

**STEPS DANCE
CENTER**



RECITAL

June 8th @ 10:00am
Neuqua Valley High School



FACULTY & STAFF

FOUNDER

Cathy Rosenberg

ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

Rebecca Rosenberg

STUDIO DIRECTOR

Emily Rosenberg

COSTUMING

Samantha Sharp

FACULTY

Matt Aylward

Braeden Barnes

Cesar Bautista

Kelly Brunk

Ashley Cinq-Mars Aylward

Alex Fetbroth

Courtney Nowaczyk

Lorie Holtey Ramirez

Ashley Kaciuba

Jonathan Keaton

Kalli Loudan

Taylor Mitchell

Jackie Nowicki

Matt Pospeshil

Brian Rabenda

Sophia Santore

Simon Schuh

Kenzie Sherry

Angela Williams

LisaMarie Woody

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VERY SPECIAL THANKS TO...

All of our Parent, Student, & Alumni Volunteers

(Led by Andrea Bloch)

Security Team *(Led by Tori Wegner)*

Ryan Rimmington

Neuqua Valley Technical Crew (Lighting design

by Ryan Russell & Matt McDonnell)

Lexi Hunsaker & Jonathon Young

Recital Photography

Cece Nedrow/Payton's Photography

Class & Individual Photography

Creative Digital Masters

Videography

CR Promotions

Recital T-shirts



Sunday, June 8th @ 10:00am

ACT ONE

1. Step by Step

Choreographed by: Rebecca Rosenberg, Ashley Cinq-Mars, Alex Fetbroth
All Steps Company, Crew, and Dance Team Members

2. R.O.C.K.

Class: Dance Exploration (Ages 4-5) Friday @ 5:45

Choreographed by: Courtney Nowaczyk

Arabella Aguirre, Claire Brokamp, Riley Gibson, Emma Mamic, Sophia Ortiz, Sophie Perales

3. Teddy Bear

Class: Dance Exploration (Ages 3-4) Thursday @ 9:30

Choreographed by: Lorie Holtey Ramirez

Vivienne Blankenship, Eloise Bruzek, Evangeline Lancaster, Isabelle Strozza, Olivia Tiago, Olivia Zop

4. L-O-V-E

Dance Exploration (Ages 2.5-4) Wednesday @ 5:45

Choreographed by: Emily Rosenberg

Olivia Bajwa, Ainsley Borchardt, Gianna Dolan, Ayla Kalhan, Sinyah Lee, Jiya Mehrotra, Hannah Merrill, Madison Nelson, Quinn O'Sha, Mila Patel, Skye Patel, Olivia Peczeniuk, Penelope Whitehair, Ryleigh Zielinski

5. CINDERELLA

Directed by: Ashley Kaciuba

Choreographed by: Braeden Barnes, Kelly Brunk, Ashley Kaciuba, Kalli Loudan, Taylor Mitchell, LisaMarie Woody

Cinderella: Penelope Faber

Stepmother: Hayley Hunt

Stepsister #1: Emmie Plitt

Stepsister #2: Taylor Page

Fairy Godmother/Winter Fairy: Aoife Nugent

Spring Fairy: Emmerson Huang

Summer Fairy: Tatum Brown

Fall Fairy: Jaiden Bloch

Prince Charming: Nathan Carter

5. CINDERELLA (continued)

Roses: Caroline Christener, Geena Corradetti, Miray Gonzalez, Addison Kimes, Cecilia Krzmarzick, Jasmine Lin, Adalyn Loomis, Isla McAnelly, Mina Mikami-Tagle, Cayla Yang

Daisies: Monica Bureiko, Grace Christener, Gabriella Corradetti, Ava DeSuno, Arianna Enke, Olivia Gilkes, Ayla Gonzalez, Brynn Krug, Madelyn Todd

Butterflies: Vanessa Costales-Roman, Selena He, Avery Huang, Owen Hunt, Alexis Mae Makilan, Avery McEttrick, Emi Mikami-Tagle, Olivia Olivares, Lyla Stewart, Parker Sutter-Sheehan

Leaves: McKenna Barnes, Olivia Garvey, Paige Henige, Blake Kauffunger, Ella Mezmar, Naya Miksa, Kamila Morales-Hintze, Paige Snider, Brynn Stoudt, Leah Thomas, Olivia Tichelbaut

