

Chattanooga Dance Theatre's School Showcase 2022

Happily Ever After



It is the time of year when we are preparing for our School Showcase that will be performed on Sunday, May 22nd. The opportunity to perform in our School Showcase is an exciting, empowering, and confidence building part of the training process at CDT. This is where we love to watch our students learn about theater, rehearsals, and teamwork while they enjoy the opportunity to showcase their skills in a professionally run production. Performances are a wonderful way for students to showcase the results of their hard work and for family and friends to join in the pride of their achievement. We love giving all students the chance to perform for their family and friends in this supportive and fun environment and encourage even our newest performers to be involved for levels Primary through Advanced.

We will have two shows this year, a 2:30 and a 6pm. Most dancers will only be involved in one of these shows. The dress rehearsals and performances will take place at Chattanooga Theatre Center at 400 River Street, Chattanooga, TN. This year our theme is Happily Ever After. Each class is using a popular fairytale as inspiration for their dance. In classes Primary-Advanced students will be learning their dance and teachers are planning choreography and costumes. It is very important that all dancers attend class regularly. If a dancer misses more than three days of the same class in March, April, or May, he or she will not be able to perform in the School Showcase. The dress rehearsal for the performance is mandatory. All dancers must be enrolled in a preschool location class or enrolled and paid for March, April, and May to be in the performance. **If a dancer misses the dress rehearsal on Saturday, May 21st, she, or he, will not be allowed to perform on the 22nd.**

The cost to perform is \$125 and includes one simple costume, a DVD of the show, and action pictures of your dancer, and a Happily Ever After T-shirt with each dancer's name listed on the back. If your child is involved in more than one performing class, you will need to pay an additional \$35 for each additional costume/piece. **Please pay for your performance fees by March 20th.** Some advanced classes may be renting company costumes for the School Showcase, in which the \$35 payment is a rental and altering fee and not a purchase of the costume.

If you are taking multiple ballet classes you will only perform in one piece. Pointe dancers will perform one flat piece and one pointe piece. Please see students names below. If something doesn't look

correct, please tell your teacher or contact the office. All ballet classes require dancers to have pink or skin colored ballet slippers, pink tights or skin colored tights, (tights and shoes must match), and the correct color leotard for the grade level. Because costumes are ordered in advance and contracts are made with photographers and videographers in advance, no refunds can be given after March 20th for School Showcase performance fees. Teachers may also require dancers to have additional things for the performance. You will be notified of these items before April 25th. The following classes will be performing in the School Showcases. Please note whether you are in the 2pm or 6pm show.

2:30 Show

- 1. Jazz VIII-Advanced**
Ta'Sean Honeysucker | Elly Ireland | Ailey Nye | Trinity Phillips | Rachel Winn |
- 2. Modern/Jazz III**
Arianna Leach | Cayleigh Mainord | Lily Sentell | Lorelei Hope Stone | Addison Webb |
- 3. Ballet VII- Advanced (Pointe)**
Emelyn Behar | Hannah Gamlen | Alyssa Granberry | Lila Held | Caroline Oakman |
- 4. Ballet I**
Jillian Anderson | Lucy Davis | Luna French | Mira Herreth | Anwen House | Mia Lyles | Sawyer Mainord | Rachel Ogg | Clarissa Paul | Serenitii Pearson | Noelle Pfeiffer | Lilly Roberts | Aurora Schendel | Alice "Ally" Schweighart |
- 5. Ballet VIII-Advanced**
Ta'Sean Honeysucker | Elly Ireland | Ailey Nye | Trinity Phillips | Emilie Weiss | Rachel Winn |
- 6. Primary Dance**
Ella Bertrand | Audrey Kate Brown | Ila Condroski | Zelda Eller | Lena Fowles | Aly Goodman | Emmy Holcomb | Piper Holcomb | Lillian McCallie | Alaina (Lanie) Moore | Annie Naegele | Sierra Truempy | Aria Watkins |
- 7. Ballet II**
Elena Skye Folmar | Alexys Friddell | Quinn Lail | Mary Beth McCaul | Lilah Munson-Jackson | Olivia Tankersley |
- 8. Ballet VIII-Advanced (pointe)**
Roxanne Gibson | Ta'Sean Honeysucker | Elly Ireland | Ailey Nye | Trinity Phillips | Eric Sumner | Emilie Weiss | Rachel Winn
- 9. Modern/Jazz I**
Jillian Lucy Davis | Anwen House | Hannah Logan | Sawyer Mainord | Clarissa Paul | Noelle Pfeiffer | Lilly Roberts | Aurora Schendel | Millie Welch |
- 10. Ballet VII**
Emelyn Behar | Hannah Gamlen | Alyssa Granberry | Lila Held | Caroline Oakman |
- 11. Ballet III-IV**
Nikolina Adamovic | Luna Bardas | Lexi Bright | Ashlee Hunter | Arianna Leach | Autumn Leach | Cayleigh Mainord | Lorelei Hope Stone | Addison Webb | Emma Zeller |
- 12. Modern/Jazz II**
Elena Skye Folmar | Reagan Hunter | Quinn Lail | Mary Beth McCaul | Lilah Munson-Jackson | Hannah Redding | EmaKay Spears | Olivia Tankersley | Genevieve Thompson |

