She is furious because she had not been invited to the christening. The King and Queen find out that Catalabutte, their Master of Ceremonies, inadvertently left Carabosse off the royal "Invitation List."

Engulfed in rage, she not only punishes Catalabutte, but also casts an evil curse upon Aurora. Princess Aurora will grow up in beauty and accomplishments; however, one day she will prick her finger on a rose and die!

The Lilac Fairy, who has not yet given her blessing or gift, cannot undo the evil spell, but she can soften it. Aurora will not die, she promises, but she will fall into a long, deep sleep from which a prince will awaken her with a kiss.



Characters

Narrator...Sara Davis

King...Matt Heineman

Queen...Yulia Dichenko

Catalabutte (Master of Ceremonies) ...Carsten Paulson

Nursemaid...Tammy Baker

The Lilac Fairy...Jasperlyn Roberts

Crystal Fairies

Fairy of the Crystal Fountain...Katie Power

Fairy of the Woodland Glade...Ella Himanga

Fairy of the Enchanted Forest...Lucy Deets

Fairy of the Songbirds...Jennifer Power

Fairy of the Golden Vine...Melissa Girardi

Carabosse...Amy Golz

Assistants to Carabosse:

Blakely Craycraft, Meredith Dull, Amelia Ferguson,

Audriana Golz, Addison Himanga, Kenna Power



Prologue Dances

- Entrance Marche and Presentation of Gifts to “Baby Aurora”
- Pas de Six (Lilac Fairy and Crystal Fairies)
- Crystal Fairy Solo Variations
- Crystal Fairy Coda
- Prologue Finale: The Insulted Carabosse Declares Her Curse



Act I: The Spell Is Cast (Sixteen Years Later)

Time has flown, and it is Princess Aurora’s sixteenth birthday. At the party, four foreign princes seek the hand of Princess Aurora in marriage. Young girls with flowers dance the beautiful “Waltz of the Garlands.” Princess Aurora dances joyfully for the gathering, greeting each prince in turn in the “Rose Adagio.” Young girls perform for Princess Aurora the “Handmaidens of Honor” dance as her special friends.

A strange old woman creeps into the palace hidden under a large cloak and gives Aurora a bouquet of flowers. Aurora dances with the bouquet of flowers sharing most of it with her friends. With just a rose remaining from the bouquet, she ominously pricks her finger on one of the thorns and eventually falls into a swoon. The elderly woman reveals herself to be the wicked Carabosse and laughs with delight in the fulfillment of her curse.

Outraged, King Floristan orders the suitors to chase the evil Carabosse out of the castle. As the court mourns what they think is the “death” of Aurora, the King orders the suitors to place her body on a bier. The Lilac Fairy appears with her Crystal Fairies and assures them that Aurora is only sleeping. At the wave of her hand, the members of the court also fall asleep, resting under the protection of the Lilac Fairy.

Characters

Narrator...Sara Davis

Waltz of the Garlands (Ballet IV/V)....

Rowan Boethin, Blakley Craycraft, Meredith Dull, Adeline Farr,
Amelia Ferguson, Esther Georgas, Audriana Golz, Addison Himanga,
Olivia Patricio, Kenna Power, Adeline Rose, Savanna Yowell

King & Queen...Yulia Dichenko and Matt Heineman

Princess Aurora...Corissa Metcalf

Suitors...Andrew Craycraft, Kaitlyn Glause, Carsten Paulson,
Dayle Rebelsky, Amy Zietlow

Young Gentleman of the Court...Sawyer Craycraft

Handmaidens of Honor (Ballet I & Ballet II/III)....

Nori Claypool, Eleanor Mills, Elliott Scircle, Magnolia Taylor
Emma Bennett, Matilda Celiz, Avarie Crutcher, Tessa Deets,
Caroline Dull, Madeleine Hjort, Adelita Lopez-Barista, Mabel Mason,
Ruby Rose

The Lilac Fairy...Jasperlyn Roberts

Crystal Fairies....

