

A Mermaid's Tale



June 2-3, 2023 | Glen Allen High School

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A Note From The Studio Director

Friends, family, and guests,

Thank you all for coming to our annual recital! West End Academy of Dance is proud to present to you, A Mermaid's Tale! This is a beloved show that we actually put on many years ago. We have re-imagined the story but with all the same under the sea fun that comes along with it. In fact, many of the dancers in this year's production also danced in the first version of A Mermaid's Tale when they were much younger!

Like any production, this recital is a labor of love. From start to finish, this show is brought to you by US, the faculty, staff, and dancers of West End Academy of Dance. From the storyline, to the casting of the show, to the choreography, to the music choices, to the costume selections, props, and set pieces, this has all come together through much collaboration and imagination! The dancers have been working diligently to learn their choreography, and we are so proud of the progress they have each made this year. As you watch the show today, we hope you are as delighted as we are to see these dancers bring their own magic to the stage.

Thank you to the parents, grandparents, family, and friends, who support our young dancers in achieving their dance goals. We feel so fortunate to have each of you as part of the WEAD community and family.

We hope you enjoy the show!

Miss Madison
Owner and Studio Director
West End Academy of Dance

Saturday, June 3, 2023

1:00 pm

Ocean - Choreography and Performance

Choreographed by Miguel Perez

Peyton Carroll | Regan Foster | Ella Fowlkes | Casey Garnett | Christopher Hopkins |
Hannah Jiancristoforo | Clare Martin | Kaia Menear
Brecken Schwartz | Maddie Stevens | Sarah Szvetitz | Ryland Ward

Sea Shells - Ballet I

Choreographed by Mallory Keene

Nathalie Bowles | Lily Cooke | Harper Crook | Elise Dorsey | Hazel Driskill | Noemi
Garcia-Tandy | Izzy Hardcastle | Olivia Jackson | Clay Johnson | Kit Johnson | Caitlin
Kaufman | Palmer Parker | Poe Parker | Susanna Scarbrough | Elena Suarez | Kaidyn
Walker | Lily Way

Clown Fish - Pre-Ballet

Choreographed by Carmen Eguez

Class Helper: Soyars Green

Joni Allen | Abigail Andrus | Nadia Creel | Genevieve Driskill | Dolly Dwyer | Bridget
Enke Cora Foege | Bridge Follo | Eloise Hirth | Cecilia Lee | Libby McConaghy | Karina
Merchant | Gracie Romeo | Rosalie Steinmann | Virginia Tan | Elowen Thorsteinson
Anna Winston

Nelly The Seahorse - Gabby Telfer

Choreographed by Kristina Edwards

Seahorses - Jazz I

Choreographed by Shannon Butler

Delphi Abeyta | Josephine Mae Beekman | Adrina Daudani | Audrey Foster | Cairo
Jonas | Quinn Parker | Alexis Traylor

Sea King - Christopher Hopkins

Choreographed by Miguel Perez

Daughters - Classical Variations

Choreographed by Angelica Rivera

Peyton Carroll | Regan Foster | Kaia Menear | Abigail Mulvaney |
Maddie Stevens

Castle Coral - Jazz II

Choreographed by Mallory Keene

Charlotte Abner | Caroline Alley | Cora Andrews | Eleanor Beegan | Dani Blythe
Penelope Brennan | Leah Cowgill | Helen Fruth | Liliana Grady | Kate Gunn |
Sophie Mailloux | Evelyn Martino | Emery Miller | Ema Nelson
Harper Swortzel | Lacy Tench | Quinn Wiles | Susan Wilkinson

Flo - Michayla Semp

Choreographed by Miguel Perez

Jelly - Meredith Hopkins

Choreographed by Kristina Edwards

Jellyfish - Modern III

Choreographed by Taylor Black

Frances Baker | Jazmine Foster | Christopher Hopkins | Hannah Jiancristoforo | Abigail
Mulvaney | Bronwyn Mulvaney | Ryan Parsons | Ella Rankin | Maddie Stevens |
Betsy Wood

Oysters - Ballet Choreography

Choreographed by Julia Mitchell

Rose Keiper | Mabry Lenzi | Phoebe Shaw

Pearl - Soyars Green

Choreographed by Julia Mitchell

Crabs - Pre-Ballet

Choreographed by Mallory Keene

Class Helper: Anna Schaeffer

Eden Broadnax | Lincoln Caldwell | Evelyn Davis | Delilah Deitz | Riley Doyle | Hallie
Edwards | Fiona Fashandi | Cate Flora | Camille Garrant | Finley Kurfees | Fiona Lin
Addison Murray | Leona Rezba-Patel | Dot Stikeleather | Clara Tassone | Adelyn Tester
Arden Thompson | Nicholas Zagurskie

