

APRIL



APRIL BIRTHDAYS!

Miss Lauren 3/15
Happy Belated!

1st Grace Stansfield
2nd Chloe Carrig
5th Charlotte Miller
6th Gisella DeLuca
13th Olive Fortner
14th Lucy DiMaio

16th Landon Smith
18th Avery Farrelly
19th Kennedy Crozier
24th Vivian Manocchio
25th Penelope Horton
26th Leighton Scoville
28th Riley Jackson

Miss Nicole 4/19

We hope you have the best day!

DGRI STORE IS OPEN!



DGRI - Nike Heritage Cotton Twill Cap
\$35.00 USD



DGRI Carhartt Insulated cooler bag
\$36.00 USD



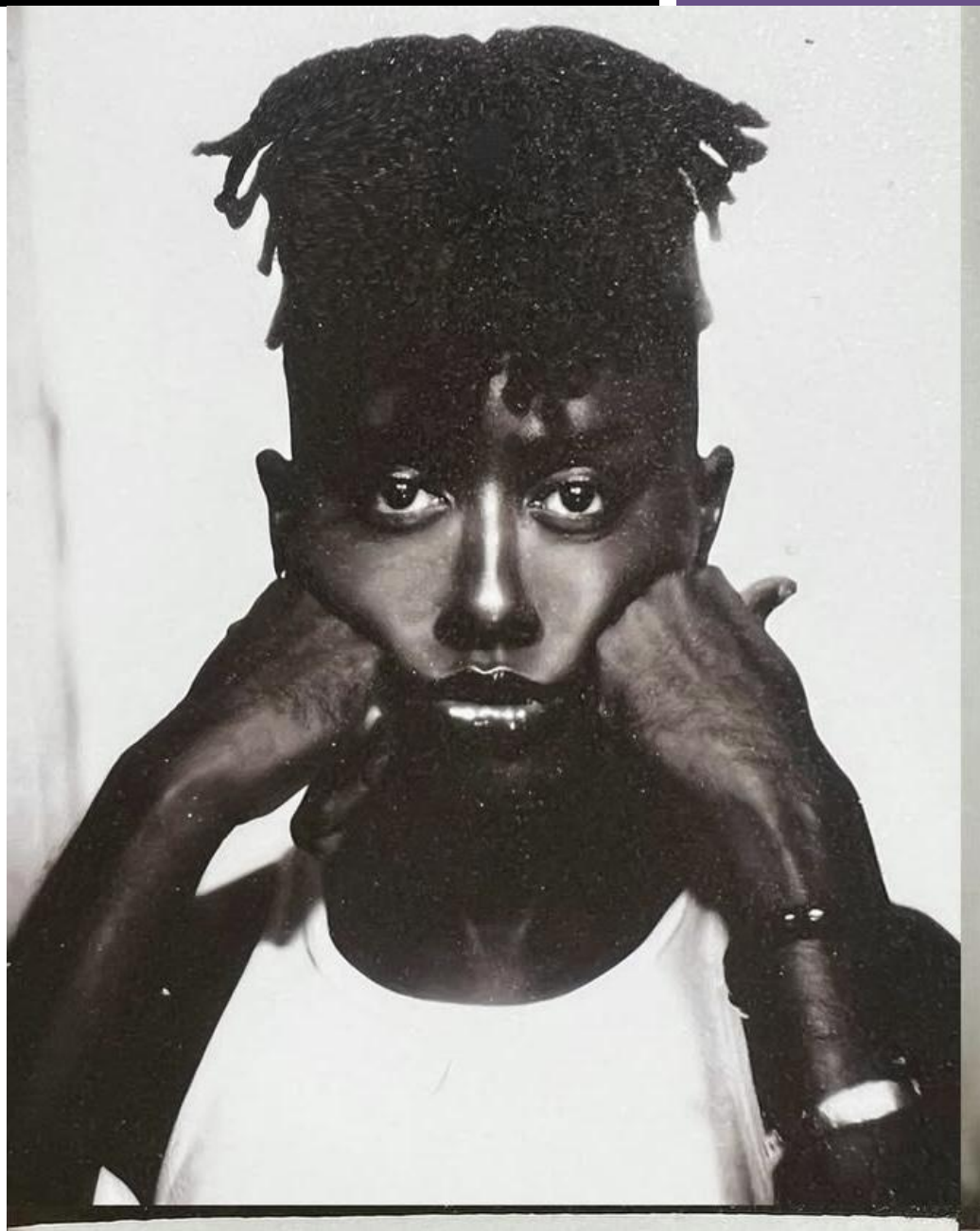
DGRI - Compression 3" Shorts
\$25.00 USD