Snowflakes: Nora Anderson, Michaela Andreoni, Emma Christener, Giada Enke, Isla Gilkes, Fiona Krzmarzick, Harper Linder, Adeline Morelli, Lyric Newman, Liliana Staley, Stella Wielebnicki

Timekeepers Sets #1 & #2: Gracie Adamson, Ashley Allgaeuer, Michaela Culp, Aubrey DeStefano, Mary Dewan, Lily Duncan, Lindsey Foreman, Riley Gidley, Jojo Minott, Ella Nelson, Kaveri Samanta, Hannah Tran, Raquel Witte, Addelyn Workman

Ball Guests: Ellie Buckland, Lauren Cuny, Fausta Grigonis, Sianna Ho, Alyssa Kang, Sedonah Licht, Aubrey Lowe, Savana Lowe, Victoria McDougal, Jiya Patel, Lauren Poon, Nina Poulimas, Mythri Prakesh, Madelyn Rendak, Hadley Schwake, Sofia Sermenio, Brooke Thomas, Keke Tyson, Kaitlyn Ziffra

Can Can Dancers: Brynna Andreoni, Sarena Bajaj, Avery Borchardt, Lauren Bottomley, Taryn Caulfield, Evie Creedon, Charlotte Grant, Brynn Hurst, Harper Jakobs, Riya Kamireddy, Katie Knudsen, Abigail Loethen, Avery Lood, Alice Miller, Mishika Nandy, Emmie Nowaczyk, Charlotte O'Connor, Aletta Prazak, Caroline Risvold, Kaylee Ruge, Isabella Russo, Hazel Scherer, Addison Stefko, Nakshatra Sudhakar, Emery Wassmer, Sienna Wells

Harem Dancers: Sawyer Anderson, Brighton Blankenburg, Lauren Dickinson, Charlotte Duncan, Amelia Gutierrez, Makenna Kiely, Delainey Krzmarzick, Nixi Maxwell, Maeve McAnelly, Olivia Woods

Italian Dancers: Kelly Anderson, Isabelle Belton, Hannah Epstein, Elze Grigonis, Sophia Hackfort, Myli Han, Finley Harmon, Anika Jadhav, Olivia Jones, Olivia Lowe, Katie Masters, Brynn Miroballi, Annalee Orozco, Kaylee Patel, Ava Sarnowski, Christiana Schnuda, Annie Schwerha, Mila Shastri

10 MINUTE INTERMISSION

ACT TWO

6. Wizard of Oz

Dance Exploration Production Number

Choreographed by: Lorie Holtey Ramirez, Courtney Nowaczyk, Emily Rosenberg

Dancers: Arabella Aguirre, Olivia Bajwa, Vivienne Blankenship, Ainsley Borchardt, Claire Brokamp, Eloise Bruzek, Gianna Dolan, Riley Gibson, Ayla Kalhan, Evangeline Lancaster, Sinyah Lee, Emma Mamic, Christina Rita Mansour, Jiya Mehrotra, Hannah Merrill, Madison Nelson, Quinn O'Sha, Sophia Ortiz, Mila Patel, Skye Patel, Olivia Peczeniuk, Sophie Perales, Isabelle Strozza, Olivia Tiago, Penelope Whitehair, Ryleigh Zielinski, Olivia Zop

7. Hard Knock Life

Choreographed by: Emily Rosenberg
Shimmer Company

8. Teddy Bear, Teddy Bear

Class: First Steps (Ages 1.5-2.5) Thursday @ 11:45

Choreographed by: Emily Rosenberg

Wynn Ackmann, Maggie Christener, Romy Flynn, Madison Jakobs, Hannah Kelly, Emery Kwit, Reya Purdom, Anna Scharafin

9. Qué Será Será

Class: Acro 7

Choreographed by: LisaMarie Woody

Sawyer Anderson, Elze Grigonis, Makenna Kiely, Aubrey Lowe, Savana Lowe

10. The Cheetah Girls

Class: Pop Princess Jazz (Ages 3-5) Thursday @ 12:30pm

Choreographed by: Emily Rosenberg

Mila Enke, Parker Flynn, Kate Kelly, Brynn Todd

11. Jenny From the Block

Class: Hip Hop (3rd-6th) Tuesday @ 4:30

Choreographed by: Kenzie Sherry

Emma Jossifov, Sophia Jossifov, Sophie Monroe, O'Neill Rodriguez, Shalini Schroeder, Paige Snider, Shanaya Ullal, Alba Valones, Aiden Wegner

