

Congratulations!

DEBBI'S DANCE, ETC.

2019/20 Competition Company!

Jesse Barker
Sydney Baydo
Audri Bulley
Lucy Bulley
Autumn Christopherson
Danica Claridge
Calli Clark
Kylie Eggert
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Katelyn Elbert
Caitlin Endsley
Abigail Englert
Elijah Englert
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Sophia Falgout
Alana Fernandez
Beth Gibbons
Riley Gonzalez
Abigail Hall
Lisa Harris

Jacey Hemmig
Melina Henderson
Emmy Huttman
Hannah Johnson
Isabelle Justis
Sakari Kautz
Leah Kilczewski
Kira Lopez
Brianna Lund
Chloe Marten
Cayleigh McDermott
Maddie McDermott
Amayah McKernan
Caitlyn McKernan
Cassidy Moyes
Nataleigh Moyes
Kylie Mumma
Chloe Newman
Summer Newman
Rowan Nye

Mara Poland
Ceanna Rigdon
Brooklyn Rose
Rylee Rose
Ava Russell
Lauren Stafford
Lindsey Stafford
Cadence Stevens
Brooklyn Tuggle
Haley Turner
Larissa Valenzuela
Calleigh Vincent
Alyssa Weeks
Rylee Weeks
Scarlett Wing
Taliah Wing
Sarah Wyant
Kamrynn Yount

These dancers have been chosen to represent Debbi's Dance, Etc.
at regional dance competitions and performances for the 2019/20 School Year.

Please attend:

1. Competition Company Dancer & Parent Meeting:

Sun. Sept. 15, 2-3 pm, Debbi's Dance, Etc.

2. Competition Company Photoshoot:

Sun., Sept. 29, 3:45-7 pm, Washington State Capitol Building Steps (NW side of bldg/facing Capital Lake/Puget Sound)

Josh Lusk Photography will be taking a group photo of Debbi's Dance, Etc. Competition Company, individual headshots, and separate group photos of our high schoolers, 6th-8th graders, and 3rd-5th grade dancers. Dancers need to wear blue denim (of any kind) and black. Dancers can wear hair how they like and make-up should be age appropriate (how your dancer would wear (or not wear) make up for school pictures). If elementary school

dancers want to wear make up, please limit it to mascara and a natural lip gloss. Bring an umbrella if it's a raining day. Competition Dancer Dance Accounts will be charged \$10 for the cost of the photo shoot.

Please read the enclosed materials, and...

- 1. Sign and Return the Competition Dancer Contract.**
- 2. Sign and Return the Waiver Form.**
- 3. Give us your email address(es)** so you can access your dance account remotely and receive Competition Dancer Correspondence.
- 4. Link the Debbi's Dance, Etc. Google Calendar to your Device** (or manually add the 2019/20 Debbi's Dance, Etc calendar items to your personal calendars/devices):
- 5. Get to know the Debbi's Dance, Etc. Website "Downloads" page.** Refer to <https://debbisdanceetc.com/downloads-1> for information you might need throughout the year. Please do this before texting/emailing teachers.
- 6. Review the List of 2019/20 Competition Company Routines.** Your dancer has been enrolled in the Competition Company Routine(s) we've selected for him/her. If your dancer is unable to attend these weekly choreography sessions or the required supporting class(es)/time commitment, please let us know and we will drop your student from the routine(s).
- 7. Sign up this week for Required/Additional Supporting Classes:** We want to make sure dancers are enrolled in and attend the proper technique classes to support the genres they're competing. To assist you, during the first week of September, we will automatically enroll your dancer in supporting technique classes, unless you've already enrolled in your preferred choices (dancers are welcome to adjust their schedule). Debbi's Dance, Etc. is open M-Th 4-7 pm to assist you with registration or you can go to your dancer account via our website: www.DebbisDanceEtc.com, "Classes" page, "register online" link. To access your dance account online, we need to have your email address on file.
- 8. Order your Debbi's Dance, Etc. Competition Jackets and Fanwear/Merchandise.** All Competition Company Dancers are required to have and wear a "Team Jacket" to performances and competitions (black/white team jackets from previous years are fine). The online store will go live Mon, Sept. 9th and will close Fri, Nov. 8th to allow families flexibility to purchase when most convenient.
- 9. Attend classes starting Monday, September 9th!** We're looking forward to a great year of dance!