Defying Gravity - Long Sleeve T-Shirt
From \$25.00 USD

**GET YOUR
DG GEAR TODAY!**





NOAH ANDRADE MASTERCLASS SATURDAYS!

APRIL 4

MAY 9

JUNE 6

JUNE 13

12:30-1:45 PM INTERMEDIATE AGES 7-12

1:45-3:00 PM ADVANCED AGES 11 & UP

3:00-6:00 PM PRIVATE SLOTS

REGISTER ON STUDIO PRO!



DG COMPANY

Ready to take your dancing to the next level?

Be part of something extraordinary!

PARENT INFO

SESSION (mandatory)

MAY 9th

11:30-12:30 PM AGES 6 & UNDER

NEW INFO!

12:30-2:00 PM AGES 7+ (LEVELS 1 & 2)

2:00-3:30 PM AGES 7+ (LEVELS 3 & 4)

AUDITIONS

MAY 30th

11:30-12:30 PM AGES 6 & UNDER

12:30-2:00 PM AGES 7+ (LEVELS 1 & 2)

2:00-3:30 PM AGES 7+ (LEVELS 3 & 4)

Make-up June 1st 7pm by approval

Ballet & Jazz Only

Solo Requirement: Prepare a 30-second solo (any style/music) to be performed immediately following your group audition session.



Registration opens May 9th

\$20 per dancer

DGRdance.com



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SUMMER DANCE INTENSIVES

JULY 13-17
AUGUST 3-7

*more details & faculty lineup coming soon!

This summer, take your dancing to the next level! Our Summer Dance Intensives feature an exciting mix of styles and inspiring instructors, giving dancers the chance to grow, explore, and be challenged in a fun, high-energy environment.

Registration opens Feb. 16
DGRDANCE.COM
or call (401) 864-2040



APRIL 13th is RESTAURANT NIGHT!!!

TAVERN IN THE SQUARE

Support the DGRI Boosters and our Company dancers by enjoying a delicious meal at TAVERN IN THE SQUARE!

ALL DAY!
15% all sales including libations
ONLINE
TAKEOUT CALLS
DINE IN
SPECIFY DG BOOSTERS!

TAVERN
IN THE SQUARE



APRIL Student of the Month: CAITLIN HARRIS

I have been dancing for 13 years, and my favorite style is contemporary.

My biggest role models are my parents.

Watching my other teammates succeed helps motivate me to work hard in class.

I am most proud of achieving my head spring.

"Saturn"-Sleeping At Last is my favorite song to dance to!

I always take a second alone to breathe and focus before going on stage for good luck.

One goal I have for myself as a dancer is to be able to improve my scores.

I see myself dancing professionally in the future.

***WE ARE THRILLED FOR YOU AND SO IMPRESSED WITH YOUR
HARD WORK!!!***



Imagine: March 6 - 8, 2026

Congrats!

