

2021 SUMMER DANCE PROGRAM

PREPARATION FOR BALLET

Wednesdays, June 30, July 7, 14, 21, Ages 3-5

9:30-10:30am, taught by Katie Bissinger

Cost: \$60 for the 4 class session

For our youngest dancers, this class encourages a love of movement and sets the foundation for the full range of classical dance.

TAP I

Wednesdays, June 30, July 7, 14, 21, Ages 5+

10:30-11:30am, taught by Katie Bissinger

Cost: \$60 for the 4 class session

Dancers will learn the fundamentals of tap with a former Radio City Rockette.

LOWER SCHOOL I BALLET

Wednesdays, June 30, July 7, 14, 21, Ages 5-7

11:30am-12:30pm, taught by Katie Bissinger

Cost: \$60 for the 4 class session

This class introduces dancers to specific ballet steps using proper technique with an emphasis on creative and expressive movement and music appreciation.

DANCE EXPLORATIONS

July 19-23 AND August 23-27, 9am-12pm, Ages 6-11

In-Studio or Outdoor performance Fridays, July 23 and August 27

Taught by Katie Bissinger

Cost: \$180 for the week

Dancers will explore a different discipline each day of the week - ballet, modern, tap, jazz and theater dance.

DANCE FOUNDATIONS

July 5-9, 10am-2pm, Ages 8-12

In-Studio or Outdoor performance Friday, July 9

Taught by Claire Deane

Cost: \$200 for the week

Dancers will focus exclusively on ballet and modern technique, the disciplines that are the foundations for all that we do at Ballet Arts Studio with an emphasis on how to communicate movement and music through phrasing and dynamic energy. Taught by the co-director of A-Y/dancers.

NEW!

CONTEMPORARY/HIP HOP INTENSIVE

June 28-July 2, 10am-4pm, Ages 12+

In-Studio or Outdoor performance Friday, July 2

Taught by Jessica Smith

Cost: \$375 for the week

Dancers will focus on learning and creating highly physical contemporary movement while diving into the rhythmic and dynamic parallels between hip hop and contemporary dance. Strength and conditioning paired with phrase work and improvisational play will culminate in an energetic sharing of the week. Taught by Jessica Smith, co-director of Dual Rivet and dancer with ZviDance, VIM VIGOR, and Sleep No More NYC.

NEW!

PRECISION DANCE INTENSIVE

July 12-16, 10am-4pm, Ages 11+

In-Studio performance Friday, July 16

Taught by Deanna Ford and Katie Bissinger

Cost: \$375 for the week

Dancers will immerse themselves in a fast paced week of learning choreography from two former Radio City Rockettes. Building strength both mentally and physically and a serious attention to detail will be the primary focus.

BALLET INTENSIVE

August 9-13, 10am-4pm, Ages 12+

Taught by Miriam Mahdavian

In-Studio performance Friday, August 13

Cost: \$375 for the week

During this five day program, taught by a former New York City Ballet dancer, mornings will be devoted to warm-up and technique. In the afternoons, dancers will be on pointe and work on Variations, as well as study character dance, dance history, nutrition and injury prevention. This week will develop strength, maturity of movement and build proper technique that will inform the dancer's work in both the classroom and on stage.

NEW!

THEATER DANCE/TAP INTENSIVE

August 16-20, 10am-4pm, Ages 10+

In-Studio performance Friday, August 20

Taught by Katie Bissinger

Cost: \$375 for the week

During this five-day program, taught by a veteran of the National and Korean Tours of 42nd Street, the dancers will do improv, vocal work and theater games, refine their tap technique and workshop two Broadway tap performance pieces.

- All summer classes and programs are dependent upon enrollment.
 - All classes are taught by Ballet Arts Studio Faculty.
- All class placement decisions will be made by Ballet Arts Studio Faculty.
- Questions? Feel free to call us at 845-831-1870, or send us an email at info@BalletArtsStudio.com

