

CaRu Entertainment Presents

**ANNUAL SPRING
SHOWCASE
FEATURING SOLOS**

30 APRIL 2022 @ 12:00 P.M.
SOUTH HUNTERDON
REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

2022



CaRu Entertainment Spring Showcase

**WATCH VIA LIVE
STREAM!**

[HTTPS://YOUTU.BE/1VERV
OWMR2E](https://youtu.be/1VERVOWMR2E)





ACT ONE

REFLECTION

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Devon Stemler

YOU RAISE ME UP

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney & Nicole Lodato
Emma Haab

TIRED

By Nevaeh Escalante
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SOLDIER

By Isabella Masi
Stella Glospie

SPANISH ROSE

By Kayla James
Gabriella Fahmy

A PIRATE'S LIFE FOR ME

By Kendall Storcella
Breanne Zola

SUNSHINE

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney with Kendall Storcella & Arielle Cosenza
Emmy Rodriguez





ACT ONE

ROSES TURN

By Kendall Storcella
Tenley Vlasac

TOY SOLDIER

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney & Kendall Storcella
Austyn Hanley

BURN IT UP

By Kendall Storcella
Skye Bridges

BURLESQUE

By Kayla James
Olivia Isaacson

WELCOME TO THE JUNGLE

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Elizabeth Casciano

HELIUM

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Delaney Merritt

IS THAT ALRIGHT

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Alexandra Crane

POST THAT

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Giavana Birchenough

*****INTERMISSION*****





ACT TWO

YOU MATTER TO ME

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Maddie Hill

HOME

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Hannah Cooper

NOT ABOUT ANGELS

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Angelina Gallagher

BIGGER

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney & Kendall Storcella
Skye Kimbrough

DIAMOND HEART

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney & Cathy Greco Whalen
Alexis Bernstein

TURNING PAGE

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Sofia Kulp

DO RIGHT

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Emma Santoro





ACT TWO

FIX YOU

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney & Nicole Loadto
Anna Zablieski

NOW WHO'S THE DUMMY?

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Emma Haab

HOLD ON TO ME

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Devon Stemler

THE QUEEN IS BACK

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Gillian Castadot

THE FINAL CURTAIN

By Cassie Russo-Sweeney
Arielle Cosenza





CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR GRADUATING SENIORS

*Arielle Cosenza
Emma Santoro
Emma Haab
Devon Stemler
Gillian Castadot
Anna Zabielski
Nevaeh Escalante*

OUR WISH FOR YOU

For all that you think you are leaving behind, here marks the next part to your journey. For many more years to come you will continually ask yourself "What's next?" But know that the experiences, the memories, the abilities and skills, and the friends and connections you have built on and off the stage as a dancer at CaRu Entertainment will serve you in many ways - and often in ways that may or may not have anything to do with performing as an artist. All the things you have learned are good. Use what you have learned to bring good and kindness to the world because that is what the world needs now more than ever. From there, we have no doubt that many successes and accomplishments will follow. Finally, don't hold anything back. Leave it all on "the stage" that we call life. We will miss you but remember that you always have a home at CaRu.

Congratulations!

*Love,
Cassie, Emily & the CaRu Faculty*



THANK YOU

A MESSAGE FROM CASSIE & EMILY

It's truly hard for us to imagine that 11 years ago when we set out on a dream that there were dancers (not much older than our own kids are now) who came along for the ride - trusting us and our mission to be different. To be a place of art, of growth, of inspiration and for dancers to cultivate their individual talents and personalities in a space that aims to empower young people to be their best selves on and off stage. You allowed us to grow and in doing that, grew yourselves in ways we could have never imagined. That foundation inspired the studio that we consider our home and the people who have become family. We are forever grateful for our students who are CaRu and make our "jobs" never feel like work, even on the most challenging of days (and certainly the last couple of years brought plenty of those). As parents ourselves - now with our own kids on stage - we want to send a special shout out to all our CaRu parents and loved ones for all that you do for your dancers. We always knew you did a lot but not quite how much until now. Thank you to our own families, especially our spouses Sean Sweeney and Reuben Advani, for supporting our dreams year after year. And a very special thank you to Vincent and Nance Russo (Cassie's parents) who continue to be a guiding light.

~Cassie Russo-Sweeney & Emily Advani

CARU ENTERTAINMENT FACULTY


Our dream team. The group of energizing artists, teachers and mentors who build beautiful dancers but more importantly, beautiful people. No one can deny the passion that each of you have for your craft and what you do. It's so clear that this is a choice and a choice that brings joy to your hearts and to those around you. Thank you for all that you do for our students and for our studio.

SOUTH HUNTERDON REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

Thank you to South Hunterdon Regional High School for hosting today's event and to your technical and business teams for making the day possible.

BARRY GRAZIANO

Thank you for providing today's live stream. Your expertise and technical excellence allowed audience members who could not attend in person see their dancers on stage today AND you also helped us navigate the world of Zoom during the pandemic. THANK YOU!



CaRu Entertainment Dance Complex

STICK WITH US THIS SPRING AND JOIN US THIS SUMMER!

SPRING SESSION (MAY 1 - JUNE 17)

Classes on as scheduled!

Want to see all the class offerings? Visit:

<https://carunj.com/spring-2022>

SUMMER SESSION (JULY 11-AUGUST 26)

Full schedule to be released soon!

Enjoy weekly classes and a one-week intensive this summer. Check <https://carunj.com/summer-2022> for updates.

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