Adjudicated Results

Solos

- 6 - 5 Stars Elite
- 16 - 5 Stars
- 7 - 4 ¾ Stars

Duos/Trios

- 1 - 5 Stars Elite
- 3 - 5 Stars
- 3 - 4 ¾ Stars

Groups

- 4 - 5 Stars Elite
- 4 - 5 Stars
- 5 - 4 ¾ Stars

Grand Lines

- 1 - 5 Stars Elite

Specialty Awards

Untold Grace, 12 & Up Choreography

Untold Grace, 12 & Up Entertainment

Untold Grace, 12 & Up Highest Scoring Group

¡Ay Caramba!, 11 & Under Entertainment

Golden Tickets

- Mermaid Party
- ¡Ay Caramba!
- It Girls
- Amour
- Untold Grace

Outstanding Technique Awards

- Shake the Room
- Winner Takes It All
- Never Let Me Go
- Untold Grace

Other Awards

Ms. Junior Imagine

- Ava Laflamme

No Labels Improv

- Ruby Swiatocha, Finalist

Special Judge's Awards

- Elite Extensions*: This Is Me
- Elevated Elegance*: Fly

SDA Regional Champions

- Amour
- Untold Grace

Invites (*Scholarship)

- Power Pak*: Shake the Room
- Power Pak*: Winner Takes It All
- WOD Championship*: This Bitter Earth
- Ovation Dance Intensive*: Big Time*

Placement Awards

* Category Winner

8 & Under Showcase Small Groups

- 6th – Mermaid Party*

8 & Under Comp. Solos

- 3rd – Shake the Room*

8 & Under Comp. Duos

- 2nd – Goosebumps*

8 & Under Comp. Small Groups

- 2nd – Dip in the Pool*

8 & Under Comp. Large Groups

- 1st – ¡Ay Caramba!*

9-11 yrs. Comp. Solos

- 7th – Imagine
- Wild Child*

9-11 yrs. Comp. Duos

- 4th – This is Me
- Bang Bang*

9-11 yrs Comp. Large Groups

- 9th – Girls
- 1st – It Girls*

9-11 yrs. Elite Solos

- 7th – Big Time*
- 6th – My Revival
- 4th – Rule the World*
- 1st – Winner Takes It All*
- Song of the Black Swan*

9-11 yrs Elite Duos

- 3rd – I'll Be There*

11 & Under Elite Grand Lines

- 1st – Amour*

12-14 Elite Solos

- 4th – This Bitter Earth*
- 3rd – Between These Hands*
- Work Song*

12-14 yrs. Elite Duos

- 4th – When We're Older*
- 1st – Never Let Me Go*
- Pink Friday*

12-14 yrs. Elite Small Groups

- 2nd – Fly*
- 1st – Untold Grace*

12-14 yrs. Elite Large Groups

- 4th – Bond*
- 2nd – Everest*
- 1st – Dream On*

THE FOUNDATION IS REQUESTING YOUR PARTICIPATION!

**WE ARE RAISING FUNDS FOR
THE GRETE R. BRESSNER SCHOLARSHIP FUND
TO HELP PROVIDE PERFORMING ARTS OPPORTUNITIES FOR
OUR STUDENTS.**



**EACH FAMILY IS ASKED
TO BRING:**

TWO  \$5 SCRATCH TICKETS

**YOUR PARTICIPATION HELPS KEEP DANCE AND THE
PERFORMING ARTS ACCESSIBLE FOR EVERY CHILD.**



**DEADLINE: APRIL 11TH - PLEASE BRING TICKETS
TO THE STUDIO FRONT DESK!**

**THANK YOU FOR SUPPORTING OUR DANCERS AND HELPING DREAMS TAKE
THE STAGE!**

— GRETE R. BRESSNER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

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AWARDED \$34,000 IN SCHOLARSHIPS TO OVER

50 DEFYING GRAVITY STUDENTS!

FIND OUT HOW YOU CAN CONTRIBUTE!

<https://www.grbscholarshipfund.net/>

The Grete R. Bressner Scholarship Fund (GRBSF) is a 501c3 designated Non-Profit organization focused on encouraging children to participate in the performing arts.



Thank you to the
Grete R. Bressner Scholarship Fund!

TINY TUMBLERS & BACK HANDSPRING SUPERSTARS CLINICS


BIG SKILLS START SMALL:
Our Tiny Tumblers will build strength, balance, and confidence while learning foundational acro skills.

