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The School of Ballet Arizona Announces 2025 Summer Programs

Ballet Students Of All Ages Can Experience Summer of Growth, Exploration, and Artistry

PHOENIX – The <u>School of Ballet Arizona</u> is delighted to welcome students from across the Valley to participate in its 2025 summer programs, offering exciting opportunities for dancers of all ages and skill levels. This year's offerings include Summer Ballet School, the brand-new Once Upon A Dance Camp, and a summer workshop for adults and teens.

Summer Ballet School is a four-week program designed for aspiring dancers ages 4 to 12. Running from **June 9 to July 3**, this program offers focused ballet training complemented by classes in stretching, modern (Horton technique), character, and choreography. Both the Children's and Lower divisions help students grow in confidence and expand their knowledge under the guidance of internationally acclaimed instructors.

New this year is the school's **Once Upon A Dance Camp**, an enchanting week of movement and imagination for children ages 4 to 6. Campers are invited to wear their favorite princess or superhero costume as they explore creative movement, make new friends, and enjoy daily visits from special characters who will lead themed activities. The camp will be held:

- July 21 to 24th at the school's Mesa campus
- July 28 to 31th at the school's Phoenix campus

For teens and adults ages 14 and up, the school will also host its **annual three-day Summer Workshop**, taking place **June 16 to 18th** at the Phoenix campus. Whether you are a beginner or returning to dance after a break, this evening program offers an engaging and intensive experience with 90-minute ballet technique classes followed by one hour of repertory each night.

"There's so much to experience this summer at The School of Ballet Arizona, and we are thrilled to offer opportunities for dancers of every age to grow, explore, and deepen their love for the art of ballet," said [Insert Name & Title].

Registration:

- Summer Ballet School: <u>balletaz.org/school/summer-programs/summer-ballet-school</u>
- Once Upon A Dream Dance Camp: <u>balletaz.org/dancecamp</u>
- Adult Summer Workshop: balletaz.org/school/adult-classes

For more information about The School of Ballet Arizona and its programs, visit balletaz.org/school.

Ballet Arizona

Since 1986, Ballet Arizona has been dedicated to preserving and celebrating classical dance while creating new and innovative works. Under the new artistic direction of internationally acclaimed choreographer Daniela Cardim - a





former soloist with the Ballet of Municipal Theatre of Rio de Janeiro and Dutch National Ballet - Ballet Arizona is excited to follow her lead to the future of dance in Arizona. During its 38th season, the Valley's professional ballet company will present *Swan Lake*, *The Nutcracker*, the U.S. premiere of *Frida*, *Spring Mix*, *All Balanchine* and *Eroica*. The School of Ballet Arizona, under the direction of Maria Simonetti, promotes access to the art form of ballet through dance education, with a focus on excellence in the form, directing each student to a life-long love of dance. Following this vision, Ballet Arizona connects to more than 22,000 children and families every year through its free and low-cost outreach programs. For more information, visit balletaz.org.

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