

DEBUT DANCE FESTIVAL, St. Albert March 19th – 22nd, 2026

FINAL DRAFT updated March 9

***QC means some will have a quick costume change for their next dance number.**

THURSDAY MARCH 19th

REHEARSAL TIME	PERFORMING TIME + NAMES	ADJ	TEACHER	CLASS
11:00 am	12:00pm Elevator	12:30pm	Jenna	JInt4C
1:00pm	2:00pm Mia H.	2:20pm	Jamie	Jazz Solo
1:30pm	2:30pm Glitter and Fame	3:00pm	Jenna	JJr3C
4:15pm	5:15pm The Lost Things	5:50pm	Mikayla	LyrC

FRIDAY MARCH 20th

REHEARSAL TIME	PERFORMING TIME + NAMES	ADJ	TEACHER	CLASS
7:00am	8:00am Jive and Jump	8:30am	Jenna	JJr4C
	Like, Like, Cool!		Jenna	JInt2C
8:15am	9:15am Katelyn Y. *QC	9:35am	Jenna	Jazz Solo
8:45am	9:45am Breakout	10:15am	Mia	JJr2C
9:25am	10:25am Gianna T.	10:40am	Jamie	Jazz Solo
	Layla Y.		Jamie	Jazz Solo
10:35am	11:35am Amelie W.	12:05pm	Jenna	Jazz Solo
11:15am	12:15pm She Wolf	12:30pm	Jamie	JSen2C
11:40am	12:40pm Lexie B.	1:00pm	Jenna	Jazz Solo
	Kennedy S.		Jenna	Jazz Solo
	Mia G.		Jenna	Jazz Solo
12:10pm	1:10pm Invisible Man	1:30pm	Jamie	JSen3C
12:40pm	1:40pm Grace C.	2:05pm	Jenna	Jazz Solo
	Phoebe C.		Jenna	Jazz Solo
	Neriah O.		Jenna	Jazz Solo
	Sabine Y.		Jenna	Jazz Solo
	Grace S.		Jenna	Jazz Solo
4:05pm	5:05pm The Tune Squad	5:30pm	Tara	HHJr-cC
4:40pm	5:40pm Mia H. & Alice P. *QC		Liz	Hip Hop Duet
	Emry H. & Chloe A.		Cassidy	Hip Hop Duet
	Alice P. & Brooke W. *QC		Liz	Hip Hop Duet
	Times 3 *QC		Liz	Hip Hop Trio
5:05pm	6:05pm Smash Moves	6:35pm	Cassidy	HHJr-bC
	Rhythm Builders		Cassidy	HHJr-aC
6:05pm	7:05pm Layla W.	6:55pm	Cassidy	Hip Hop Solo
7:15pm	8:15pm Quiet Motion	8:45pm	Cassidy	HHIntC
	Bak on Track *QC		Liz	HHSenC
7:55pm	8:55pm Raychel F. *QC	9:00pm	Liz	Hip Hop Solo
	Graham T. *QC		Cassidy	Hip Hop Solo
	Valentina D. *QC		Liz	Hip Hop Solo
8:10pm	9:10pm Layla Y.	9:30pm	Liz	Hip Hop Solo
8:40pm	9:40pm What Up Dawgz	10:00pm	Liz	AHH

SATURDAY MARCH 21st

REHEARSAL TIME	PERFORMING TIME + NAMES	ADJ	TEACHER	CLASS
7:35am	8:35am Alexis E.	8:55am	Stephanie	Ballet Solo
	Mia H.		Stephanie	Ballet Solo
8:05am	9:05am Caleb A. & Layla Y.	9:20am	Stephanie	Ballet Duet
8:30am	9:30am Victoria C.	9:50am	Stephanie	Ballet Solo
	Lexie B. *QC		Stephanie	Ballet Solo
9:00am	10:00am Finding Home	10:20am	Stephanie	BInt4C
	Luminous Tides		Stephanie	BSen2C
9:30am	10:30am Storm Troopers	10:50am	Bronwyn	BJr2C
10:20am	11:20am La Vie en Rose	11:40am	Bronwyn	BJr3-bC
11:30am	12:30pm Petals and Light	12:20pm	Stephanie	BInt2C
12:05pm	1:05pm Gemma D.	1:30pm	Stephanie	Ballet Solo
	Chiara K.		Stephanie	Ballet Solo
	Emry H.		Stephanie	Ballet Solo
	Kaden H.		Stephanie	Ballet Solo
	Chloe R.		Stephanie	Ballet Solo
	Marenna J.		Stephanie	Ballet Solo
	Caleb A.		Stephanie	Ballet Solo
	Layla Y.		Stephanie	Ballet Solo

