

DANCE

THE PHILIP CHOSKY PERFORMING ARTS PROGRAM

Call Kathy Wayne, ext. 373.

RDS: Robinson Dance Studio
KDS: Kaufmann Dance Studio

Director

Kathy Wayne, Dance Director, is a graduate of Point Park College with a B.A. in dance. Her professional credits include Tokyo Disneyland, Caesar's Atlantic City and many productions with the Pittsburgh Playhouse.

Philosophy

Our goal is to help your child gain poise, flexibility, strength and an appreciation for the art of dance.

Dress Code Requirements

Hair must be pulled back, longer hair should be in a bun or pony tail

Ages 3-4

- Pink or Black leotard
- Pink tights
- Ballet slippers required for ballet class
- Tap shoes required for tap class

Ages 5 and up

- Pink or black leotard
- Ballet skirts are permitted
- Jazz pants permitted
- Pink or black tights
- Ballet slippers required for ballet class
- Tap shoes required for tap class
- Jazz shoes required for jazz class

Boys

- Black pants or tights
- White T-shirt
- Ballet shoes required for ballet class
- Tap shoes required for tap class

Registration

- Participants must be registered before the first class begins.
- If your child is in Level III or above, please call the Director to discuss your child's placement for this year.

Dance Recital

- Our annual dance recitals are scheduled for late spring.
- Costumes are mandatory for participants in the dance recital and must be purchased by parents in January.
- Students must be registered in January to participate in the dance recital.

PRESCHOOL

Creative Movement: ages 3-4

For our tiniest dancers, we use imaginative play and musical activities to build strength, flexibility and body awareness, as well as gross motor skills, coordination and posture. A blend of basic dance movement and the use of props and stories make this a fun and rewarding experience.

Mondays

September 13-October 25
12:30-1 pm

\$67 KDS

Tuesdays

September 14-October 26
3:15-3:45 pm

\$67 KDS

Thursdays

September 16-October 28
12:30-1 pm

\$48 KDS

3-3:30 pm

\$48 KDS

Pre-ballet: ages 4-5

Beginning ballet skills and terminology are taught with an emphasis on coordination and musicality. Props and dramatic play help to bring out a dancer's creative expression.

Thursdays

September 16-October 28
3:30-4 pm

\$48 KDS

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Pre-ballet/Tap: ages 4-5

Beginning tap and ballet skills and terminology are taught with an emphasis on coordination and musicality. Props and dramatic play help to bring out a dancer's creative expression.

Mondays
September 13-October 25
1:15-2 pm
\$77 KDS

Tuesdays
September 14-October 26
2-2:45 pm
\$77 KDS

3:15-4 pm
\$77 RDS

SCHOOL-AGE

BALLET

Our teaching method is based on the Vaganova, Cecchetti and Royal Academy of Dance syllabi. These classes consist of barre and center floor exercises. Students advance based on their ability to perform given steps.

TAP

Tap is the ultimate in rhythm training. Rhythm, musicality and sound clarity skills are introduced; each level builds on the previous one. Dancers learn a vocabulary of tap steps that will be used to develop fun and interesting choreography. Students advance based on their ability to perform given steps.

JAZZ

Jazz dance incorporates many styles, from modern dance, Broadway musicals and Hollywood movies, to street, folk and popular dance. Through proper warm-up, effective stretching, body isolations and floor work incorporating center floor and across-the-floor combinations, each level builds on the previous one, leading to greater understanding and proper execution of the styles of American jazz dance. Students must be at least 7 years old.

CLASSES

Ballet/Tap 1: grade K

Tuesdays
September 14-October 26
4:15-5 pm
\$77 KDS

Ballet/Tap 2: grade 1

Tuesdays
September 14-October 26
5-6 pm
\$84 KDS

Ballet/Tap 3: ages 7-8

Thursdays
September 16-October 28
4:15-5:15 pm
\$60 RDS

Ballet/Tap/Jazz 4: ages 8-9

Wednesdays
September 15-October 27
4:15-5:45 pm
\$70 RDS

Ballet/Tap/Jazz 5: ages 9-11

Mondays
September 13-October 25
4:15-5:45 pm
\$98 RDS

Tap/Jazz 6: ages 10-14

Wednesdays
September 15-October 27
5:45-7:15 pm
\$70 RDS

Ballet/Tap/Jazz 7: ages 10-14

Mondays
September 13-October 25
5:45-7:15 pm
\$98 RDS

REGISTER ONLINE AT JCCPGH.ORG

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Ballet/Tap/Jazz 10: ages 11-16

Acceptance into the class required.

Tuesdays, 4:15-5:15 pm, Ballet
Thursdays, 5:15-6:45 pm Jazz, Tap
September 14-October 28
\$115 RDS

Ballet/Tap/Jazz 11: ages 12-18

Acceptance into the class required.

Tuesdays 5:15-6:30 pm, Ballet
6:30-7:30 pm, Tap
Thursdays 6:45-7:45 pm, Jazz
7:45-8:45 pm, Ballet
September 14-October 28
\$148 RDS

Jazz 6: ages 9-13

Tuesdays
September 14-October 26
6:45-7:15 pm
\$98 RDS

Hip Hop: ages 9-12

Fridays
October 8-29
3:45-4:45 pm
\$48 RDS

Advanced Contemporary: ages 12-16

Fridays
October 8-29
4:45-5:45 pm
\$48 RDS

ADULT DANCE

Call Kathy Wayne, ext. 373.

Beginner Tap

Wednesdays
September 15-October 27
4-5 pm KDS
\$63/member; \$77/non-member

Intermediate Tap

Mondays
September 13-October 25
6:30-7:30 pm RDS
\$63/member; \$77/non-member

Adult Ballet

Tuesdays
September 14-October 26
10:30-11:30 am RDS
\$63/member; \$77/non-member

Israeli Folk Dancing

Call Jeanne Ronschke, ext. 362.
Cherie Maharam leads a class for
beginners and then a dance-by-request
session.
Thursdays, ongoing
7:30 pm
\$3 suggested donation