12. Party, Party, Move Your Body

Kidz Jazz & Hip Hop (Ages 3-5) Monday @ 4:00pm & Thursday @ 10:30am

Choreographed by: Lorie Holtey Ramirez

Margot Ames, Madelyn Berman, Winnie Bou, Ellery Collison, Mazie MacDougall, Lyric Newman, Rylee Purdom, Freya Rashid, Mallory Rath

13. Some Like It Hot

Choreographed by: Koko Iwasaki, Kiki Nyemchek

Sawyer Anderson, Brighton Blankenburg, Lauren Dickinson, Delainey Krzmarzick, Nixi Maxwell, Maeve McAnelly, Olivia Woods

14. Funkytown

Kidz Jazz & Hip Hop (Ages 2.5-5) Wednesday @ 6:30

Choreographed by: Emily Rosenberg

Olivia Bajwa, Ainsley Borchardt, Andy Boulougouris, Addison Guzowski, Ayla Kalhan, Vivianne Malnar, Jiya Mehrotra, Mila Patel, Skye Patel, Cordelia Reul, Penelope Whitehair

15. So Long London, Contemporary Small Group

Choreographed by: Josh Manculich

Jaiden Bloch, Penelope Faber, Aubrey Lowe, Savana Lowe, Lauren Poon, Hadley Schwake

16. 1999

Choreographed by: Emily Rosenberg & Rebecca Rosenberg

Kelly Anderson and Jason Anderson, Brynna Andreoni, Michaela Andreoni, and Jim Andreoni, Aria Berillo and Kyle Berillo, Taryn Caulfield and Ryan Caulfield, Selena-Gloria Costales-Roman, Vanessa Costales-Roman, and Ramiro Roman, Katy DeBiase and Brian DeBiase, Lindsey Foreman and Mike Foreman, Eleanor Gilbert and Nicholas Gilbert, Sianna Ho and Peiyong Ho, Grayce Hunt, Hayley Hunt, and Joshua Hunt, Riya Kamireddy and Chait Kamireddy, Katie Knudsen and Rob Knudsen, Ameya, Naya and Matt Miksa, Adeline Morelli and Anthony Morelli, Lily Neal and Tom Neal, Lyric Newman and Matt Newman, Charlotte Nota and Brad Nota, Emmie Nowaczyk and Steve Nowaczyk, Jillian Rechenmacher and Richard Rechenmacher, Kaylee Ruge and Kyle Ruge, Isabella Russo and Jason Russo, Charlotte Schultz and Patrick Schultz, Lydia Sebor and Matthew Sebor, Emery Wassmer and Marty Wassmer, Christina Zheng and Lin Zheng

17. This Is Our Time

Choreographed by: Matt Aylward, Ashley Cinq-Mars, Matt Pospeshil, Rebecca Rosenberg, and the Graduating Seniors

Steps Dance Center Class of 2025: Tatum Brown, Michaela Culp, Hayley Hunt, Laylah Jackson, Maya Johnston, Lucy Rubenstein, Sofia Sermeno, Emma Siswick, Brooke Thomas, Keke Tyson, Kaitlyn Ziffra

18. Final Bows

All Steps Dancers

TO OUR AMAZING DANCE COMMUNITY...

As we celebrate 25 years of dance, creativity, and community, we want to thank you - our incredible families - for being such an essential part of this journey.

Your unwavering support, patience, and encouragement throughout the year have meant so much to us. Your belief in the power of the arts and in your dancers' growth makes everything we do possible.

It's been a joy to watch these dancers grow, not only in skill but in confidence, creativity, and teamwork. That growth doesn't happen alone - it happens with a community behind them. And that community is you.

So on behalf of our entire team: thank you for sharing your children with us, for trusting us, and for making this year such a meaningful one. We can't wait to dance with you again next season.