Katie Power, Ella Himanga, Lucy Deets, Jennifer Power, Melissa Girardi

Carabosse...Amy Golz



Act I Dances

·Waltz of the Garlands

·Rose Adagio with Princess Aurora and the Suitors

·Handmaidens of Honor Dance

·Solo Variation: Princess Aurora

·Act I Finale: Carabosse Casts Her Evil Spell



Act II: The Prince and the Awakening

(One Hundred Years Later)

Scene One

One hundred years have passed.

Peasant women enter to dance a lovely mazurka and exit.

Prince Florimund (Desire) is hunting with a group of friends. However, he is melancholy having just been jilted by his girlfriend and decides to send his friends hunting on ahead without him. As the Prince broods alone over his lost love, the Lilac Fairy appears and shows him a vision of the “Sleeping Beauty,” Princess Aurora. Prince Florimund asks to be taken to this beautiful Princess. The Lilac Fairy enchantingly leads him to the palace.

Peasant maidens enter to perform a charming dance to end Scene One.

Scene Two

We find Carabosse eagerly awaiting the Lilac Fairy and Prince Florimund. A struggle ensues as Carabosse tries to prevent Prince Florimund from undoing her evil curse. The Prince finally overcomes Carabosse and follows the Lilac Fairy’s instructions to awaken Princess Aurora with a tender kiss.

The curse is lifted; the court quickly awakens. Princess Aurora and Prince Florimund declare their love for each other. The King and Queen happily bestow their blessing upon the couple.

Characters

Narrator...Sara Davis

Mazurka Dance of the Peasant Women (Adult Ballet)...

Jayden Brown, Nicole Cook, Olivia Dorn, Amanda Elven,
Ardelle Estoesta, Molly Fuller, Kylie Hale, Sarah Hott, Cora Hyde,
Jessica Laskowski, Michelle Marquis, Hannah Urquhart,
Jessa Wilcoxon, Michelle Wright

Hunters...

Andrew Craycraft, Kaitlyn Glause, Carsten Paulson , Dayle Rebelsky

Squire...Sawyer Craycraft

Prince Florimund...Amy Zietlow

Princess Aurora...Corissa Metcalf

The Lilac Fairy...Jasperlyn Roberts



Crystal Fairies....

Katie Power, Ella Himanga, Lucy Deets, Jennifer Power, Melissa Girardi

Peasant Maidens (Beginning/Intermediate Pointe)

Elizabeth Bennett, Olivia Dorn, Maisey Elven, Berlin Furry, Aubree Himanga, Ella Himanga, Cora Hyde, Rachel Jerabek, Charlotte Kaufman, Lainey Kramer, Jennifer Power, Katie Power, Abigail Walsh

King & Queen... Yulia Dichenko and Matt Heineman

Carabosse...Amy Golz

Assistants to Carabosse....Blakely Craycraft, Meredith Dull, Amelia Ferguson, Audriana Golz, Addison Himanga, Kenna Power



Act II Dances

Scene One

- Mazurka Dance of the Peasant Women
- Entrance of Prince Florimund and the Hunters
- Prince Florimund encounters the Lilac Fairy
- Vision of Princess Aurora
- Journey to the palace
- Peasant Maidens Dance

Scene Two

- The Battle Between Carabosse and Prince Florimund
- Prince Florimund awakens Princess Aurora
- The Spell is broken
- Prince Florimund asks the King and Queen for permission to marry Aurora



Act III: The Wedding Celebration

The scene opens on Princess Aurora and Prince Florimund's wedding celebration. A grand divertissement begins with numerous guests.

The celebration begins with the "Polacca" which is a lively peasant dance. Following the "Polacca," the beautiful "Gem Fairies" delight the guests with their lovely, intricate dances. The "White Cat and Black Cat" entertain the guests with all their feline antics. Accompanied by the floating strains of beautiful music, the "Bluebirds" perform for the celebration with all the gracefulness of true songbirds.

