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PLACE DES ARTS

2025/2026 YEAR-END
DANCE RECITALS

Featuring the students of Place des Arts

Sunday, June 21 | 11:00 AM & 3:00 PM



11:00 AM RECITAL

Taught by Chloe Best, Lucienne Anczykowski, Palak Dhiman and Sofia Sanchez

1. Salutation

Kathak – Michelle Reddy, Krishna Haridas, Shagun Bhanot, Aarna Saxena, Shriya Agrawal, Nandhini Gopala Krishnan, Dhanya Devi
Music track created and sung by Palak Dhiman
Choreographed by Palak Dhiman

2. Experience

Ballet - Hana McRobbie, Emily Neuls, Jiayi Liu, Selina Zhang, Kylee Foo, Charlie Cranston
Music by Ludovico Einaudi
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski

3. Summer Beach Day

Primary Ballet - Emily Zhuang, Micah Pink, Ariana Shaban, Niya Palikova, Aadya Agrawal, Ishika Karki, Esme Soleymany Miles, Everly McCaig, Michaela Salinas
Composed by Percy Grainger
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski

4. Chickens

Avienna Gessner, Adelyn Hung, Melanie Reilly, Rebekah Fung, Olivia Li, Maia Iskakova, Anna Yao
“Ballet of the Chickens In Their Shells” composed by Modest Mussorgsky
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski
Classroom Volunteer Jiayi Liu

5. Better Place

Hip Hop - Adelynn Seow, Sofia Verastegui, Oscar Lam, Leona Chen, Tobyn Chow, Cadence Yan, Aiden Wu, Atousa Mahmoudi
“Better Place” by NYSNC from the movie “Trolls”, “Getting Jiggy with it” by Will Smith, “Perfect” by Justin Timberlake from the movie “Trolls”
Choreographed by Chloe Best

6. Oceans and Pearls

Ballet - Selina Zhuang
Music by Riccardo Drigo
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski

7. On It's Way

Ballet - Fiona A. Haydamack, Victoria Ponce, Sana McRobbie, Clara Lissimore, Sharlene Peng, Victoria Wang, Sofia Herrera, Romy Yoon
Minkus: Don Quixote, Morning Paper Waltz composed by Johann Strauss II
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski

8. Swanhilda

Ballet - Charlie Cranston
Coppélia, Act I: No. 1, Valse (Swanhilda's Variation) - song by Léo Delibes, Charles Mathews
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski
2026 Place des Arts Scholarship Winner
10th Overall Soloist, Synergy Dance Competition- Maple Ridge, 13yrs + in the Pre-Competitive Division.

9. Dance of Flowers

Kathak - Afreen Jetha, Poonam Sharma, Tanya Kunwar, Saanvi Ghumman, Avni Varma, Geeta Sethi, Divina Vinas
Music composed by Shobha Kauser, and sung by Palak Dhiman
Choreographed by Palak Dhiman

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10. Pirates

Ballet - Micah Pink, Emily Zhuang, Michaela Salinas, Victoria Ponce
Music from composition Gayaneh-Suite by Aram Khachaturian
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski

11. La Reine de Saba

Ballet - Kylee Foo
Music by Gounod
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski

12. Cats

Ballet - Huntleigh McKibbin, Tiara Alvar, Arianna Ying, Talitha Cumi Dela Cruz, Alicia Hickey, Sia Park
Narcissus (Op. 13, No. 4) composed by Ethelbert Nevin
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski
Classroom Volunteer Emily Neuls

11:00 AM Recital Continued

13. Fairies

Ballet - Talisha Cheng, Ivy Chen, Chloe Lee, Ella Choi, Summer Zhang, Olivia Claire Mejia, Adelyn Choi, Mia Fourie
“The Mermaid Suite: Coral Dance” by Mingxin Du
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski
Classroom Volunteer Hana McRobbie

14. Ritmo

Latin Dance - Giuliana Rose Dos Santos, Mirabella Chen, Nova Yu, Anna Nodel, Siah Mejias
“Te Voy a Dar Candela” by Ricky Campanelli, “Cimarronadas” by Cimarrón
Choreographed by Sofia Sanchez

