

Welcome

Twenty-two years ago a dream came true as we held our first performance on a tiny stage filled with a handful of starry eyed students. And, while recital today doesn't look anything like it did two decades ago, the spirit in which we approach it is the same: A chance for our children to showcase their achievements and share their passion for dance surrounded by a dance family that is cheering them on and celebrating their growths big and small.

From the tiniest dancer taking the stage for the very first time today, growing in confidence, to the graduating seniors who are ready to begin the next step in their journey, this weekend we celebrate your children, their achievements, and the joy of dance! We celebrate you the parents, and extended family, who create such a beautiful community inside of our studio.

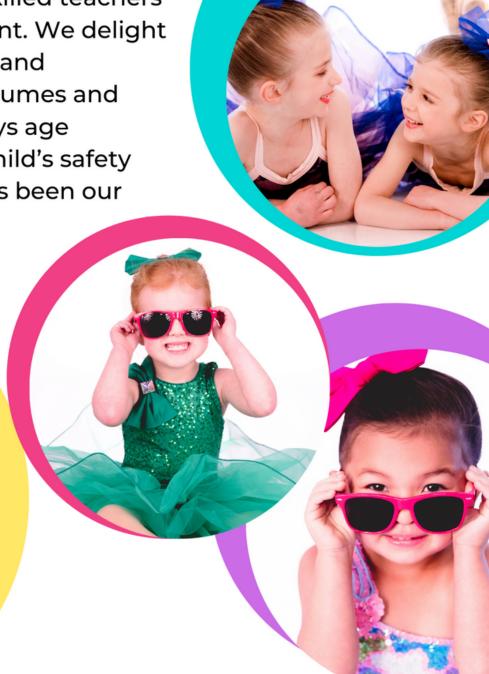
We celebrate the teachers and leadership team at DSD who make each class More Than Just Great Dancing®.

The show you are about to see is a story of courage and of growth for every dancer who steps onto the stage today. Will you join us in giving your heartiest applause for these incredible kids as they take the stage and share their hearts with you.

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From your child's first steps.... to their graduation performance!

Diamond School of Dance (DSD) has built a reputation for excellence in dance instruction! DSD has classes for everyone. We specialize in beginners of all ages and offer training through pre-professional levels. Our classes are taught by caring and skilled teachers in a positive environment. We delight in your child's progress and performances! Our costumes and choreography are always age appropriate and your child's safety and wellness has always been our highest priority.



"Cause I Love You" Jazz

Breanna Kulig, Sophia McCutcheon, Madison Metz, Bethany Olson, Lily Smith, Zoey Southard

"Wings to Fly" Ballet

Capri Albertson, Lyla Anderson, Taylor Boos, McKenna Bowe, Maggie Bowen, Solveigh Graceheart, Evelynn Harrison, Eleanor Meicher, Eve Pohlen, Charlotte Salden, Ken Schalte, Arianna Stanley

"Lifeguard" Hippity Hop

Esmee Brooks, Adelynn Carlson, Dylan Conde, Dorothy Czahor, Whitney Fedie, Brynlee Goethel, Alison Hansen, Ember Kramer, Gianna Mchugh, Bobbi Munz, Madelyn Olson, Lily Poziombke, Josie Radle, Anna Tenhover, Kathryn Von Haden

"Memory" Ballet

Lilliana Dallman, Grace Johnson, Sophia McCutcheon, Alexis Thompson, Jalynn Wilcox, Aria Yang

"Sea Cruise" Tap

Favor Amadi, Ella Bobholz, Charlee Bouchard, Hayden Davis, Ashlynn Ferguson, Margo Hehli, Ellie Mundinac, Charlee Poziombke, Thea Raffaele, Kylee Stokely, Olivia Von Haden

"La La Lu" - Ballet

Haven Albertson, Lily Bernett, Nora Bobholz, Adelynn Carlson, Maddie Erickson, Linnea Hawkins, Serena Hawkins, Lily Poziombke, Kieran Schindler, Delaney Timmers, Vivian Timmers

"The Power of Love" Lyrical

Hailey Brenden, Lilliana Dallman, Brooklyn Derrickson, Ava Finn, Grace Johnson, Allie Knauff, Hope Kulasiewicz, Jillian Kilasiewicz, Sophia McCutcheon, Sofie Merrick, Madison Metz, Jenna Nybroten, Bethany Olson, Julia Schroeder, Lily Smith, Zoey Southard, Emma Swanstrom, Ava Toufar, Lyla Weiss, Jalynn Wilcox, Aria Yang



"It's A Small World" Tap

Emmelia Ash, Keara Hanson, Evelynn Krings, Anya Patch, Ophelia Roelant, Tennyson Roelant, Augusta Roelant, Makaia Shirer, Janae Simonson

"The Mermaid Ballet" Ballet

Adeline Ashwell, Thea Beaufeaux, Megan Brixen, Eleora Carter, Lucy Prell, Lexie Schafer, Eloise Stelter

