

West Point Ballet
presents,
Cinderella.



June, 6th 2021 2pm & 7pm
Burgettstown High School



About Us

Our primary focus is on classical ballet technique, which provides a strong foundation for all other dance forms. West Point Ballet provides superior dance education that is both enjoyable and rigorous for every age and level of instruction. Our training philosophy is to provide excellence in dance education while nurturing the individual. We strive to create an atmosphere based on mutual support and respect where every dancer has the opportunity to grow as a person and as an artist. Even our very youngest students are expected to learn in every class - we prepare our curriculum carefully to ensure our students are equipped to progress.

Our Directors:

Cynthia Castillo and Damien M. Coro both graduated from the Cuban National Ballet School in Havana. They are former dancers of National Ballet of Cuba, Columbia Classical Ballet, and Pittsburgh Ballet Theatre.

Cinderella

Music by **Sergei Prokofiev**

Choreography & Staging--- West Point Ballet Faculty

Synopsis

ACT I,

Scene I: Cinderella Meets Her New Family

Young Cinderella grieves the loss of her beloved mother with her dad and gets ready to meet her new stepmother and stepsisters. The good-hearted man dies years after, leaving Cinderella alone with her new family. The stepsisters and stepmother become nasty creatures to Cinderella whom they have reduced to a scullery maid. All day long Cinderella is made to sweep, clean and polish. Cinderella misses her mother and comforts herself by dancing with the only memory she was able to keep, an old picture. After destroying Cinderella's picture, they all force her to go to the market.

ACT I, Scene II: At the Market

The market is a beautiful place, full of children, vendors, and happiness. Gypsies arrive, followed by street dancers, who perform for the whole

town. The arrival of the prince is announced and to the surprise of all the ladies, a ball will be held to help the prince find his future bride. Invitations are handed out to all the ladies, but the mean stepsisters don't allow one for Cinderella. Suddenly, time stands still, and Cinderella's Fairy Godmother magically appears and gives a special invitation to Cinderella, and with a glance, disappears. The spell is broken, and everyone leaves to get ready for the ball.

ACT I, Scene III: Back at the House

Cinderella is back in the house, exciting thinking of the Ball. Very friendly mice appear and help her get dress for the ball. The stepsisters and stepmother are leaving, but before, they ripped her dress and destroy her invitation. Cinderella, sad and alone, envisions herself attending the ball. She dances around the room with her broom, her handsome imaginary prince. Ultimately, she realizes her prince is merely a broom and collapses by the fireplace, crying inconsolably.

The Fairy Godmother reappears and takes Cinderella far away from her grey, everyday existence to an enchanted realm of beauty and fantasy high up among the stars. There, the wind fairies, the fairies of Spring, Summer, Autumn, and Winter appear, and each offers Cinderella her season's gift. The Fairy Godmother tells Cinderella that, as a reward for her goodness, she shall go to the ball in the most beautiful dress of all. But the Fairy Godmother warns Cinderella that she must leave before the clock strikes midnight, or the magic will fade away, and Cinderella will be a scullery maid once more.

ACT II, Scene I: The Ball

The guests arrive, including Cinderella's stepmother and stepsisters. The Princesses of the East and West dance for the Prince, though he fears true love will elude him. A mysterious music calls everyone's attention to the arrival of Cinderella. She is breathtaking and is mistaken for a princess; even Cinderella's stepsisters fail to recognize her. The Prince is charmed by her beauty, and pursues Cinderella until she dances with him. The guests disperse after the amusing stepsister dance, and the Prince and Cinderella, left alone, declare their love for each other. The waltz resumes and, caught up in the dance, Cinderella forgets the Fairy Godmother's warning. The clock strikes twelve and Cinderella rushes from the palace, losing one of her slippers on the stairs. Dismayed, the Prince picks up the slipper and vows he will find the girl he loves.