15. This is Me

Dance Sampler - Jian Shin, Eric Hickey, Jayden Hu, Makayla Balogh, Emily Field, Anna Tyurina, Dorothy Monument
Music from “The Greatest Showman”
Choreographed by Chloe Best

16. Joy

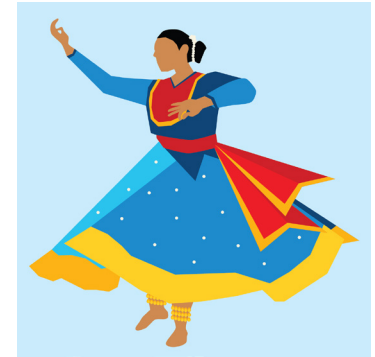
Ballet - Valerie King, Isabelle Chung, Eira Zenger, Kaitlyn Cho, Mary Butenko
Molly on the Shore composed by Percy Grainger
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski

17. I'm Still Standin'

Dance Sampler - Henrietta Bencevic, Emma Yamada, Miles Wong, Emmett Robertson, Natalija Milkovic, Bowen McLaren, Everett Ng
Music from “Sing” by Taron Egerton
Choreographed by Chloe Best

18. Sleeping Beauty

Ballet - Hana McRobbie, Emily Neuls, Jiayi Liu, Selina Zhang, Kylee Foo, Charlie Cranston
Composed by Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky
Choreographed by Lucienne Anczykowski



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3:00 PM RECITAL

Taught by Amanda Lau, Ashley Binette, and Sarah Kennedy

1. Let's Get Ready to Rumble

Jazz - Sydney Chipman, Chloe Lin, Grace McIntyre, Josephine Joshua, Iaromir Romanov
Isabelle Yick, Amelia Davis, Valentina Casillas, Addia McCaig, Gemma Herera
Caleb Huang, Jane Lee
"Space Jam" by Quad City DJ's
Choreographed by Amanda Lau

2. I Lived

Lyrical - Tabata Nava Herrera, Dianna Walkden, Lee-Anne Holmes-Theron, Dee Dee Prince, Kendra Wragg, Amy Carr, Molly Liu, Alex Torres, Annelies Stegen, Maxine Jackson
Music by One Republic
Choreographed by Ashley Binette

3. Zoo

Dance Sampler - Emilia Zhao, Noelle Yeh, Syanna Tse, Medina Jiwa, Ella Huang, Josephine Hall, Audrey Resendes
Music by Shakira from "Zootopia 2"
Choreographed by Ashley Binette
Classroom Volunteer Mayumi Miyaoka Harmer

4. I Like to Move It

Tiny Hip Hop - Henrietta Bencevic, Eli Sadaragani, Ari Wang, Evamía Miklos
Music by DJ Lace from "Madagascar"
Choreographed by Ashley Binette

5. Squabble Up

Hip Hop - Grace Wei, Tim Stepanenko, Maya Tam, Mayumi Miyaoka Harmer, Timothy Zuo, Ivanna Troya, Ananya Alok Naik
"Rah Tah Tah" by Tyler, The Creator, "The Jump Off" by Lil'Kim, "Squabble Up" by Kendrick Lamar, "Poison" by Bell Biv DeVoe
Choreographed by Ashley Binette

6. Bird Set Free

Contemporary - Kendra Wragg
Bird Set Free/Unstoppable mash-up cover by Roveena
Choreographed by Ashley Binette

7. Shake Your Groove Thing

Jazz - Astrid Despault, Zoe Pinto, Maya Lopez, Paetyn Wong, Mae McLaren, Kaia Velasco, Reina Huang, Miya Lee
Music by Peaches & Herb
Choreographed by Amanda Lau

8. Nightmare Before Ballet

Ballet - Leah Swanson, Leila Msadek, Samantha Walsh, Dee Dee Prince, Sonia Milbradt
"This is Halloween" from the movie The Nightmare Before Christmas, composed and written by Danny Elfman
Choreographed by Ashley Binette

9. A Little Party

Jazz - Kara Hu, Kristy Hu
"A Little Party" by Fergi
Choreographed by Amanda Lau
1st Overall Duo/Trio, Synergy Dance Competition- Maple Ridge, All ages duo/trio in the Pre-Competitive Division, earning invitation and honourable mention to 2026 Global Dance Services Provincial Competition. 4th Overall Duo/Trio, Evolve Dance Spotlight Competition, Pre-Competitive Division.