Debbi's Dance, Etc. choreographers have selected these dancers to perform in in the following routines.

Stephanie's 7-10 Hip Hop Routine - Mondays 5-5:45 p.m.

Jesse Barker	Caitlin Endsley	Summer Newman
Lucy Bulley	Abigail Englert	Brooklyn Rose
Autumn Christopherson	Lisa Harris	Lauren Stafford
Calli Clark	Leah Kilczewski	Cadence Stevens
Katelyn Elbert	Chloe Marten	

Stephanie's Mon 12-14 Lyrical Routine – Mondays 8-8:45 p.m.

Audri Bulley	Isabelle Justis	Sarah Wyant
Danica Claridge	Kira Lopez	Kamrynn Yount
Melina Henderson		

Andrea's 12-14 Jazz Routine – Tuesdays 4:15-5 p.m.

Danica Claridge	Nataleigh Moyes	Calleigh Vincent
Melina Henderson	Chloe Newman	Rylee Weeks
Isabelle Justis	Rowan Nye	Sarah Wyant
Brianna Lund	Ava Russell	Kamrynn Yount

Judy's 12-18 Contemporary Routine – Tuesdays 9-9:30 p.m.

Sydney Baydo	Riley Gonzalez	Cassidy Moyes
Audri Bulley	Jacey Hemmig	Mara Poland
Alana Fernandez		

Wendi's 10-13 Lyrical Routine – Wednesdays 4:15-5 p.m.

Calli Clark	Hannah Johnson	Cadence Stevens
Paige Eggert	Chloe Marten	Scarlett Wing
Caitlin Endsley	Maddie McDermott	
Kaitlyn Englert	Rylee Rose	

Stephanie's 10-13 Hip Hop Routine – Wednesdays 5-5:45 p.m.

Paige Eggert	Cayleigh McDermott	Brooklyn Tuggle
Elijah Englert	Maddie McDermott	Scarlett Wing
Kaitlyn Englert	Kylie Mumma	Taliah Wing
Sophia Falgout	Ceanna Rigdon	
Hannah Johnson	Rylee Rose	

Stephanie's Wed 12-14 Lyrical Routine – Wednesdays 8-8:45 p.m.

Brianna Lund	Rowan Nye	Calleigh Vincent
Nataleigh Moyes	Ava Russell	Rylee Weeks
Chloe Newman		

Andrea's 8-10 Acro Routine – Fridays 4:30-5 p.m.

Lucy Bulley	Summer Newman
Calli Clark	Cadence Stevens
Caitlin Endsley	

Andrea's 8-10 Jazz Routine – Fridays 5-5:45 p.m.

Jesse Barker	Kaitlyn Englert	Rylee Rose
Lucy Bulley	Lisa Harris	Lauren Stafford
Autumn Christopherson	Leah Kilczewski	Cadence Stevens
Calli Clark	Chloe Marten	Brooklyn Tuggle
Caitlin Endsley	Amayah McKernan	
Abigail Englert	Summer Newman	

Janel's Teen Acro Routine – Sundays 10:30-11:15 a.m. *(note: class may be adjusted/canceled Nov. 10 & 17 to accommodate Jordan Hip Hop Choreography sessions)*

Danica Claridge	Kira Lopez	Scarlett Wing
Melina Henderson	Brianna Lund	Kamrynn Yount
Isabelle Justis	Lindsey Stafford	
Sakari Kautz	Calleigh Vincent	

Michelle's Acro Routine – Sundays 11:15-12:15 *(note: class may be adjusted/canceled Nov. 10 & 17 to accommodate Jordan Hip Hop Choreography sessions)*

Sydney Baydo	Alana Fernandez
Audri Bulley	Beth Gibbons

Andrea's 10-13 Tap Routine – Sundays 1:15-2 p.m.