"The Unsinkable Ship" Contemporary

Emily Blackburn, Breanna Kulig, Sophia McCutcheon, Madison Metz, Bethany Olson, Lily Smith, Zoey Southard

"Trolls Remix" Hip Hop

Tenley Conde, Alana Constantine, Jaelyn Olson, Charlee Poziombke, Chloe Radle

"J'Adore Paris" Ballet

Emmelia Ash, Keara Hanson, Evelynn Krings, Anya Patch, Ophelia Roelant, Tennyson Roelant, Augusta Roelant, Makaia Shirer, Janae Simonson

"Storm Shadow" Acro

Emily Blackburn, Hailey Brenden, Hope Kulasiewicz, Jillian Kulasiewicz, Breanna Kulig, Madison Metz

"A Very Important Thing to Do" Tutus & Bowties

Calla Albricht, Elise Bloom, Raleigh Corder, Laura Hills, Olivia Krueger, Beatrice Nelson, Eliza Reed, Josette Smasal, Ila Staff, Grace Swanson, Annie Verbracken, Adeline Von Haden, Rowan Westcott, Myles Woodford

"Woody's Roundup" Tap

Adeline Ashwell, Thea Beaufeaux, Megan Brixen, Eleora Carter, Lucy Prell, Lexie Schafer, Eloise Stelter

"The End of Love" Lyrical

Emily Blackburn, Breanna Kulig, Sophia Mc Cutcheon, Madison Metz, Bethany Olson, Lily Smith, Zoey Southard



"Learn Me Right" Ballet

Favor Amadi, Ella Bobholz, Charlee Bouchard, Hayden Davis, Ashlynn Ferguson, Margo Hehli, Ellie Mundinac, Charlee Poziombke, Thea Raffaele, Kylee Stokely, Olivia Von Haden

"Change is Everything" Contemporary

Bryan Cabrera, Emily Blackburn

"Coffee Break" Senior Musical Theater

Hailey Brenden, Isabela Castro, Liliana Dallman, Mackenzie Decker, Brooklyn Derrickson, Ava Finn, Sophia McCutcheon, Thalia Medina, Sofie Merrick, Madison Metz, Jenna Nybroten, Lily Smith, Zoey Southard, Emma Swanstrom, Ava Toufar, Jalynn Wilcox, Aria Yang



20-23 June 2022

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Advanced Intensive | 5:00-9:00 | \$385

Special Guests

Lucas Segovia Emily Weber





Malia

Thalia has been dancing with DSD since she was 5! Her favorite style of dance is hip hop because she loves the style of music and how it's made her more confident. Dance has made a positive impact in Thalia's life by helping her self-esteem and has taught her to be confident in everything she does. The people she has met through dance have become like family to her.

Thalia's biggest piece of advice to DSD's dancers is to be nice to each other, be friends with everyone in your classes and make the studio feel like a second home - allow dance and the studio to be an escape from all the stressors in life. She says the studio is the perfect safe space.

Thalia will be majoring in Political Science on the Pre-Law track.

Thalia would like to give a special shout out to her mom, Miss Angelina and Mr NIIoh for always making her feel safe. She says DSD's staff team will always have a special place in her heart.



Greanna

Breanna started her dance story 5 years ago when she first stepped into Diamond School of Dance! Her favorite styles of dance are acro and contemporary. Dance has made a positive impact in Breanna's life by being a way to de-stress; dance just makes her happy!

Breanna's biggest piece of advice to DSD's dancers is to work hard.

Breanna will be attending the CLI Dance Conservatory in Massachusetts this fall with plans of becoming a professional dancer!

Breanna would like to give a special shout out to Miss Angelina for not only inspiring her to be a better dancer but a better person. She would like to thank the staff at DSD for supporting every dancer's dreams and goals. She says she has had her best memories with this team!!



Gabela

Isabela has been dancing at DSD for 12 years! Her favorite style of dance is jazz, she loves trying new styles of jazz and learning fun combos. Dance has made a positive impact in Isabela's life because it has taught her life skills. She says it instilled perseverance and dedication in her; she also says it brought so many amazing people into her life, people that will be with her forever.

Isabela's biggest piece of advice to DSD's dancers is to remember why you dance. She says sometimes we can get caught up in the stress of learning dances and doing challenging skills so it's always good to remember to have fun! She also wants to encourage everyone to talk to someone new in all your classes!

Isabela will be attending Western Washington University this fall where she will be studying Marketing.

Isabela would like to give a special shout out to her mom. She says her mom has been the biggest role model to her because of how much she gave to her and her siblings. "Mom, there was never a moment when I doubted your love for me. You are hardworking and continually selfless, these are things I try to emulate. Love and appreciate you more than you know! #mamacastro". She would also like to thank the DSD Staff Team for making one of the most loving environments she has ever been in. Through ups and downs she knew the studio was a place where she could leave that all behind and have fun.