Bastian - Clara Gould

Choreographed by Lisa Rumbauskas

Sharks - Ballet VIII

Choreographed by Lisa Rumbauskas

Frances Baker | Tannin Forsyth | Jazmine Foster | Regan Foster | Casey Garnett | Christopher Hopkins | Abigail Mulvaney | Brownwyn Mulvaney | Ryan Parsons | Ella Rankin | Maddie Stevens | Ella Winterling | Betsy Wood

Treasure - Hippiity Hoppity

Choreographed by Madison Ellington

Charlotte Abner | Cora Andrews | McKenzie Brockbank | Blair Carver | Claire Corcoran | Quinn Daviduke | Henry Dyer | James Dyer | Anna Fournier | Kate Glaeser | Sophia Goodrich | Ava Lett | Charlotte Lynn | Madeline Mawyer | Claire O'Brion | Charlotte Rayfield | Rebecca Rayfield | Abella Rivera | Amara Rivera | Jovie Turnage | Aoife Victors | Andrew Wurman

Rubies - Ballet I

Choreographed by Julia Mitchell

Class Helper: Mabry Lenzi

Brooke Cannon | Hannah Carpenter | Grace Crowley | Cadence Cummings | Kathryn D'Antonio | Tess Elphick | Lila Israel | Vivienne Israel | Rebecca McLean | Addie Page | Mackenzie Price | Miller Simpson | Alexis Taylor | Wren Waller | Zoe Zelensky

Emeralds - Advanced Basic Ballet

Choreographed by Julia Mitchell

Estelle Brousseau | Emory Burns | Addison Burtch | Lizze Busse | Isabella Dormus | Emma El-Khoury | Isabelle Gordon | Rose Keeper | Stella Kush | Sophia Martin | Vivian Mears | Catherina Newman | Ellia Nickerson | Lila Palmer | Berthe Parker | Keilla Putinas | Kylie Rauch | Reema Salih | Sarah Statelman

Gold - Jazz IV

Choreographed by Miguel Perez

Claire Blakenship | Peyton Carroll | Mary Ellen Chapman | Hannah De Witt | Shara Edley | Ella Fowlkes | Lily Hennesey | Elizabeth Jackson | Hannah Jiancristoforo | Dorothy Mulvaney | Gabriella Telfer

Wind - Ballet III

Choreographed by Angelica Rivera

Eleanor Beegan | Helen Truth | Hadley Kay | Anna Reynolds | Abella Rivera | Amara Rivera | Juliet Smethurst | Lacy Tench

Birds - Tap II

Choreographed by Allie Biache

Caralena Brown | Peyton Carroll | Sophia Farrar | Quinlynn Jones | Rose Keeper | Natalie Lipawsky | Madelyn Quinn | Tessa Rosatelli | Phoebe Shaw | Kiki Suleymanian

Skully - Karah Pace

Choreographed by Allie Biache

Sailors - Musical Theatre Dance

Choreographed by Lisa Rumbauskas

Frances Baker | Peyton Carroll | Mary Ellen Chapman | Shara Edley | Jazmine Foster | Regan Foster | Christopher Hopkins | Hannah Jiancristoforo | Stella Kush | Jackie Liang | Kaia Menear | Abigail Mulvaney | Dorothy Mulvaney | Ryan Parsons | Ella Rankin | Gabriella Telfer | Ryland Ward

Captain Isa - Riley Guyer

Choreographed by Tana Mardian

Pirates - Hip Hop I

Choreographed by Logan Glancy

Carrington Aaron | Elphaba Bradby | Emily Burt | Katie Dau | Sophia Farrar | Bridget Foster | Julianna Gasper | Lucy Jiancristoforo | Sydney Lenzi | Natalie Lipawsky | Jane Martino | Kinsley Matthews | Catherine McCall | Raina Patel | Charlotte Payne | Maxie Pearson | Victoria Sessa | Sophie Walker

Chef Pierre - Ryland Ward

Choreographed by Lisa Rumbauskas

Beachgoers - Ballet II

Choreographed by Carmen Eguez

Inez Barrett | Theadora Broadnax | Lydia Davis | Savannah Davis | Eve Fagan | Darcy
Fallek | Kirsten Hunt | Noorah Hussain | Sidney Judson | Natalina Juranis | Giulise Mates
Emma Patel | Alisha Srivastava | Elise Tester | Emery Thompson | Emma Unroe
Emerson Yu