The storybook characters remain forever timeless in children's memories of folklore. "Red Riding Hood and the Big Bad Wolf" continue to teach children not to talk to strangers!

"Cinderella and Her Evil Stepsisters and Stepmother" help young ones to never give up despite the difficult circumstances and to always strive for their hearts' desires.

Finally, the "Grand Pas" ultimately charms not only the wedding guests, but also the proud King and Queen. Most of the guests join in the ending celebration dance, "The Finale" to give an absolutely joyful conclusion to this Sleeping Beauty Ballet.

Characters

Narrator...Sara Davis

Polacca... Lindsey Craycraft, Lucy Deets, Melissa Girardi, Amy Golz, Ella Himanga, Lainey Kramer, Corissa Metcalf, Jennnifer Power, Katie Power, Dayle Rebelsky, Jasperlyn Roberts, Chelsea White, Michelle Wright, Amy Zietlow

Gem Fairies

Topaz Fairies...Berlin Furry, Aubree Himanga, Janie Manning

Ruby Fairies...Amanda Elven, Kaitlyn Glause, Suzannah Rotz

Emerald Fairies...Maisey Elven, Charlotte Kaufman

Sapphire Fairies...Rachel Jerabek, Abigail Walsh

The Lilac Fairy...Jasperlyn Roberts

Cinderella...Lainey Kramer

Step-Sisters...Elizabeth Bennett, Elise Roberts

Step-Mother...Michelle Wright

White Cat...Katie Power

Black Cat...Jennifer Power



Bluebirds

Part I: Intermediate/Advanced Ballet ...

Elizabeth Bennett, Lucy Deets, Amanda Elven, Maisey Elven,
Berlin Furry, Kaitlyn Glause, Aubree Himanga, Rachel Jerabek, Charlotte
Kaufman, Janie Manning, Elise Roberts, Suzannah Rotz, Abigail Walsh

Part II: Bluebird Male Solo...Dayle Rebelsky

Part III: Bluebird Female Solo...Chelsea White

Red Riding Hood...Lindsey Craycraft

Wolf...Andrew Craycraft

Grand Pas

Part I: Intermediate/Advanced Dance Company...

Elizabeth Bennett, Lucy Deets, Maisey Elven, Aubree Himanga,
Ella Himanga, Rachel Jerabek, Charlotte Kaufman, Katie Power,
Elise Roberts, Jasperlyn Roberts, Abigail Walsh

Part II: Princess Aurora: Corissa Metcalf

Part III: Junior Dance Company... Blakely Craycraft, Meredith Dull,
Amelia Ferguson, Audriana Golz, Addison Himanga, Kenna Power,
Adeline Rose

Finale...



Act III Dances

•Polacca

•Gem Fairy Prologue

•Topaz Fairies Dance

•Ruby Fairies Dance

•Emerald Fairies Dance

•Sapphire Fairies Dance

•Gem Fairy Coda with the Lilac Fairy

•Cinderella, her Step-Sisters, and her Step-Mother

•Black and White Cat

•Bluebird Variations (Three Parts)

•Red Riding Hood and the Big Bad Wolf

•Grand Pas (Three Parts)

•Finale



The Decatur Community Spring Dance Concert Part III

(1) Brave

Composer: Moriah

Class: Wednesday; Advanced Jazz

Instructor: Cora Hyde

Students: Elizabeth Bennett, Olivia Dorn, Maisey Elven, Rachel Jerabek, Charlotte Kaufman, Lainey Kramer, Abigail Walsh

(2) Beautiful, Beautiful

Composer: Francesca Battistelli

Class: Dance Company Juniors

Instructor: Jennifer Power

Students: Blakely Craycraft, Caroline Dull, Meredith Dull, Amelia Ferguson, Audriana Golz, Addison Himanga, Kenna Power, Adeline Rose, Ruby Rose

(3) This Is Me

Composer: The Greatest Showman (Keala Settle)

