



# RECITAL SHOWCASE 2024!



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## WISHING LEAH SMITH AND ALL THE ART IN MOTION DANCERS THE BEST OF LUCK AT RECITAL SHOWCASE #33

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# To The Parents...

This year's recital theme consists of three words that we used to direct our steps for this season. AIMing for joy has been our motto throughout this year, alongside warm ups, dance steps, and choreography. As the recital showcase approaches, I am reminded of the acceleration of time with each year. It seems to move a bit faster with each new season, and with that comes a desire for a greater degree of joy. At the end of the season, it's that joy that becomes a reflection of the memories made — the memories that touch my heart and bring tears to eyes that close yet another chapter to this incredible journey. I look back to view the landscape of where AIM has been ... and why. That picture which lies behind is always a little clearer with each gaze, and the mile markers become more precious with time. I see the countless times when we have had enormous joy, times when joy was purposely shoved to the surface, and then when we reached for a glimpse of it in times of grief & heartbreak. I believe that the genuinity of gratefulness is what brings the most joy of all.

I had no idea the journey that was ahead when Chad & I followed Mr. Albert Schnepp through the doors to that old Clinton Daily Journal building in 1991. The moment he handed us the key is precisely when AIM breathed life. What began as pure imagination has endured all these years because of the mountainous loads of encouragement, loyalty, dedication and blessings along the way. I am overwhelmed at how God has used Art In Motion to grow so much more than dance...

As this dance season comes to an end, I thank you for supporting us and entrusting us to teach your children dance. My hope is that they have found enormous joy through their experience. I pray that AIM is where they feel comfort, acceptance, and love... I pray that AIM is their happy place. My #1 goal will always be to provide a safe space for your child that helps them find purpose, value, and confidence, with lessons that reach much further than just dance.

I am incredibly thankful that God has given me this opportunity to share my love for dance with thousands of people these past 33 years, and I am eternally grateful for the family that He has surrounded me with. My wish is that you find an indescribable amount of joy in watching your children dance for you on stage throughout this recital weekend. Children are gifts from Heaven and are only little for a moment. Their youth flees before we have the chance to even blink. Dance classes, recitals, school, and ballgames will all come and go, so grasp this moment and hold on tight. May you take time to pause, listen, watch, and reflect on all the wonderful ways your children have grown this past season. May you feel that undescribable joy from just being grateful that your children are on that stage, staring into a sea of people, searching for your eyes to give them what they yearn for most... JOY.

Thank you for this journey... thank you for every new mile marker that passes... and thank you for being part of our story. I am eternatlly grateful.

Abundant Blessings, Tricia Trimble Art In Motion Staff

Tricia Trimble	Director; Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Pointe, Lyrical, Contemporary, Tumbling/Acro, Musical
	Theater, Hip Hop, Toddler Dance, Competition Company
Chad Trimble	Director; Hip Hop, Jazz, Lyrical, Contemporary, Tumbling/Acro, Musical Theater,
	Competition Company
Skylee Petersen	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Pointe, Lyrical, Contemporary, Musical Theater, Modern, Competition
	Company Creative & Artistic Director
Barb Smith	Office Administration
Bob Trimble	Office on Monday & Friday mornings
Kristin Rees	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Musical Theater, Hip Hop, Tumbling/Acro,
	Toddler Dance, Competition Company
Jen Garcia	Ballet, Pointe, Jazz, Lyrical, Contemporary, Musical Theater, Modern, Toddler Dance,
	Competition Company
Jacki Keller	Competition Company Administrative Assistant
Phoebe Lewis Office Administration	
Lucas Anderson	Тар
Emily Chapman	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Musical Theater
Lauren McClure Jazz, Ballet, Lyrical, Musical Theater, Competition Company, Office, Tur	
Natalia Moreno	Ballet, Pointe, YAGP
Olivia Oltean	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Hip Hop, Competition Company
Julia Tangen	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Musical Theater
Marley Arquines	Hip Hop, Ballroom
McKenna Garcia	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Hip Hop, Musical Theater, Comp Company
Makenna Gray	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Hip Hop, Musical Theater, Comp Company
Kami Holmes	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Hip Hop, Musical Theater, Comp Company
Addison Jones	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Hip Hop, Musical Theater, Comp Company
Chloe Jung	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Hip Hop, Musical Theater, Comp Company
Cassidy Keller	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Hip Hop, Musical Theater, Comp Company
Neely Pulkstenis	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Hip Hop, Musical Theater, Comp Company
Momoe Tanaka	Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Lyrical, Contemporary, Hip Hop, Musical Theater, Comp Company
Kati Fleck	Student Teacher; all styles, Comp Company
Abby Crane	Student Teacher; all styles
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#### Summer & Guest Staff

Josie Stierwalt..... Student Teacher; all styles Sarah Jacobs..... Student Teacher; all styles

Thomas Archey	AIM 2013 graduate; lead dancer in Cirque du Soleil's "Mystere" in Las Vegas
Jared Baker	University of AZ MFA; Nova Linea Contemporary Dance Company Founder & Artistic Director
Carlee Clover	AIM 2016 graduate; working as professional dancer in Los Angeles; RAM's cheerleader/dancer
Charley Farren	AIM 2023 graduate, U/FL Dance Major
Drew Gliwa	AIM 2015 graduate; working as professional dancer in Los Angeles
Kaelyn Holmes	AIM 2023 graduate, FSU Dance Major
Taylor Knott	AIM 2019 graduate; Iowa Collegiate Competitive Dance Team
Ella Shafer	Butler University 4th year student; AIM 2021 graduate
Symphony Trimble	Belmont University Doctor Of Physical Therapy 3rd year student; AIM 2022 graduate
Abbey Vieth	AIM 2019 graduate; Nova Linea Contemporary Dance Company member
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Assistants

McKinley Ames-Emrick Delaney Mackiewicz Lexi Tieffel
Kiley Browning Leona Oliver Tinley Tresslar
Hannah Bustetter Morgan Roberson Erielle Truss
Macie Garcia

## Chad & Tricia would like to thank...

Above all, thanks to God, the choreographer of life, who has given us the gift of dance, passion to teach, and blessing of working together. We pray that we might have the incredible opportunity ot use this for Him all the days of our lives. Mom (Miss Barb) - for the gift of dance, your love, support & SO much more! Skylee, Symphony, the incredible, extraordinary, AlMazing AlM staff, Hunter, Mom & Dad Trimble, Dad (Bill Leischner), The Illinois Conference Center Staff, Bonita Amenda, Matt & Toni Dalton, Mark & Nancy Woods (Woods Photography), Erin, Krouse, Jill Rapier, Lorena Oliver, Jana Holmes & Rebecca Gray (On Pointe Dancewear), Melissa Trainor, Laura Browning, Jennie Thornsbrough, Lisa Jones, Caitie Bruning, Mary Oltean, Jacki Keller, Jennifer Pulkstenis, Shona Gadbury & family, Sam Ambler (Ambler Productions), Bryan Shay, James Gough, Tuscola Printing, Carolyn Farren, AIM assistants, AIM 2024 SENIORS, the Polar Express chefs & dancers, Kyle McClure, MMS Pro Audio, all of the recital helpers & volunteers, the AIM Alum who are helping, EACH & EVERY PARENT, EACH & EVERY STUDENT, & to those we may have not mentioned but have not forgotten... thank you for EVERYTHING!

#### To The Dancers...

We thank each & every one of you for being the AlMazing people that you are! We are honored & blessed to be your dance teachers. You have left fingerprints on our hearts and footprints in the studio and we are thankful for the many ways you have touched our lives. Always do what you love & love what you do & never forget how important each of you are to this world! We pray that God will bless every step you take every day of your life!

C D AIM STAFF



# AIM COMPANY

The 2023-2024 competition company has had a very successful season! Dedication, sacrifice, drive, passion and unity are just a few words that describe the AIM Company. With 76 company dancers and 9 pre-company dancers ranging in age from 4-19, this company is a family of extraordinary humans! We have nine graduating seniors in the company this year! Last July, the company attended Starpower Nationals in Branson, MO. It was the most elite and advanced national competition of Starpower's summer events and we came home with AlMazing results! At the Battle of the Stars finals, we took home the senior victory cup (highest scoring senior dance) with "It Doesn't Hurt" choreographed by Skylee. In the battle, we also received 1st overall mini line, 1st overall teen large group, 1st overall teen line, 1st overall senior small group. Alyx Gardner received 1st runner up Senior Miss Starpower, Kash Farrell received Senior Mr. Starpower, Katharina Fleck received Teen Miss Starpower, Max Petersen received Teen Mr. Starpower, Aria Pape received Junior Miss Starpower and Owen Gough received 1st runner up Junior Mr. Starpower. We also received 1st overall junior duo/trio (Aria & Mallory) and 1st overall teen duo/trio (Kash & Sarah). We came home with several national champion awards in the advanced division. Congratulations to "Goodbye Yellow Brick Road" for winning the highest scoring mini group in the midwest region for the Star Dance Alliance & "Heal Our Land" for the highest scoring junior dance in our region! To kick off our 2023-2024 season, we traveled to Tribute National Talent Competition in Davenport, Iowa, followed by Adrenaline St. Louis, Radix Chicago, League of Champions Chicago, Starpower Chicago and Hall of Fame St. Louis. The dancers have soared at each and every event and won the highest score in the advanced division at Tribute with New York State of Mind, League of Champions with Just A Girl, and Starpower with Little Cloud, We Are The Truth, and Just A Girl. Our season will wrap up after we attend StarPower Nationals in Branson, MO this June. It takes a tremendous amount of time and dedication to be a part of this AlMazing company. We thank the parents for choosing to support & nurture these talents and we thank the dancers for growing into some of the strongest dancers and people we have ever had the privledge to teach. These young people will not doubt climb as high as their hearts desire!













































# Artists AlMing High! Foundation

We are super excited to announce the seven year anniversary of the launch of Artists AlMing High Foundation, created, funded & rooted by the Trimble's wonderful neighbors/friends, Jeff & Bonita Amenda. Artists AlMing High is an IRS approved 501(c)(3) public charity, committed to supporting and encouraging education in dance to its highest standards for secondary and college training, as well as basic needs for students in dance & arts programs. The foundation will be a source of aide and advocacy for generations of dancers for years to come, imprinting a trail of an extraordinary legacy. WE NEED YOUR HELP in the continued growth of this program. The potential of success is limitless, and it starts with even the smallest donations from all of us who support and appreciate the arts. Please join us in AlMing for EXCELLENCE and engineering the LEGACY that the Amenda's have planted. Our hearts & prayers are with the Amenda family, as Jeff Amenda recently lost his battle with a brain tumor. Tax deductible donations can be made via the link connected to the OR Code.