\$15

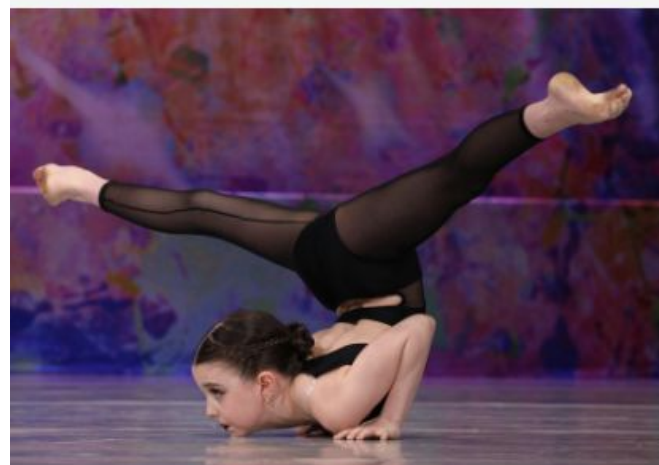
MAY 9 & 16

**Tiny Tumblers
(ages 4-8)
12-1pm**

READY TO LEVEL UP?
Our Back Handspring Superstars will focus on drills, power, technique, and safe progressions to nail their back handspring!

Our Contact
 **401-919-5252**

Register
 **dgridance.com**
click masterclasses



MAY 16

**Back Handspring
Superstars
(ages 7 & up)
1-2pm**

RECITAL 2026

ALL YOU NEED IS



LOVE

REHEARSAL 6.18 @4:30PM

SHOW 6.19 @5:00PM

TICKET SALES ONLINE

APRIL 1ST @6:00PM
\$41 (LAP CHILDREN 3 & UNDER FREE)

COVENTRY HIGH SCHOOL

RECITAL 2026
IMPORTANT INFORMATION

CONGRATULATIONS TO RUBY SWIATOCHA!



JUNIOR
OUTSTANDING
DANCER

TOP
30 SOLO

WORK
SONG

NYCDA NJ



RECITAL COSTUMES

Monday 4:00 Acro/Ballet/Jazz (Miss Hannah)

I FEEL LOVE



Includes:

- Tan stirrup tights
- Hair accessory

Footwear:

- Barefoot

Monday 5:45 Acro (Miss Karen/Miss Hannah)

KISS THE GIRL



Includes:

- Tan stirrup tights
- Arm pieces
- Hair accessory

Footwear:

- Barefoot

Monday 6:30 Boys Acro (Miss Karen/Miss Hannah)

BUSINESS OF LOVE



DIY Costume:

- Black sweat pants
- Cherry red crew t-shirt
- Black Hat (provided)

Footwear:

- Barefoot

Monday 6:30 Tap (Miss Kelly)

Love Potion Number Nine



DIY Costume

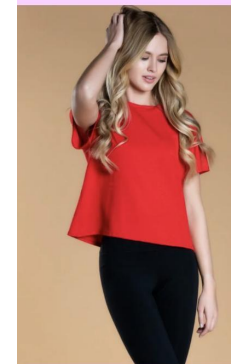
- Cherry Red crop top
- Medium-wash blue baggy jeans

Footwear:

- Black tap shoes
- No socks

Monday 7:30 Tap (Miss Kelly)

L-O-V-E



DIY Costume:

- Cherry red top
- Black leggings

Footwear:

- Black tap shoes
- No socks

Tuesday 4:15 Acro/Jazz (Miss Nicole)

YOU'VE GOT A FRIEND IN ME



Includes:

- Tan stirrup tights

Footwear:

- Barefoot

RECITAL COSTUMES

Tuesday 4:15 Contemporary (Miss Grace)

THIRSTY FOR LOVE



Not Included:

- Black bra top

Footwear:

- Barefoot

Tuesday 6:00 Contemporary (Miss Grace)

SKINNY LOVE



Includes

- Hair accessory

Footwear:

- Barefoot

Wednesday 4:15 Ballet (Miss Nicole)

BEAUTY AND THE BEAST



Includes:

- Pink footed tights
- Hair accessory
- Gloves

Footwear:

- Pink ballet shoes

Tuesday 6:00 Acro (Miss Karen/Miss Hannah)

