

**It's time!!!**

**The dancers are amazing!**

**We are so proud of all our "Dreams" 2022 Spring Concert dancers!**

We still have tickets available for all performances. If you have not purchased tickets yet, please do so online at Dance Recital Ticketing with your "family code" before the codes expire and the limit is lifted on May 9 when tickets are open to the public. **DAA Ticket link:** <https://www.danceticketing.com/29469/>

**Costume Week:** Spring Concert Costumes will be handed out in most classes the week of May 9!

**Reminder:** Costumes will be released to your dancer when your account is paid in full. Accounts must have a zero balance for dancers to participate in the Spring Concert. Please check your account in the parent portal to take care of any balance due before Costume Week.

Please take the time to practice your dancer's Spring Concert hair as listed below for classes at this time.

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**DRESS REHEARSAL: DANCE ARTS ACADEMY**

**Dress Rehearsals will happen in classes at Dance Arts Academy beginning Thursday, May 19.**

This is your child's only opportunity to go through their dance in costume before the performance.

- **Please arrive ready for Rehearsal Class in costume with hair and makeup complete prior to class time.**
- All dancers wear hair in a bun at crown of head (with hairnet), gelled back with no bangs, unless otherwise instructed by your child's teacher.
- Please check with your child's teacher about suggestions for stage makeup.
- Please label all parts of your child's costume prior to Rehearsal with child's name, including shoes (same as required for class). All ballet shoes need to have elastic sewn across the arch. Please cut off any excess drawstring, and tape the ties to the inside of the shoes.
- All Let's Dance, Creative Dance, Pre-K, Tap/Jazz One, Elements, and Ballet classes will need to wear pale pink (theatrical pink matte finish, no shine) Capezio or Bloch tights, and pink ballet slippers – Capezio or Bloch.
- Please check with your child's teacher to see if you'll need to provide any other costume accessories.
- **Leave all jewelry, valuables, food and gum at home.**

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**PERFORMANCE: MILLIKEN AUDITORIUM – DENNOS MUSEUM CENTER, NMC**

**Thursday, May 26 at 5:30 pm,**

**Friday, May 27 at 5:30 pm or 7:00 pm,**

**Saturday, May 28 at 11:00 am, 1:00 pm, 3:00 pm, or 5:00 pm**

While the Dennos parking lot has been reserved for our event, parking for this weekend is challenging due to the Memorial Holiday weekend and Bayshore Marathon ~ especially for the earlier Saturday performances. Please allow yourself extra time to travel, park, and be seated in the auditorium. We will not be reopening the auditorium doors for late arrivals.

- Please arrive 30 minutes prior to the performance in costume with hair and makeup complete. Please do not arrive earlier than this.
- Have your dancer report to the dressing area to the left of the stage (look for signs) in costume with hair and makeup complete.
- You may pick your dancer up upon completion of the concert (not during).
- Please stay seated throughout the performance.
- **ALL DANCERS WILL REMAIN IN THE DRESSING ROOM UNTIL THE END OF THE SHOW.**
- **DANCERS ARE NOT ALLOWED IN THE AUDIENCE DURING THE PERFORMANCE.**
- If your child wishes to see the other classes, please purchase tickets for another show.
- Each class needs one **Parent Chaperone** backstage in the dressing room during the performance – you will be able to watch your child perform from the wings. Volunteers please sign up with your dancer’s teacher if you wish to help with your child’s class. Dads, while we appreciate your help, no men will be allowed in any female dressing rooms.
- **Leave all jewelry, valuables, food and gum at home.**

**Thank you for respecting Dennon Museum’s Rules:**

- Dancers and Chaperones must remain in the designated backstage dressing room
- Dancers and Chaperones may not venture into the museum
- NO FLASH PHOTOGRAPHY near the works of art
- No climbing on the works of art including the outdoor sculpture
- No makeup application or hair preparation in the restrooms.

**VIDEOTAPING/PHOTOGRAPHY:**

For dancers’ safety and for the enjoyment of all audience members, **Videotaping or photography is NOT ALLOWED during the performances.** Please remain in your seats. Videotaping in-studio of Dress Rehearsal at DAA is permitted.

**2022 Spring Concert COMMEMORATIVE SHIRTS:**

Dance Arts Academy “**Dreams**” Spring Concert performance commemorative t-shirts are available in child and adult sizes for sale online at [www.teeseetee.com](http://www.teeseetee.com). Proceeds go toward Company Dance Traverse scholarships for deserving dancers.

**PRESENTATION ROSE BOUQUETS**

Present your dancer with a beautiful Rose Bouquet in honor of their performance! For your convenience, wrapped bouquets of a trio of roses will be available for purchase at the theater at showtime for \$10. Pre-orders are not available. Proceeds benefit Company Dance Traverse.



**DIVA DANCEWEAR HAS ALL YOUR SPRING CONCERT NEEDS!  
(TIGHTS, HAIR NETS, HAIR PINS, ETC.)  
THANK YOU FOR BUYING LOCAL!**

GIFTS ITEMS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE DIVA DANCEWEAR BOUTIQUE IN THE LOBBY AT EACH PERFORMANCE.

# SUMMER AT DANCE ARTS ACADEMY

## DANCE CAMPS

Children's Dance Camps are available at DAA in June, July, and August. Please see the full schedule attached. Enroll online at [www.danceartstraverse.com/dance-camps/](http://www.danceartstraverse.com/dance-camps/)

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## THE NUTCRACKER AUDITIONS

**August 10-11 :: Times TBA**

- Audition details available in mid-May
  - Dancers Ages 7 and Up
  - Minimum 3 years of previous dancing training
  - Dancers interested in earning a part in The Nutcracker should attend classes this summer.
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## SUMMER INTENSIVE

We expect all ITP students continue their training through the summer. Students attending our Summer Intensive will remain in their same level as during the school year. This is a great opportunity for your child to continue training and try other disciplines, without the added pressures of academic classes. **Summer Intensive enrollment at DAA is mandatory for CDT Auditions.**

**4-Week Summer Intensive:** ITP 1 Level/Mini Co & Up

Week 1 | June 20-23

Week 2 | June 27-30

Week 3 | July 25-28

Week 4 | August 1-4

Mini Level 1:00-3:00 (Mon/Wed Wks 1&2, Mon/Wed/Thur wks 3&4)

Junior, Teen, & Senior Levels 10:00-2:00 (Mon-Thur)

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## 2022-2023 COMPANY DANCE TRAVERSE AUDITIONS

**August 8-9 :: Times TBA**

- Application & Information available at the desk in mid-May.
  - Dancers ITP 2 Level & Up
  - We will form a new Mini Company in 2023
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## GUEST ARTIST WORKSHOPS

*(Times TBD)*

Andy Pellick: Week of August 29

Suzi Taylor: September 9-11