Jeff & Bonita Amenda Beloved neighbors, friends & Founders of Artists AlMing High! Foundation

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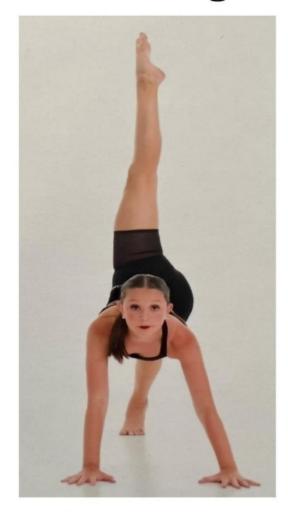








## **Good Luck to Morgan Bates!**



& all the AIM dancers on Recital Showcase 2024!



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# AM 2024 Graduates!



## Samantha Baker

Since the age of 6,1 knew in my heart that all I wanted to do was dance. Art In Motion has been one of the best parts of my life that I will truly cherish forever. There are so many people I need to thank for making my time at Art In Motion so special. First, I want to thank Chad. I will never forget my very first dance class I took at Art In Motion. It was hip hop with Chad and it was so much fun! Chad has always been the most welcoming dance teacher ever! The first time I met Chad and took his class, I knew I was going to fall in love with this sport and this studio. From the first time walking into the studio to now, he always says hi and always says bye. The way he always makes an effort to make someone's day is something that I am going to miss so much. He has always been supportive of me in everything I have done inside and outside of dance. Chad, thank you for everything. Next, I want to thank Skylee. The first time I took one of Skylees classes at the age of 8,1 knew that I was going to love it. She was so welcoming and always had the biggest smile on her face. She has always made an effort to make and keep the relationships she has with her dancers. Her teaching, her kindness, and her sweetness is something I will miss so much! She also gave me a silly nickname that I will always say "only Skylee can only call me that". Skylee, I will forever be Samdog. Next, I want to thank Tricia. When I took one of Ms.Tricias classes for the first time, I instantly fell in love with her teaching style. She has such a unique teaching style, is very hands on, and she wants nothing more than for you to succeed.. Tricia

has always been such a welcoming and positive teacher who shows love to all of her students that come through her doors. Thank you Tricia for starting such a wonderful dance studio, for giving so many dancers the opportunity to dance, and for all the great hugs along the way. Without you, none of this would be possible. Finally, I want to thank my Mom and Dad. Mom and Dad, I am so glad you decided to put me in dance classes when you did. Your supportiveness, encouragement, and love has helped so much and made me the dancer and person I am today. Thank you mom and dad, I couldn't have done this without you. With that being said, as I go into this new chapter of life, I know that all the things I learned in dance will be carried with me and the memories will never fade away. I will be attending Parkland college this fall and majoring in Elementary Education. After my two years at Parkland, I will be transferring to Illinois State University to finish my degree. Thank you AIM for the best 12 years ever! I am so happy to be able to take the stage one last time.



Kylie Beard

Kylie is so grateful for the 4 years she has spent at Art In Motion. Kylie has been dancing since she was 5 years old. Her very first dance experience at AIM was doing privates with Skylee over the summer of 2020. Through the years, she did contemporary and Jazz with Tricia, Skylee and Jen. She loved how supportive her teachers have been during her time at AIM, especially Skylee and Jen taking time to do private lessons. Kylie appreciates all of her teachers who helped her grow as a dancer. Dancing during finales at recitals was always one of her favorite highlights. She felt a special bond with the studio and has had the best time dancing at AIM. She enjoyed dancing in the Polar Express. Her experience with polar express was such a memorable time for her because she enjoyed the riders and the interactions with the children, along with everyone's Christmas spirit. Kylie plans to attend Parkland College participating in their Pathway Program to the University of Illinois, where she will major in Animal Science.





# Monaghan De Long

Since before she could crawl, Moni has been dancing to the beat of the music (and her own drum!) During her younger years, learning choreography for dozens of K-pop songs consumed all of her spare time. She performed in show choir throughout middle school and in a school dance show the summer after sophomore year. She has shared her love of dance and performance with many others. At her church, she led the kids songs for Awana and led 3 years of VBS song & dance. In a local homeschool group, she taught a class introducing students to basic hip hop dance & how to learn choreography, as well as a class on Intro to ASL. Finding A.I.M. just before junior year was such a gift! She has greatly enjoyed the experience, the teachers, and dancing alongside others. Her only regret is not finding a home at A.I.M. years ago. After graduation, she will take courses for starting her own small business. She is grateful to her family for their love and support through the years and going forward.

Kamryn Edenburn

Art in Motion has been my second home and family for the past fourteen years. I have gained bonds that will last me a lifetime and I have learned lessons that will stick with me forever. I started taking recreational classes at the age of four and doing pageants and performing dances for the talent portion. I showed one of my dances to Mrs. Tricia and she told me about the competition team. Since then dance has become my safe space. I know on the days I am feeling sad, I can walk into the studio and be greeted by Mr. Chad and everything is okay again. Art in Motion is more than just a studio. We learn more than just dance. I will take away the leadership skills and many other skills that I have learned in classes and apply them in my future. I will miss the moment before going on stage and the moment coming off stage knowing we just danced our hardest. I will especially miss the bonds I have made with the littles at the studio. I look forward to seeing them in my position, writing their senior bio for their last recital. I want to say thank you to my entire family for always supporting me, but I want to specifically thank my sister. My sister, Chasey, is my biggest fan. I look up to her in every way and hope to be exactly like



her. She was always ready to greet me after I got off stage to tell me how good I did and take pictures of me for our mom. Even though my time at the studio is coming to an end I will always remember the late nights at the studio doing choreography when everybody was slap happy and giggly. I will always remember running through the train before Polar Express started, and I will always remember the feeling of hugging my friends after each solo. I will be attending Purdue University to study Veterinary Nursing and I hope to continue dancing on the Golduster's dance team. I am forever grateful for the experiences the studio has given me and I truly would not be the person I am today without Art in Motion.

# Harper Farrell





I took my first dance class at Art In Motion when I was just three years old. It's hard to believe that I am now dancing at my last recital. It's true what they say, time really does fly. My time at Art In Motion has shaped me into the person I am today. The studio is not just the place where I learned how to dance, it is my second home and the birthplace of some of the most special relationships in my life. I feel so grateful to have grown up in such a special place with such an incredible community of people. First I want to thank Tricia, who has shown us time and time again how much she cares about all of us. I'm so grateful for your constant love and support and I know that you will always be there for me, even when I am no longer your student. Thank you Chad, for all of the pep talks and jokes, for all of the ork you do behind the scenes, and for always wreminding us to set a good example for the younger kids. Thank you Skylee, for always pushing us to do better than we thought we could and for always putting so much effort and care into every amazing dance you choreograph for us. Many of my fondest memories come from your Monday night contemporary classes and late nights of choreo. Thank you Miss Jen, for your constant words of encouragement and advice, and for always making me feel seen and appreciated in your class. Thank you Miss Natalia, for sharing with us your knowledge and passion for ballet, it is truly inspiring. Thank you Marley, you have been so encouraging and supportive

this year and have really improved our hip hop skills. Thank you Miss Kristen, for rebcommending me to the competition team and kickstarting the best ten years of my life. To Phoebe and Miss Barb and all of the AIM staff, thank you for everything you have done for me. All of the hard work you do to make the studio such a special place is so appreciated. To my parents, thank you so much for giving me the opportunity to be a part of this and for your unwavering love and support. To Kash, thank you for being an amazing brother. I'm so glad that we got to dance together for so many years. You are so talented and I can't wait to see what you will do in the next two years. To my Holgrafarr family, I feel so lucky that we found each other through dance. Thank you for always being there for me and bringing so much joy into my life. Finally, to my fellow seniors, thank you for all of the memories and all of the years of friendship. I will forever cherish the long rehearsal days, dinner breaks, and the feeling of dancing on stage together. I love you all so much and I feel so lucky that we got to grow up together. I can't wait to see the amazing things that you all go on to do! This fall I will be attending Florida State University and studying abroad in Florence, Italy. I will miss the studio and the people here so much, but I know that the lessons, memories, and friendships that I've made here will stick with me for the rest of my life. I cannot thank everyone enough for making the last 14 years here so wonderful. I love you all so much and will always consider Art In Motion my second home. AIM High!

Alyx Gardner



After watching old home videos of muself performing on the stage that mu Dad built for me in the basement, being indecisive about which dress-up gown to dance in, and having never-ending dance parties to Michael Jackson in the living room, it's clear that not much has changed. The one thing that stands out is my enduring love for dance. I've been dancing ever since I could walk and my mom enrolled me in dance classes at the age of three. After 10 years at Art in Motion and 9 years on the competition team, I'm realizing that my time at AIM is nearing its end. My senior year has been packed with competitions, conventions, dance team recruitment clinics, video submissions, and auditions, but it was all worth it. I am extremely honored to have received acceptances from the University of Arizona School of Dance and Florida State University's School of Dance, as well as dance team offers from Louisiana State University, the University of Tennessee, and Florida State University. I'm thrilled to have signed with the LSU Tiger Girls dance team and will embark on my collegiate journey at LSU in the fall. There, I will pursue a degree in Mass Communications with a concentration in Digital Advertising, while dancing with the LSU Tiger Girls. Thank you to my parents, brother, and grandparents for your wavering support and the countless sacrifices you've made to help me pursue my dreams. I'm especially grateful to my Mom. From chauffeuring me to dance events, sewing my costumes, and filming and editing my dance team ecruitment videos, your dedication is endless.

r'll never forget one of our road trips traveling to 3 dance team recruitment clinics in just nine days—two days in Tallahassee, FL, two days in Columbus, OH, and three days in Knoxville, TN. We spent over 48 hours in the car together, racing to get to the next clinic, covering a total of 2,550 miles. Mom, your unconditional love and constant support mean more to me than words can express. I'm so grateful for all you do. Thank you Tricia, Chad, Skylee, and Barb for providing a special space for me to grow and learn. My time at Art in Motion has been filled with invaluable life lessons that have played a significant role in my life and each of you have contributed to shaping me into the person I am today. Special shoutout to Thomas Archey, Abbey Vieth, Miss Natalia, and all those who have believed in me and inspired me to pursue my dreams. Your encouragement has meant the world to me. I also want to express my gratitude to all the AIM staff, alumni, and guest faculty for their positive contributions to both this studio and my dance journey. Your support and guidance have been invaluable. To my dearest friends, I love you all so much and cannot wait to see what great things the future holds for us."