13. Modern VI-VII

Emelyn Behar | Hannah Gamlen | McKenna Harahus | Lila Held | Anna Kate McKissick |
Caroline Oakman |

14. Primary Dance

Holland Bond | Alli Mae French-McClendon | Miya Grimes | Charlie Hill | Riley O'Neil | Drew
Prater | Penelope Randolph | Sadie Randolph | Magnolia Skarzinski | Daphne Staudacher |
Yvaine Waltero | Adelaide Young |

15. Hip-Hop Flip-Flop II-III

Luna Bardas | Jack Banner Hill | Quinn Lail | Arianna Leach | Cayleigh Mainord | Mary Beth
McCaul | Hannah Redding | Lily Sentell | Savannah Steele | Lorelei Hope Stone | Olivia
Tankersley |

16. Acro VII-Advanced

Ailey Nye | Caroline Oakman | Trinity Phillips |

17. Ballet VI-VII

Courtney Brewer | McKenna Harahus | Anna Kate McKissick |

18. Ballet III-IV

Olivia Dunlap | Gray Goodman |

19. Hip-Hop VII-Advanced

Ta'Sean Honeysucker

20. Jazz VI-VII

Emelyn Behar | Hannah Gamlen | McKenna Harahus | Lila Held | Anna Kate McKissick |
Caroline Oakman |

21. Modern VIII-Advanced

Ta'Sean Honeysucker | Ailey Nye | Trinity Phillips | Rachel Winn |

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Ta'Sean Honeysucker | Ailey Nye | Trinity Phillips | Rachel Winn |

6pm Show

1. Jazz VIII-Advanced

Ta'Sean Honeysucker | Elly Ireland | Ailey Nye | Trinity Phillips | Rachel Winn |

2. Acro IV-VI

Emelyn Behar | Hannah Gamlen | Lila Held | Brooklyn Kubisak | Seanna Mainord | Caitlin
Oakman | Journii Pearson | Evelyn Redding | Madeline Reed | Daniela Triolo |

3. Ballet I-II

Helena Bryson-Spencer | Peyton Gillespie | Charli Horn | Ivy Miller | Miriam Rice |

4. Ballet VIII-Advanced

Ta'Sean Honeysucker | Elly Ireland | Ailey Nye | Trinity Phillips | Emilie Weiss | Rachel Winn |

5. Ballet V-VI

Annebelle Burton | Zoey English | Cassie Hays | Seanna Mainord | Charlotte Miles | Penny
Miles | Caitlin Oakman | Evelyn Redding |

- 6. Primary Dance**
Francis (Franie) Bales | Lillian (Lilly) Edmondson | Willow McGarvey | Stevie Poe | Kate Sides |
- 7. Ballet VIII-Advanced (pointe) with Men's Ballet VII-Advanced**
Roxanne Gibson | Ta'Sean Honeysucker | Elly Ireland | Ailey Nye | Trinity Phillips | Eric Sumner
| Emilie Weiss | Rachel Winn |
- 8. Hip Hop IV-VI**
Emilee Bradshaw | Autumn Leach | Gracelyn McCollum | Zoe McCollum | Caitlin Oakman | Ella
Sentell |
- 9. Ballet IV-V**
Harper Arnold | Helen Beckmann | Madison Caldwell | Sharyiah Davis | Brooklyn Kubisak |
Charlee Cate Prater | Chaya Rico | Daniela Triolo |
- 10. Acro VII-Advanced**
Ailey Nye | Caroline Oakman | Trinity Phillips |
- 11. Primary Dance**
Lotus Baker | Emma Carter | Lillian Casavant | Khloe Dover | Gabriella Eich | Nora Kate
Freeman | Alli Mae French-McClendon | Carter Belle Hewgley | Angel Hudson | Annaliese Jolley
| Coira Rice |
- 12. Modern/Jazz IV-V**
Nikolina Adamovic | Harper Arnold | Emilee Bradshaw | Brooklyn Kubisak | Autumn Leach |
Seanna Mainord | Ella Sentell | Daniela Triolo |
- 13. Hip-Hop VII-Advanced**
Ta'Sean Honeysucker |
- 14. Modern/Jazz I-II**
Helena Bryson-Spencer | Brennen Cox | Ivy Miller | Millie Welch |
- 15. Modern VIII-Advanced**
Ta'Sean Honeysucker | Ailey Nye | Trinity Phillips | Rachel Winn |

Dress Rehearsal, Saturday May 21st

All dancers and family please have a seat in the audience. We will take classes to their respective dressing rooms.

