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Rythum Plus Dance Company

A Letter from the Artistic Director

Dear Parents and Dancers,

I am thrilled to be celebrating another year of dance! Watching the little ones shine on stage at the Christmas recital and seeing the dancers' excitement as they come in for picture day is always a pleasure.

Our graduating dancers are special to me. Audrey, Ava, and Brooke, you will be deeply missed next year. It has been an honour to watch you grow into the talented dancers and wonderful people that you are.

Every year, we are privileged to witness our students' growth. From our creative movement dancers stepping on stage for the first time to our seasoned recreational and competitive performers – we are proud of you! Thank you for your hard work, positive attitude, and passion.

I have always said that I have the best staff – and we are an exceptional team! Thank you to all the parents for entrusting your children to us. We do not take this responsibility lightly, as we understand that what we teach in the studio can have a lasting impact outside the dance world. Thank you for giving us the best gift – the opportunity to work with your children. You all make us love what we do.

Thank you to Mary for making each dancer feel special when they put on their costumes for the first time. Also, thank you to Wes for building and creating our props; you helped make our routines incomparable.

Good luck to some of our competitive dancers as you attend nationals at Dance Masters of America, Bedazzled Dance Champions, and Dance Canada. Have fun, Luca, as you travel to Connecticut to give up your title of Mr. Dance of America, and to Carter, I eagerly await your return from your first cruise ship contract with Royal Caribbean!

Our dancers have been working hard, and now it's their time to shine! Sit back and enjoy our recital, "From Page to Screen."

See you in September. Love, Trish.

A Special Thanks To:

Our Competitive Parent Volunteers
Meagan Blackwood-McCallum, Nateesha Scott, Reena Ali, Leah Centea, Larissa Odendaal, Devon Raab, Evelina Grilli, Melissa Panagopoulos, & Dana Hanson

Our Prop Haulers and Helpers
Aaron Adkins, Wes Zappitelli, Paul Moriarity, Tim Kirton, Darryn Martin, Joe Yakubu, & Antony Hanson

Our Photographer
Mendel Imaging

Our Videographer
Buzz Media

Our Costumers
Giovanna's Gift, Margaret Krys Inc., Jazzamatazz, Twist Activewear, & The Fairy Seamstress

… And our Competitive Team Costume Decorators!
Alex Salinas, Claudia Guererro, Dana Hanson, Dawn Konstantinides, Emma Pettigrew, Jen DiDonato, Kelly Zappitelli, Krysta Lowe, Leah Centea, Meagan McCallum, Melissa Panagopoulos, & Nina Strazzulla,

You have all gone above and beyond this year, and RPDC can't thank you enough. We wouldn't have had such a successful year without your support and enthusiasm.

"FROM PAGE TO SCREEN"

RPDC's 33rd Anniversary: Recital 2026

Show 2, Saturday, June 20th, 6pm

Opening Number:

Heaven's Door | Senior Acro Small

Choreographers: Trish Thompson-Creamer & Aaron Adkins

Allie Hanson, Alyssa Zappitelli, Amada Presta, Ava DiDonato, Daphne Panagopoulos, Lauren Osman, Lauren Persia, Marley Media, Scarlett Raab

2. Boogie Shoes | Junior Tap Small

Choreographer: Tiffani Beauparlant

Aixi Huang, Ava DiMarco, Juliana Hook, Laiken Gower, Marlow Moriarity, Olivia Tong, Reese Thaler, Teodora Jankovic, Violet Raab

3. I Gotcha | Part-Time Int./Senior Jazz Small

Choreographer: Nina Strazzulla

Brooklynn Duplessie, Emily Alampi, Erika Marchidan, Evie Saelens, Isabella Piskorowski, Kalli Konstantinides, Miah Lopez, Odelia Neumoina

4. I'm a Believer | Junior Tap 1/2 Monday

Teacher: Miss Julianna

Assistant: Miss Madelyn

Ella Valentine, Fia MacKenzie, Kaylie Martinez, Max Phan, Mia Worlin, Zaylie Smith, Zoey Groff