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of dance to your best ability. Mrs. Tricia, you have been an AlMazing role model and such a big inspiration in my life. You have taught me so many great life lessons that I will take with me to college. You are such a light in the studio and bring everyone's spirits up. You do everything with your heart leading the way and you put so much love into each and everyone one of us. Thank you for being you. Mrs. Skylee thank you for all your effort and time you put into choreographing our dances. Your choreography is so beautiful on stage and I will miss getting to watch the masterpieces you create. I'm grateful for all the technique exercises and our Saturday rehearsal corrections. You are such a great teacher and person and I love being in your classes. Thank you for all the behind the scenes work that you, Tricia, and Chad do to keep the studio running. Mr. Chad thank you for being the rock at the studio and keeping everyone together. All of your energy and dad jokes at the competitions keep me going. Mrs. Barb and Phoebe thank you for being the best front desk people ever. I always love coming to talk to you and I will miss our weekly chats. Ms. Jen, thank you for growing a love for ballet in me, and creating a fun environment in class. Mrs. Natalia thank you for all the effort and passion you put into ballet and pushing us to become better. Marley, thank you for being a great hip hop teacher and pushing us to do a different style of hip hop that we normally don't do. Thank you to all of the kiddos that I have taught or assisted. You have made my time at AlM so memorable. I'm so grateful for the experience I have gained from having this opportunity. I will miss the Tuesday and Thursday nights teaching. It's truly been a blessing to teach and assist the younger generation of AlM dancers and it has warmed my heart to see how much they have grown over the years. My favorite AlM memory is Polar Express. I have loved doing all the shows and spreading the Christmas cheer. Thank you to my teammates for pushing me to be

# Chloe Jung



My journey began with the uneven wood of a homemade tap floor, and the voice of Bonnie Franklin echoing throughout our basement office. My dad had bought a dvd copy of I Hate to Exercise; I Love to Tap—another idea of his to feed my love for musical theater. Never could I have imagined that this would grow into a passion that would consume my life for the next nine years. Today, as I prepare for my final recital, I can't help but to feel proud of the hours I have put in to be able to call myself a dancer. But most importantly, my pride lies with my identity as an Art in Motion dancer. At AIM, I have learned not only discipline, technique, leadership, and communication, but also how to grow into and value my own talents along with my peers'. I truly believe that I would not be where I am todau without the influence of my eammates, my best friends. Throughout my time at the studio, I have become aware of the overwhelming presence of these people in my life, and I know I'm going to miss every aspect of the hours we spend together (even if we get tired of each other sometimes). Thank you all for supporting the grind, and I truly wish you all the best. Of course, I am forever indebted to the mentors who have provided me with an education in dance, life, and social skills. I am so grateful to have had the opportunity to grow close with the people who have nurtured and supported so many before me. To Miss Tricia, I first met you when I was nine years old, after my mom had asked you about the competition team. I will never forget your smile, the same one that greeted me every day at the studio. Thank y u for your boundless energy and support, oand f course, for kindling my love for tap. Mr. Chad, you truly are the glue of the

s otudio. Your presence has always been grounding, and your humor is the best relief after a long day. Thank you for your wisdom and for validating my (sometimes weird) ideas. Miss Skylee, it's been an honor to be a recipient of not only your choreography but your patience and kindness. I'll miss our late-night rehearsals, jokes, and practicing my accents on you. I truly believe you will be the best mom ever, and Wade is so lucky to have you. Miss Jen, the moment I moved into your ballet class, you were there to inspire and push me. If my fondest memories were made into pictures, you would be in every single one of them. Thank you for dealing with me as an insane preteen and now as a slightly less insane teen. Miss Natalia, thank you for your care, encouragement, and for bringing a new perspective into my dance life. I will carry your attention to detail and light humor with me wherever I go. Thomas, you are literally my idol. I'm so starstruck every time you visit, and I can't believe that I've gotten to be under your wing. Thank you for always shring your confidence, joy, and energy with us. Miss Barb, I will miss seeing you and your dogs every day when I walk in the studio, and always asking for a band-aid even when I know where they are. Thank you for keeping us responsible and for always offering a helping hand. And of course, thank you to all of the other teachers and staff who have helped guide us along the way—Jacey, Mr. Lucas, Marley, Phoebe, and many more. For now, this chapter ends with the smooth black Marley that I have grown to love, and a family I will forever cherish. I love you all. Catch me studying dance and computer science at Northwestern University this fall!

# neely Pulkstenis

Hi, my name is Neely Pulkstenis. I've been dancing at AIM for 14 years and on the competition team for 12 years. During those years, the studio became my home, and the people became my family. Every late night, every practice, and every bit of work was worth it in order to gain the memories I've made with this studio. Ms. Tricia, thank you for your constant belief in me. You always show up to the studio with a smile and infectious energy! You make every dancer feel like they're valued, and that has always meant so much to me. Your prayer circles, life lessons, and energy will stick with me forever. I love you so much! Ms. Skylee, thank you for the immense amount of effort and encouragement you have poured into me. The time we've spent together in my solo privates throughout the years is so special to me! I appreciate every time you've listened to me when! was frustrated, as well as every time we've shared an inside joke together (the ladybug incident). You are so special to me and I am going to miss you so much next year. Ms. Jen, you have been such a rock for me! You've been one of my biggest sources of encouragement,



and I owe a lot of where I am today to you. Thank you for being my second mom and always being there when I need you. You'll always have a special place in my heart! Chad, the kindness and care you show to every dancer does not go unnoticed! I loved the month we got to have solo privates together this year, your encouragement and constructive criticism is so valuable! Thank you for making everyone feel like they belong and are valued. The encouragement you show to all of us is such a blessing! Ms. Natalia, thank you for constantly pushing me to be my best. You've always believed in me, and have given me countless opportunities to improve my training. I appreciate the time you've invested in me and my training. I will always have such high respect for you, and I value you so much as a teacher. To my tearmmates, thank you for being my best friends! You've made this last year on team the best year ever! I am going to miss you all endlessly next year. Each of you will always have a special place in my heart. I love you all with my entire heart. You mean so much to me! And lastly, to my very special littles, I love you so much! I live for each of the hugs you all give me daily! I'm so excited to see the amazing dancers and people you'll become as you grow up! Having you as my little sisters has been a huge blessing. Even though I'm moving far away, I will always be here for you! Next year, I will be attending Liberty University in Lynchburg, Virginia. I'm excited to pursue a degree in exercise science with a therapeutic science concentration, as well as continuing to grow in my relationship with God! I'm excited for the future, and I will always look back on my years at AlM as some of the best years I could ever have!

# Cassidy Keller

Not just an extra curricular. Not just time to see friends. Not just a past time. For the past 16 years this studio has been my second home, it is my everything and more. All that I have learned and the people I have met will never leave my life. I never thought it would all go this fast and that this would be my final competition season and recital. It has all shaped me into who I am today, the long Saturday rehearsals, the numerous lock-ins, the late night competitions, and all the time we spend together at nationals made memories that I will never forget. At the age of two I was put into my first dance class, it may have only been because my older sister was dancing, but it developed into so much



more for me. After only one year I joined my sister on the competition team and have competed ever since. The journey that I had throughout my time at the studio is like no other, I could not imagine my life without it. The amazing environment that the Trimble family has created for every dancer at the studio is unmatched. The laughs and the tears that I've had here will forever be in my memory. The relationships formed and the family that has been created for me I am so grateful for. Thank you Tricia for being my rock and my guide you have taught me so many lessons that will continue to lead me through my life. You have and always will be there for me with a warm embrace. From our late nights at your house to the turn privates where I would go home drenched in sweat I will not forget any of it. Being my first dance teacher at two you started my deep love and passion for dance. Thank you for all you do for not only me but also for every student at the studio that goes unnoticed. You make every persons time here special no matter the length. Thank you for your all nighters and all your planning, dedication, and energy that you put into us. Finally, thank you for always pushing me to be my best, as I wouldn't be where I am today without you my second mother. Thank you Skylee, my honorary sister. The quidance you have given me and the laughs we have shared. You have made every experience at the studio positive for me. You have made me grow so much and believed in me when I didn't believe in muself. You have pushed me to do things that I didn't even know were possible. Thank you for your amazing choreography and putting your everything into this team. Hove looking back now on all of our moments together, so many laughs and talking sessions. Our relationship is so special to me and I can't wait for it to continue to grow. Thank you Mr. Chad for teaching me the most important lessons that I will need for my future and always having such a kind and helping heart for everyone you meet. Always stressing check in and check out, and I know a day will never pass that I will not use that lesson. I will miss our sit down talks with you before production and the way you made all of us feel safe and taken care of. I appreciate all you do and how many times it is unsaid how you make sure every dancer at the studio is taken care of whether it be walking us to our car, making sure we have food, or just checking to see if we are okay. Thank you Ms. Jen for your amazing teaching and the lessons you have taught us all. Thank you for rekindling my love for ballet and making me happy everyday. Thank you Ms. Natalia for your amazing teaching ability. Your love for this art form grows my inspiration everyday. Thank you to Ms. Barb, you will always hold a special place in my heart. I am going to miss our daily talks just to hear how your day is going. I will miss saying hello to you everyday and hearing about the commotion that has happened at the front desk just that day. Thank you to my mom and dad for always being my biggest supporters. Throughout my time at the studio you have never given up on me. I know I have spent so many hours training, but you guys have always been there cheering me on and supporting me no matter what. Hove you so much you're the best parents anyone could ask for. To Carli, thank you for being my first inspiration, for starting it all. You will never understand how much I look up to you, the whole reason my love of the studio started is because I wanted to be just like my big sister. For everyone at the studio thank you for everything you have done for me. Every single one of you is special to me and I am going to miss this amazing family that this sport has given me. I love all of you so much thank you for making me feel special and for all the love you have shown me not only this year but every year before. To my littles, I am going to miss all of you so much. Thank you for being my silly little sisters that never fail to put a smile on my face. I am excited to next year continue my journey at the University of Mississippi (Ole Miss) studying Biology. I will use every lesson I have been taught to continue into my future. Most importantly thank you Trimble family for teaching me to be 100% good. I will never forget what this means to me and my AIM family. Thank you for teaching me to always put my best foot forward and to go through everyday with kindness, gratefulness, and love. This place has forever changed me and I don't know what I am going to do without it next year.

To the AIM Seniors... Each of you have contributed to such a gigantic treasure chest of memories, and we thank you for the gift of knowing you, teaching you, and the memories of watching you grow, from little girls to extraordinarily AIMazing young adults! You each have engraved a very special place in the foundation of AIM that will be admired and treasured for many years to come. thank you for your dedication and loyalty, and for impacting our lives in ways that connect us forever. May AIM always be your 2nd home, no matter the miles you travel.

AIM HIGH, AIM HUGE, & always remember your AIM POWER! We love you all!