*With gratitude,
The Steps Dance Center Team*



STEPS DANCE COMPANY, CREW AND DANCE TEAM MEMBERS

BALLET REPERTORY COMPANIES

Petit Performers: Sawyer Anderson, Brighton Blankenburg, Lauren Dickinson, Selena He, Avery Huang, Delainey Krzmarzick, Nixi Maxwell, Maeve McAnelly, Parker Sutter-Sheehan, Olivia Woods, Cayla Yang

Ballet Repertory: Jaiden Bloch, Tatum Brown, Penelope Faber, Neomi Heinen, Emmerson Huang, Hayley Hunt, Makenna Kiely, Sophia Labriola, Sedonah Licht, Jojo Minott, Aoife Nugent, Taylor Page, Emmie Plitt, Madelyn Rendak

JAZZ COMPANIES

Bitty Babes: Emma Christener, Isla Gilkes, Fiona Krzmarzick, Harper Linder, Lyric Newman

Drive: Jaiden Bloch, Penelope Faber, Sianna Ho, Emmerson Huang, Sedonah Licht, Aubrey Lowe, Savana Lowe, Victoria McDougal, Taylor Page, Emmie Plitt, Lauren Poon, Nina Poulimas, Madelyn Rendak, Hadley Schwake

Encore: Vanessa Costales-Roman, Selena He, Avery Huang, Owen Hunt, Alexis Mae Makilan, Avery McEttrick, Emi Mikami-Tagle, Olivia Olivares, Lyla Stewart, Parker Sutter-Sheehan

Endurance: Ellie Buckland, Lauren Cuny, Fausta Grigonis, Hayley Hunt, Aoife Nugent, Jiya Patel, Mythri Prakesh, Sofia Sermenio, Brooke Thomas, Keke Tyson, Kaitlyn Ziffra

Ignite: Sawyer Anderson, Brighton Blankenburg, Lauren Dickinson, Charlotte Duncan, Amelia Gutierrez, Makenna Kiely, Delainey Krzmarzick, Nixi Maxwell, Maeve McAnelly, Olivia Woods

Limelight: McKenna Barnes, Olivia Garvey, Paige Henige, Blake Kauffunger, Ella Mezmar, Kamila Morales-Hintze, Paige Snider, Brynn Stoudt, Leah Thomas, Olivia Tichelbaut

Momentum: Gracie Adamson, Ashley Allgaeuer, Michaela Culp, Aubrey DeStefano, Mary Dewan, Lily Duncan, Riley Gidley, Jojo Minott, Ella Nelson, Kaveri Samanta, Hannah Tran, Raquel Witte, Addelyn Workman

Petite: Caroline Christener, Geena Corradetti, Miray Gonzalez, Addison Kimes, Cecilia Krzmarzick, Jasmine Lin, Adalyn Loomis, Isla McAnelly, Mina Mikami-Tagle, Cayla Yang

Shimmer: Monica Bureiko, Grace Christener, Gabriella Corradetti, Ava DeSuno, Arianna Enke, Olivia Gilkes, Ayla Gonzalez, Brynn Krug, Madelyn Todd

Spotlight: Kelly Anderson, Isabelle Belton, Hannah Epstein, Elze Grigonis, Sophia Hackfort, Myli Han, Finley Harmon, Anika Jadhav, Olivia Jones, Olivia Lowe, Katie Masters, Brynn Miroballi, Annalee Orozco, Kaylee Patel, Ava Sarnowski, Christiana Schnuda, Annie Schwerha, Mila Shastri

TAP COMPANIES

Piccolo: Addison Kimes, Cecilia Krzmarzick, Mina Mikami-Tagle, Madelyn Todd

Allegro: McKenna Barnes, Vanessa Costales-Roman, Lauren Dickinson, Charlotte Duncan, Finley Harmon, Avery Huang, Olivia Jones, Blake Kauffunger, Nixi Maxwell, Emi Mikami-Tagle, Olivia Olivares, Christina Schnuda

Forte: Ashley Allgaeuer, Alaina Anderson, Jaiden Bloch, Tatum Brown, Michaela Culp, Sianna Ho, Emmerson Huang, Laylah Jackson, Makenna Kiely, Aubrey Lowe, Olivia Lowe, Nina Poulimas, Alyssa Segura, Emma Siswick, Vivian Wieshuber, Raquel Witte

STEPS DANCE COMPANY, CREW, & TEAM MEMBERS (cont.)