5. What I Like About You | Creative Dance Monday

Teachers: Miss Emmalee & Miss Brooke

Adelaide Mazuran, Claira Bozzo, Ella Lofchick, Krisara Chauhan, Maddie Wighton, Maia Popovich, Marina Manojilovic, Sierra Fedirko

6. Spiderman | Inter./Teen Hip Hop 1/2 Tuesday

Teacher: Miss Alexa

Aria Morrison, Bianca Krpan, Casey Talaue, Elia Echlin, Ema Mijailovic, Emily Lucas, Isabella Neumoina, Isabelle McGregor, Kendell Nuguid, Leah Civil, Maeve Pieters, Maja Duricic-Janes, Matthew Worlin, Mia Guerra, Naomi Davila, Sophia Smith, Vanessa Alampi

7. Choosing Dauntless | Jr./Inter. Advanced Acro Thursday
   Teacher: Mr. Aaron
   Adriana Rizzuto, Alessia Cacioppo, Brooklyn Markowitz, Chloe Palma, Erielle Leo, Gemma Campanaro, Milena Cacioppo, Taliah Mathew, Whitney Welsh, Zaylie Smith

8. Zombie | Intermediate Ballet Team
   Choreographer: Lesley Cabrie-Frantowski
   Adele Yakubu, Brooklynn Duplessie, Carly Noble, Halli Winsor, Izzy Hanson, Julia Kowalski, Kai Kirton, Kalli Konstantinides, London Rogerson, Madelyn Perkins, Madison McCharles, Mila Gomes, Norah Yakubu, Oliver Kirton, Penelope Salinas, Scarlett Peterson

9. Trickle Trickle | Mini Tap Small
   Choreographer: Emma Pettigrew
   Adalynn Odendaal, Amelia Dal Bello, Grayson Sargeant, Lucy Gillott, Raia Spink, Siena Falconio

10. Lost Without You | Senior Lyrical Small
    Choreographer: Nina Strazzulla
    Alyssa Zappitelli, Ava Cardno, Ava DiDonato, Avery Mulligan, Brooke Kronemeyer, Kaia Kretz

11. Holding Out for a Hero | Inter. Acro 1/2 Monday
    Teacher: Miss Ava
    Amiya Ali, Audrey Phan, Bianca Krpan, Emily Pidberezny, Livie Le

12. Almost There | Junior Acro 2/3 Monday
    Teacher: Miss Ava
    Anastasia Kachsheyeva, Julia Di Giovanni, Kennedy Bishop, Max Phan, Nicholas Robert, Vianna Sharma, Vince Le, Zoey Groff

13. Press | Junior Advanced Hip Hop Monday
    Teacher: Mr. Miguel
    Adalynn Odendaal, Aixi Huang, Amelia Dal Bello, Cecilia Robert, Elena Saad, Grayson Sargeant, Juliana Hook, Laiken Gower, Lucy Gillott, Marlow Moriarity, Mia McCharles, Raia Spink, Reese Thaler, Siena Falconio, Violet Raab

14. Careless Whispers | Senior Tap Small
    Choreographer: Tiffani Beauparlant
    Ava Cardno, Brooke Kronemeyer, Kaia Kretz, Sianna Perdue

15. We'll Be Fine | Inter/Senior Lyrical Small

Choreographer: Val Saija-Moore

Allie Hanson, Allison Wadsworth, Amada Presta, Daphne Panagopoulos, Lauren Osman, Lauren Persia, Marley Media, Norah Yakubu, Scarlett Raab

16. OG | Inter. Hip Hop 3/4 Monday

Teacher: Mr. Miguel

Amiya Ali, Emily Pidberezny, Lily Jovic, Maya Benko, Solita Oeun, Whitney Welsh

17. A Little Party Never Killed Nobody | Teen Advanced Jazz

Teacher: Miss Emma

Alessia Aiello, Aletta Voorberg, Cassandra McDonald, Charlotte Grant, Emily Alampi, Erika Marchidan, Evie Saelens, Hanna Bozek-Klyszejko, Isabella Piskorowski, Odelia Neumoina, Taliah Mathew, Valentina Caputo