9:15	Call for levels IV and higher in the 2pm Show
9:30-10	Warm-up (levels VI and higher on the stage. Level IV-V in the hallway)
10	Call for Level Primary- III Dancers in the Teal Group (Dances 1-10 in 2pm Show) . Please report to the audience area of the theater.
10:30-12:20	Rehearse each piece in order in the Teal Group
11:50	Call for Levels Primary- III Dances in the Pink Group (Dances 11-21 in 2pm Show) Please report to the audience area of the theater and you will be taken back to your dressing room.
12:20-12:30	Practice bows for 2pm Show
12:30	Dancers in the Teal group who have no other dances may leave
12:30-2:20	Rehearse each piece in order of the Pink Group Dancers in the pink group may leave after their last piece is rehearsed

	and their dressing room is clean.
2:20-2:50	Lunch Break for crew
2:15	Call for dancers in levels IV and higher in the 6pm show (if not already at theater).
2:30-3	Warm up for dancers IV-Advanced (if not already warm)
3	Call for Primary- Level III in the Gold Group (Dances 1-7 in the 6pm Show) . Please report to the audience area of the theater.
3:30-4:50	Rehearse each piece in order of the Gold Group
4:20	Call for dancers Primary-III in the Red Group (Dances 8-15 in the 6pm Show)
4:50-5pm	Practice Bows for 6pm Show
5pm	Dancers in the Gold Group may leave
5-6:20	Rehearse each piece in order in the Red Group Dancers in the red group may leave after their last piece is rehearsed and their dressing room is clean.

Activities will be provided backstage if young dancers have a lot of down time. Parents should not stay backstage unless they are volunteering at BOTH the dress rehearsal and performance. Dancers may leave on the rehearsal day after they have finished all rehearsals and checked with their teacher(s).

Dancers may not leave the performance on May 22nd until the performance is over. Parents must politely watch the entire show and pick up their children at the end of the performance.

Performance Day, Sunday, May 22nd

Dancers can report directly to their dressing rooms

2:30 Show

- 1pm Call for dancers in levels IV+
- 1:15 Warm up for dancers in levels IV+
- 2pm Call for Primary and Levels I-III Dancers- Report to dressing rooms
- 2:30 Curtain Opens
- 4pm Reception in lobby

6pm Show

- 4:30 Call for dancers in levels IV+ who were not in 2:30 Show
- 4:45 Warm Up for dancers in levels IV+ who were not in 2:30 Show
- 5:30 Call for Primary- Level III Dancers and those in 2:30 show- Report to dressing rooms
- 6:00 Curtain opens
- 7:15 Reception in Lobby

Tickets may be purchased in advanced beginning May 1st for \$12 through the Theatre Centre box office. We will send out the link when we have it. We highly recommend purchasing online as there are additional fees for purchasing at the box office.

Hair and Makeup: When arriving for the dress rehearsal and the performance, students should have their hair already prepared- Middle part with low bun unless specified differently with your teacher. Young dancers can wear brown eye shadow, pink blush, and pink lip stick. Older dancers (Level VI+) will have instruction on hair and makeup.

We will be selling ads in our programs. Ads can be purchased (\$40 for a quarter page, \$60 for a half page, and \$80 for a full page) promoting a business or a wishing CDT dancer good luck in the performance. A letter will be sent home in April with more information on ad sales. These ad sales help offset the cost of the programs, theater rental, technical staff, and other performance expenses.

Volunteers are requested in the following areas:

- Set up and Strike Crew
- Ushers and Lobby Attendants
- Dressing Room Attendants

Many volunteers will be working backstage, but we will arrange schedules so that all may sit in the audience when their child is performing. Volunteers do not need to pay for their ticket to the show, and all will receive a \$25 gift certificate to The Batterie dance store. Please sign up in the office to volunteer at the School Showcase.

Thank you for supporting your dancer and Chattanooga Dance Theatre. If you have any questions do not hesitate to contact the office or your teacher.

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