

Just For Kix

# AT THE MOVIES

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## Dance Show

About to make a scene.

**SATURDAY, MAY 10TH**  
**SPRING SHOWS - 12:00PM & 3:00PM**  
**GICHI-ZIIBI AUDITORIUM**

## Welcome to Our 2025 Spring Recital: At the Movies!

We are so excited to roll out the red carpet for our spring recital and celebrate another incredible season of dance. Our theme, At the Movies, brings a touch of Hollywood to our shows, but the true stars are our dancers - their energy, dedication, and growth are what truly light up the stage.

From the tiniest beginners to our seasoned performers, each dancer has worked hard, grown in confidence, and poured their heart into these routines. Today's performances are a reflection of their dedication, passion, and love for dance.

So many people make this all possible. To the parents - Thank you for the rides, the support, the late nights, and for trusting JFK with your child's dance journey. It's a true privilege to watch your children grow not only as dancers but as individuals.

To our incredible teaching staff - your creativity, patience, and leadership shape every "beat" and every step. Every moment on stage began with your vision. We are so fortunate to have such a talented and passionate team.

To our office and front desk staff - thank you for all you do behind the scenes! Helping with accounts, answering phones, and fielding countless questions with a smile. Your efforts keep everything moving smoothly.

And of course, to our dancers. You are the heart of this show. You've poured your souls into your performances, and today, we celebrate you. We applaud your hard work, your bravery, and your joy.

We can't wait for you to see what they have in store... **LIGHTS, CAMERA, ACTION!**

Ali Geraets

## 2024-2025 STUDIO STAFF

### Director

Ali Geraets

### Instructors

Alli Mackner  
Amanda Clough  
Amanda Weiss  
Carlos Stroia  
Cindy Clough  
Cierra Meyer-Berg  
Dani Larson-Schultz  
Eva Clough  
Kelly Mankowski  
Lauren Crenna  
Macy Clough  
Madi Hjermsstad  
Maya Simmering  
Sharaia Goble

### Assistants

Camryn Anderson  
Beatrice Hartwig  
Bailey Mackereth  
Breckyn Mankowski  
Ezmae Carnes  
Kendal Crenna  
Louie Korhonen  
Maddie Raskin  
Morgan Carey  
Teagan Stout

### Desk Staff

Mackenzie Grams  
Shawn Rivard

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## SOLO & DUET DANCERS



WE ARE SO PROUD OF THE ADDITIONAL HARD WORK THESE DANCERS PUT INTO THIS SEASON WITH EITHER A SOLO OR DUET. SO MUCH GROWTH WAS MADE WITH EACH OF THEM! WE ARE SO PROUD!

