

Presents.....

# 2023 SPRING SHOWCASE



## <u>Housekeeping Rules</u>

We strive to make this experience as wonderful and enjoyable as possible for all our dancers, staff and audience members. In order to achieve this we ask that the following rules be followed...

- 1. Photography and videography are prohibited during the show.
- 2. Food and drinks are not permitted in the auditorium.
- 3. Please turn off (or silence) all cell phones and/or tablets.
- 4. Please remain in your seat while performers are on stage.
- 5. Every ticket gains entry to our door prize. Please keep your numbered stub as we will draw the winner during intermission.

We Thank you for your cooperation & hope you enjoy the show!

### **Message from the Directors**



Welcome to our annual Spring Showcase for Devotion Dance Company. Our mission is to help guide every individual on their journey to developing confidence and coordination while creating everlasting memories within the studio. Dance is more than just a sport to us; it encompasses discipline, support, determination and creativity which leads to self-assurance. This is made possible by you, their parents, who have given these students the brilliant opportunity to study the art of dance. We are devoted to



teaching the highest quality of dance through energetic classes, providing plenty of performance opportunities and selecting the most passionate teachers to train our students.

This year our competitive dancers performed at two competitions in Ottawa & Kingston with fantastic outcomes. These results can be found in our program underneath each routine's title. Our team was amazing at supporting all other dancers and studio's while representing our studio at these competitions which exemplifies exactly what DDC is about – supporting everyone's individual journey and growth.

All of this would not be possible without the commitment and support from EACH AND EVERY ONE of our growing Dance Family members. Whether you're a parent who is constantly getting their dancer to class on time, a last minute seamstress, a teacher's assistant, a choreographer, prop builder, fundraiser, or even a motivational "Whoo"er at competitions; we all should take pride in everything this studio has accomplished. The overwhelming dedication and support from the team only shows how bright the future will be for Devotion Dance Company.

To all the friends and family of Devotion Dance Company , we thank you for joining us today on this monumental occasion and hope you enjoy our 2023 Spring Showcase.

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#### 1) <u>The Schuyler Sisters</u>

Imani Barkun, Eleni Constantinou, Sophie Lacasse, Yolantha Magee, Ivy Manoll-Leroux, Lily Urban

#### 2) <u>Good to be Alive</u>

Destiny Anunobi, Clara Clapham, Aria Davis, Iasabelle Eyamie-Leblanc, Sofia Maynard

#### 3) <u>Streets</u>

Samantha Christian Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: Platinum Shine Dance Competition Kingston: Platinum

#### 4) <u>Escapism</u>

Yolantha Magee, Rebekah-Hope Papadopoulos, Emma Pettigrew, Lily Urban

#### 5) Look at Me

Ivy Manoll - Leroux

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: High Gold Shine Dance Competition Kingston : Platinum

#### 6) <u>People Watching</u>

#### Elissa Payne

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: Platinum 3rd overall Shine Dance Competition Kingston: Diamond

#### 7) <u>Wicked Game</u>

#### Yolantha Magee

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau : High Gold Shine Dance Competition Kingston : High Gold

#### 8) White Blood

#### Lily Urban

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: High Gold + 2nd overall Shine Dance Competition Kingston : High Gold + 4th overall

#### 9) Friend like me

Imani Barkun, Mia Goodfellow, Sophie Lacasse, Ivy Manoll-Leroux

#### 10) If I had a Daughter

Gale Constantinou, Alicia Jessup, Christy Leroux, Maureen Tsai Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: Platinum 3rd overall Shine Dance Competition Kingston : High Gold

#### 11) <u>Don't want to miss a thing</u>

Eleni Constantinou, Yolantha Magee, Rebekah-Hope Papdapoulos, Lily Urban

#### 12) <u>The Beat got Sicker</u>

Samantha Christian, Emma Pettigrew Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: High gold Shine Dance Competition Kingston :Platinum

#### 13) How do I tell you

Alicia Jessup





#### 14) <u>Fireball</u>

Imani Barkun, Sophie Lacasse, Ivy Manoll-Leroux, Rebekah-Hope Papadopoulos, Lily Urban

#### 15) Mad World

Gale Constantinou, Eleni Constantinou, Christy Leroux, Yolantha Magee, Lillee Miller, Emma Pettigrew, Maureen Tsai, Lily Urban

#### 16) Dancing through the day

Destiny Anunobi, Clara Clapham, Aria Davies, Isabelle Eyamie-LeBlanc, Sofia Maynard

#### 17) <u>Pink Panther</u>

#### Yolantha Magee

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: High Gold Shine Dance Competition Kingston : High Gold

#### 18) The Greatest Showman

#### Imani Barkun

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: High Gold Shine Dance Competition Kingston : High Gold + special award

#### 19) Sound and colour

Emma Pettigrew Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: High Gold Shine Dance Competition Kingston : High Gold

#### 20) She Used to be mine

Eleni Constantinou

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: platinum Shine Dance Competition Kingston : platinum

#### 21) <u>Women</u>

#### Lily Urban

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: High gold Shine Dance Competition Kingston : High gold

#### 22) <u>Happier than Ever</u>

#### Samantha Christian, Eleni Constantinou, Yolantha Magee, Elissa Payne

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: diamond Shine Dance Competition Kingston : diamond

#### 23) Dancing in the dark

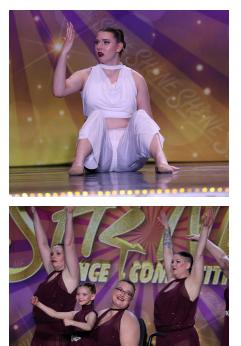
Destiny Anunobi, Aria Davies, Isabelle Eyamie-LeBlanc, Harper Guy,