Duet: Maisey Elven, Corissa Metcalf

(4) Lifter of My Head

Composer: Baily Hager

Class: Ballet II/III

Instructor: Jasperlyn Roberts

Students: Emma Bennett, Matilda Celiz, Avarie Crutcher, Tessa Deets, Caroline Dull, Madeleine Hjort, Adelita Lopez-Barista, Mabel Mason, Ruby Rose

(5) Praying (Senior Solo)

Composer: Sydney Strong

Student: Jasperlyn Roberts

(6) Stand By Me

Composer: Skylar Grey

Class: Tuesday; Teen/Adult Ballet

Instructor: Melissa Girardi

Students: Jayden Brown, Nicole Cook, Olivia Dorn, Amanda Elven, Ardelle Estoesta, Molly Fuller, Kylie Hale, Sarah Hott, Cora Hyde, Jessica Laskowski, Michelle Marquis, Hannah Urquhart, Jessa Wilcoxon, Michelle Wright

(7) Hungarian Rhapsody

Composer: Franz Liszt

Class: Intermediate/Advanced Dance Company

Instructor: Nancy McReynolds

Students: Elizabeth Bennett, Lucy Deets, Maisey Elven, Aubree Himanga, Ella Himanga, Rachel Jerabek, Charlotte Kaufman, Katie Power, Elise Roberts, Jasperlyn Roberts, Abigail Walsh

(8) The Goggle Eye Gee and the Giggle Eye Goo

Composer: Arthur Godfrey

Class: Dance Company Juniors

Instructor: Jennifer Power

Students: Blakely Craycraft, Caroline Dull, Meredith Dull, Amelia Ferguson, Audriana Golz, Addison Himanga, Kenna Power, Adeline Rose, Ruby Rose

(9) Luminary

Composer: Joel Sunny

Duet: Lucy Deets, Ella Himanga

(10) I've Got a Dream

Composer: Tangled

Class: Friday; Intermediate/Advanced Tap

Instructor: Corissa Metcalf

Students: Olivia Dorn, Maisey Elven, Corissa Metcalf, Katie Power, Jasperlyn Roberts

(11) Speechless

Composer: Naomi Scott

Class: Tuesday: Ballet IV/V

Instructor: Chelsea White

Students: Rowan Boethin, Blakley Craycraft, Meredith Dull, Adeline Farr, Amelia Ferguson, Esther Georgas, Audriana Golz, Addison Himanga, Olivia Patricio, Kenna Power, Adeline Rose, Savanna Yowell

(12) If We've Ever Needed You

Composer: Casting Crowns

Class: Intermediate/Advanced Dance Company

Instructor: Nancy McReynolds

Students: Elizabeth Bennett, Lucy Deets, Maisey Elven, Aubree Himanga, Ella Himanga, Rachel Jerabek, Charlotte Kaufman, Katie Power, Elise Roberts, Jasperlyn Roberts, Abigail Walsh

(13) Goodnight Dear Lord

Composer: Johnny Mathes

Class: Apprentice Company

Instructor: Jennifer Power

Students: Caroline Dull, Adeline Rose, Ruby Rose

(14) Two Birds

Composer: Regina Spektor

Duet: Katie Power, Jasperlyn Roberts with Kenna Power, Elise Roberts

(15) Lil' Bit of Country Time

Composer: Nelly

Class: Wednesday; Teen/Adult Hip Hop/Tap

Instructor: Jan Taylor

Students: Paula Campbell, Piper Clark, Tasha Cohen, Shakayla Dickey, Olivia Dorn, Cora Hyde, Jan Taylor, Allison Thomas, Payton Weaver, Christy Zientara

(16) Deliver Us

Composer: Prince of Egypt

Instructors: Nancy McReynolds, Amy Ziettlow

Class: Monday; Advanced Ballet:

Students: Lindsey Craycraft, Lucy Deets, Melissa Girardi, Amy Golz, Ella Himanga, Lainey Kramer, Corissa Metcalf, Jennnifer Power, Katie Power, Dayle Rebelsky, Jasperlyn Roberts, Chelsea White, Michelle Wright, Amy Ziettlow

Class: Thursday; Intermediate/Advanced Ballet:

Students: Elizabeth Bennett, Amanda Elven, Maisey Elven, Berlin Furry, Kaitlyn Glause, Aubree Himanga, Rachel Jerabek, Charlotte Kaufman, Janie Manning, Elise Roberts, Suzannah Rotz, Abigail Walsh






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Congrats to our rising star.
Maisey



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Mom & Dad

Brava!