12:40pm	1:40pm	Fairy Festival	2:05pm	Bronwyn	BJr3-aC
		Out of the Box		Stephanie	BJr4C
1:15pm	2:15pm	In The Stillness	2:35pm	Stephanie	BSen3C
1:45pm	2:45pm	Noa A.	2:55pm	Cindy	Theatre Solo
2:05pm	3:05pm	Marenna J. & Paige K.	3:10pm	Stephanie	Theatre Duo
2:20pm	3:20pm	Off Duty	3:40pm	Cindy	MTJrC
2:50pm	3:50pm	Gianna T. *QC	4:20pm	Stephanie	Theatre Solo
		Layla Y. *QC		Stephanie	Theatre Solo
		Dehanna P. *QC		Stephanie	Theatre Solo
		Paige K. *QC		Stephanie	Theatre Solo
4:00pm	5:00pm	The Group Chat	5:20pm	Cindy	MTIntC
		Hygge		Stephanie	MTSenC
4:30pm	5:30pm	Sarah G.	5:50pm	Mia	Theatre Solo
		Phoebe C.		Mia	Theatre Solo
		Makayla K.		Mia	Theatre Solo
5:25pm	6:25pm	Bathing Beauties	6:40pm	Mia	Theatre Trio
6:15pm	7:15pm	Ella H. & Avery S.	7:30pm	Mikayla	Contemp Duo
		Julia M. & Lily P.		Mikayla	Contemp Duo
6:40pm	7:40pm	Chloe R.	8:05pm	Mikayla	Contemp Solo
		Gianna T.		Mikayla	Contemp Solo
		Addie S.		Mikayla	Contemp Solo
		Dehanna P.		Mikayla	Contemp Solo
		Marenna J.		Mikayla	Contemp Solo
		Avery S.		Mikayla	Contemp Solo
7:15pm	8:15pm	Karen S. *QC	8:45pm	Brittaney	Tap Solo
		Courtney L. *QC		Stephanie	Theatre Solo
		Grace S. & Caitlin C. *QC		Cindy	Tap Duet
		Claire T. & Laura T.		Cindy	Tap Duet
		Layla Y. & Courtney L. *QC		Brittaney	Tap Duet
7:55pm	8:55pm	Comfort *QC	9:10pm	Brittaney	AContemp
		Y2K *QC		Brittaney	AJazz
		The Heist *QC		Brittaney	ATapExp

SUNDAY MARCH 22nd

REHEARSAL TIME	PERFORMING TIME + NAMES	ADJ	TEACHER	CLASS
7:50am	8:50am			
		9:10am	Cindy	TJr2C
			Cindy	TJr3C
			Cindy	TJr4C
8:45am	9:45am	10:20am	Cindy	TInt4C
			Cindy	TSen2C
			Cindy	TSen3C
9:30am	10:30am	10:40am	Cindy	Tap Solo
9:50am	10:50am	11:00am	Cindy	TInt2C
10:10am	11:10am	11:30am	Cindy	Tap Solo
			Cindy	Tap Solo
			Cindy	Tap Solo
10:40am	11:40am	11:50am	Cindy	Tap Duet
			Cindy	Tap Duet
11:00am	12:00pm	12:10pm	Cindy	Tap Solo
			Cindy	Tap Solo
			Cindy	Tap Solo
11:25am	12:20pm	12:35pm	Cindy	Tap Duet
			Cindy	Tap Duet
			Cindy	Tap Duet
11:45am	12:45pm	1:15pm	Mikayla	Contemp2C
			Mikayla	Contemp SmGr
			Mikayla	Contemp3C
12:45pm	1:45pm	2:20pm	Mikayla	Contemp1C
			Mikayla	Contemp Line
1:30pm	2:30pm	2:40pm	Mikayla	Contemp Solo
			Mikayla	Contemp Solo
			Mikayla	Contemp Solo
			Mikayla	Contemp Solo
1:50pm	2:50pm	3:05pm	Mikayla	Contemp Solo
			Mikayla	Contemp Solo
2:15pm	3:15pm	3:45pm	Mikayla	Contemp Solo

