

DIRECTOR'S  
MESSAGE

Step by Step School of  
Dance Presents ...



DANCING THROUGH  
THE DECADES.

Celebrating  
**17**  
YEARS

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As we close the curtain on the 2024-2025 Dance Season, we celebrate another remarkable year at Step by

Step School of Dance. Each season adds a new chapter to our story, and this one has been filled with energy, growth, and an incredible sense of community.

This year, our dancers are taking you on a vibrant journey "Dancing Through the Decades," showcasing styles, music, and moves that have defined generations. It's been such a joy watching our students embrace the rhythms of the past while creating unforgettable memories in the present.

To our dancers, thank you for your dedication, creativity, and hard work. You've brought each era to life with passion and flair, and we are so proud of everything you've accomplished.

To our amazing SBS teachers, your love for dance and your students shines in every step. Thank you for guiding, inspiring, and nurturing our dancers with such heart.

And to the parents, guardians, and grandparents, thank you for being the steady support behind the scenes. Your encouragement fuels everything we do.

We invite you to sit back and enjoy this time-traveling celebration of music, movement, and memories. I can't wait to see each dancer light up the stage, one decade at a time!

Let the rhythm take you back and the show begin!

With gratitude,  
Miss Becky

**Taking you on an "Escapade"**  
*Bold Moves & Big Style Open the Show With a Bang!*

Keira Brigden, Alyssa Hogle, Becca Isaac, Amber-Victoria Lodge, Evelyne McKinnon, Leah Olmsted, Penelope Smith, Darcy Thomson

**"Jailhouse Rock"**  
*Breaks Loose!*

Lyla Anderson, Isabel Escobar, Lilian Kelland, Lennon Sarazin, Freya Sceviour, Zelda Van Daele

*A dreamy escape!*  
**"SOMEWHERE OVER THE RAINBOW"**

Alice Gangnier, Jasmine Hashemian, Rose Walsh

**SOLID GOLD!**

*"24K Grooves" show off some funky hip hop moves*

Levi Gardiner, Kathleen Giacomini, Hailey Schijns, Liam Sculthorpe, Norah Vokey

**Don't You Wanna Dance?**  
*Dancers light up the stage with "I Wanna Dance with Somebody"*

Vivian Coristine-Sears, Riley Rollins, Clare Sheridan, Hayes Shulman, Kate Wojcik

**BE ADVISED: Eerie Elegance!**  
*Pas de trois moves through the "Sound of Silence"*

Kira Barnes, Becca Isaac, Vanessa Matias

**Solo Spotlight!**  
*Soloist will tap you head over heels in "Falling in Love"*

Alyssa Hogle

**"LA VIE EN ROSE" TWIRL INTO THE SPOTLIGHT WITH SPARKLE**

Claire Beaton, Lilian Kelland, Charlotte McKinnon, Eva Ramsay

**BROADWAY BOUND!**  
*Duo steals the show with "Hard Knock Life"*

Isabel Escobar, Freya Sceviour

**"Can't Turn You Loose"**  
*gets the crowd moving*

Machik Dornellas, Alice Gangnier, Neelia Karimi-Shirazia, Anna Richardson, Sophia Sculthorpe, Jasmine Thanomwongs, Rose Walsh, Vanya Wojcik

**"It's All Coming Back To Me"**  
*emotes with skill, and soul*

Angelia Bacic, Annabelle Bard, Kira Barnes, Desiree Clarke, Zoe Lemay-Carr, Kimberly McCracken, Penelope Smith, Darcy Thomson

**WARNING: RHYTHM REBOOT**

*"Tainted Love" brings classic edge and percussions to the tap floor*

Neve Doyle, Alicia Matias

**Pretty in pink! Mini ballerinas delight with "Material Girl"**

Ofelia Brown, Isabel Glanville, Mia Sculthorpe, Ava Service

**TIME TO SLOW DOWN**

*"Slow Me Down" captivates with soft strength*

Chloe Fleming, Olivia Sultan

**Locked In!** *"The Chain" links together with power and precision*

Angelia Bacic, Kira Barnes, Keira Brigden, Desiree Clarke, Riley Edgerton, Alyssa Hogle, Becca Isaac, Amber-Victoria Lodge, Vanessa Matias, Kimberly McCracken, Evelyne McKinnon, Leah Olmsted, Shiloh Richards, Penelope Smith, Darcy Thomson

**"Landslide" flows with grace**

Vivian Coristine-Sears, Alicia Matias, Clare Sheridan

**FUN IN THE SUN**

*"Holiday" brings vacation vibes & bright energy*

Isabel Escobar, Hailey Schijns, Norah Vokey

**SHE RULES THE ROOM!**  
*"Man's World" takes centre stage*

Evelyne McKinnon

**EXTRA! EXTRA!**  
**THANK YOU TO THE BACKSTAGE HEROES!**

*your support keeps the spotlight shining*



*Artistic Director*  
Miss Becky

**Teachers:**

Miss Karen	Miss Alexa
Miss Chelsea	Miss Sarah
Miss Mercedes	Miss Maddie
Miss Cassandra	Miss Nicole
Miss Emily	Miss Gabby
Miss Lidia	Miss Ellin