18. Spoonful of Sugar | Junior Tap 3/4 Saturday

Teacher: Miss Alexa

Ariel MacDonald, Cecily Farrauto, Elena Saad, Gemma Campanaro, Isla McCallum, Katherine Garda, Lorelei Sutton, Misha Holden, Victoria Misiti

19. The Bear Necessities | Junior Jazz 1 Saturday

Teacher: Miss Brooke

Assistant: Miss Allie

Aoife McCormick, Betty Begin, Chiara Falconio, Elizabeth Hansford, Ella Santarelli, Isla Kelly, Maeve Clohecy, Rowan Kudiyate

20. RPDC WOULD LIKE TO CONGRATULATE OUR

2026 GRADUATES

Audrey Saelens

Ava Cardno

Brooke Kronemeyer

21. Georgiana | Inter./Teen Part-Time & Recreational Ballet

Teacher: Mrs. Linda

Alessia Aiello, Cassandra McDonald, Erika Marchidan, Evie Saelens, Isabella Neumoina, Isabella Piskorowski, Melissa Ramos, Odelia Neumoina, Taliah Mathew, Valentina Caputo, Yuliia Mykytiuk

22. Shake Senoritas | Novice Jazz Team

Choreographer: Nina Strazzulla

Amalia Thiopoulos, Ariel MacDonald, Cecily Farrauto, Ella Valentine, Everly Guagliano, Fia MacKenzie, Isla McCallum, Sareeta Iliev, Tessa Winsor

23. Orchestrated Cool | Intermediate Tap Large

Choreographer: Sarah Kelly

Adele Yakubu, Brooklynn Duplessie, Carly Noble, Halli Winsor, Izzy Hanson, Julia Kowalski, Kalli Konstantinides, London Rogerson, Madelyn Perkins, Madison McCharles, Mila Gomes, Norah Yakubu, Oliver Kirton, Penelope Salinas, Scarlett Peterson

24. The Lonely Goatherd | PeeWee/Mini Jazz Large

Choreographer: Emma Pettigrew

Adalynn Odendaal, Amelia Dal Bello, Carmen Ditta, Cassia Bozzo, Grayson Sargeant, Julia Centea, Kara Beharrell, Lucy Gillott, Raia Spink, Siena Falconio, Sophia Joseph, Tatiana Popovich, Vanessa McGimpsey

25. Confined | Senior Contemporary Small

Choreographer: Matt O'Doherty-Adkins

Allie Hanson, Amada Presta, Daphne Panagopoulos, Lauren Osman, Lauren Persia, Scarlett Raab

INTERMISSION

26. Fireball | Intermediate Jazz Large

Choreographer: Nina Strazzulla

Adele Yakubu, Brooklynn Duplessie, Carly Noble, Halli Winsor, Izzy Hanson, Julia Kowalski, Kalli Konstantinides, London Rogerson, Madelyn Perkins, Madison McCharles, Mila Gomes, Norah Yakubu, Oliver Kirton, Penelope Salinas, Scarlett Peterson

27. Nothing You Can Take | Inter./Teen Advanced Tap

Teacher: Miss Alexa

Charlotte Grant, Ella Carniello, Evie Saelens

28. Vogue | Inter. Advanced Jazz Thursday

Teacher: Miss Emma

Chloe Pekaruk, Isabella Neumoina, Maja Duricic-Janes, Melissa Ramos, Mia Guerra, Mia Mahabir, Yuliia Mykytiuk

29. Let's Go Fly a Kite | Junior Ballet 1/2 Wednesday

Teacher: Mrs. Linda

Assistant: Miss Daphne

Amalia Thiopoulos, Caroline Bevacqua, Cassia Welsh, Cecily Farrauto, Elizabeth Hansford, Evah Shahwla, Evelyn Costa, Everly Guagliano, Fia MacKenzie, Isla McCallum, Sophia Damian, Veronica Storm