ACT II, Scene II: In the Town

The Prince and his friend search for Cinderella, trying the recovered slipper on the foot of every female in the kingdom.

ACT II, Scene III: After the Ball

Cinderella finds herself once again at home. Was it all a dream? She discovers one of her beautiful slippers, and Cinderella knows she really attended the ball and danced with the Prince. Cinderella's stepmother announces that the Prince is visiting to search for the girl who lost her slipper, and they hide Cinderella under a blanket. When the Prince enters, both stepsisters try to cram their large feet into the little slipper, hoping to convince him that it is theirs. Cinderella's other slipper appears from under the blanket, and the Prince immediately recognizes Cinderella as the beautiful princess from the ball. The lovers are united and depart into the golden light of happiness.

“Cast”

Saturday, June 6th (Matinee=M) (Evening=E)

Act I

Scene 1 “Once upon a time”

Father: TJ

Young Cinderella: Maeve McGarvey (M), Abigail Mackin (E)

StepMother: Scarlett Peavy

Young Stepsisters: Emily Giancola & Josie Staab (M)

Bella Fischer & Vilne Apanavicute (E)

Scene 2 “Cinderella’s House”

Cinderella: Megan Davis (M), Alaina Marks (E)

StepMother: Sarah Fischer

Stepsisters: Emma Brannen & Holly Marchionda (M)

Patricia Hohman & Janie Neavin (E)

Scene 3 “Market Square”

Street Vendors: Honour Barthelemy, Madelyn Bartko, Emmaline Bose, Julia Culligan, Madelina DeLuca, Ariana Fischer, Mallory Hauck, Selena

Mackin, Savannah Soriano-Clark, Jackie Snyder, Olivia Tarquinio, Kendyl Wilbourn, Kerrigan Wallover.

Little Peasant Girls: Elise Bachman, Natalya Bartko, Marissa Bose, Cossette Clermont, Marie Faherty, Katherine Giancola, Payton Gilmore, Delaney Hauck, Ripanshi Jain, Callie Johnson, Sasha Luther , Hannah Souder, Sara Suehr, Abigail Tottenham.

Peasant Boys: Will Feldhues, Gabriel Gomez, Daniel Liu, Dante Soriano-Clark, Levi Soriano-Clark, Dylan Staab, Mark Suehr

Merchants: Luke Bachmann, Brett Barthelemy, Jackson Wieland,

Gypsies: Vilne Apanaviciene, Lucca Blumling, Bella Fischer, Emily Giancola, Abigail Mackin, Maeve McGarvey, Josie Staab, Liliana Woessner, Gianna Zisko.

Street/Character Dancers: Soraya Aguglia, Alanna Bachmann, Ella Belfiore, Isabella Cardimen, Cara Cesario, Mia Cesario, Megan Davis, Julia Garvic, Patricia Hohman, Molly Lusty, Holly Marchionda, Janie Neavin, Piper Panek, Lily-Rose Peterson, Ann Marie Ramsey, Abby Soxman, Ava Zisko

Nikolai (Prince's best friend) Jacob Wieland

Prince: Damien M Coro

Scene 4 "The Night"

Little Mice: Emma Bachmann, Alyssa Bartko, Ava Gavazzi, Ashley Hsu, Cheyla Lopez, Vera Meider, Liliana Roberts, Alice Schollaert, Alexa Sheariss, Isabella Torris, Eva Welte, Allison Wenger

Fairy Godmother: Piper Panek (M), Emma Brannen (E)

Wind Fairies: Julia Chrobak, Julia Connolly, Anna Fox, Aviva Gielarowski, Samaiya Gielarowski, Ella Hoffman, Danielle Hohman, Eden Jeffries, Ava Miller, Madelyn Miller, Amanda Scully, Natalie Turcios

Spring Fairy: Kate Gardinier (M), Megan Davis (E)

Spring Fairy Attendants: Ariel Clermont, Gemma Easter, Celia Trautman,

Summer Fairy: Ann Marie (M), Kate Gardinier (E)

