



# MANCHESTER SCHOOL OF DANCE ARTS

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Dear Students and Families:

The 2025-2026 dance season will begin on Monday, September 15, 2025.

Once again, thanks to all who attended our annual June recital, "Showstoppers 2025." The outstanding performances made it a great success!

We have had a very busy summer! Many students attended our five-week summer program. We welcomed many new students this summer, and we are looking forward to seeing them again in the Fall. This program gave them the opportunity to continue their dance education as well as preview what they will be learning during the upcoming dance season. Some of our summer class students also participated in our 4th annual Summer Performance! This was a wonderful showcase of choreography they learned during summer classes. A huge thank you to all who participated and to all who came to see the show!

This summer I spent much needed time off with family and friends. I am looking forward to bringing in a wonderful group of teachers for our Summer Intensive on August 20th for our Intermediate/Advanced students!

**Staff Spotlight:** This summer Miss Tielar attended a teacher training in Nashville led by Miss Julie Kay Stallcup, instructor and choreographer, leader in dance instructor education, and resident judge for LA Dance Magic. She also worked with industry successes Andrea Trench, Becca Retter, Guy Groove, Kelsey Nelson, and Jason Coosner throughout the week of training! Courses on body mechanics, choreography, powerful teaching techniques, and more were taught. Miss Tielar is so excited to bring all she learned into the classroom this year!

This Fall we welcome our newest staff member, Miss Naomi Holkeboer. Miss Naomi will teach our Intermediate/Advanced Ballet Technique Class. Welcome Miss Naomi, we are so happy to have her!

**Registration for returning students:** You may email me with the classes you wish to register for and we will hold you a place in class upon receiving payment for the registration fee of \$25 (Venmo, CashApp, or mail check to MSDA). Registrations will be taken now through Friday, September 5<sup>th</sup>. Please download the attached registration form and email it or mail it to the studio with your \$25 (per student) registration fee. A new registration form is required each year for ALL students.

**Registration for new students:** New students can email us through the website [www.manchesterdance.com](http://www.manchesterdance.com) with any questions regarding level placement or dance styles. You may also call or email us for a meeting at the studio. The registration fee for new students is \$50 (per student). Venmo, CashApp, or checks made payable to "MSDA".

**Registration for adult classes:** There is no registration fee for adults! We have many options available for the adult classes; Tuesdays 6:45PM Ballet and Tuesdays 7:45PM Tap. Adult classes will be starting October 21<sup>st</sup>. Cost per class is \$15, classes offered are open level.

**New Classes!** We have a Beginner 1 Dance Explorations class on Thursday at 4:00PM for ages 2.5-3. We have a new Beginner 2 Tap/Jazz class on Thursday at 5:00PM for ages 3.5-5. We also have a new Beginner 3 Jazz class on Tuesday at 5:00PM for ages 5.5-7.

**The "Christmas Spectacular 2025" and the "Show Stoppers 2026" - Location, Date, Time TBA**

**REMINDER:** Download the Venmo app or CashApp to be able to make monthly payments from your phone. Be sure to follow us on Facebook and Instagram to keep up with studio news and updates.

Enjoy the remaining days of summer and we will dance together soon!

*Miss Cherie and the MSDA staff*