Paige Eggert	Ceanna Rigdon	Cadence Stevens
Emmy Huttman	Rylee Rose	Scarlett Wing
Maddie McDermott		

Janel's 12-15 Tap Routine – Sundays 1:15-2 p.m.

Danica Claridge	Cayleigh McDermott	Alyssa Weeks
Abigail Hall	Rowan Nye	Rylee Weeks
Hannah Johnson	Ava Russell	Sarah Wyant

Michelle's Tap Routine – Sundays 1:15-2 p.m.

Sydney Baydo	Jacey Hemmig	Chloe Newman
Audri Bulley	Caitlyn McKernan	Mara Poland
Riley Gonzalez		

Production Routine – Sundays 2-3:30 p.m. (will start 9/22/19 & will adjust between 2-3 p.m. / 2-3:30 p.m. throughout the year as needed).

Sydney Baydo	Hannah Johnson	Mara Poland
Audri Bulley	Isabelle Justis	Ava Russell
Danica Claridge	Sakari Kautz	Lindsey Stafford
Kylie Eggert	Kira Lopez	Haley Turner
Paige Eggert	Brianna Lund	Larissa Valenzuela
Elijah Englert	Cayleigh McDermott	Calleigh Vincent
Sophia Falgout	Maddie McDermott	Alyssa Weeks
Alana Fernandez	Caitlyn McKernan	Rylee Weeks
Beth Gibbons	Cassidy Moyes	Scarlett Wing
Riley Gonzalez	Nataleigh Moyes	Sarah Wyant
Abigail Hall	Kylie Mumma	Kamrynn Yount
Jacey Hemmig	Chloe Newman	
Melina Henderson	Rowan Nye	

Jordan/Janel's 12-14 Hip Hop Routine – See Separate Choreography Schedule –
Class will meet Sundays 3-3:30 p.m. starting Nov. 24th

Danica Claridge	Brianna Lund	Calleigh Vincent
Melina Henderson	Nataleigh Moyes	Rylee Weeks
Isabelle Justis	Chloe Newman	Sarah Wyant
Kira Lopez	Ava Russell	

Jordan/Michelle's 15-18 Hip Hop Routine – See Separate Choreography Schedule –

Class will meet Sundays 3-3:30 p.m.

Sydney Baydo

Audri Bulley

Kylie Eggert

Alana Fernandez

Beth Gibbons

Abigail Hall

Jacey Hemmig

Sakari Kautz

Caitlyn McKernan

Cassidy Moyes

Mara Poland

Lindsey Stafford

Haley Turner

Larissa Valenzuela

Kamrynn Yount

Andrea's 15-18 Lyrical Routine – Sundays 3:30-4:15 p.m.

Sydney Baydo

Alana Fernandez

Beth Gibbons

Riley Gonzalez

Jacey Hemmig

Cassidy Moyes

Janel's 15-18 Lyrical Routine – Sundays 3:30-4:15 p.m.

Kylie Eggert

Abigail Hall

Caitlyn McKernan

Mara Poland

Lindsey Stafford

Haley Turner

Larissa Valenzuela

Alyssa Weeks

Michelle's 10-13 Jazz Routine – Sundays 3:30-4:15 p.m.

Paige Eggert

Elijah Englert

Sophia Falgout

Hannah Johnson

Cayleigh McDermott

Maddie McDermott

Kylie Mumma

Scarlett Wing

Andrea's 15-18 Jazz Routine – Sundays 4:15-5 p.m.

Sydney Baydo

Audri Bulley

Alana Fernandez

Beth Gibbons

Riley Gonzalez

Jacey Hemmig

Caitlyn McKernan

Cassidy Moyes

Mara Poland

Haley Turner

Michelle's 15-17 Jazz Routine – Sundays 4:15-5 p.m.