#### 24) <u>A different beat</u>

Imani Barkun, Marley Ficklin, Ivy Manoll-Leroux

#### 25) **Bohemian Rhapsody**

Gale Constantinou, Alicia Jessup, Christy Leroux, Elissa Payne, Emma Pettigrew, Andrea Sare, Maureen Tsai Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: platinum Shine Dance Competition Kingston : platinum + 2nd overall Adult





#### 26) <u>Satisfied</u>

Yolantha Magee

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: Diamond + special award Shine Dance Competition Kingston : Diamond + special award

#### <u>\*\* 15 Minute Intermission</u> \*\*

#### 27) <u>Never Grow up</u>

Eleni Constantinou, Gale Constantinou, Christy Leroux, Angelique Magee, Yolantha Magee, Ivy Manoll-Leroux, Emma Pettigrew, Julie Pettigrew

> Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: Diamond + 1st overall Adult Shine Dance Competition Kingston : Diamond + special award + 1st overall Adult

#### 28) <u>Mad Hatter</u>

#### Imani Barkum

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: High Gold Shine Dance Competition Kingston : High Gold

#### 29) <u>Addiction</u>,

#### Samantha Christian

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: Double Diamond +Choreo award, young choreo award, highest score of the session, highest scoring solo, highest scoring contemporary solo, highest scoring solo Shine Dance Competition Kingston : Diamond 3rd overall, + Choreo award

#### 30) <u>Bruno</u>

Destiny Anunobi, Aria Davies, Isabelle Eyamie-Leblanc, Harper Guy

#### 31) Demons

Eleni Constantinou, Yolantha Magee, Rebekah-Hope Papadopoulos, Emma Pettigrew, Lily Urban

32) Almost There

Imani Barkun, Marley Ficklin, Julia Lima, Ivy Manoll-Leroux

#### 33) Flowers

Christy Leroux, Emma Pettigrew, Stephanie Shaw, Maureen Tsai

#### 34) Heart of Stone

#### Yolantha Magee

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: Diamond + special award Shine Dance Competition Kingston : Diamond

#### 35) How bad can I be

Jordan Ahee, Destiny Anunobi, Aria Davies, Isabelle Eyamie-Leblanc, Harper Guy

#### 36) Memories

#### Eleni Constantinou

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: High Gold Shine Dance Competition Kingston : High Gold + special award

#### 37) <u>Tango do Romance</u>

Gale Constantinou, Alicia Jessup, Christy Leroux, Emma Pettigrew, Andrea Sare Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: Platinum Shine Dance Competition Kingston : Platinum



#### 38) Bang Bang

Samantha Christian, Eleni Constantinou, Yolantha Magee Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: Platinum Shine Dance Competition Kingston : Platinum+ Special award, 2nd Overall Senior Duet/Trio

#### 39) Still don't know my name

Chloe Boonstra, Andrea Sare

#### 40) I like to move it

Jordan Ahee, Destiny Anunobi, Aria Davies, Isabelle Eyamie-Leblanc, Harper Guy

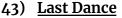
#### 41) Your Song

Imani Barkun, Ivy Leroux Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: High Gold Shine Dance Competition Kingston : High Gold

#### 42) Little Nightmare

#### Yolantha Magee

Shine Dance Competition Gatineau: Platinum + 3rd overall acro solo Shine Dance Competition Kingston : Platinum + 1st overall acro solo



Jordan Ahee, Destiny Anunobi, Imani Barkun, Chloe Boonstra, Samantha Christian, Clara Clapham, Eleni Constantinou, Gale Constantinou, Aria Davies, Isabelle Eyamie-LeBlanc, Marley Ficklin, Mia Goodfellow, Harper Guy, Alicia Jessup, Sophie Lacasse,, Christy Leroux, Julia Lima, Angelique Magee, Yolantha Magee, Ivy Manoll-Leroux, Sophia Maynard, Lilee Miller, Rebekah-Hope Papadopoulos, Elissa Payne, Emma Pettigrew, Julie Pettigrew, Andrea Sare, Mauree Tsai

#### **DEVOTED TO DANCE SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS**

The directors have chosen one dancer from each age level in recognition for their growing passion and devotion to dance education. These individuals will receive a \$250 scholarship towards next year's tuition for their incredible attitude and perseverance.

Congratulations to .....

Aria Davies .....Junior Sophie Lacasse .....Intermediate Lily Urban .....Senior Maureen Tsai.....Adult











#### THANK YOU's

For all the things you do, both big and small, we want to thank you...

Chloe Boonstra	Teacher & Choreographer
Sam Christian	Teacher & Choreographer
Eleni Constaintou	Assistant Teacher
Alicia Jessup	Teacher & Choreographer & Seamstress
Christy Leroux	Competitive Hair Stylist
Angelique Magee	Teacher
Yolantha Magee	Assistant Teacher
Emma Pettigrew	Teacher & Choreographer

& a **Huge** Thank you to all the dedicated dance parents who provide these dancers with the brilliant opportunity to study the art of Dance.

#### Ottawa's Inclusive Competitive Team!

Open to anyone ages 6 to adult

NO Tryouts required !

Minimum 1 year of dance experience is mandatory.

Come and compete with us at two competitions per season (one local and one out of town but always within Ontario)

Find out more on our website!

#### SUMMER DAY CAMP

Recreational Day camps (No dance experience required)

Junior (Ages 3-9) - July 10th -14th Intermediate (Ages 7-14) - July 17th-21st Senior (Ages 12-8) - July 24th - 28th

Pre-Competitive/Competitive camps (1 year of dance required)

Junior (Ages 6-10) - July 31st - August 4th Intermediate (ages 10-14) - August 14th-18th Senior (ages 15-20) - August 21st - 25gh

\$325+HST per week

#### **OUR PARTNERS**





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