Dolphins - Jazz V

Choreographed by Miguel Perez

Frances Baker | Jazmine Foster | Casey Garnett | Christopher Hopkins
Kaia Menear | Abigail Mulvaney | Brownyn Mulvaney | Ryan Parsons | Ella Rankin |
Maddie Stevens | Ella Winterling

Kite Flyers - Modern II

Choreographed by Taylor Black

Peyton Carroll | Hannanh De Witt | Regan Foster | | Dorothy Mulvaney | Karah Pace |
Garbiella Telfer | Ryland Ward | Alexandra Youngquest

Ophelia - Tannin Forsyth

Choreographed by Lisa Rumbauskas

INTERMISSION

Angler Fish - Advanced Hip Hop II

Choreographed by Jeanie Nam

Claire Blankenship | Estelle Brousseau | Emma El-Khoury | Jazmine Foster | Sophia George | Riley Guyer | Meredith Hopkins | Emily Grace Honeycutt | Seith Hang | Sonna Hwang | Elizabeth Jackson | Hannah Jiancristoforo | Kaia Menear | Bronwyn Mulvaney | Ryan Parsons | Ella Rankin | Kylie Rauch | Annie Redmond | Ella Winterling

Seaweed - Ballet V/VI

Choreographed by Julia Mitchell

Marita Allen | Ella Fowlkes | Lily Hennesey | Esmarie Henry | Alela Kalemдарoglu | Chi Le | Madelyn Quinn | Anna Schaeffer | Lizzy Schardt | Brecken Schwartz | Phoebe Shaw | Chloe Wells

Trixie and Bixie - Sophia George & Seith Hwang

Choreographed by Jeanie Nam

The Sea Witch - Maddie Stevens

Choreographed by Miguel Perez

Potion - Commercial Contemporary

Choreographed by Miguel Perez

Frances Baker | Peyton Carroll | Mary Ellen Chapman | Jazmine Foster | Regan Foster | Christopher Hopkins | Hannah Jiancristoforo | Clare Martin | Kaia Menear | Ryan Parsons | Ella Rankin | Sarah Szveitiz

The Voice - Casey Garnett

Choreographed by Angelica Rivera

Townspeople - Adult Ballet

Choreographed by Patty Mochary

Cortney Whanger | Susie Harris | Yumi Hwang | Katie Painter | Pam Parsons

Jesters -Musical Theatre for Actors

Choreographed by Mallory Keene

Elizabeth Baker | Vivian Mears | Berthe Parker | Kylie Rauch | Jagger Serafim

Flower Girls - Ballet VIII

Choreographed by Julia Mitchell

Tannin Forsyth | Jazmine Foster | Regan Foster | Casey Garnett | Christopher Hopkins
Abigail Mulvaney | Bronwyn Mulvaney | Ella Rankin | Michalya Semp | Ella Winterling
Betsy Wood

Lightning Bolt - Dorothy Mulvaney

Choreographed by Taylor Black

Storm - Tap III

Choreographed by Allie Biache

Mackenzie Crawford | Karah Pace | Lizzy Schardt | Brecken Schwartz

Confrontation

Reunion

Finale

Final Bows

West End Academy of Dance Faculty and Staff

Madison Ellington
Owner and Studio Director

Lisa Rumbauskas
Ballet and Ensemble Director

Allie Biache, Taylor Black, Mallory Brown, Shannon Butler, Kristina Edwards, Carmen Eiguez, Maclaine Ellis, Paul Ghiselin, Logan Glancy, Sharon Handley, Emma Horkan, Mallory Keene, Arianna Lawson, Tana Mardian, Babette Merrill, Julia Mitchell, Patty Mochary, Jeanie Nam, Miguel Perez, Angelica Rivera, Betsy Wood

Special Thanks To Our Backstage Crew and Volunteers:

Glen Allen Athletic Department
Glen Allen Arts Department

Production Manager: Grace Brown

Lighting Technician: Rylie Vann

Sound Technician: Chewie Moore

Photographer: Anthony Johnson

Videography: Matt Polson

Program Design: Schuyler Corrigan

An extra special thank you to all of our parent volunteers, our alumni volunteers, and our backstage crew. This would all be impossible without you!

Congratulations to our Graduating Seniors Class of 2023

We are so proud of your accomplishments! Keep on dancing!

Frances Baker
Jazmine Foster
Casey Garnett
Sophia George
Soyars Green
Abigail Mulvaney
Bronwyn Mulvaney
Ella Rankin
Sarah Statelman
Ella Winterling
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