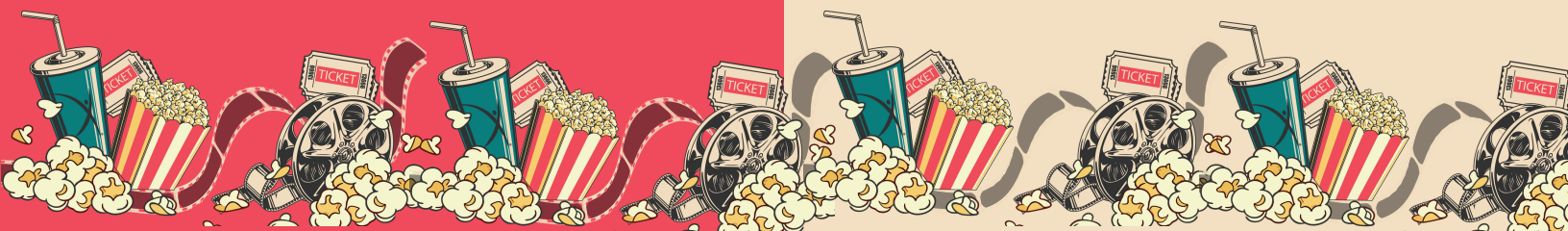


# 12:00PM SHOW

Opener- Starlites, Rising Stars, Dream Team, Elite	AT THE MOVIES!
Sweetie Pies Wednesday 2-4 Year Olds (Macy)	TAP TAP TAP
Cupcake Cuties 4-5 Year Olds (Lauren)	WHEN WILL MY LIFE BEGIN
Little Stars 3-5 Year Olds (Lauren)	YOU'RE WELCOME
Broadway Babies 3-5 Year Old (Amanda&Kelly)	TOY STORY
Force Hip Hop (Macy)	I FEEL LIKE MONEY
Twinklers Lyrical (Madi)	FLY TO YOUR HEART
Rising & Shooting Stars Kick (Sharaia)	LATIN FIRE
Dream Team Jazz (Macy)	ALWAYS REMEMBER US THIS WAY
Sparklers Lyrical (Ali)	A WISH WORTH MAKING
Shining Stars Kick (Lauren)	MOULIN ROUGE
Elite Hip Hop (Ali/Sharaia)	HEY NOW
Twinklers Jazz (Sharaia)	TAKE ME TO RIO
Starlites Kick (Ali)	BELL HOPS
Rising Stars Jazz (Ali)	QUEEN OF HEARTS
Sparklers Jazz (Sharaia)	ROCKSTAR
Shooting Stars Lyrical (Sharaia)	SOMETHINGS GOTTA GIVE
The Crew Hip Hop (Ali/Eva)	I LIKE TO MOVE IT
2nd-5th Grade Father Daughter	FOOTLOOSE
INTERMISSION	
Preschool-1st Father Daughter	SUPERHEROS
Elite Jazz (Sharaia)	BREAKIN' DISHES
Wed Dynamite Firecrackers Kick & Jazz	LET'S GO TO THE MOVIES/
(Amanda & Kelly/Macy)	I BELIEVE I CAN
Mon Flare Firecrackers Kick & Jazz	DOUBLE LIFE/
(Macy/Sharaia)	SPOONFUL OF SUGAR
Shining Stars Jazz (Madi)	OOH LA LA
Rising Stars Lyrical (Ali)	NEXT LIFE
Starlites Lyrical (Ali)	MY WISH
Firecracker Placement (Macy)	SHAKE IT OFF
Twinklers Kick (Lauren)	COME AND GET IT
Sparklers Kick (Lauren)	ALLADIN
Shining Stars Lyrical (Sharaia)	LEARNING TO FLY
Dream Team Lyrical (Sharaia)	ALL AGAIN
Shooting Stars Jazz (Madi)	BANG BANG
Elite Lyrical (Alli Mackner)	POISON & WINE
Starlites Jazz (Sharaia)	BUBBLEGUM
The Troop Hip Hop (Sharaia)	PROVE WHO WE ARE
SENIOR RECONGITION	SENIOR SLIDESHOW
Senior Kix (Sharaia/Lauren)	MISS MINAJ
Finale (2-12th)	

# 3:00PM SHOW

Opener- Starlites, Rising Stars, Dream Team, Elite	AT THE MOVIES!
Sugar Bears Monday 2-3 Year Old (Sharaia)	LET IT GO
Itty Bitty's 2-3 Year Olds (Amanda/Kelly)	BIBBIDI BOBBIDI BOO
Dancing Darlings 3-5 Year Old (Lauren)	WHEN WILL MY LIFE BEGIN
Cutie Patooties 3-5 YO (Macy)	UN POCO LOCO
Showstoppers & Starmakers Kick (Macy)	BRAT MIX
Starlites Kick (Ali)	BELL HOPS
Dream Team Jazz (Macy)	ALWAYS REMEMBER US THIS WAY
Rising & Shooting Stars Kick (Sharaia)	LATIN FIRE
Sparklers Lyrical (Ali)	A WISH WORTH MAKING
Starmakers Jazz (Sharaia)	SLOW IT DOWN
Showstoppers Lyrical (Sharaia)	YOUNG & BEAUTIFUL
Elite Hip Hop (Ali/Sharaia)	HEY NOW
Rising Stars Jazz (Ali)	QUEEN OF HEARTS
Starlites Lyrical (Ali)	MY WISH
Shooting Stars Lyrical (Sharaia)	SOMETHINGS GOTTA GIVE
Elite Jazz (Sharaia)	BREAKIN' DISHES
INTERMISSION	
6th-12th Father Daughter	FOOTLOOSE
Thurs TNT Firecrackers Kick & Jazz (Madi/Sharaia)	WATCH ME WORK/SPOONFUL
	OF SUGAR
Middle Pom (Macy)	CAN'T TOUCH THIS
The Squad Hip Hop (Ali)	LEVITATE
Starmakers Lyrical (Madi)	HOPELESSLY DEVOTED TO YOU
Dream Team Lyrical (Sharaia)	ALL AGAIN
Dream Team Hip Hop (Macy)	PURE WATER
Sparklers Jazz (Sharaia)	ROCKSTAR
Showstopper Jazz (Madi)	WELL HELLO
Starlites Jazz (Sharaia)	BUBBLE GUM
Shooting Stars Jazz (Madi)	BANG BANG
Elite Lyrical (Ali)	POISON & WINE
Sparklers Kick (Lauren)	ALLADIN
Rising Stars Lyrical (Ali)	NEXT LIFE
Starmakers Hip Hop (Madi)	WORK IT
SENIOR RECONGITION	SENIOR SLIDE SHOW
Senior Kix (Sharaia)	MISS MINAJ
Finale (2-12th)	