**Assistant Teachers:**

Miss Becca	Miss Darcy
Miss Desiree	Miss Pemi
Miss Vanessa	Miss Kimberly



*Christine Blais, for being our amazing Director of Finance and Operations.*

*Karli Robidoux, for our competitive team photos & incredibly beautiful Recital set up & decor.*

*Julia Heggen, for for being our costume alterations lifesaver!*

*Jacob for being our awesome Admin.*

**ALL EYES ON HOLLYWOOD**  
*"City of Stars" shines!*

Nolan Blais, Amy Clarke, Desiree Clarke, Jillian Knoyle, Kimberly McCracken, Shiloh Richards, Penelope Smith, Sadie Smith, Darcy Thomson

**SUMMER CAMPS & CLASSES**

Our 6 week Summer Session begins right after Recital - running from June 2nd to July 10th.

The Summer Mini Session is the perfect time to try a new class or stay in routine to keep improving on your technique and skills.

This Summer, SBS Dance is offering 2 exciting themed weeks of Summer Dance Camps!

June 30-July 4: In My Swiftie Era  
July 7-11: Beach Bash

Each week is packed with games, outdoor play, arts & crafts, and of course - plenty of dancing!

**REGISTRATION FOR THE 2025-2026 DANCE SEASON**

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION OPENS  
FRIDAY, JUNE 20<sup>TH</sup> AT 12:00PM  
IN THE DSP PORTAL

EBR PERKS:  
SAME PRICING FROM 2024-25  
SPECIALITY PRICING & PROMOS  
DISCOUNTED REGISTRATION FEE

**STRIKE A "POSE"**

*Fashion week is canceled, these dancers stole the show*

Angelia Bacic, Nolan Blais, Keira Brigden,  
Evelyne McKinnon, Leah Olmsted, Clare Sheridan,  
Penelope Smith

**Caught in the current** *"Undertow" pulls us in!*

Becca Isaac

**BALLET IN MOTION**

*"Circles" spiral with softness*

Faye Bouchard, Ripley Fletcher, Ellie Kuntze,  
Kailynne Lansbergen, Sawyer Laughton, Bliss-Eileen  
Maisha, Charlotte Mosier, Madelyn Robidoux,  
Hazel Ross, Sloane Saunders, Freya Sceviour,  
Taylor Wightman

**"Bring It All Back" packs in flips, fun, and friendship**

Melyane Kafando, Alicia Matias, Anna Richardson,  
Mia Rutherford, Madeleine Stallard

*"One Short Day" takes us to the Emerald City!*

Annabelle Bard, Riley Rollins,  
Hayes Shulman, Kate Wojcik

**NEW YORK IS CALLING**

*"I'll Make It Anywhere" struts with big city energy*

Noor Ali, Amy Clarke, Chloe Fleming, Sadie Smith

**WARNING: "UNDER PRESSURE"**  
*brings a blend of bold and beauty*

Angelia Bacic, Kira Barnes, Nolan Blais, Keira  
Brigden, Desiree Clarke, Riley Edgerton, Alyssa  
Hogle, Becca Isaac, Amber-Victoria Lodge,  
Vanessa Matias, Kimberly McCracken, Evelyne  
McKinnon, Leah Olmsted, Shiloh Richards,  
Penelope Smith, Darcy Thomson

**PURE SWEETNESS**

*"You Are So Beautiful to Me"*

Isabel Glanville, Penelope Jodoin

**C'est magique!** *Dancers shine in "Magic in the Air"*

Claire Beaton, Scarlett Fisher, Lilian Kelland,  
Charlotte McKinnon, Eva Ramsay

**Turn it up!**

*"Yeah!" brings bold moves and beats*

Julia Dory, Neve Doyle, Riley Rollins

*"At Last" delivers timeless emotion and grace*

Angelia Bacic, Kira Barnes, Keira Brigden, Desiree  
Clarke, Riley Edgerton, Alyssa Hogle, Becca Isaac,  
Amber-Victoria Lodge, Vanessa Matias, Kimberly  
McCracken, Evelyne McKinnon, Leah Olmsted,  
Shiloh Richards, Penelope Smith, Darcy Thomson

**"Something About the Sunshine"**  
**brings warmth to the stage**

Reese-Jesus Atome, Isabel Glanville, Emma Rice

**OH MAMMA MIA!**

*"Here We Go Again" brings smiles, sparkle and sass*

Paige Corfe, Ariyana Jodoin, Neelia Karimi-  
Shirazia, Anna Richardson, Madeleine Stallard,  
Jasmine Thanomwongs, Vanya Wojcik

