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KDC SUMMER INTENSIVE AND TEAM AUDITIONS (AUGUST 11-14, AUGUST 18-22)- REGISTER NOW!

Our 2 week KDC Summer Intensive is a special program reserved for intermediate to advanced dancers, ages 6-18, that would like to audition for our 2025-26 KDC Competition Team. Our KDC Summer Intensive will run from 8/11/2025 to 8/14/2025 and 8/18/2025-8/21/2025. Dancers need to attend both weeks of intensive in order to audition. KDC Competition Team Auditions will be held on 8/22/2025. *All dancers auditioning need to be present for the audition. *Registration for this program will end on Friday, August 8th. *Please email Miss Kelley for placement. kelleysdancecraze@gmail.com

KDC FALL SCHEDULE 2025-2026

Registration has already begun for Fall classes, which will begin on Wednesday, September 3, 2025. You may register online anytime. If you have any troubles, or need any guidance for which level of classes to take, please don't hesitate to reach out, and I can take care of things from my end. On September 1st, there is also a \$40 registration fee due (per family), along with September tuition. Register now to reserve your spot in class(es) before they fill up. We already have a number of classes that are already full, or almost at capacity. **Registration for Fall classes will end on Friday, October 31st.**

UPDATE TO 2025-2026 DRESS CODE, COMPETITION TEAM REQUIREMENTS, AUDITION PACKET, AND CONTRACT

Our 2025-2026 Required Dress Code and Competition Team Requirements have already been updated to reflect any changes. Our Team Audition Packet and Team Contract will be updated and released the first week of Summer Intensive for all those auditioning.

ADD US ON FACEBOOK, INSTAGRAM, TIKTOK, AND YOUTUBE

If you are an avid user on social media, please add us on Facebook (Kelley's Dance Craze), Instagram (@kelleysdancecraze), TikTok (@kelleysdancecraze) and/or You Tube (Kelley's Dance Craze). Tune in to our website also for all of the most up to date information: https://kelleysdancecraze.com We post a lot of dance related info, pictures, talk about upcoming events, etc. It's another great way for us to get to know each other outside of the studio. We consider all of you our "dance family"!

KDC STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Since so many of our dancers are not here during the summer, we will bring back our Student of the Month program in October 2025, after we've had a month of fall classes.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

KDC would like to acknowledge our staff/students with birthdays in August, and wish them all a very special day:

August 1st- Anara Merritt

August 2nd- Mallory Fournier

August 3rd- Kian Rabourn

August 4th- Daniela Goni Prieta

August 4th- Mackenzie Schneider

August 7th- Kaycie DeLisle

August 8th- Charlotte Pitsch

August 11th- Marlowe Dutton

August 15th- Lucy Stowell

August 15th- Brooke Thompson

August 17th- Avery Burzynski

August 20th- Chloe Larosa

August 25th- Sophia Samona

August 29th- Parker Moody

August 31st- Makayla Lucas

Last month, our KDC Competition Team competed at Starquest World Finals. We brought home 11 National Champions, as well as multiple placements, overalls, and special awards! Our results are listed below (7/15-7/20 in Virginia Beach, VA):

GROUPS

KDC Jazz Line "Purse First" - 1st Place Overall National Champions in the Classic Dance Off, 2nd Place Overall, Platinum, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off

All Stars Lyrical "Like A River Runs"- 1st Place Overall National Champions in the Classic Dance Off, 2nd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off

Sparkling/Rising/Shooting Stars Hip Hop "Cars That Go Boom"- 1st Place Overall National Champions, Platinum Plus

Sparkling Stars Tap "Born To Be Wild" - 1st Place Overall National Champions, Platinum Plus

Starlings Jazz "Up & Down" - 2nd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, "Mini/Petite Odyssey" Award

Super Stars Tap "Paint It Black"- 3rd Place Overall in the Classic Dance Off, 4th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off

Sparkling/Rising Stars Musical Theatre "Ay Caramba" - 3rd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

All Stars Contemporary "Joker"- 4th Place Overall in the Classic Dance Off, 5th Place Overall, Platinum Plus. Invitation to the Classic Dance Off, "Best Costume" Award

Shining/Super Stars Contemporary "Take Me Home" - 4th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Rising/Shooting Stars Lyrical "Breathe Again" - 5th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Shooting Stars Jazz "Let's Work"- 6th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