HIP HOP COMPANIES

Beat Effect: Vanessa Costales-Roman, Selena He, Avery Huang, Owen Hunt, Emi Mikami-Tagle, Olivia Olivares, Lyla Stewart, Parker Sutter-Sheehan

Boogie Effect: Grace Christener, Ayla Gonzalez, Miray Gonzalez, Cecilia Krzmarzick, Paityn Lewis, Isla McAnelly, Taylor Small

Funk Effect: Kelsey Brodzinski, Tatum Brown, Ellie Buckland, Nathan Carter, Lucia Caruso, Selena-Gloria Costales-Roman, Fausta Grigonis, Hayley Hunt, Maya Johnston, Amara Keaton, Aoife Nugent, Jiya Patel, Lilliana Plitt, Mythri Prakesh, Lucy Rubenstein, Brooke Thomas, Keke Tyson, Sienna Yilk, Kaitlyn Ziffra

Move Effect: Sawyer Anderson, Brighton Blankenburg, Lauren Dickinson, Charlotte Duncan, Hannah Epstein, Elze Grigonis, Amelia Gutierrez, Myli Han, Olivia Jones, Makenna Kiely, Delainey Krzmarzick, Nixi Maxwell, Maeve McAnelly, Christiana Schnuda, Annie Schwerha, Mila Shastri, Jackson Wegner, Olivia Woods

Rock Effect: McKenna Barnes, Isabelle Belton, Elena Cheung, Paige Henige, Trinity Horton, Sama Islam, Ella Mezmar, Naya Miksa, Kamila Morales-Hintze, Avery Muñoz, Charlotte Papendick, Olivia Tichelbaut

Shock Effect: Gracie Adamson, Ashley Allgaeuer, Grace Dewan, Mary Dewan, Lily Duncan, Abby Epstein, Riley Gidley, Sianna Ho, Emmerson Huang, Sedonah Licht, Aubrey Lowe, Ellie Mathieson, Victoria McDougal, Taylor Page, Emmie Plitt, Lauren Poon, Nina Poulimas, Madelyn Rendak, Hadley Schwake, Sona Shastri

STEPS DANCE CREW

Bitty Crew: Nora Anderson, Michaela Andreoni, Giada Enke, Adeline Morelli, Liliana Staley, Stella Wielebnicki

Mini Crew: Brynna Andreoni, Sarena Bajaj, Avery Borchardt, Taryn Caulfield, Charlotte Grant, Brynn Hurst, Riya Kamireddy, Katie Knudsen, Mishika Nandy, Emmie Nowaczyk, Charlotte O'Connor, Aletta Prazak, Addison Stefko

Junior Crew: Lauren Bottomley, Evie Creedon, Harper Jakobs, Abigail Loethen, Avery Lood, Alice Miller, Caroline Risvold, Kaylee Ruge, Isabella Russo, Hazel Scherer, Nakshatra Sudhakar, Emery Wassmer, Sienna Wells

Crew Manager: Katy DeBiase

STEPS DANCE TEAM

Gracie Adamson, Michaela Culp, Aubrey DeStefano, Chloe Hayes, Neomi Heinen, Addison Kovack, Rylee Srikakulam



CLASS OF 2025



TATUM BROWN



MICHAELA CULP



HAYLEY HUNT



LAYLAH JACKSON



MAYA JOHNSTON



LUCY RUBENSTEIN



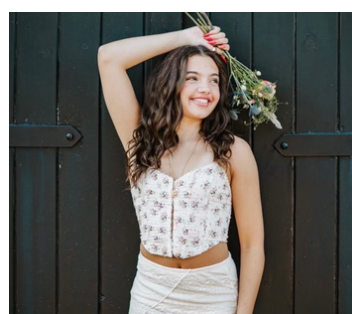
SOFIA SERMENO



EMMA SISWICK



BROOKE THOMAS



KEKE TYSON



WE LOVE YOU SENIORS!



KAITLYN ZIFFRA

To Our Graduating Seniors,

As you take your final bows on the Steps stage, know that your presence has left a lasting mark. You've been more than just talented dancers - you've been role models, leaders, and the heartbeat of our studio. This year's senior class has been one of the most versatile and well-rounded groups we've ever had. From commanding lead roles to stepping up as assistant teachers and choreographers, you've truly done it all - with excellence, heart, and humility.

Thank you for the countless ways you've contributed to this community. We are so proud of the artists - and humans - you've become. You've raised the bar in every way, and in doing so, you've inspired the next generation to dream bigger, work harder, and dance with purpose. We're cheering you on as you take your next steps, and we know you'll continue to make a difference wherever you go.

With love and pride,
Your Steps Family