# Katherine Liagridonis

We always hear that our senior year flies by so fast, but I never realized this time would really come after my 17 years at Art in Motion. This studio has given me a second home and a family I will remember for the rest of my life. Little did I know that being put into a dance class at the age of one because I was too loud in the halls would result in a lifelong list of memories and close relationships from my time here. The 10-hour rehearsals, lock-ins, pranks we pulled on Tricia, and getting in trouble for talking in every single class are things I will never forget and forever miss. Art in Motion has helped me become who I am today, and I am so proud of what I have become. Not only have I been taught the dancing aspect of it all, but I have learned life lessons, work ethic, dedication, and, most importantly, what it means to be a teammate. I would not be where I am today without my excellent teachers and all they have done for me. I already know I will miss the studio so much. I will never forget what it felt like to have my family around me every day, whether it was everyone messing around or crying together. There are so many staff and people at this studio to thank for making this experience and home unlike anything else. Mrs Tricia, you have always been there for me no matter the situation, and I am not sure what I would do

without you. I am curious what you will do without me messing around in your class every day. You will probably get a lot more work done in the tap dance every Monday. I will miss seeing the smile on your face after Lyell, "HEYYYYY MRS TRICIA," every day. Skylee, thank you for allowing us to bring your choreography to life and always believing in us. We always have a fun time filled with laughter: I will miss that so much. You are truly someone who I have always looked up to, even those couple of years that we were on team together. Thank you, Mr. Chad, for constantly pushing us to be the best dancers and believing we can be excellent leaders. I will live with the check-in-check-out saying for the rest of my life and always think of you. Thank you Jared for always believing in me and introducing me to a style of dance that brings me so much happiness. I will always remember the solos you have given me and how every single one weirdly relates to my life so deeply in ways I did not even realize. Miss Jen, thank you for dealing with me in ballet all these years. You are truly someone who has always made me feel so special and saw me for who I am. I have learned so much from you and will keep that with me forever. Thank you, Miss Natalia, for all you have taught me with ballet, and your dedication as a teacher is inspiring. Thank you, Mrs Barb, for always showing me kindness and being nice, even with all the trouble I have caused you. For the rest of the staff, thank you for all your love and support, especially all the hard work you put into the studio. Thank you to all my friends who have always been there for me, even in the hard times. Thank you, Ella: I know last year was our last year together, but I will remember the memories we have made for the rest of my life. Our legacy of getting in trouble and separated for talking in almost every class will hopefully live on forever. To Georgia, thank you for being someone I have looked up to my whole life, even though I do not show it. Having you as someone to admire has made me grow as a dancer and a person, and I love you so much. Last but not least, my parents. Thank you, guys, so much for absolutely everything, especially for putting me into dance class. My life was truly changed from that moment on, and I can't say how grateful I am for everything you guys do for me. Next year, when I attend Ohio State, I will not be continuing dance, but I will apply what I have been taught here and use those lessons I have learned every single day. It is so sad that my time here is ending, and honestly, I cannot believe I am writing this right now. But this is truly a place I will never forget. My time at Art in Motion will be forever in my heart. It is wild to think that eventually, I will not be walking through these doors every day, but every single one of you has prepared me for my next chapter and what is to come. I love this studio and all of you so much.

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Dance has been a part of my life since I was four years old. I started dancing at Art In Motion when I was six, and have been here for nine years. The studio has always been a place where I can learn about myself and push my limits. I am forever grateful for my dance experience and the teachers, friends, and family who made it possible. I want to say a big thank you to Ms. Tricia, Mr. Chad, and Skylee for creating such a loving and hard-working AIM community. Dancing here has taught me about dedication, and perseverance, and has allowed me to explore my relationship with myself and my self-expression. Thank you to Ms. Jen for always having faith in me, and giving me my first, and last solo, Ms. Natalia for giving me valuable corrections even though ballet is not my strong suit, and Ms. Kristin for being my first dance teacher ever, and making me fall in love with Art In Motion. Thank you to Abby for our friendship. Who would've known that when we joined team six years ago that one of the most important bonds in my life would be formed. The biggest thank you goes to my mom for supporting me through every recital, competition, and weekly class. I am very thankful for all the time and effort you have dedicated to my dancing, and I would not have been able to pursue dance without your encouragement. I joined the Art In Motion company for my seventh grade and senior year. The team has allowed me to push myself harder than I ever thought I could and become comfortable with my body and my dancing abilities. I will miss long rehearsals, rushed competitions, and the excitement of learning new dances. Even though I only got to experience team for a couple of years, I am very grateful for the time I spent being a part of an incredible and inspiring group of dancers. Dance is a valuable part of my life, and I know that it always will be. Wherever the future takes me, I know that the lessons I have learned through dance and being a part of the AIM family will continue to shape me as a person.

#### Fosie Stierwalt



Good Luck to Tinley and Teagan Tresslar and all the AIM dancers at recital 2024!!





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### Wishing you the best on your performances, Olivia and Molly!



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#### The Nutcracker

# Miss Natalia's production collaborating all of her ballet classes Advanced Ballet:

Abby Crane, Emma Dunn, Kamryn Edenburn, Harper Farrell, Kash Farrell, Kati Fleck, McKenna Garcia, Alyx Gardner, Makenna Gray, Mallory Hobbs, Kami Holmes, Sarah Jacobs, Addison Jones, Chloe Jung, Olivia Kamerer, Cassidy Keller, Katherine Liagridonis, Taylor Mabry, Neely Pulkstenis, Josie Stierwalt, Momoe Tanaka, Laila Wells

#### Pointe 4/5:

Spanish Dancers: Harper Farrell, Addison Jones, Josie Stierwalt & Laila Wells Arabian Dancers: Kati Fleck, McKenna Garcia, Neely Pulkstenis & Brynn Thornsbrough Flute Dancers: Alyx Gardner, Sarah Jacobs & Chloe Jung Chinese Dancers: Emma Dunn, Kami Holmes, Cassidy Keller & Sophia Vega

#### Ballet 4:

Chloe Almeida, Madison Ames-Emrick, Kinley Anderson, Katie Berkey, Kiley Browning, Lydia Durdan, Wynn Geiger, Owen Gough, Lillian Hinds, Annelise Hurley, Macey Jarboe, Delaney Mackiewicz, Leona Oliver, Max Petersen, Palmer Peyton, Sophia Quick, Bella Robbins, Ava Shay, Charlie Smith, Lila Souza, Tinley Tresslar, Brooklyn Woodard, Adele Zong-Li

#### Comp Ballet 3:

Hadley Rae Bruning, Rose Frieburg, Raya Gream, Brielle Hartman, Lenora Oliver, Brynlee Rees, Morgan Roberson, Teagan Tresslar, Erielle Truss, Saraiah Vega, Ava Vogel

#### Pointe 1 & 2:

Chloe Almeida, Kinley Anderson, Katie Berkey, Lydia Durdan, Wynn Geiger, Lillian Hinds, Annelise Hurley, Macey Jarboe, Delaney Mackiewicz, Leona Oliver, Siana Kimi Pague, Palmer Peyton, Sophia Quick, Bella Robbins, Ava Shay, Charlie Smith, Lila Souza, Brooklyn Woodard

#### 15 Minute Intermission

#### Happy

McKinley Ames-Emrick, Morgan Bates, Hannah Bustetter, Abby Crane, Alexa Davis, Reese Donsbach, Emma Dunn, Kamryn Edenburn, Harper Farrell, Kash Farrell, Aubrey Fisher, Kati Fleck, Macie Garcie, McKenna Garcia, Alyx Gardner, Makenna Gray, Mallory Hobbs, Kami Holmes, Sarah Jacobs, Addison Jones, Chloe Jung, Olivia Kamerer, Cassidy Keller, Katherine Liagridonis, Taylor Mabry, Aria Pape, Max Petersen, Neely Pulkstenis, Ava Shay, Josie Stierwalt, Momoe Tanaka, Brynn Thornsbrough, Paige Thornsbrough, Halle Trainor, Sophia Vega, Laila Wells

(Advanced Jazz... Tricia & Skylee)

#### **Wind In My Hair**

Felicity Barber, Emerson Barker, Ava Brener, Ava Bubb, Olivia Carpenter, Cameron Cocagne, Aubrey Harris, Hannelly Mason, Lydia Rose, Grace Schweighart, Eloise Tinkle, Miracle Williams

(Beginning Dance ... Lauren)

#### **Can't Catch Me Now**

Chloe Almeida, Madison Ames-Emrick, Kinley Anderson, Samantha Baker, Kylie Beard, Katie Berkey, Kiley Browning, Lydia Durdan, Wynn Geiger, Owen Gough, Kayleigh Grone, Shreya Haran, Reagan Hetherington, Annelise Hurley, ' Macey Jarboe, Alexa Lake, Delaney Mackiewicz, Leona Oliver, Siana Kimi Pague, Max Petersen, Palmer Peyton, Sophia Quick, Bella Robbins, Katie Roberts, Zoe Ruhlig, Charlie Smith, Lila Souza, Melah Taylor, McKenzie Whitener, Brooklyn Woodard

(Intermediate Contemporary ... Skylee)

#### **Hokey Pokey**

Adalyn Allen, Scarlett Baird, Vivian Bicknell, Abigail Godsell, Shreya Irrinki, Evelyn Martin, Arlo Miethe-Powers, Kolton Oltean, Danielle Robertson (Hip Hop 1 ... Livie)

#### \*New York State Of Mine

Abby Crane, Reese Donsbach, Emma Dunn, Kamryn Edenburn, Harper Farrell, Kash Farrell, Kati Fleck, McKenna Garcia, Alyx Gardner, Makenna Gray, Mallory Hobbs, Kami Holmes, Sarah Jacobs, Addison Jones, Chloe Jung, Cassidy Keller, Katherine Liagridonis, Neely Pulkstenis, Momoe Tanaka

(Contemporary group ... Jared Baker)

#### Icon

Chloe Almeida, Madison Ames-Emrick, McKinley Ames-Emrick, Morgan Bates, Katie Berkey, Hannah Bustetter, Alexa Davis, Lydia Durdan, Vivian Fiala, Aubrey Fisher, Macie Garcia, Wynn Geiger, Reagan Hetherington, Annelise Hurley, Macey Jarboe, Jane Koske, Alexa Lake, Delaney Mackiewicz, Avery Natschke, Siana Kimi Pague, Aria Pape, Max Petersen, Hope Pew, Palmer Peyton, Sophia Quick, Bella Robbins, Mannon Schurvinske, Ava Shay, Charlie Smith, Mailey Smith, Melah Taylor, Paige Thornsbrough, Lea Titsworth, Halle Trainor

(Hip Hop 4 ... Marley)

#### **Hair In The Air**

Olivia Albizu, Leona Davis, Kiera Dobrovolny, Emerson Farney, Presley Gillespie, Cora Kleinsteiber, Arielle Kustanovich, Catalina Sarinelli, Kambreigh Sellek, Alessandra Vaysberg, Zoey Zebe

(Beginning Dance ... Lauren)

#### \*Little Cloud

Kiley Browing, Hadley Rae Bruning, Genevieve Doherty, Rose Frieburg, Owen Gough, Raya Gream, Brielle Hartman, Brooklyne Jones, Lenora Oliver, Leona Oliver, Aria Pape, Brynlee Rees, Morgan Roberson, Teagan Tresslar, Tinley Tresslar, Erielle Truss, Saraiah Vega, Ava Vogel

(Contemporary group ... Skylee)

#### Head & Heart

Alaina Block, McKinley Brown, Ellison Carpenter, Jacqueline Durdan, Phoenix Foxx, Winola Frye, Olivia Hirschi, Ariel Huston, Penelope Huston, Tatum Oliphant, Scarlett Simmons, Elyse Wishall, Whitney Zerrusen

(Dance 3 ... Makenna)

#### Rain On Me

Emerson Hurt, Jordyn Huskisson, Jane Koske, Lucy Lee, Katie Roberts
(Teen Jazz ... Kristin)