SIGNED SEALED DELIVERED



Includes:

- Tan stirrup tights
- hair accessory

Footwear:

- Barefoot

Tuesday 7:15 Ballet (Miss Lauren)

LOVE DREAM



Includes:

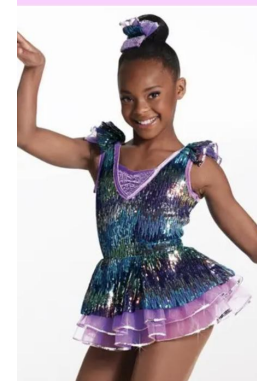
- Hair accessory

Footwear:

- Pink canvas ballet shoes

Wednesday 4:15 Acro (Miss Karen/Miss Hannah)

WHEN WILL MY LIFE BEGIN



Includes:

- Tan stirrup tights
- Hair accessory

Footwear:

- Barefoot

RECITAL COSTUMES

Wednesday 5:00 Contemporary (Miss Grace)

WHEN YOU WISH UPON A STAR



Includes:

- Hair accessory

Footwear:

- Barefoot

Wednesday 5:45 Jazz (Miss Hannah)

SHAKE SHAKE



Includes:

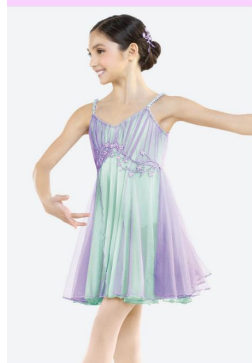
- Tan stirrup tights
- Hair accessory

Footwear:

- Barefoot

Wednesday 6:45 Ballet (Miss Massiel)

SPRING



Includes:

- Pink footed tights
- Hair accessory

Footwear:

- Pink canvas ballet shoes

Thursday 4:00 Hip Hop (Miss Julissa)

BESTIE



DIY:

- Black sweatpants
- Hot pink crop top

Footwear:

- White sneakers
- White crew socks

Thursday 4:45 Hip Hop (Miss Julissa)

CAN'T STOP THE FEELING



Footwear:

- White sneakers
- White crew socks

Thursday 5:00 Jazz (Miss Jamie)

DEAR FUTURE HUSBAND



Includes:

- Tan stirrup tights
- Gloves

Footwear:

- Barefoot

RECITAL COSTUMES

Thursday 5:00 Ballet (Miss Massiel)

ETERNAL ROMANCE



- Includes:
- Pink footed tights
- Footwear:
- Pink canvas ballet shoes

Saturday 9:00 Little Twirlers (Miss Jamie)

I LOVE YOU



- Includes:
- Pink footed tights
 - Hair accessory
- Footwear:
- Pink ballet shoes

Saturday 10:15 Acro/Ballet/Tap (Miss Jamie)

DO YOU LOVE ME



- Includes:
- Tan stirrup tights
 - Hair accessory
- Footwear:
- Barefoot

Thursday 5:45 Ballet/Tap (Miss Jamie)

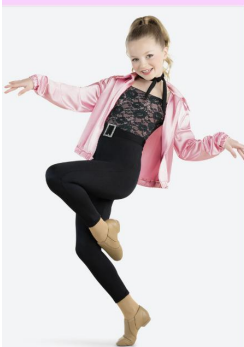
WHEN SHE LOVED ME



- Includes:
- Pink footed tights
 - Hair accessory
 - Bear
- Footwear:
- Pink ballet shoes

Saturday 9:30 Acro/Ballet/Tap (Miss Jamie)

YOU'RE THE ONE THAT I WANT



- Includes:
- Tan footed tights
- Footwear:
- Black tap shoes

Saturday 10:45 Hip Hop (Miss Julissa)

MIRRORS



- DIY:
- Black sweatpants
 - Silver metallic tank
- Footwear:
- White sneakers
 - White crew socks

Embody: March 20 - 22, 2026

Well Done!