		Alexis E.		Mikayla	Contemp Solo
2:55pm	3:55pm	Danae S.	4:10pm	Mikayla	Contemp Solo
		Mia G.		Mikayla	Contemp Solo
		Emma Jane S.		Mikayla	Contemp Solo

SHOWCASE *updated March 9*

- The Showcase will take place on Sunday, March 22 from 6:00-8:00pm.
- Tickets for the Showcase are SEPARATE from DAY or EVENT passes purchased. These tickets will be available on Sunday at 3:30pm; tickets are limited based on seat availability. Anyone wanting to watch the Showcase will need a ticket, event dancers included!
- Tickets for Showcase will cost \$7, with a portion going to charity
- The Showcase will consist of the TOP 5 GROUPS in DIVISION 1 – 4. These routines will be periodically updated through out the weekend around the venue.
- Showcase routines will be finalized by SUNDAY, MARCH 22 by 3:30pm.
- Doors open at 5:30pm; Showcase will commence at 6:00pm sharp.
- There will be a winner and runner up for each division based on Adjudicator's Choice!

ENTRANCE FEES / PARKING *updated March 9*

- Admission: CASH ONLY \$10 – DAY Pass \$40 – EVENT Pass (without program) \$45 – EVENT Pass (includes program) Children 4 and under are free, \$7 – Program, \$3 – Pen, – Showcase ticket \$7

PARENT NOTES

- **HELD:** Arden Theatre, 5 St Anne St, St. Albert,
- **ADJ** means adjudication time on stage. ***QC** means quick costume change. Students will need to change into their next costume before they go on for adjudication; they will need to wear their DDA jacket or grad students a DDA crewneck.
- Parents to just drop off students at rehearsal area.
- Student dancers are FREE to watch in the theater but must cover up costume if going in before performing.
- You may go into the theater after dropping your child off at rehearsal area.
- Students will come out and meet you in the lobby after adjudication. You may stay to watch or leave for the day.

STUDENTS

- Start stretching in the rehearsal room while waiting for your teacher.
- **Stay with your group at all times!**
- You must return to the stage for adjudication, unless you have a quick costume change.
- Dancers must wear their DDA jackets over costume when watching dances in the audience.
- If you have changed into a different costume, wear your DDA jacket on stage for adjudication.
- Try to take the opportunity to watch other performances as that is how you learn a lot.
- **Don't forget to follow our Instagram and Facebook for weekend event updates @DEBUTDANCEEVENTS**

ARRIVAL

- Dancers must arrive at in rehearsal hall at scheduled rehearsal time stated in **blue**. No parents are allowed in the practice room/change rooms/backstage
- Arrive ON TIME with hair, make-up & costume on!
- Festivals can run ½ hour ahead of time and students who arrive late to rehearse might not be able to perform!

THEATRE RULES

- All dancers need to return back to the stage for adjudication then they may stay and watch or leave.
- You can only enter or leave the theater between performances.
- As a courtesy to the adjudicators and other spectators, please do not walk through the audience to find a space during a routine, stand at the side until the routine has completed.
- **NO RECORDING DEVICES OF ANY KIND ARE ALLOWED including cell phones! These are strictly prohibited and will lead to DISQUALIFICATION of the person/group on stage. No warnings are usually given.**

REHEARSAL HALL/DRESSING ROOMS *updated March 9*

- **Please do not bring rack & rolls, we need to have room for everyone to change.**
- Parents are **NOT** allowed in order to give performers the space required to prepare for their routines.
- NO FOOD or DRINKS are allowed. Studios that break this rule will be charged a cleaning fee!!!
- Tap Shoes must be carried and can only be worn backstage. Wear running shoes for practice.
- Please remember that this is a shared space, do not leave any valuables. The dressing rooms fill up fast, just bring what you need that day. Debut is not responsible for any missing items. Be respectful of the festival and clean up after yourself,
- Please make sure you have labelled all your items, that is the only way they can be returned if found.

PROPS *updated March 9*

- All props **MUST** be removed after each session and removed from the theatre after the session is over.
- At the back of the theatre there is loading dock for props. Please unload props and move truck or trailer after unloading to allow everyone a chance to use the loading dock.