ADELINE F.



Love,
Dad,
Mom &
Jack

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Adeline F.

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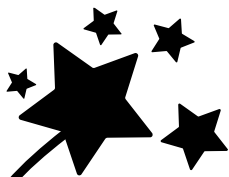
Brava!

ADELINE & RUBY



Love,
Mom,
Dad &
Jett

Congrats to our rising star.
Charlotte Rose



Love,
Grandma
and
Grandpa

Brava!

ELIZABETH



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Mom and Dad

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AND
GRAMPY



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EMMA



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Mom and Dad

Brava!

CHARLOTTE ROSE



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Mom and
Dad*

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MOM. DAD.
ZACK.
AND
RAELYN



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Rachel



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Nana Lois
and
Papa John*

Brava!

JANIEE



*Love,
Mom, Dad,
Gracie & Lily*

Brava!

RACHEL



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Mom, Dad,
Sean, and
Nora*

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DAD.
PAYTON.
AND
ZACK



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Rachel

LOVE.
NANA WENDY
AND
PAPA DAN



Brava!
CHARLOTTE,
MAISEY,
AND RACHEL



*Thank you
for all
your help
this year!*

Love, Miss Cora

Brava!

MAGGIE



*Love,
Mom, Dad,
and
Alexander*

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Savanna

LOVE.
MOM
AND
DAD



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Henry and Lucy

LOVE.
MOM.
DAD.
SEBASTIAN.
AND
FLOSSIE



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KATIE



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Grandma
Mandy and
Papa*

Brava!

KENNA



*Love,
Grandma
Mandy and
Papa*

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Gwen

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DAD.
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BEANS.
& LOKI



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Amelia

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GRANDMA
AND
GRANDPA



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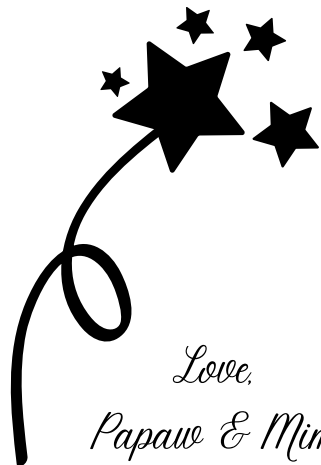
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MOM
AND
DAD



Congrats to our rising stars.

Norah



*Love,
Papaw & Mimi*

Brava!

CHARLIE



*Love,
Mom, Dad,
Parker, and
Sadie*

2026 Decatur Community Dance Summer Programs

4-Week Classes

Monday (June 8, 15, 22, 29)

10:00 -11:00 am Ballet/Tap/Tumbling (ages 3-6)

4:00 – 5:00 pm Ballet/Tap/Tumbling (ages 3-6)

5:00 – 5:45 pm Beginning Ballet (ages 4-9)

5:45 – 6:45 pm Lyrical (Ages 13 to Adult)

6:45 – 7:45 pm. Advanced Jazz (Ages 13 to Adult)

Tuesday (June 9, 16, 23, 30)

6:00 – 7:15 pm Intermediate/Advanced Ballet (Ages 13 to Adult)

7:15 – 7:45 pm Intermediate/Advanced Pointe (Ages 13 to Adult)

Wednesday (June 3, 10, 17, 24)

5:00 – 6:00 pm Beginning Jazz (ages 7-13) (10 students max)

6:00 – 7:00 pm Teen/Adult Beginning Ballet (Ages 13 – Adult)

7:00 – 8:00 pm Ballet Variations (Ages 13 – Adult)