#### I Wanna Dance With Somebody

McKinley Ames-Emrick, Hannah Bustetter, Abby Crane, Emma Dunn, Kamryn Edenburn, Kati Fleck, McKenna Garcia, Alyx Gardner, Makenna Gray, Mallory Hobbs, Kami Holmes, Sarah Jacobs, Chloe Jung, Olivia Kamerer, Cassidy Keller, Katherine Liagridonis, Taylor Mabry, Neely Pulkstenis, Josie Stierwalt, Momoe Tanaka, Brynn Thornsbrough, Halle Trainor, Sophia Vega, Laila Wells

(Advanced Tap ... Tricia)

#### **Hippie Hippie Shake**

Brexli Bielema, Georgia Chasiotus, Dahlia Coventry, Evelynn Harman, Ellie Jo Katzer, Kendall Manzella, Sophia Manzella, Julia Mercer, Blakely Morgan, Faye Rowlen, Lilah Smith, Kayleena Wang

(Dance 1 ... Kristin)

#### **Let's Get Loud**

Emilia Dioken, Penelope Domingo, Alessandra Sofia Jimenez, Ellie Lemoine, Madelyn Reid, Kennedy Sellek, Sylvia Vogel (Ballet/Jazz Combo ... Addison & Neely)

#### **Golden Hour**

Samantha Baker, Alexa Davis, Kayleigh Grone, Shreya Haran, Jane Koske, Alexa Lake, Brooklyn Woodard
(Teen Ballet ... Jen)

#### \*Days Like This

McKinley Ames-Emrick, Morgan Bates, Kiley Browning, Macie Garcia, Mallory Hobbs, Aria Pape, Halle Trainor, Laila Wells (Contemporary group ... Skylee)

#### **Count Your Rainbows**

Harlee Beaver, Olivia Cooper, Layla Farris, Olivia Fenoglio, Nora Hudson, Sammi Jung, Arya Martinez, Charlotte Newell, Iris Shao (Dance 1 ... Lauren)

#### T.E.A.M.

Chloe Almeida, Madison Ames-Emrick, Kinley Anderson, Katie Berkey, Kiley Browning, Ivy Cozzolino-Ingram, Lydia Durdan, Wynn Geiger, Owen Gough, Annelise Hurley, Macey Jarboe, Alexa Lake, Delaney Mackiewicz, Leona Oliver, Max Petersen, Palmer Peyton, Sophia Quick, Bella Robbins, Mannon Schurvinske, Charlie Smith, Lila Souza, Tinley Tresslar, Penelope VanDeveer, Brooklyn Woodard

(Intermediate Musical Theater ... Tricia & Lauren)

#### **Zombies**

McKinley Ames-Emrick, Morgan Bates, Hannah Bustetter, Abby Crane, Alexa Davis, Reese Donsbach, Emma Dunn, Kamryn Edenburn, Harper Farrell, Kash Farrell, Aubrey Fisher, Kati Fleck, Macie Garcia, McKenna Garcia, Alyx Gardner, Makenna Gray, Mallory Hobbs, Kami Holmes, Sarah Jacobs, Addison Jones, Chloe Jung, Olivia Kamerer, Cassidy Keller, Katherine Liagridonis, Aria Pape, Neely Pulkstenis, Ava Shay, Josie Stierwalt, Momoe Tanaka, Brynn Thornsbrough, Paige Thornsbrough, Lexi Tieffel, Halle Trainor, Sophia Vega, Laila Wells

(Advanced Musical Theater ... Tricia)

#### Grown

Alina Allen, Maegan Allen, Maxine Cain, Kavya Haran, Madison Jones, Meira Kennel, Evie Koger, Maddie Koger, Lily Lemoine, Ellery Messer, Hope Pew, Lillie Rueber, Adele Zong-Li

(Jazz 3 ... Jen)

#### **Royal Prep**

Lilliana Busboom-Miller, Willa Jane Geiger, Aylen Goodloe, Eliza Hankes, Grace Harder, Lacey Henry, Anna Hurt, Yvonne Jiang, Ellie Jo Katzer, Jolene Lonergan, Aivynn Schweska, Wren Tammen

(Dance 1 ... Skylee)

#### \*We Are The Truth

McKinley Ames-Emrick, Morgan Bates, Kiley Browning, Hannah Bustetter, Aubrey Fisher, Macie Garcia, Owen Gough,
Mallory Hobbs, Annelise Hurley, Macey Jarboe, Olivia Kamerer, Leona Oliver, Aria Pape,
Max Petersen, Halle Trainor, Erielle Truss, Laila Wells

(Contemporary group ... Skylee)

#### **Dad Dance**

Cesar & Sabina Alburez, Michael & Maegan Allen, Kevin & Samantha Baker, Troy & Kylie Beard, Brody & Alaina Block, Christopher & Jordyn Brown, Chris & Kiley Browning, Jamie & Hadley Rae Bruning, Bryan & Ava Bubb, Logan, Ava & Emma Burger, Jon, Ellison & Olivia Carpenter, Matt & Kensley Case, Paul & Macy Catterson, Ian, Mckenna, & Genevieve Doherty, Troy & Emma Dunn, Dean, Ludia & Jacqueline Durdan, Jason & Kamrun Edenburn, Jason Emrick & Madison & McKinley Ames-Emrick, Rhett, Harper & Kash Farrell, Peter & Kati Fleck, Brandon & Phoenix Foxx, Daniel, Dominic & Lilianna Franco, Bryan & Reagan Freres, Jeremy & Rose Frieburg, Aaron & Wynn Geiger, Zach & Presley Gillespie, Jacob & Makenna Gray, Ryan & Raya Gream, Mike & Elodee Gunderson, Paul Handzik & Nataley Thompson, Vidya, Kavya & Shreya Haran, Bill & Mallory Hobbs, Ryan & Kami Holmes, Jason & Scarlet Huff, Dan & Annelise Hurley, Nick & Mila Irvin, Dustin, Adalyn & Reagan Jensen, Jay Ryan & Alessandra Sofia Jimenez, Dave & Addison Jones, Jeff & Madison Jones, Jaebum & Chloe Jung, Lynn & Cassidy Keller, Andrew, Ava & Emma Kolakowski, Craig, Lily & Ellie Lemoine, Loui & Katherine Liagridonis, Zilong & Olivia Liu, Tim & Taylor Mabry, Caleb & Kendall Manzella, Brandyn & Hannelly Mason, Kyle McClure & Morgan Bates, David McKenzie & Samira Sanders, Brad & Ellery Messer, Tim, Ben & Madelyn Nelson, Dee, Juliet, & Maeve Newson, Anthony & Alexis Nickrent, Joe, Clare, Maura & Shea O'Connell, Mike & Aria Pape, Brad & Max Petersen, Jason & Hope Pew, Ryan & Palmer Peyton, Andy & Neely Pulkstenis, Jared & Bella Robbins, Damon & Morgan Roberson, Steve & Zoe Ruhlig, Bryan & Ava Shay, Scott & Scarlett Simmons, Matt & Charlie Smith, John & Talia Swigart, Lee & Lila Souza, Terry & Finley Taylor, Ethan & Mylee Thorne, Josh, Brynn & Paige Thornsbrough, Chad Trimble, Brynlee Rees & Blakely Morgan, Marcus & Erielle Truss, Steve & Ava Vogel, Randy & Riley Walters, Jonathan & McKenzie Whitener, Chris & Ruby Williams

(Chad)

#### \*Just A Girl

McKinley Ames-Emrick, Emma Dunn, Aubrey Fisher, Kati Fleck, McKenna Garcia, Alyx Gardner, Makenna Gray, Mallory Hobbs, Kamryn Holmes, Sarah Jacobs, Chloe Jung, Olivia Kamerer, Cassidy Keller, Katherine Liagridonis, Aria Pape, Momoe Tanaka, Brynn Thornsbrough, Halle rainor, Laila Wells

(Contemporary group ... Skylee)

#### **Ain't No Other Man**

Chloe Almeida, Madison Ames-Emrick, Kinley Anderson, Samantha Baker, Katie Berkey, Kiley Browning, Lydia Durdan, Wynn Geiger, Owen Gough, Shreya Haran, Annelise Hurley, Macey Jarboe, Alexa Lake, Delaney Mackiewicz, Leona Oliver, Max Petersen, Palmer Peyton, Sophia Quick, Bella Robbins, Charlie Smith, Lila Souza, Tinley Tresslar, Brooklyn Woodard

(Intermediate Jazz ... Tricia)

#### That's How We Do

Estella Bartles, Raya Gream, Cora Lindquist, Lenora Oliver, Brynlee Rees, Rinley Royal, Alyssa Shepherd, Ava Vogel (Tap 2 ... Kristin)

#### You Can't Stop The Beat

Grace Batsie, Elena Del Castillo, Meira Kennel, Lily Lemoine, Arlo Miethe-Powers, Nora Weaver
(Musical Theater 2/3 ... Lauren)

#### **False Confidence**

Alexa Davis, Blayke Johnson, Jane Koske, Alexa Lake, Siana Kimi Pague, Mannon Schurvinske, Lea Titsworth, Penelope VanDeVeer, Riley Walters, McKenzie Whitener

(Teen Contemporary ... Skylee)

#### \*Bridge Over Troubled Water

Abby Crane, Reese Donsbach, Emma Dunn, Kamryn Edenburn, Harper Farrell, Kash Farrell, Kati Fleck, McKenna Garcia, Alyx Gardner, Makenna Gray, Mallory Hobbs, Kami Holmes, Sarah Jacobs, Addison Jones, Chloe Jung, Olivia Kamerer, Casidy Keller, Katherine Liagridonis, Neely Pulkstenis, Momoe Tanaka, Brynn Thornsbrough

(Lyrical group ... Skylee)

#### **Hype**

Maegan Allen, Meryl Allison, Kinley Anderson, Kiley Browning, Hadley Rae Bruning, River Dees, Rose Frieburg, Owen Gough, Raya Gream, Kavya Haran, Brielle Hartman, Brooklyne Jones, Madison Jones, Meira Kennel, Evie Koger, Maddie Koger, Lily Lemoine, Ellery Messer, Alexis Nickrent, Lenora Oliver, Leona Oliver, Brynlee Rees, Morgan Roberson, Lila Souza, Teagan Tresslar, Tinley Tresslar, Erielle Truss, Saraiah Vega, Ava Vogel, Nora Weaver

(Hip Hop 3 ... Livie)

#### **Lexi Tieffel**

Vocal Solo

#### **Jailhouse Rock**

Imperia Aguas, Stella Drollinger, Aranza Enriquez-Aguas, Abigail Kustanovich, Lilliana Manzella, Rinley Royal, Addie Thompson, Nataley Thompson, Sophia Wirth

(Jazz 2 ... Kristin)