Adjudicated Results

Solos

- 6 – It's Your Time
- 22 – You Are Resilient
- 2 – You Are Enough

Duos/Trios

- 2 – It's Your Time
- 3 – You Are Resilient
- 2 – You Are Enough

Groups & Production

- 6 – It's Your Time
- 8 – You Are Resilient

Other Awards

Overall High Score 12 & Under

- Fly

Outstanding Technique

- Everest

Outstanding Choreography

- Untold Grace

Nationals Invitations

- Amour
- Fly

Convention Call Outs

*Closing Show Performance, *Elect "I see you"

- Ruby Swiatocha:** Hip Hop, Contemporary Jazz*, Contemporary Lyrical, Contemporary, Commercial Jazz
- Ella Orr:** Contemporary Lyrical
- McKenzie St. Lawrence:** Contemporary Jazz*, Contemporary*
- Regan Kershaw:** Contemporary
- Lola Lourenco:** Commercial Jazz
- Vivianna Lourenco:** Commercial Jazz
- Lexi Harrington:** Commercial Jazz
- Kailey Tavares:** Commercial Jazz

Scholarships & Invites

- Ruby Swiatocha:** T-Milly 5-class pass, Embody Whole Mover
- Hannah Fontaine:** EMCO
- Michaela Fox:** EMCO
- Regan Kershaw:** EMCO
- Kailey Tavares:** EMCO
- Nadia Gabriel:** Nationals Scholarship (50%)
- Lexi Harrington:** Nationals Scholarship (50%)
- Ella Orr:** Nationals Scholarship (50%)
- Vivianna Lourenco:** Nationals Scholarship (Full)
- Rhea Marcello:** Nationals Scholarship (Full)
- Lola Lourenco:** Embody Whole Mover, Runner Up
- McKenzie St. Lawrence:** Embody Whole Mover, Runner Up

Closing Show Hip Hop Divas

- Marlena DeLuca**
- Steph Harrington**
- Katelyn Tavares**

Special Judges' Awards

- Broadway Bound:* Born to Entertain
- Brilliantly Balanced:* Between These Hands
- Sparkling Stage Presence:* Mermaid Party

Placement Awards

* Embodiment Award *Closing Show Performance

Emerge Sprout Solos

- 2nd – Beyond
- 1st – Forever Young

Emerge Mini Solos

- 6th – Born to Entertain*
- 3rd – Wings
- 2nd – Shake the Room
- 1st – Imagine

Emerge Junior Solos

- 7th – I'm A Lady
- 6th – Wild Child
- 3rd – My Hometown
- 2nd – Cry
- Applause*

Emerge Sprout Duo

- 1st – Goosebumps

Emerge Junior Duo

- 3rd – Bang Bang
- 2nd – This Is Me

Evolve Mini Solos

- 4th – Rockstar*
- 2nd – Big Time

Evolve Junior Solos

- 11th – Rule the World
- 8th – My Revival
- 2nd – Winner Takes It All
- 1st – This Bitter Earth

Evolve Teen Solos

- 1st – Between These Hands*

Evolve Senior Solos

- 16th – Hopelessly Devoted
- The Joke*

Evolve Mini Duos

- 1st – I'll Be There

Evolve Junior Duos

- 4th – When We're Older
- 1st – Never Let Me Go

Emerge Sprout Small Groups

- 2nd – Dip In The Pool
- 1st – Mermaid Party

Emerge Mini Large Groups

- 1st – ¡Ay Caramba!

Emerge Junior Large Groups

- 4th – It Girls
- 1st – Americano

Evolve Junior Small Groups

- 2nd – Untold Grace
- 1st – Fly †

Evolve Junior Large Groups

- 5th – Bond
- 1st – Dream On

Evolve Teen Large Groups

- 7th – Everest

Evolve Senior Small Groups

- 7th – Bird Gerhl

Evolve Junior Productions

- 1st – Amour

UPCOMING COMP TEAM EVENTS

April 2026

- **4/10-12 – Royal**
- **4/13 – TAVERN Restaurant Night**

May 2026

- **5/1-3 – Showstopper Regional**
- **5/11 - Chick-Fil-A Restaurant Night**
- **5/15-17 Jump, Providence RI**
(optional comp/convention)

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