30. Miss Celie's Pants | Intermediate Tap 2/3 Thursday

Teacher: Ms. Tiffani

Amiya Ali, Danica Lobelio, Emily Pidberezny, Isabella Campanaro, Lily Jovic

31. Rainbow Connection | Junior Acro 2/3 Saturday

Teacher: Miss Ava

Assistants: Miss Marley & Miss Lauren

Ariel MacDonald, Callie Clohecy, Carmen Ditta, Cecily Farrauto, Ella Valentine, Evelyn Rodaway, Gianna Santarelli, Kara Beharrell, Lorelei Sutton, Sareeta Iliev, Stella D'Agostino, Vanessa McGimpsey, Victoria Misiti

32. Another Dance | Jr./Int. Part-Time & Recreational Ballet

Teacher: Mrs. Linda

Amiya Ali, Danica Lobelio, Emily March, Emily Pidberezny, Grace Hansford, Lily Jovic, Maya Benko, Mia Mahabir, Sophie Johnston, Valeria Ramos, Whitney Welsh

33. Blame | Part-Time Inter./Senior Contemporary Team

Choreographer: Matt O'Doherty Adkins

Brooklynn Duplessie, Emily Alampi, Evie Saelens, Isabella Piskorowski, Kalli Konstantinides, Miah Lopez, Odelia Neumoina, Taliah Mathew, Valentina Caputo

34. Luca Shakespeare | Mr. Dance of America 2026

Teacher: Trish Thompson-Creamer

35. Spell On You | Inter./Senior Jazz Small

Choreographer: Val Saija-Moore

Allie Hanson, Daphne Panagopoulos, Izzy Hanson, Lauren Osman, Lauren Persia, Madelyn Perkins, Marley Media, Norah Yakubu, Scarlett Raab

36. Feel the Beat | Junior/Inter. Acro Large

Choreographers: Trish Thompson-Creamer & Aaron Adkins

Adalynn Odendaal, Aixi Huang, Ava DiMarco, Avery Auld, Carly Noble, Halli Winsor, Julia Kowalski, Laiken Gower, Lily Martin, Marlow Moriarity, Mila Gomes, Olivia Tong, Penelope Salinas, Reese Thaler, Scarlett Peterson, Violet Raab

37. Young and Beautiful | Int./Teen Lyrical & Contemporary

Teacher: Miss Emma

Aletta Voorberg, Amiya Ali, Emily Alampi, Emily Pidberezny, Evie Saelens, Isabella Piskorowski, Kalli Konstantinides, Lily Jovic, Miah Lopez, Odelia Neumoina, Taliah Mathew, Valentina Caputo, Whitney Welsh

38. Love Me Like You Do | Adult Jazz Thursday

Choreographer: Trish Thompson-Creamer

Angela Templeman, Ashley Valentine, Emily Blackwood, Josie Costantini, Kristen Elmore, Laura Gravina, Meagan McCallum, Michelle Quinn, Rachel Corradetti-Sargeant, Sacha Cecily Welsh, Sherry-Lynn March, Victoria Kirton

39. Popular | Inter. Jazz 1/2 Monday

Teacher: Miss Brooke

Cecilia Robert, Grace Hansford, Kendall Nuguid, Rainah Maraj, Ramiyah Maraj, Vanessa Alampi, Varya Tsvetova, Violet Peckham

40. Never Fully Dressed Without a Smile | Jr. Advanced Jazz

Teacher: Miss Emma

Amiya Ali, Danica Lobelio, Elena Saad, Emily March, Emily Pidberezny, Lily Jovic, Mia McCharles, Zaylie Smith

41. Buttons | Senior Jazz Large

Choreographer: Nina Strazzulla

Allie Hanson, Allison Wadsworth, Alyssa Zappitelli, Amada Presta, Audrey Saelens, Ava Cardno, Ava DiDonato, Avery Mulligan, Brooke Kronemeyer, Daphne Panagopoulos, Ever Farinacci, Julianna Fidanza, Kaia Kretz, Lauren Osman, Lauren Persia, Marley Media, Scarlett Raab, Sianna Perdue