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# 2025 SENIORS

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Zoe Cervantez



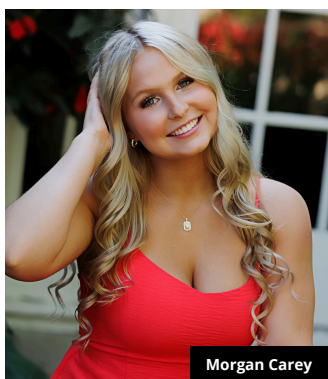
Payton Miller



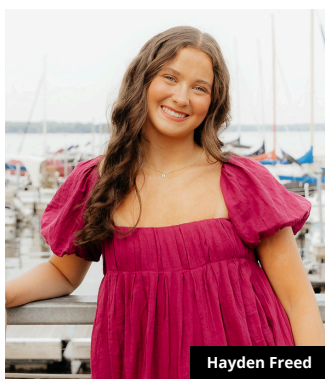
Ivy Debeltz



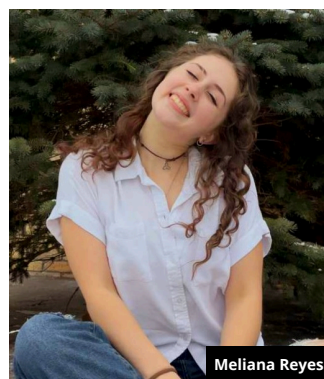
Stella Marohn



Morgan Carey



Hayden Freed



Meliana Reyes

Dear Seniors,

To our amazing senior dancers—watching you grow into the strong, graceful, and confident performers you are today has been one of the most bittersweet things. Your dedication, resilience, and love for dance have left a lasting mark on our studio. As you step into this next chapter, know that a piece of you will always remain on our stage. We are so proud of you and can't wait to see all that you'll accomplish.

- Studio Staff ❤️

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## LAUREN & DANI

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Lauren, it's hard to find the words to fully express what you have meant to our studio, our dancers, and our entire dance family. As we prepare to say goodbye (for now!), we want to take a moment to thank you from the bottom of our hearts for everything you've brought to Brainerd JFK! While we'll miss seeing Lauren in person, we're thrilled to share that she will continue working with JFK remotely, supporting our programs and contributing her talents behind the scenes! Lauren has been an incredible part of our studio family. Her passion for dance, her creativity, and her heart has made a lasting impact on our students, our staff, and our community. Please join us in thanking Lauren for everything she has brought and will continue to bring to JFK. We're so excited for her next adventure in Wisconsin and wish her nothing but the very best. This isn't goodbye... It's a see you later!