All Stars Tap "The Chain"- 7th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Starlings Tap "Material Girls" - 7th Place Overall, Platinum

All Stars Jazz "Sports Mode" - 8th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Sparkling Stars Lyrical "It's Not Gonna Rain" - 8th Place Overall, Platinum, "Best Costume" Award

All Stars Musical Theatre "I'm Just Ken" - 9th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Rising Stars Jazz "Delete" - 9th Place Overall, Platinum

Shooting/Shining Stars Musical Theatre "Pop!" - 13th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Shining/Super Stars Jazz "Chromatic" - 14th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

All Stars Hip Hop "Push" - 15th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, "Teen Odyssey" Award

Shining/Super Stars Hip Hop "Missy"- Platinum

Shining Stars Tap "Wild Jack"- Platinum

Rising/Shooting Stars Tap "Bandstand Boogie" - Platinum

SOLOS

Lilley Rays' Lyrical Solo "It Must Have Been Love"- 1st Place Overall National Champion in the Classic Dance Off, In the Top 5 Solos, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off, 1st Runner Up for Classic Junior Emerging Artist, Highest Score in Category

Hailey Schneider's Lyrical Solo "Build It Up"- 1st Place Overall National Champion in the Classic Dance Off, In the Top 5 Solos, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off, Highest Score in Category

Harper Bialach's Jazz Solo "Looking Good, Feeling Gorgeous"- 1st Place Overall National Champion, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, Nova Petite Emerging Artist Winner

Brennan Larson's Musical Theatre Solo "Show Off"- 3rd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, 2nd Runner Up for Nova Teen Emerging Artist

Lou Corbin's Lyrical Solo "I Know" - 3rd Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Lucy Powers' Tap Solo "One Fine Day" - 4th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Bianca Pasquinzo's Lyrical Solo "Once I Was Loved"- 5th Place Overall in the Classic Dance Off, In the Top 5 Solos, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off

Brynn Smutzki's Jazz Solo "Fierce" - 5th Place Overall, Platinum

Mackenzie Schneider's Lyrical Solo "Burn"- 6th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, 2nd Runner Up for Classic Teen Emerging Artist

Lucy Stowell's Tap Solo "Route 66" - 6th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Chloe Larosa's Musical Theatre Solo "Wallflower"- 7^{th} Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Maddie Stephenson's Tap Solo "Red Balloon"- 7th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, 2nd Runner Up for Nova Petite Emerging Artist

Harley Eagle's Jazz Solo "Let It Whip"- 8th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category Vivien Cracknell's Tap Solo "She Works Hard For The Money"- 8th Place Overall, Platinum, "Best Costume" Award

Kaycie DeLisle's Musical Theatre Solo "Grannyland"- 8th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category, "Best Costume" Award

Gianna DeGolyer's Tap Solo "Can You Keep Up?"- 9th Place Overall, Platinum plus, Highest Score in Category

Makayla Lucas' Tap Solo "Something's Got A Hold On Me"- 10th Place Overall, Platinum

Paige Eagle's Lyrical Solo "Funeral" - 12th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Libby DeLisle's Contemporary Solo "Sleep Walk"- 13th Place Overall, Platinum Plus, "Inside Out" Award, "Best Costume" Award

Alexis Lancaster's Musical Theatre Solo "The 20th Century Fox Mambo"- 13th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Whitney Burzynski's Musical Theatre Solo "14th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Gianna DeGolyer's Jazz Solo "Level Up" - Platinum Plus, 1st Runner Up for Classic Teen Emerging Artist

Alexis Lancaster's Jazz Solo "Bubblegum"- Platinum Plus, "Topsy Turny" Award, "Best Costume" Award

Harley Eagle's Contemporary Solo "Fistful Of Love" - Platinum Plus

Chloe Larosa's Jazz Solo "Fun"- Platinum Plus

Marissa Rates' Lyrical Solo "What We've Become" - Platinum Plus

Jacqueline Cracknell's Jazz Solo "Voque"- Platinum, "House of Starquest" Award

Avery Burzynski's Jazz Solo "Work" - Platinum

Amelia Butterfield's Tap Solo "Jailhouse Rock"- Platinum

Abigail Campbell's Tap Solo "Valerie" - Platinum

DUETS/TRIOS

Super Stars Lyrical "When We're Older"- 1st Place Overall National Champions in the Classic Dance Off, In the Top 5 Duet/Trios, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off