**"Candle in the Wind"** *A Rhythmic Tribute To A Timeless Flame*

Nolan Blais, Alyssa Hogle, Averie Joyal,  
Zoe Lemay-Carr, Vanessa Matias

**"PURPLE RAIN"**

*pours out deep emotion and friendship connection*

Becca Isaac, Evelyne McKinnon

**Sweet Dreams!** *"Dream a Little Dream of Me" drifts like a lullaby*

Amaia Aranda, Vivian Coristine-Sears,  
London Laverdure, Riley Rollins,  
Clare Sheridan, Hayes Shulman

**FEEL THE GROOVE**

*"SEPTEMBER" brings funk & flair*

Lyla Anderson, Faye Bouchard, Isabel Glanville,  
Sawyer Laughton, Charlotte Mosier, Madelyn  
Robidoux, Hazel Ross, Sloane Saunders,  
Freya Sceviour, Taylor Wightman

**Echoes of Yesterday: Dancers Revisit "What We Once Had"**

*A Touching Goodbye*

Angelia Bacic, Kira Barnes, Keira Brigden,  
Desiree Clarke, Alyssa Hogle, Becca Isaac,  
Amber-Victoria Lodge, Vanessa Matias,  
Kimberly McCracken, Evelyne McKinnon,  
Leah Olmsted, Penelope Smith, Darcy Thomson

**OUR GRADUATES**



**CLASS OF 2025: TAKING THEIR FINAL BOW**



Alyssa started Ballet at age 3 with SBS at the Richmond studio. In her 2nd year she took a Tap/Jazz combo class, and she was hooked. In 2019, Alyssa was invited to try out for the SBS competitive team. She was so excited and never looked back! She is part of the Dance program at South Carleton HS, which led to at least 1 year where she danced her way through April and May with about 15 different routines running through her head! It is safe to say that dance and SBS have been a significant part of her childhood and life. The lessons and skills learned and friends made will stay with her as she takes her next steps. Alyssa will attend Carleton University in the fall to pursue a Bachelor's of Health Science.



After 10 fabulous years of dancing and competing with SBS, Evelyne is looking forward to her new adventure as she pursues a Bio Medical Sciences degree at Ottawa U starting in September. Her love of dance has her keen to continue performing within her post-secondary community - so keep your eyes open for all that attitude and sass on stage in Ottawa next year.



Becca began her dance journey at 3 years old, taking her very first Ballet class. Over the years she continued dancing, taking classes in Jazz, Hip Hop, Tap, Lyrical and Contemporary - and in more recent years rediscovered her love for Ballet after joining SBS. Becca hopes to continue dancing at OttawaU next year, where she will be pursuing a Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies.



Shiloh started dancing at the age of 11, right here at SBS! She started with a single class in Hip Hop and progressed into taking Lyrical, Musical Theatre, Jazz, and Ballet. Over the 7 years at SBS, she has grown in her dance ability and as an individual, all while making great relationships along the way. She is so grateful for her time at the studio and appreciates all her teachers at SBS for making her the dancer she is today. Shiloh plans to take a gap year after graduation, then hopes to attend Carleton University to pursue a path in an animal or environmental related career.



Amy has participated in dance class since age 5 and has been dancing with SBS for the last 4 years. She enjoys dance and musical theatre and has participated in multiple musical theatre productions both in school and in the community. Amy will be attending Algonquin College next year to complete a Bachelor of Early Learning and Community Development.



Jillian began to explore dancing at age 3 with her first Ballet class. Since then, her love of dance has grown and has explored other styles including Hip Hop when she joined SBS 4 years ago. Since then Jillian has found great delight in Musical Theatre where she has taken on roles from Hamilton and Charlie and the Chocolate Factory. Jillian is graduating from SBS and will later in June graduate from St Paul HS on this very stage where she has spent many hours participating in dance recitals, school plays, and drama classes over the past 6 years. Jillian has been accepted to the Early Childhood Education program at Algonquin College.



Sadie fell in love with dance when she was 4 years old as a little "twinkling toe" in the city of Ottawa dance program. She has been a dedicated dancer at South Carleton High school, dancing for the sold out crowds in the dance show every year. Dance has been a contributing factor to the confident young lady Sadie has grown into and she is so proud to be a member of the SBS family. Sadie will be attending Algonquin College studying towards a Bachelor of Child and Youth Care. Sadie will share her love of dance as she continues to teach the same Twinkling Toes program she attended as a child.

**Inter & Senior Team**



**COMPETITIVE TEAM SPOTLIGHT**

We are so incredibly proud of our Competitive Team Dancers and the fabulous season they've had! Their passion, hard work and team spirit continue to inspire us. The team received multiple overalls, special awards and scholarships at competitions this season - bravo dancers!

Interested in joining our Competitive Team?  
Auditions are being held June 10th for next season's team!

**Mini & Junior Team**