Thursday (June 4, 11, 18, 25)

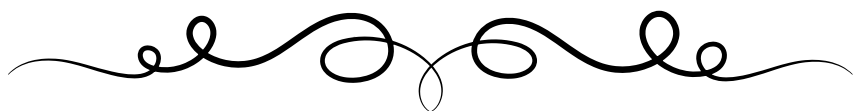
3:45 – 4:30 pm Kids Hip Hop (Ages 3-6)

4:30 – 5:30 pm Youth Hip Hop (Ages 7-12)

Sunday (June 7, 14, 21, 28)

5:00 – 6:30 pm Salsa

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Decatur Community Dance 2026 Fall Class Schedule

Monday

- 5:00 – 6:00 pm Decatur Community Dance Company (Age 6 – 13 & 10 – Adult)
Junior/Senior Company (Instructor's permission)
- 6:00 -7:00 pm Beginning Jazz (Age 7-13)
- 7:00 – 8:30 pm Advanced Ballet (Age 13 – Adult)
- 8:30 – 9:00 pm Intermediate/Advanced Pointe (Age 13 – Adult)

Tuesday

- 4:00 – 4:45 pm Ballet I (Ages 4 – 6)
- 5:00 – 6:00 pm Ballet II & III (Ages 6 - 8)
- 6:00 – 7:30 pm Ballet IV & V & Pre-Pointe (Ages 8 - 12)
- 7:30 - 8:30 pm Teen/Adult Ballet (Age 12 – Adult)

Wednesday

- 3:30 – 4:30 pm Ballet/ Tap/ Tumbling (Age 3 – 6)
- 4:30 – 5:30 pm Beginning Ballet/ Tap II (Age 7 – 10)
- 5:30 – 6:30 pm Teen/Adult Hip Hop & Tap (Age 13 – Adult)
- 6:30 – 7:30 pm Advanced Jazz (Age 13 - Adult)
- 7:30 – 8:30 pm Beginning/Intermediate Pointe (Age 12 - Adult)

Thursday

- 3:45 – 4:30 pm Kids Hip Hop (Ages 3 – 6)
- 4:30 – 5:30 pm Youth Hip Hop (Age 7 – 12)
- 5:30 – 6:15 pm Beginning Tap & Jazz (Age 3 – 6)
- 6:15 – 7:00 pm Tap/Jazz (Age 7 – 10)
- 7:00 – 8:30 pm Intermediate/Advanced Ballet (Age 12 – Adult)

Friday

- 4:30-5:15pm Intermediate/Advanced Tap (Age 10-Adult)

Saturday

- 10:30 – 11:00 am I'm Two; I'm Terrific (Age 2)
- 11:00 – 11:30 am Pre-Ballet I (Age 3 – 4)
- 11:30 – 12:15 am Primary Ballet (Age 5 – 7)

Sunday

- 5:00 – 6:30 pm Salsa/Bachata (Ages 14 to Adult)

Dance Classes perform in a Spring Dance Concert to show what they have learned all year. The 2027 Spring Dance Concert Theme is Fly away with Dance and performances will be in late April or Early May

Decatur Community Dance Celebrates the 30th year of the Nutcracker Ballet!

2026 Nutcracker Ballet

Nutcracker Ballet auditions are open to any community member from ages 5 through adult! We have roles for those with very little to no dancing experience up to Pointe dances.

Auditions:

Friday, September 11, 2026; 5:00 to 6:30 pm

Saturday, September 12, 2026; 2:00 to 3:30 pm

Performances:

Friday, December 11, 2026; 7:00 pm

Saturday, December 12, 2026; 4:00 pm

Sunday, December 13, 2026; 2:00 pm

We are collecting photographs of past Nutcrackers to develop a 30th year commemorative book highlighting dancers from the first Nutcracker to the current Nutcracker! If you have pictures that you would like to share with us to use in the book and marketing of our 30th year, scan the QR code and upload the picture(s) with your name and the name of the dancer and the year they performed in Nutcracker.





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