Kylie Eggert

Abigail Hall

Sakari Kautz

Kira Lopez

Lindsey Stafford

Larissa Valenzuela

Alyssa Weeks

Debbi's Dance, Etc. Calendar 2019-2020

Fall Classes Begin	Mon. Sept. 9	
Debbi's Dance Jacket & Bag (& other Fan Wear) Online Store Opens	Mon. Sept. 9	www.proformanw.com/Company_Stores.htm
FREE Dance Day	Wed. Sept. 11	
Competition Company & Parent Orientation, 2-3 pm	Sun. Sept. 15	Debbi's Dance, Etc.
Competition Company Photo Shoot (note: Modified Sun. Sched)	Sun. Sept. 29, 4-7 pm, State Capitol Stairs, \$10 charged to dancer acct.	
Entry Fees due for optional Monsters of Hip Hop Convention	Tues. Oct. 1	Debbi's Dance Front Desk
Modified Sunday Schedule	Sun. Oct. 6	
Dentists Go Broadway Rehearsal w/ Band	Mon. Oct. 14 Time TBD	Westwood Baptist Church, 333 Kaiser Rd NW
Dentists Go Broadway Dress Rehearsal	Fri. Oct. 18	WA Center for the Performing Arts, Olympia
Dentists Go Broadway Performance	Sat. Oct. 19	WA Center for the Performing Arts, Olympia
Competition Costume Order/Payment Deadline	Fri. Oct. 25	Debbi's Dance, Etc. front desk
Closed for Halloween	Thurs. Oct. 31	
<i>Tentative</i> - Parents Night Out Halloween Bash, 7- 10 p.m. \$18/\$10 siblings	Fri. Nov. 1	Debbi's Dance, Etc.
Deadline for Convention Scholarship applications	Sun. Nov. 3	Debbi's Dance, Etc. front desk
Debbi's Dance Jacket & Bag (& other Fan Wear) Order Deadline	Fri. Nov. 8	www.proformanw.com/Company_Stores.htm
Shock & Kamikaze Hip Hop Crew Choreography Rehearsals	Nov. 8-10 & 15-17	Debbi's Dance, Etc. (see handout for details)
Entry Fees due for Hollywood Connection (studio Convention)	Mon. Nov. 25	Debbi's Dance, Etc. front desk
Closed for Thanksgiving	Thurs. Nov. 28 – Sat. Nov. 30	
Studio Open	Sun. Dec. 1	
Christmas Forest Show	Sat. Dec. 7 Time TBD	Hotel RL 13& up \$5; children 12 & under & performers FREE!
Christmas Showcase	Sun. Dec. 15, 6:30 pm	Location TBD, \$5 adult/\$1 child suggested donation
Entry Fees due to studio for Mock Competition	Mon. Dec. 16	Checks to PAAWW, Debbi's Dance, Etc. front desk
Bring a Friend Week	Dec. 16-20	Select Classes
Closed for Winter Break	Sun. Dec. 22 – Sat. Jan 4	
Monsters of Hip Hop (optional convention)	Jan. 3-5	Vancouver, WA
Entry Fees due for Move (studio) competition	Fri. Jan. 10	Debbi's Dance, Etc. front desk
Studio Open on Martin Luther King Jr. Day	Mon. Jan. 20	
Recital Costume Order/Payment Deadline	Fri. Jan. 24	Debbi's Dance, Etc. front desk
Hollywood Connection Convention (studio convention)	Jan. 31-Feb. 2	Hotel Murano, Tacoma
Entry Fees due for Spotlight Dance Competition (Studio Competition)	Mon. Feb. 10	Debbi's Dance, Etc. front desk
Mock Competition (studio participation)	Sat. Feb. 15	Tumwater High School
Open for Classes on President's Day	Mon. Feb. 17	
Tumwater Dance Team Show Rehearsal	Fri. Feb. 21	Tumwater High School
Tumwater Dance Team Shows	Sat. Feb. 22	Tumwater High School
Entry Fees due for Energy Dance Competition (Studio Competition)	Wed. Feb. 26	Debbi's Dance, Etc. front desk
Olympia Dance Festival dress rehearsal, performance & workshops	Feb. 28-29	Washington Center for the Perform Arts, Oly
Entry Fees due for optional I Love Dance Competition	Tues. Mar. 10	Debbi's Dance, Etc. Front Desk
Move Dance Competition (Studio Competition)	Mar. 13-15	Tacoma
Bonus Recital Costume Order Deadline	Wed. Mar. 25	Debbi's Dance, Etc. Front Desk
Energy Dance Competition (Studio Competition)	Apr. 3-5	Portland, OR
Debbi's Dance, Etc. Closed for Spring Break	Apr. 6-10	
I Love Dance Competition (Optional Competition)	Apr. 11	Hilton Seattle Airport
Closed for Easter	Sun. Apr. 12	
Specialty Work Showcase Entry Fees Due	Mon. Apr. 27	Debbi's Dance, Etc. Front Desk
Spotlight S3 Competition (Studio Competition)	May 1-3	Tacoma
Closed for Mother's Day	Sun. May 10	
Lacey Spring Fun Fair Show	Sun. May 17	St. Martin's Univ. Pavilion
Closed for Memorial Day Weekend	Sat. May 23-Mon. May 25	
Recital Costumes Available for Pick Up (Tuition must be paid through June before costumes are released)	Starting May 26 th	
Specialty Work Showcase (featuring solos, duos, & student choreography)	Sat. May 30	Location TBD
Recital Picture Day	Sun. Jun 7	Debbi's Dance, Etc.
Recital Dress Rehearsal	Thurs. Jun. 18	WA Center for Performing Arts, Oly
Dance Spectacular Dance Recitals	Fri. Jun. 19 & Sat. Jun. 20	WA Center for Performing Arts, Oly
Summer Session Starts	Mon. Jul. 6	
Spotlight Nationals (Optional Competition)	Jul 14-19	Seaside, OR