#### \*AIM For JOY!

Chloe Almeida, Madison Ames-Emrick, McKinley Ames-Emrick, Kinley Anderson, Morgan Bates, Katie Berkey, Briella Bielema, Kiley Browning, Hadley Rae Bruning, Hannah Bustetter, Camilla Clausen, Abby Crane, Olivia Crouch, Reese Donsbach, Emma Dunn, Lydia Durdan, Kamryn Edenburn, Harper Farrell, Kash Farrell, Aubrey Fisher, Kati Fleck, Rose Frieburg, Lucy Garcia, Macie Garcia, McKenna Garcia, Alyx Gardner, Wynn Geiger, Owen Gough, Makenna Gray, Raya Gream, Brielle Hartman, Mallory Hobbs, Kami Holmes, Annelise Hurley, Sarah Jacobs, Macey Jarboe, Addison Jones, Brooklyne Jones, Chloe Jung, Olivia Kamerer, Cassidy Keller, Katherine Liagridonis, Ophelia Lucas, Delaney Mackiewicz, Nyla Navarro-Burtley, Madelyn Nelson, Lenora Oliver, Leona Oliver, Aria Pape, Max Petersen, Palmer Peyton, Neely Pulkstenis, Sophia Quick, Brynlee Rees, Bella Robbins, Morgan Roberson, Ava Shay, Charlie Smith, Lila Souza, Josie Stierwalt, Momoe Tanaka, Finley Taylor, Brynn Thornsbrough, Paige Thornsbrough, Halle Trainor, Teagan Tressler, Tinley Tresslar, Erielle Truss, Saraiah Vega, Sophia Vega, Ava Vogel, Laila Wells, Emilce Wright, Sarah Young

(Jazz Production ... Tricia, Skylee, Thomas, Jen)

**Finale** 

All Dancers

#### **Good Luck Wishes!**

Zoe Rafia ~ We love watching you shine on stage, Zozo! You've been so dedicated to dance this year. Good luck and have so much fun with your performances! We will always love you because you are YOU! Love, Mom & Dad

Emilce Wright ~- I am so proud of you. It gives me joy to watch you dance. Have fun! Love, Grammy

Briella & Brexli Bielema - We are so proud of both of you! We love watching your confidence shine bright when you are on stage! Follow your dreams, smile, and have fun! Feel good, look good! We love you, babes! Love always, Mommy & Daddy

Emilce Wright ~ Buena suerte a mi bailarina favorita! Con mucho amor, Abuelo.

Good Luck Emdog!!! Give them that beautiful emotion. Have fun and we love you so much. Love, Hillary Max Aria Nellie and Louis Lupo

Ellery ~ Can't wait to watch you dance, sweet girl. We love seeing you do what makes your heart happy! Love, Grandma and Grandpa

Mrs. Tricia ~- Thank you for your guidance and for choreographing my first solo, ABC! Thank you for believing in me and pushing me each week! Because of you, my confidence has grown, and I have learned so much. I'm so grateful for you and AIM. Love, Briella Bielema

Mrs. Skylee ~ Thank you for all your hard work, time, and choreography all season. We hope we have made you proud! Love, Briella & Brexli Bielema

Emilce Wright ~- We are so impressed with your beautiful dancing! Have fun!" Love Max and Quincy

Makenna Gray ~- Thank you for all the hugs and encouragement! When I see you at dance I smile. I love watching you dance and sparkle! Love, Briella Bielema

Harriet Hutchens ~- Good luck wish: We love you so much, Harry Bear! Watching you practice at home is the most fun, you light up when you're dancing! We are so proud of you and know you will do amazing during the performance! From: Mommy and Daddy

We wish you the best of luck Ava Jo Shay! We are all so very proud of you! You're an amazing dancer! Love, Dad, Kara, Ella, Sophia and Emmery!

Ben and Maddy ~ Dance your hearts out!! We are so proud of all your hard work and dedication! Dancing and music are in your soul, let it shine bright!! Love Mom and Dad

Ellery  $\sim$  We are so proud of you! Have fun. Love, Aunt Fern and Uncle Ken

 $Ivy \sim You$  have really built up your skill as a dancer. I am so proud of you and look forward to future recitals. Well done! From Grandma

McKinley & Madison ~ Have so much fun at recital! We've loved watching you dance on the company team together this year and are so proud of your hard work and dedication! From Mom & Dad

Kamryn Edenburn ~ Watching you dance all these years and grow up on stage has been an amazing journey. You are the light of our lives, and we love you more than words can say. We are looking forward to watching your future unfold and we know you are destined for greatness and success! We love you so much. From Mom, Dad and Sissy

Good luck Monaghan! You've hip-hopped your way into our hearts since the day you were born. You are such a treasure to us. We are so excited to see what you do from here and couldn't be more proud of you. Dance on, Girl! Love, Omi and Opi

Brynn Thornsbrough ~ Good luck to our sweet Brynn! We are so proud of you and hope you have the best time at recital this year. We look so forward to watching you. All our love, Mamie & Papa

Paige Thornsbrough ~ We are so proud of you sweet girl and we hope you have the most fun at recital this year! Good luck and enjoy every minute. We love watching you! We love you so much, Mamie & Pa

Maddie ~ We can't believe this is your 5th Art in Motion Recital! We are so proud of you and are looking forward to seeing you shine on stage! Love, Mom, Dad, and Dillon

Alyx Gardner ~ As you take the stage for your final recital, know that you carry with you not only your incredible talent but also the boundless pride and love of everyone who's had the privilege to watch you dance. Your journey has transformed you into not only an extraordinary dancer but also an exceptional person. Your passion, character, hard work, and dedication are truly inspiring. We are beyond proud of you and can't wait to watch you dance as an LSU Tiger Girl! As you venture forward, may faith continue to be your compass, guiding you past any doubts, and may you find strength in knowing that God's plan for you is

greater than any obstacle in your path. Let your light shine so brightly, that you illuminate a pathway for others to find their way out of the darkness. –Love, Mom. Dad. & Kv

Light up the stage girls! We are so proud of you, Brynn and Paige! We love watching you dance and seeing the joy it brings you both! Always AIM High! Love-Mom, Dad, and Judson

Dear Chloe Jung ~ sending my best wishes for your final high school dance recital. Each time I watch your dance recordings, you shine like a super star, and your passion inspires me. I am incredibly proud of you! With Love, from your 'friend-aunt' Ji Young

Dear Chloe Jung ~ Be proud of this moment — you deserve it for all the effort and dedication you invested. Congratulations! From Mom and Dad

Brexli Bielema ~ Great job, Sissy! I loved watching you dance Titanium and loved having slumber parties at the hotel room for competitions! Can't wait until next year when we are in Company together! I love you, always! AIM HIGH! Love, Briella

To Maddie Reid ~ Way to go Boogie! Mommy and Daddy are so proud of you. Keep up the hard work! From Mom & Dad

To Lily ~ Congratulations on another successful year! Enjoy all of it! DANCE, DANCE, DANCE! From Pop & Mom Mom

To Ellie ~ Dance your heart out! Congratulations! From Pop & Mom Mom

Emilce Wright ~ Go show the audience how much fun you have dancing! Good luck and HAPPY BIRTHDAY! Love, Mami, Papi & Oliver

To Lily ~ We are so proud of you! Keep shining bright – we love you! From Uncle Matt, Aunt Angie, Cole, Ava & Harper

To Ellie ~ We hope you have a beautiful recital! We love you! From Uncle Matt, Aunt Angie, Cole, Ava & Harper

Ellery ~ You have danced into the hearts of so many! Love, Nana and Poppy

To Lily ~ Dance the night away, you Dancing Queen! We love you! From Mom, Dad & Lincoln

To Ellie ~ Dance your heart out, superstar! We love you! From Mom, Dad & Lincoln

To Ava Kolakowski ~ We are so proud of you! We love your passion and dedication to dance. Keep doing what makes you happy and never lose that shine! We love you so much sweetheart! From Mom and Dad

To Emma Kolakowski ~ We love watching you dance darling! You are so funny and adorable in everything that you do! Always keep that beautiful smile on your face and always aim for joy! From Daddy & Mommy

Briella Bielema ~- Great Job, Sis! I can't wait to dance with you next year! I like to shout "Go Briella" when you are on stage. I love you and thank you for dancing with me at home and teaching me tricks! Love, Brexli

To Addie Thompson ~ Good luck to our tiny dancer! We love you and are so very proud of you! Your love of dance shows in everything you do! Shine bright, Addie Pear!! From Mom, Dad & Emmersyn

Miss. Momoe ~ Thank you for your support all season rehearsing for my first solo, ABC! I was so happy when you were there to watch me on stage! Love, Briella Bielema

To Addie Thompson ~ You truly are a STAR! We love watching you dance your heart out! Good Luck! We love you! From, Lanie, Mike, Gemma, & Cora

To Max ~ Wishing you a successful dance recital. Remember to keep calm, good luck and dance your heart out. We are proud of you! Prayers to St. Vitus, patron saint of dancers. From Papa and Grandma

To Blayke J. ~ I love my big sister. Dance Blayke Dance! From Skye

MaKenna Gray ~ We are so proud of all you are accomplishing and the examples you set. You are a hard worker and so very dedicated. Your love for your fellow dancers is an inspiration. You are such an "AlMazing" person, and you bring so much joy to us. Good luck with another great recital! With all our love, Grandpa & Grandma

Harper Farrell ~ It is so hard to believe you are finishing your AIM career. It has been so much fun seeing you dance all these years. We wish you much success in your next steps in your life. You are so smart, so talented and so beautiful inside and out. You are bound for a great future. Much luck always! With much love, Doug & Pat

To Samantha ~ We aren't sure how the last 12 years of dance went by so fast, but we are so glad you have loved every minute of it. We are so very proud of you and can't wait to watch one last recital. Have fun and dance your heart out. Love, Mom & Dad

To Addie Thompson ~ Addie, your style and personality shine in everything you do. Your family fan club sends bushels of applause. You are our sunshine. From Grandma & Grandpa

To Viv Fiala ~ We are so proud of all your hard work! We love to watch you perform and can't wait to cheer you on at your first recital! You are amazing and we love you so much!

Monaghan ~ You are such a bright light in our lives. You shine even brighter when you're dancing! We love seeing you in your element. Hope your senior night is memorable and FUN! We love you! From: Dad, Mom, Lochlan and Kiki

To Olivia Harrington ~ Good luck with your performance, Olivia! We love you! From Mom and Dad

To Neely ~ Our special Neely... As we "Watch You Walk" out on the recital stage for the last time, we "Hope" you savor each and every moment and enjoy the "applause" of each show. You may be starting a new chapter of your life, but always remember we are so proud of you and we will "Never Let You Go!" May God be your rock, your strength and your light. May He shine His "Mercy On You" each and every day! We love you! Love, Dad, Mom & Xander

Landrie Hurd ~ We are so proud of you, our tiny dancer! Keep up the hard work and always follow your heart! We love you! From Daddy & Mommy

To Hope ~ Good luck, Hope! Your journey in dance has been amazing and tonight is your moment in the spotlight! Your dedication & sweet personality are a joy to watch! We're so proud and can't wait to see you dazzle on stage! We love you! From Mom, Ben, & Rylan

To Talia ~ Talia, we are so proud of all the hard work you have put into your recital! You are an amazing dancer full of sweetness & spunk. From Mom, Dad & Lukas

To Kylie & Adelyn Tennill ~ We love watching you dance – we are so proud of you both! Love always! From Mom & Dad

To Lyla Radish  $\sim$  Good luck Lyla! We love watching you shine on stage. Love always! Mom & Dad

To Olivia Crouch ~ We love you, Olivia. Mimi and Papa are so proud of you and all your hard work. We can't wait to see you dance at the recital. Keep smiling and having fun sweet girl. From Mimi and Papa Burge

Alyx Gardner ~- We love watching you dance! Your energy and passion, along with your captivating expressions, light up every performance, and we can't take our eyes off you. We're so excited to watch you dance at LSU and achieve amazing things. –Love, Grandma Lena & Grandpa Kenny

To Addie Thompson ~ We love watching you dance! Good luck and have so much fun! We love you, Addie-P! From Nonnie & Paca Nummo

Emilce ~ te queremos mucho y estamos muy orgullosa de tus logros! Happy Birthday! Love, Abuela y tus tí os y tia.