Shining Stars Lyrical "Start Again"- 1st Place Overall National Champions in the Classic Dance Off, In the Top 5 Duets/Trios, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off, Highest Score in Category

Sparkling Stars Jazz "Oops!...I Did It Again"- 1st Place Overall National Champions, Platinum Plus, Highest Score in Category

Emily Kumpula, Brennan Larson, and Brynn Smutzki's Jazz Trio "Genetics"- 1st Place Overall National Champions, Platinum, Highest Score in Category

Harley Eagle and Paige Eagle's Contemporary Duet "For All We Know"- 2nd Place Overall in the Classic Dance Off, In the Top 5 Duets/Trios, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off

Abigail Campbell and Lilley Rays' Musical Theatre Duet "We Share Everything" - 3rd Place Overall in the Classic Dance Off, In the Top 5 Duets/Trios, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off, Highest Score in Category

Bianca Pasquinzo and Mackenzie Schneider's Lyrical Duet "You'll Never Walk Alone"- 3rd Place Overall in the Classic Dance Off, In the Top 5 Duets/Trios, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off, Highest Score in Category, "Lines For Days" Award, "Best Costume" Award

Gianna DeGolyer, Alexis Lancaster, and Hailey's Schneider's Lyrical Trio "Don't Worry About Me"- 4th Place Overall in the Quest for the Best, In the Top 5 Duet/Trios, Ultimate Platinum, Invitation to the Quest For The Best

Avery Burzynski and Chloe Larosa's Lyrical Duet "Vienna"- 5th Place Overall in the Classic Dance Off, In the Top 5 Duets/Trios, Platinum Plus, Invitation to the Classic Dance Off

Paige Eagle and Marissa Rates' Lyrical Duet "Meant To Stay Hid"- 7th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Libby DeLisle and Harley Eagle's Contemporary Duet "Not My Responsibility"- 8th Place Overall, Platinum Plus

Gianna DeGolyer and Alexis Lancaster's Jazz Duet "Post That" - Platinum Plus

STUDIO AWARDS/EXTRA AWARDS

Kelley's Dance Craze won the "Classic Studio of Excellence" Award for having the highest accumulation of points for 1st Place Overall National Wins in the Classic Dance Off

Kelley's Dance Craze won the "Best Choreography" Award, specifically for 3 of Miss Bri's dances-"Joker", "Chromatic", and "Like A River Runs"

Laya Rae- 1st Place Overall Junior Improv Winner

Whitney Burzynski- Teen/Senior Photogenic Award of Distinction

Dani Petri- Petite Photogenic Award of Distinction

We are so proud of all of you, and we will miss Harley- our only Senior dancer this season, with all our hearts!

MARK YOUR CALENDARS! (*Highlighted dates are for our comp team only)

August 1, 2025: KDC Summer Intensive and Team Auditions Fees Due

August 1, 2025: August Newsletter Release

August 4-8, 2025: KDC "Camping Adventure" Summer Camp for ages 7-11, 9:00 am-12:00 pm

August 4-8, 2025: KDC Competition Readiness Program (5:30-8:00 pm)

August 8, 2025: Last Day to Register for the KDC Summer Intensive and Team Auditions

August 11-14, 2025: Week 1 of the KDC Summer Intensive

August 15, 2025: KDC will be Closed

August 18-21, 2025: Week 2 of the KDC Summer Intensive

August 22, 2025: KDC 2025-2026 Team Auditions

August 23, 2025: KDC 2025-2026 Competition Team Announcement

August 25-29. 2025: Individual Meetings with NEW Competition Team families, and any returning comp families that want to touch base

September 1, 2025: Annual Registration Fee Due, \$40 per Family

September 1, 2025: September Tuition Due

September 1, 2025: September Newsletter Release

September 1-2, 2025: KDC is Closed in Observance of Labor Day

September 2, 2025: Mandatory KDC Competition Team Meeting, Team Contract signing, Commitment Fee Due, Big/Little Sister Reveal, 6:00 pm (KDC Comp Team)

September 3, 2025: 1st Day of Classes for the 2025-2026 Dance Season

September 14, 2025: KDC Competition Team Pictures (mandatory event), Time/Theme TBA

MORE DATES WILL BE ADDED SOON

We love teaching your child(ren)! If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to email me anytime.

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