Summer Fairy Attendants: Adriana Guido, Tori Haegg, Violet Halligan, Annalisa Seybert

Autumn Fairy: Ava Zisko (M) Piper Panek (E)

Autumn Fairy Attendants: Josephine Clermont, Vera Webb, Maddie Woessner

Winter Fairy: Patricia Hohman (M), Holly Marchionda (E)

Winter Fairy Attendants: Elliana Lisowski, Fiona Faherty, Lorena Gomez

Stars: Soraya Aguglia, Alanna Bachmann, Ella Belfiore, Isabella Cardimen, Cara Cesario, Mia Cesario, Megan Davis, Julia Garvic, Patricia Hohman, Yufei Liu, Molly Lusty, Holly Marchionda, Janie Neavin, Piper Panek, Lily-Rose Peterson, Ann Marie Ramsey, Abby Soxman, Maranda Syrko, Ava Zisko

Act II

Scene 1 “The Ball”

Princesses of the East & Princesses of the West: Soraya Aguglia, Alanna Bachmann, Ella Belfiore, Emma Brannen, Isabella Cardimen, Cara Cesario, Mia Cesario, Megan Davis, Kate Gardinier, Julia Garvic, Patricia Hohman, Yufei Liu, Molly Lusty, Holly Marchionda, Janie Neavin, Piper Panek, Lily-Rose Peterson, Ann Marie Ramsey, Abby Soxman, Maranda Syrko, Ava Zisko

Debutants: Julia Chrobak, Julia Connolly, Anna Fox, Aviva Gielarowski, Samaiya Gielarowski, Ella Hoffman, Danielle Hohman, Eden Jeffries, Ava Miller, Madelyn Miller, Amanda Scully, Natalie Turcios

Royal Sisters: Cara Cesario & Mia Cesario (M), Abigail Soxman & Isabella Cardimen (E)

Flower Girls: Honour Barthelemy, Madelyn Bartko, Emmaline Bose, Julia Culligan, Madelina DeLuca, Ariana Fischer, Mallory Hauck, Selena Mackin, Savannah Soriano-Clark, Jackie Snyder, Olivia Tarquinio, Kendyl Wilbourn, Kerrigan Wallover

.Pas de Quatre: Molly Lusty, Lily-Rose Peterson, Alana Bachman, Maranda Syrko (M)

Ella Belfiore, Julia Garvic, Soraya Aguglia, Yufei Liu (E)

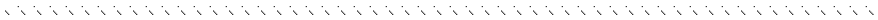
Scene 2 “At the town”

Town Girls: Emma Bachmann, Alyssa Bartko, Ava Gavazzi, Ashley Hsu, Cheyla Lopez, Vera Meider, Liliana Roberts, Alice Schollaert, Alexa Sheariss, Isabella Torris, Eva Welte, Allison Wenger

Peasants: Vilne Apanaviciene, Lucca Blumling, Bella Fischer, Emily Giancola, Abigail Mackin, Maeve McGarvey, Josie Staab, Liliana Woessner, Gianna Zisko.

Town Children: Lily Fleming, Maggie McIntyreDulce Morales, Allison Romero, Leah Romero, Delia Staab, Alice Stacy, Addison Young

Town Ladies: Soraya Aguglia, Alanna Bachmann, Ella Belfiore, Emma Brannen, Isabella Cardimen, Cara Cesario, Mia Cesario, Megan Davis, Kate Gardinier, Julia Garvic, Patricia Hohman, Yufei Liu, Molly Lusty, Holly Marchionda, Janie Neavin, Piper Panek, Lily-Rose Peterson, Ann Marie Ramsey, Abby Soxman, Maranda Syrko, Ava Zisko



Congratulations to our beautiful seniors!!!

We are looking forward to seeing your amazing future!!!

West Point Ballet won't be the same without you.

Love and miss you already,

Cynthia & Damien