Debbi's Dance, Etc. 2019/20 Competition Dancer Contract

Commitments: Our Competition Company will participate in one Competition Co. Photo Shoot, "Mock" competition, 3 studio competitions, and one Dance Convention. These dates are **Sun, Sept. 29** (Photo Shoot), **Jan. 31-Feb. 2** (Hollywood Connection Convention), **Sat, Feb. 15** (Mock), **Mar. 13-15** (Move Comp), **Apr. 3-5** (Energy Comp), **May 1-3** (Spotlight Comp). We ask that group members schedule other activities and vacations around these weekends so that our groups can perform as they are choreographed. It is difficult for the instructor and co-dancers to take class time to re-choreograph for even one dancer. Entry fees are due approximately six weeks before each event. Please pay attention to your studio calendar for entry fee deadlines. Solo and duo/trio dancers are welcome to participate in studio competitions, but participation is not required. Competition entries are limited at Convention. Please contact us if you're interested in entering a solo and/or duo/trio at convention this year. Dancers are also welcome to attend additional competitions and conventions, but please refer to your studio calendar and talk to your teacher before making these commitments. Please note: convention scholarships are awarded to multiple dancers to help support the cost of attending convention. It is also strongly recommended that dancers attend master classes with guest teachers and our Summer Intensive at Debbi's Dance, Etc. as the opportunities arise. Please note: Competition Dancers are also required to be enrolled in summer dance classes to prepare for the following year.

Competition dancers also do performances during the year (please check your studio calendar) and will dance in 2-3 Dance Spectacular Recitals **June 19 & 20, 2020** (dress rehearsal on **Thurs. June 18**). Picture Day is **Sun. June 7th**. We ask that you mark your calendars now and plan all activities and vacations around these very important dates.

Requirements: One hour or more of ballet is required for all Jazz, Lyrical and Acro competition dancers. Ages 9+ are strongly encouraged to take one or more Brigitte's Ballet classes. Ballet attendance will be monitored, and failure to meet the requirement can result in being held out of a performance or competition and in extreme cases, removal from the group. In addition, dancers must take a supporting class for each dance genre that they wish to compete, Jazz/Lyrical (we strongly encourage a Jazz AND a Lyrical technique class if your dancer competes in each genre), Contemporary, Tap or Acro (Hip Hop dancers need to take one additional class, any genre).