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become the person she is today.



iliana

Liliana began dancing 15 years ago at DSD! Her favorite style of dance is ballet; while she wouldn't say it's her strongest style, it makes her feel the most nostalgic as she has taken ballet every year since she was 3 and has the deepest emotional connection to it. Dance has made a positive impact in Lili's life by providing her a community that she hasn't been able to find anywhere else. She thanks dance for giving her a new perspective of what family can be.

Lili's biggest piece of advice to DSD's dancers is to not take the years for granted. "I know it's cliche, but time moves quickly when you're not paying attention. Cherish this special part of your life. Treat every practice, every competition, and every end bow like it's your last, because one day it will be."

Lili plans to major in Pre-Dentistry and minor in Spanish at the University of St. Thomas this fall. She hopes to study at the St. Thomas campus in Rome her Sophomore year; her dream is to be a traveling dentist.

Lili would like to give a special shout out to her mom. Her mom has made the biggest impact on her life as her most devoted cheerleader. She can always count on her to encourage and support her. She would like to thank DSD's Staff Team for creating a place where she feels welcome, appreciated, listened to and loved. "Whether I've been taught by you since I was a toddler, or have only grown to know you recently, you hold a special place in my heart. Thank you for helping make this studio the amazing place it is!"



environment. She says they have taught her so many valuable life lessons that she can carry with her beyond the studio.



Julia

Julia has been dancing with DSD for over 10 years! Her favorite style of dance is contemporary because she can make it her own. Dance has made a positive impact in Julia's life by helping her make many lasting friendships; she says because of dance her confidence in herself has grown tremendously over the years.

Julia's biggest piece of advice to DSD's dancers is to be confident!

Julia will be attending UMN - Duluth in the fall. She will be pursuing either Studio Art or Art Education and is excited to keep the arts a big part of her life.

Julia would like to give a special shout out to her parents for supporting her through everything and encouraging her to be who she is and do what she loves AND to her best friend Ella Tvaruzka for always being there for her! She would like to thank the staff at DSD for always encouraging their dancers to try new things and grow!



Sophia

Sophia started dancing at DSD 15 years ago! Her favorite style of dance is ballet and contemporary because they both emphasize technical aspects and movement quality, while enabling you to tell a story through dance! Dance has given Sophie a family at DSD and the confidence to pursue her dream career in the performing arts.

Sophie's biggest piece of advice to DSD's dancers is confidence is key! She says once you find yourself comfortable in your own body and abilities, dance becomes less about what you can't do yet and more about the possibilities of what you COULD do!

Sophie plans to attend the University of Arizona this fall with a double major in Dance and Pre-Nursing.

Sophie would like to give a special shout out to her parents. They have pushed her to never give up and work hard to achieve her goals. Without them she feels she would not be where she is today. She would like to thank the DSD Staff team for not only "teaching us the moves", but creating the kind of space and environment where she wants to be 24/7. "A dance team can't be a family without amazing "parents"!"



Madison

Madison has been dancing at DSD for 13 years! Her favorite style of dance is contemporary because it lets her experiment with movement in a freeing way. Dance has made a positive impact in Maddie's life by teaching her many important life lessons. It has been an outlet and second home for her for many years; giving her lifelong friendships she cherishes.

Maddie's biggest piece of advice to DSD's dancers is to find what motivates you and your reason for your love of dance. She says to be grateful for every class and every teacher you learn from. "Remember to never take any of your classes for granted because they go by faster than you think - enjoy every minute of it!"

Maddie will be attending CLI Conservatory in Massachusetts this fall to pursue dance!

Maddie would like to thank her parents who have taught her to follow her dreams and have supported and believed in her. Maddie would like to thank the DSD Staff Team for helping shape her into the dancer and person she is today, as well as the constant support and for believing in her (a special shout out to Miss Angelina for always encouraging her). "I am forever grateful!"





Sofie

Sofie started dancing 14 years ago! Her favorite style of dance is jazz because she loves how upbeat it is and how exciting it is to perform. Dance has given her an outlet to relieve her stress and has introduced her to some of the greatest friends and mentors she has in her life.

Sofie's biggest piece of advice to DSD's dancers is to not compare yourself to others and focus on being the best dancer and person you can be!

Sofie plans to attend the University of Wisconsin - Madison and major in Biochemistry.

Sofie would like to give a special shout out to her mom because she has always supported her in everything she does; her mom's encouragement has led Sofie to achieve great things! She would like to thank the DSD Staff Team for all the support they have given her from the age of 3 til now; she has become a great dancer through DSD, but says more importantly, she has learned skills like patience and determination that will help her throughout the rest of her life!

Failie

Hailie has been dancing with Diamond School of Dance since she was 3 years old! She was one of the first students to join Diamond School of Dance's mini team as one of our youngest competitors. Hailie competed her first solo when she was just five years old!

Hailie will be attending college in Arizona next year. We are so proud of her and excited for her future!





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