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10. Powerful Women

Jazz - Tabata Nava Herrera, Dianna Walkden, Lee-Anne Holmes-Theron, Dee Dee Prince, Kendra Wragg, Amy Carr, Molly Liu, Alex Torres, Annelies Stegen, Maxine Jackson
"BO\$\$" by Fifth Harmony, "Work" by Britney Spears, "Powerful Women" by Pitbull and Dolly Parton
Choreographed by Ashley Binette

11. Robots

Hip Hop - Ramona Jackson, Leia-Hayley Cheng, Karis Hon, Hazel Minton Poitras, Fraser Ansell, Noah Lee, Jeremiah Chance, Teodor Nikolic, Dimitrije Nikolic, Anastasia Machhein
"Mr Roboto" by Styx, "Intergalactic" by Beastie Boys, "Technologic" by Daft Punk
Choreographed by Ashley Binette

12. M.I.B

Hip Hop - Iaromir Romanov, Evelyn Prince, Adele Iiu, Zara Salameh, Mark (Xikuan) Zhu
"Men In Black" by Will Smith, "Back in Time" by Pitbull, "Some Cow Fonque" by Buckshot LeFonque
Choreographed by Ashley Binette

13. Sing

Jazz - Fernanda Rostro Grimaldo, Melanie Reilly, Mia Yamada
Adelia Romanova, Audrey Chamberlain, Adelynn Seow, Iolana Wino, Wendy Lu
Music by Pentatonix
Choreographed by Amanda Lau

14. We Found Love

Tap - Dianna Walkden, Jade Hipditch, Kendra Wragg, Tiffany Chan, Abigail Hine
Music by Jake Coco featuring Corey Gray
Choreographed by Sarah Kennedy

15. No Excuses

Dance Sampler - Katherine Barke, Nora Chipman, Joy Lee, Alisa Yefremova, Anastasiia Korytna, Ellie Deslauriers, Ava Zhu, Alissa Krupnova, Isabella Moon
Music by Megan Trainor
Choreographed by Ashley Binette

16. In My Dream

Contemporary - Dee Dee Prince, Samantha Walsh
"Angel" by Massive Attack, Horace Andy
Choreographed by Ashley Binette

17. What's My Name?

Hip Hop - Brayden Leung, Zoe Pinto, Tahleia Swadling, Aiden Chen, Olivia Claire Mejia, Wesley Wu, Diana Ubievovk, Ayden Xinchu Yu
Music by China McClain, Thomas Doherty, Dylan Playfair
Choreographed by Ashley Binette
Classroom Volunteer Kairav Choadhari



18. Workout

Hip Hop - Annelies Stegen, Jessica Winters, Alex Torres, Shaila Sharma, Tiffany Chan
"Call on Me" by Eric Prydz, "Sexy and I Know It" by LMFAO, "Hollaback Girl" by Gwen Stefani, "Whoop There It Is" by Tag Team
Choreographed by Ashley Binette
2nd Overall Score, Evolve Dance Spotlight Competition, Pre-Competitive Division.

19. Instruction

Jazz - Kristy Hu, Florence Casgrain, Olivia Casgrain, Jacinta Garcia, Lynette Chen, Yuna Lee, Kara Hu, Sofia Herrera, Jocelyn Kim
Music by Jax Jones, featuring Demi Lovato and Stefflon Don
Choreographed by Amanda Lau



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THANK YOU

Welcome to Place des Arts' Year-End Dance Recital! Our dance students inspire us every day as we watch them grow and improve their skills. We hope every dancer feels proud of their efforts today.

This success could not be achieved without the amazing group of teachers who inspire their students in every class, bringing immense dedication and heart into their work.

Thank you to ballet students Charlie Cranston and Hana McRobbie for assisting Ms. Lucienne with music editing this season. Thank you to our devoted classroom volunteers who dedicated their time throughout the year.

Congratulations to all for a wonderful year, and we look forward to seeing you again in September!

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