To Addison Baker  $\sim$  We are so proud of you for all that you are. You are going to do great! Keep reaching for the stars and enjoy every minute you're on stage! We love you so much! From Dad, Mom, Cam, Nana & Grandpa

To Eloise Strawser ~ Eloise Mommy & Daddy are so proud of you for continuing to do what you love even when it is hard. Keep up the hard work and we hope you had so much fun! From Mom & Dad

Sarah Jacobs ~ You really are a good dancer and I love watching you at the studio and on stage. Thank you for including me and making me laugh and smile. Go Sarah! Love, Brexli Bielema

Dear Chloe Jung ~ Congratulations on your final (or last) dance recital! Your talent shines brightly. Best of luck in college and beyond. Keep dancing through life with passion and joy! From Jieun's family

To Matilda Strawser  $\sim$  Tilly, you are such a big girl now! Mommy and Daddy are so proud of you and everything you have learned this year! We hope you had so much fun. Love, Mommy & Daddy

To Laura Bruhn ~ Dance, Laura, Dance! We are SO proud of you. From Mom

To Halle ~ Good luck in all your recital performances, Halle! You are a very talented dancer, and we love watching you perform! Have fun! From Grandma & Grandpa Heaton

To Olivia Crouch – We love you so much and are so proud of how much you've grown as a dancer this year. Keep working hard, smiling, and having fun. Dance your heart out at recital! From Mom, Dad, and Jared

To Ophelia ~ Happy Recital Week! Have so much fun and dance your heart out! From Your AIM Angel, Halle

To Katie Berkey ~ We wish you the very best on this dance adventure. Good luck on all your recital dances. We love you! From Dad, Mom, Andrew, & Lizzie

To Laura Bruhn ~ Go Laura go! Nana and Grandpa love you so much! From Nana

To Joanna Bermingham ~ Good luck Joanna! We are so proud of you! From Dad, Mom, Nana, Grandaddy and Grandmama

To Isabel ~ Good luck. We are so proud of you. Can't wait to see how amazing you are on stage. Be fearless! From Mom, Dad, & Lucas

To Samantha ~ We aren't sure how the last 12 years of dance went by so fast, but we are so glad you have loved every minute of it. We are so very proud of you and can't wait to watch one last recital. Have fun and dance your heart out. Love, Mom & Dad

To Bella Robbins ~ Happy 13th birthday Bella Boo! We love you and are so proud of you! From Mom & Dad

Landrie Hurd – We love you, sissy! You are such a good dancer! From Ryker, Brynn, & Bennett

To Kamryn ~ Happy graduation! We will miss you! From Bella & Jess

Cassidy Keller ~- Dancing with your feet is one thing but dancing with your is another! Grammie and Papa

To Maddie Reid ~ Good luck sweet Maddie. We're excited to see your performance and what you've learned at dance this year. Love, Gram & Grandpa

To Halle ~ We are so proud of you and enjoy watching you dance! Smile Big, Shine Bright, and Have Fun! From Mom, Dad, & Maverick

To Lydia & Jacqueline ~ "Keep your head high and your toes pointed!" We love you & couldn't be prouder of all your hard work and dedication. From Your Family

Alyx Gardner - We have cherished every moment of watching you blossom into the remarkable young woman you are today, and seeing your journey through dance has been an absolute joy. -Love, Great Grandma Sue & Great Grandad Joe

To Hadley Rae ~ We are so proud of you, Hadley Rae! Good luck! You are AlMazing! From Mom & Daddy

To Morgan Roberson  $\sim$  Congrats on your 8<sup>th</sup> recital. May God continue to guide you on your dance journey. Love, Mom & Dad

To Hope – Sending all the love to our beautiful granddaughter as she takes the stage for her dance recital! Your kindness, dedication & self lessness light up every room you enter, and tonight it's your time to shine! Dance with all your heart, knowing we are rooting for you every step of the way! Good luck and we love you! From Grandma Jean & Papa Ed

To Maddie Reid ~ Maddie, we know you've worked hard to learn your dance and now it's time to perform! Have fun and we know you'll do great. Love, Aunt Sue & Uncle leff

Cassidy Keller ~- Keep dancing from your vand let your passion shine through! Grammie and Papa

To Blayke J. ~ Dance to the beat of your dreams. All you all day! From Mom

To Morgan Roberson  $\sim$  Congrats Morgan on your  $8^{th}$  recital. I can't wait to see you on stage. Love, Nana

To Maddie Reid ~ We are so proud of you on your big day! It's great to have another dancer in the family. We can't wait to get a private performance at the next reunion. With love from Texas, Cousins Mike, Brittany, Hannah, Millie & Jack

To Brooklyn Woodard ~ Words cannot express how proud of you I am and the person you continue to be. Love Mom

Alyx Gardner - As you embark on this exciting new chapter, remember that your talent and dedication have already brought you far, and they'll continue to carry you to even greater heights. Dance your heart out and know we're cheering for you every step of the way! —Love, Aunt Jess, Uncle Ryan, Ross, & Jase

To Cora Rose ~ We see the joy in the sparkle of your eyes when you dance Cora! We love you and support all you do! From Dad, Karla, Reagan, Ruby and Apollo

To Blayke J. ~ Dance your heart out. When in doubt turn the music up! From Mom

Rose & Avery Taurisani ~ We can't wait to watch you shine on stage! We love you! AIM High! Love, Briella & Brexli Bielema

To Julia Grace ~ Your passion for dance burns bright Julia! We love you and support you in all you want to accomplish! From Dad, Karla, Reagan, Ruby and Apollo

Alyx Gardner - You never cease to amaze me with your dancing skills, and I couldn't be prouder of you. Best of luck in your senior recital. -Love, Grandma Elaine

To Maddie Reid ~ Hey Maddie girl – can't wait to see you shake that fringe! Good luck in your recital. Love, Aunt Lindsey, Uncle Steve, Connor & Palmer

To Our Rea Rea of Sunshine ~ Smile big and shine bright sweetie! We are so proud of the little girl that you are. Continue to be your most authentic self and always dance to the beat of your own drum! We love you sooooooo much! From Daddy, Mama & Owen

To Maddie Reid ~ Congratulations on your dance performance Maddie. Rock that stage and dance like the star that you are! Love, Uncle Chris & Aunt Lynne

Cassidy Keller ~- 15 years of dance is coming to a close. But this is not the end, it is a new chapter of life. Take every lesson you have had over the last 15 years and allow it to guide you into your AlMazing life. Love, Mom, Dad and Carli

To Max ~ Dance with all your heart and your feet will follow. You've got this, Max. From Nana & Papa

To Josie ~ Enjoy every moment of recital week! How did we get here so fast? Watching you grow up and grow into such an AlMazing dancer has been so much fun! So proud of you! We love you! From Mom & Nate – Grandma & Grandpa

To Ellery Messer ~ It's a joy watching you do what you love. We're proud of all your hard work and excited to watch you shine on stage. We love you! From Mom, Dad & Crew

Dear Chloe Jung - We're so happy that all your hard work paid off—Congratulations! Don't be afraid to take risks and we wish you the best of luck with your recital and your next chapter in life. Sending love and support from Stanford! From Collin and Sophie

To Hadley Rae ~ Good luck, Hadley Rae! I think I have the best seat in the house and will be cheering you on! From Dalton

To Maddie Reid ~ Maddie we are so proud of you and happy that you want to be a dancer like Brooke. Maybe you can dance with Brooke at the next family reunion. Love, Cousins Rob, Lindsey, Audrey & Brooke

To Blayke J. ~ Life is like dancing – it's not about getting from one place to another. It's about enjoying each step. From Mama and Pop Pop

To Hadley Rae ~ Woof, Woof, Woof, Woof! Meow, Meow, Meow... that's dog for Good Luck, Hadley Rae! ... and "Break a leg" in cat!

To Aubrey Harris ~ To our budding ballerina may you light up the place with style and grace. Good luck with your first dance recital. We love you! From Mommy & Daddy

 $To\ \textit{Ivy Cozzolino-Ingram} \sim \textit{Ivy, we are all so proud of you!}\ \textit{You have worked so hard and amaze us!}\ \textit{Our little dancer}...\ \textit{From Mom, Dad, Nico \& Violet}$ 

To Ophelia ~ You are such a beautiful dancer. I am so proud of you. Dance your heart out Baby Cakes. Love, Mimi

Blakely Morgan - I love dancing with you...and sharing snacks and chicken nuggets! I can't wait for Company next year! Great job on your heel extension! Love, Brexli Bielema

To Pre-Comp Dancers – You all have worked so hard and come so far. It has been very fun watching you grow together and forge a bond. Great job ladies! From The Kolakowskis

To Ophelia  $\sim$  I'm so proud of you for doing so great and growing so much this season! You're a beautiful dancer! I love you, Mama

Tricia, Chad and Skylee - After following my "niece's" progress over the last 15 years at your AlMazing studio, this chapter is coming to a close. Thank you for everything you have done for my niece and every other AlMazing person that walks through your doors. AlM High, AlM Huge, AlMazing, AlMen. Love, Trichadlee

To Sofia, Lilly, Kendall ~ You are superstars! From Nonna & Nonno

To Max ~ Watching you dance makes our hearts swell. Enjoy every minute. We love you! From Mom, Dad & Sam

To Halle ~ Best wishes for a wonderful recital weekend. We are so proud of the talented dancer you have become and can't wait to watch you magically perform. Love you! From Grandma & Grandpa Trainor

To Maddie Reid ~ We hear you've gota sweet costume! Make sure you show us your dance the next time you visit us in Naperville. Love, Uncle Eric, Aunt Brittany, Parker, Holden, Teagan & Harper

To Blayke J. ~ Life is better when you dance. Close your eyes, breathe and just dance. From Mom