42. Under the Sea | Junior Tap 1/2 Saturday

Teacher: Miss Julianna

Assistant: Miss Kalli

Aoife McCormick, Chiara Falconio, Ella Santarelli, Gianna Santarelli, Isla Kelly, Mya Janik, Rowan Kudiyate

43. Run It | Junior Hip Hop 2/3 Monday

Teacher: Mr. Miguel
Assistant: Miss Norah
Ariya Ali, Ella Valentine, Kaylie Martinez, Lina Ear, Tatiana Popovich, Vanessa McGimpsey, Zaylie Smith

44. Memoirs of a Geisha | Inter. Advanced Acro Tuesday

Teacher: Mr. Aaron
Cassandra McDonald, Danica Lobelio, Emily Lucas, Erika Marchidan, Hanna Bozek-Klyszejko, Kendall Nuguid, Scarlett Biljan Jeffrey, Vanessa Alampi, Yuliia Mykytiuk

45. Home Again | RPDC Competitive Extended Line

Choreographers: Sarah Kelly, Matt O'Doherty-Adkins, Emma Pettigrew
Adalynn Odendaal, Adele Yakubu, Aixi Huang, Allie Hanson, Allison Wadsworth, Alyssa Zappitelli, Amada Presta, Amelia Dal Bello, Audrey Saelens, Ava Cardno, Ava DiDonato, Ava DiMarco, Avery Auld, Avery Mulligan, Brooke Kronemeyer, Brooklynn Duplessie, Carly Noble, Daphne Panagopoulos, Ever Farinacci, Grayson Sargeant, Halli Winsor, Izzy Hanson, Julia Kowalski, Juliana Hook, Julianna Fidanza, Kai Kirton, Kaia Kretz, Kalli Konstantinides, Laiken Gower, Lauren Osman, Lauren Persia, Lily Martin, London Rogerson, Lucy Gillott, Madelyn Perkins, Madison McCharles, Marley Media, Marlow Moriarity, Mila Gomes, Norah Yakubu, Oliver Kirton, Olivia Tong, Penelope Salinas, Raia Spink, Reese Thaler, Scarlett Peterson, Scarlett Raab, Sianna Perdue, Siena Falconio, Summer Stephens-Hann, Teodora Jankovic, Violet Raab

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Thank you for attending RPDC's

"FROM PAGE TO SCREEN"

33rd Anniversary Year-End Recital

The staff at Rythum Plus would like to thank you for an amazing dance season. Stay happy, healthy, safe, and have a wonderful summer! We hope to see you at some of our summer events, and make sure to follow us on Instagram and Facebook.

RPDC Staff

2025-2026

Trish Thompson-Creamer	Artistic Director
Aaron Adkins	Teaching Staff
Alexa Calder	Teaching Staff
Ava DiDonato	Teaching Staff
Brooke Kronemeyer	Teaching Staff
Caitlynn Long	Teaching Staff
Emma Pettigrew	Teaching Staff
Emmalee Jovanovic	Teaching Staff
Julianna Fidanza	Teaching Staff
Kayla Dion	Teaching Staff
Larissa Odendaal	Teaching Staff
Lesley Cabrie-Frantowski	Teaching Staff
Linda Collins	Teaching Staff
Matt O'Doherty Adkins	Teaching Staff
Miguel Ramirez	Teaching Staff
Nina Strazzulla	Teaching Staff
Sarah Cox-Kelly	Teaching Staff
Tiffani Beauparlant	Teaching Staff
Valerie Saija-Moore	Teaching Staff
Victoria Kirton	Teaching Staff
Claudia Guerrero	Office Staff
Matt O'Doherty-Adkins	Office Staff
Sheree Cox	Office Staff
Mary Strazzulla	Seamstress

RPDC Teachers-in-Training

2025-2026

Allie Hanson, Allison Wadsworth, Amada Presta, Charlotte Grant, Daphne Panagopoulos, Hailey March, Izzy Hanson, Kaia Kretz, Kalli Konstantinides, Lauren Osman, Lauren Persia, Madelyn Perkins, Madison McCharles, Marley Media, Miah Lopez, Norah Yakubu, Scarlett Raab

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