After more than 20 incredible years of teaching, mentoring, and inspiring dancers at JFK, Dani will be stepping away from the studio next season. While she won't be in the classroom, we're thrilled to share that she will continue to be a vital part of our team in the JFK office! Dani has been a cornerstone of our studio community. Her dedication and kind heart have shaped the experience of countless dancers and the heart of our studio itself. Dani is always a walking party wherever she goes—always bringing energy, laughter, and a can-do attitude that lifts everyone around her. Whether she's helping with accounts, answering questions, or stepping in to support students she's never even taught, Dani is always there with a smile and a solution. Her impact spans generations and will be felt in our studio for many years to come. Please join us in celebrating Dani and all she has brought to JFK. We are so grateful for everything she's done and so excited for what this next chapter holds as she continues to support the studio in new and meaningful ways. With heartfelt appreciation,  
Your JFK Dance Family



# BRAINERD JFK CLASSES

2024-2025



BROADWAY BABIES 3-5 YO



CUTIE PATOOTIES 3-5 YO



DANCING DARLINGS 3-5 YO



ITTY BITTYS & SUGAR BEARS 2-4 YO



LITTLE STARS 3-5 YO



FLARE FIRECRACKERS K-1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE



THE CREW HIP HOP PRE-1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE



TNT FIRECRACKERS K-1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE





DYNAMITE FIRECRACKERS K-1<sup>ST</sup> GRADE



TWINKLERS JAZZ 2-3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE



TWINKLERS KICK 2-3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE



THE TROOP HIP HOP 2-3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE



TWINKLERS BALLET/LYRICAL 2-3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE



SPARKLERS KICK 2-3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT



SPARKLERS LYRICAL 2-3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT



SPARKLERS JAZZ 2-3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT





THE SQUAD HIP HOP 2-5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT



SHINING STARS KICK 4-5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



SHINING STARS JAZZ 4-5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



SHINING STARS LYRICAL 4-5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



THE FORCE HIP HOP 4-5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



STARMAKERS & SHOWSTOPPERS KICK 6-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



SHOWSTOPPERS JAZZ 6-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE



SHOWSTOPPERS LYRICAL 6-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE





**STARMAKERS HIP HOP 6-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**



**STARMAKERS JAZZ 9-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**



**STARMAKERS LYRICAL 9-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE**



**RIISING & SHOOTING STARS KICK  
6-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT**



**SHOOTING STARS JAZZ 6-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT**



**SHOOTING STARS LYRICAL 6-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT**



**RIISING STARS JAZZ 6-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT**



**RIISING STARS LYRICAL 6-8<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT**





DREAM TEAM HIP HOP 6-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT



ELITE HIP HOP 8-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT



DREAM TEAM JAZZ 9-12<sup>TH</sup> PLACEMENT



DREAM TEAM LYRICAL 9-12<sup>TH</sup> PLACEMENT



ELITE JAZZ 8TH-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT

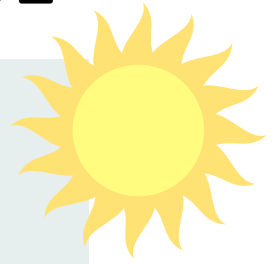


ELITE LYRICAL 8TH-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT



ELITE SENIOR KIX 8-12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE PLACEMENT

# 2025 SUMMER AT A GLANCE



## IMPORTANT SUMMER DATES

### **Preschool Camp (Ages 3-5 YO)**

June 21<sup>st</sup> 9:30-11:00am (Prince & Princess Themed)  
July 26th - 9:30-11:00am (Hawaiian Camp Inspired by Lilo & Stich)

### **Brainerd High School Camp Dates (7th Grade & Up)**

#1 July 7-10th  
#2 July 13-16th  
#3 July 20-23rd

### **Brainerd Youth Camp (K-9th Grade)**

July 17-19th \*Kickin it Kountry themed

### **2025-26 Back to Dance BASH!**

Tuesday, August 19th 4-6pm

### **2025-2026 DANCE SEASON CLASSES START**

First Week of Dance - September 8-12th

## SUMMER CLASS OFFERINGS

Take it to the next level this summer with our summer class offerings!  
Are you ready for the challenge?

### **May Classes**

May 12th, 14th, 19th, & 21st  
from 3:45-5:45pm

### **Summer Teeny/Tiny Session 3-5 YO**

Wednesday 10:00-10:30am

### **LEVEL UP 2nd-12th Grade Technique**

Tuesday & Thursday  
10:00am-11:30am

### **Ballet - Tuesday & Thursday**

\*REQUIRED FOR 25-26 PLACEMENT CLASSES

Elite - 8:30-10:00 am

Dream Team - 10:00-11:30 am

Intermediate 11:30-12:30 pm

Advanced 12:30-1:30 pm

Beginner 1:30-2:30 pm (THURS Only)