Expectations: Dancers should come to class each week with the proper attire, footwear and attitude. Dancers should get plenty of sleep and always bring water and plenty of healthy snacks to fuel themselves properly. "Fast Food," soda and energy drinks are extremely discouraged. Attendance is extremely important; it affects the whole group when even one student is absent. Please limit your absences (for any reason) to no more than 4 for the entire dance season. In particular: dancers should not miss more than once in any given month, nor should they miss the week before a competition or performance. As with ballet, failure to meet these requirements can result in being held out of a performance or competition and in extreme cases, removal from the group. Please consult the studio calendar before planning family trips or committing to other activities that conflict with our competition and show schedule. If you need to miss class due to an illness or emergency, please call the front desk (or preferably) the instructor. Solo and duo/trio dancers, it is your responsibility to call your instructor (and co-dancers if applicable) if you are unable to come to your scheduled time. 24-hour notice is appreciated for cancellations.

Andrea, Michelle and the rest of the staff are looking forward to a great year!

We are so glad you are dancing with us!

Print Dancer's Name: _____

I have read and agree to the above commitments, requirements and expectations for competition dancers at Debbi's Dance, Etc. for the 2019/20 dance year.

Dancer's Signature _____

Date _____

Parent's Signature _____

Date _____

Email addresses: _____

Revised Sunday Schedule - Sunday, September 29th & October 6th

10:30-11:15	Janel's Acro Routine
11:15-12:15	Competition Gymnastics Workout & Michelle's Acro Routine
12:15-1:15	Competition Ballet/Technique Workout & Musical Theatre
1:15-1:45	Competition Tap Routines
1:45-2:15	Sunday Lyrical Routines & Michelle's 10-13 Jazz Routine
2:15-2:45	Michelle & Andrea's 15+ Jazz Routines

Please note: no Production Routine Rehearsal Sept. 29th & Oct. 6th

12-14 & 15-18 Competition Hip Hop Choreography Sessions

Debbi's Dance, Etc. alum Jordan French will be setting choreography again for this year's 12-14 & 15-18 Sunday Hip Hop Crews! Since Jordan lives and works in Seattle and is unable to come down for weekly classes, choreography will be set in several multi-hour sessions.

Please hold the following dates/times:

12-14 Hip Hop Crew	15-18 Hip Hop Crew
Friday, Nov. 8 th – 5-8 p.m	Saturday, Nov. 9 th – 5:30-8:30 p.m.
Saturday, Nov. 9 th – 2-5 p.m.	Sunday, Nov. 10 th – 9 a.m. -12:45 p.m.
Sunday, Nov. 10 th – 12:45-1:15 pm	Saturday, Nov. 16 th – 4:30-8:30 p.m
Friday, Nov 15 th – 5-8 p.m	Sunday, Nov. 17 th – 9 a.m. – 12:45 p.m.
Saturday, Nov. 16 th – Noon - 4 p.m	
Sunday, Nov. 17 th – 12:45-1:15 pm	

This is the maximum amount of time that will be given for choreography. Some sessions could be shorter than planned or cancelled if not needed, but we are requesting that you hold all of these dates for now. If you have a conflict please let Andrea or Michelle know ASAP, we will do what we can, but please know that not being present at a scheduled choreography session may leave you out of a section or out of the routine all together. Weekly clean-up sessions with

Janel & Michelle will be Sundays from 3-3:30 p.m. beginning Nov. 24th.

Competition attendance requirements apply.

Instructions for Subscribing to the Debbi's Dance Google Calendar

To add the Debbi's Dance Etc. Calendar on your iPhone or iPad please complete the following steps:

1. Launch the Settings app on your iPhone or iPad.
2. Tap on Mail, Contacts, Calendars.
3. Tap on Add Account... Under the Mail section
4. Tap on Other
5. Tap on Add Subscribed Calendar
6. Copy and paste the following link in the server field 7.
<https://calendar.google.com/calendar/ical/debbisdanceetc%40gmail.com/public/basic.ics>
8. Tap Next.
9. Use the Description field to give the calendar an easily recognizable name.
10. Tap Save.

To add the Debbi's Dance Etc. Calendar to your Google account please complete the following steps:

1. On your computer, open Google Calendar
2. On the left, above "My Calendars," click the Add button
3. Select From URL.
4. Copy and paste the following link
5. <https://calendar.google.com/calendar/ical/debbisdanceetc%40gmail.com/public/basic.ics>
6. Click Add Calendar. The calendar will appear on the left side under "Other calendars."