# Recital Showcase 2024 Class Performance Schedule

Performing Thursday only	Performing Friday only	Performing Sat 10am only	
Ballet/Lyrical Combo "Never Grow Up"	Ballet 1 "Journey To The Past"	Ballet 2/3 "Flowers	
Beginning Dance Miss Emily	Lyrical/Contemporary 2/3 "Breathe"	Pre-Comp "Shades"	
Jazz/Tap Combo "The Great Divide"	*Gimme That	Toddler Dance Tuesday Miss Tricia	
Mini Company Ballet "Baby Mine"	*Mine	Toddler Dance Thursday Miss Kristin	
Mini Company Tap "Tapping Mice"	Senior Solo – Kamryn	*Do We Have A Problem	
Tap 1 "Levitating"	Senior Solo – Kiley	*Good To Be Alive	
*Money	Senior Solo – Monaghan	*The Adams Family	
*Sleeping On The Blacktop	Senior Solo - Samantha	*Titanium	
*You Lost Me			
Senior Solo – Josie	Performing Thurs & Sat 1:30	Performing Friday & Sat 1:30	
Senior Solo – Neely	Advanced Musical Theater "Zombies"	The Nutcracker (Miss Natalia): Advanced Ballet, Ballet 4, Company Ballet 4, Company Ballet 3, Pointe 1 & 2, Pointe 4/5	
	Ballet/Jazz Combo "Let's Get Loud"	Beginning Dance Miss Lauren	
Performing Sat 1:30pm only	Dance 3 "Head & Heart"	Dance 1 "Royal Prep	
Beg Dance Miss Lauren "Hair In The Air"	Hip Hop 1 Wed Miss Livie "Hokey Pokey"	Нір Нор 3 "Нуре"	
Dance 1 Miss Lauren "Count Your Blessings"	Hip Hop 4 "Icon"	Intermediate Contemporary	
Dance 1 Miss Kristin "Hippie Hippie Shake"	*Just A Girl	Intermediate Jazz	
Musical Theater 2/3 "You Can't Stop The Beat"		Intermediate Musical Theater	
Teen Ballet "Golden Hour	Performing Thurs & Friday	Jazz 3 "Grown"	
Teen Jazz "Rain On Me"		Tap 2 "That's How We Do"	
*Bridge Over Troubled Water	Hip Hop 2 "Party People	Teen Contemporary	
	Hip Hop 5 "Final Day"	*Days Like This	
Performing Thurs & Sat 10am	Jazz 3/4 "Girl Like Me"		
Intermediate Ballet 2 "Rising Above"	Lyrical/Contemporary 3/4 "Ours"	Performing Sat 10am & 1:30p	
Intermediate Tap	Musical Theater 3 "My New Philosophy"	Jazz 2 "Jailhouse Rock"	
Company Contemporary 4	Princess Ballet "The Glow"		
Company Jazz 4 "My Runway"	Tap 3/4 "The Pizza Song"	Performing all 4 Shows	
Dance 2 "Surface Pressure"	Senior Memories Video	Advanced Jazz "Happy"	
Hip Hop 1 Tuesday "Lipgloss"		DAD DANCE	
Jazz 1 "Like A Girl"	Performing Friday & Sat 10am	Lexi - Vocal	
Mini Company Hip Hop "Pajamas"	Beginning Dance "Good Ship Lollipop"	*AIM FOR JOY	
Mini Company Jazz "Dear Future Husband"	Dance 1 "Better Place"	*Little Cloud	
Mini Company Lyrical "Feel The Magic"	Dance 1 "Strawberry Shortcake"	*New York State Of Mind	
Musical Theater 1 "Dimples"	Jazz 2 "Look What You Made Me Do"	*We Are The Truth	
Pointe 3 "The Cello Song"	*Mercy On Me		
*Shark Party	*Out Of The Woods	Performing in Company Show	
		All company group routines	
Performing Thursday, Friday, S	Senior Solos: Addison, Alyx, Cassidy,		
	Chloe, Harper, Katherine		
Advanced Tap "Dance With Somebody"		Senior Duet/Trios	
Performing Thursday, Friday, S			
*The Search			

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Love, Bradley, Monica & Estella

# We would like to thank the following students & their parents for their years of dedication & achievement at AIM (begins at 3 years)

3 yr. Students	4 yr. Students	6 yr. Students	Mannon Schurvinske	12 yr. Students
Imperia Aguas	Kylie Beard	Ifeoluwa Afolabi	Ava Shay	Hannah Bustetter
Emerson Bautista	Brynn Brady	Maegan Allen	Mylee Thorne	Samantha Baker
Journey Beebe	Kinley Brewer	Alaina Block		Reese Donsbach
Shevi Beebe	Ellison Carpenter	Abby Crane	9 yr. Students	Mallory Hobbs
JoAnna Birmingham	Kensley Case	Lilianna Franco	Aranza Aguas	Laila Wells
Brexli Bielema	Camilla Clausen	Rose Frieburg	Madison Ames-Emrick	
Briella Bielema	Sloane Davis	Lillian Lemoine	Emma Dunn	13 yr. Students
Ava Burger	Phoenix Foxx	Lydia Radish	Aubrey Fisher	Addison Jones
Emma Burger	Audrey Halpin	Scarlett Simmons	Katarina Fleck	Momoe Tanaka
Landon Chapman	Blakely Holdren	Charlie Smith	McKenna Garcia	
Alexa Davis	Reagan Jensen	Nataley Thompson	Mackenzie Heggemeyer	14 yr. Students
Lydia Dehler	Allison Kirby	McKenzie Whitener	Macey Jarboe	Kamryn Edenburn
Genevieve Doherty	Ava Kolakowski	Brooklyn Woodard	Chloe Jung	-
Mckenna Doherty	Maura O'Connell		Lucy Lee	15 yr. Students
Kaleigh Grone	Shea O'Connell	7 yr Students	Kimi Siana Pague	Makenna Gray
Shreya Haran	Sloan Ruedi	Katie Berkey	Palmer Peyton	Harper Farrell
Olivia Hirschi	Zoe Ruhlig	Kiley Browning	Brynlee Rees	Neely Pulkstenis
Scarlet Huff	Olivia Saltsgaver	Jacqueline Durdan		
Penelope Huston	Ava Vogel	Lydia Durdan	10 yr. Students	16 yr. Students
Hadley Johnson	Sophia Wirth	Brielle Hartman	Liana Anderson	Cassidy Keller
Evie Roger	Whitley Zerrusen	Ariel Huston	McKinley Ames-Emrick	
Maddie Koger		Sarah Jacobs	Morgan Bates	17 yr. Students
Cora Lindquist	5 yr. Students	Alexis Nickrent	Kash Farrell	Katherine Liagridoni
Julia Lindquist	Kinley Anderson	Lenora Oliver	Reagan Hetherington	
Ophelia Lucas	Amelia Bailey	Lila Souza	Olivia Kamerer	
Vittoria Manlove- Decklever	Stella Drollinger	Lexi Tieffel	Taylor Mabry	
Abby Mitchell	Azalea Foote	Teagan Tresslar	Aria Pape	
Madelyn Nelson	Taylyn Foote	Tinley Tresslar	Alyssa Shepherd	
Tatum Oliphant	Reagan Freres	Erielle Truss	Leah Smith	
Kolton Oltean	Winola Frye	Effect 11 uss	Ava Spady	
Sophia Quick	Owen Gough	8 yr. Students	Penelope VanDeveer	
Danielle Robertson	Raya Gream	Hadley Rae Bruning	Sophia Vega	
Finley Taylor	Brooklyne Jones	Morgan Dehler	обрина теда	
Adelyn Tennill	Grace Jones	Macie Garcia	11 yr. Students	
Kylie Tennill	Madison Jones	Annelise Hurley	Alyx Gardner	
Lea Titsworth	Delaney Mackiewicz	Meira Kennel	Kami Holmes	
Sylvia Vogel	Lillie Reuber	Scarlett McCleary	Bella Robbins	
Everly Yoder	Saraiah Vega	Leona Oliver	Josie Stierwalt	
Sarah Young	Penelope Yunes	Max Petersen		
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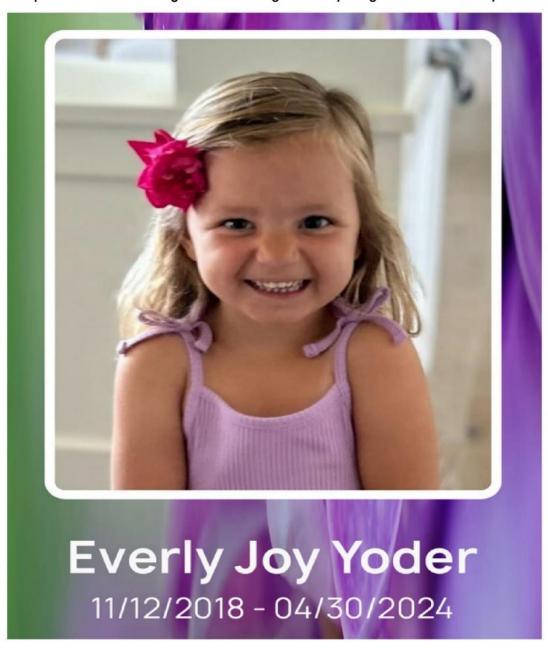
On their last recital and all their future endeavors!

Thank you to the Trimble Family and the Art in Motion Staff for all you do for these dancers!

AIM high!



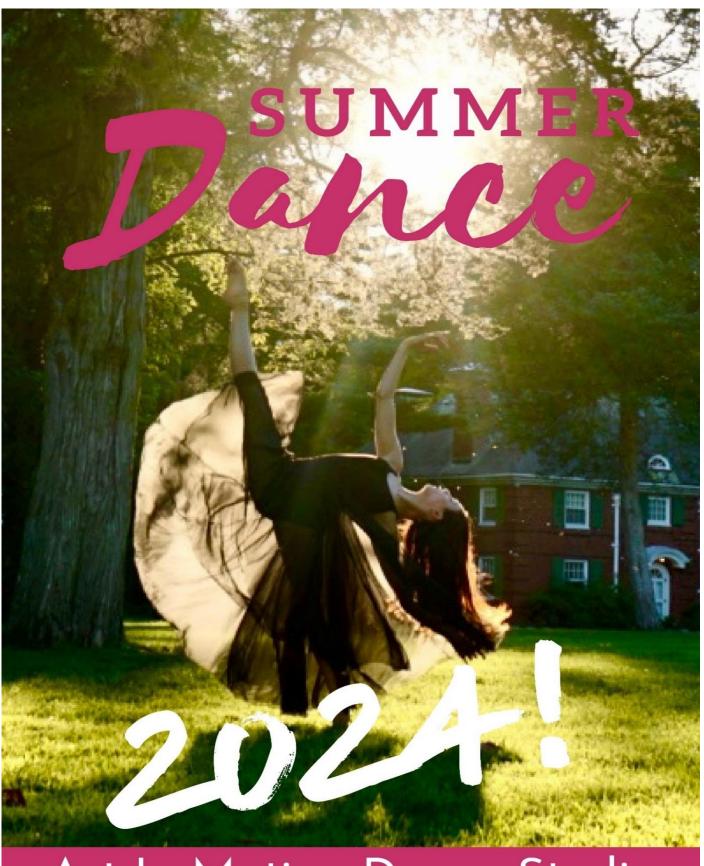
This Recital Showcase is dedicated to sweet Everly, who carried endless joy with her wherever she went. Our prayers are with her family & all who knew & loved her. Heaven has the best dancing of all and we know that precious Everly is twirling & leaping with Jesus for eternity.



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