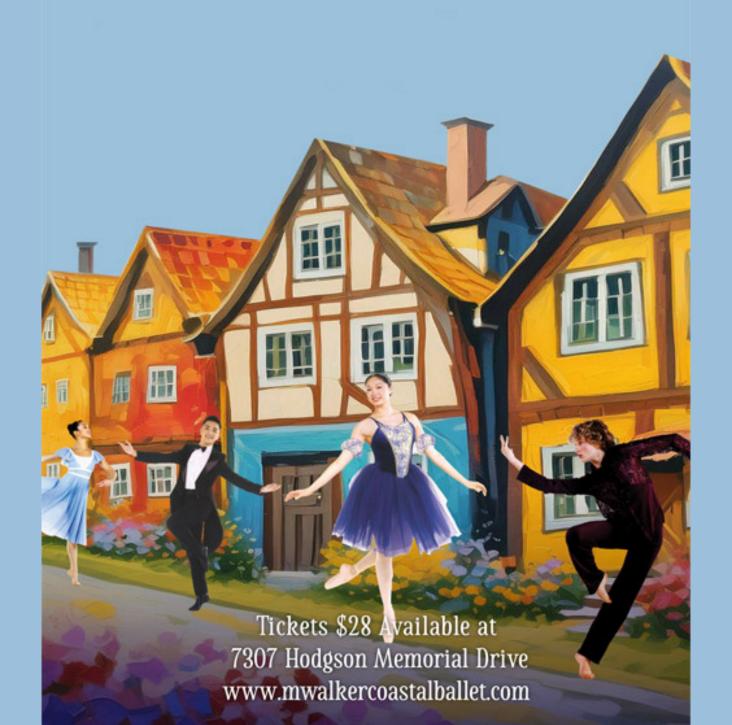
Madeleine Walker Coastal Ballet Theater presents

"Coppelia" and "Decades Of Dance"

Savannah Cultural Arts Center Ben Tucker Theater

Thursday May 8 7:00 pm Friday May 9 7:00 pm



Good evening and welcome to Madeleine Walker Coastal Ballet Theater's "Spring Gala" Performance. We are so excited to share this evening of dance with you. Our Gala program is presented in two parts this evening.

We will start with the beautiful classic ballet "Coppelia." Originally premiering in Paris, May 1870. The music is written by Leo Delibes and the original story written by E.T.A. Hoffmann. The ballet is presented in three acts.

The second part of our Gala evening we present "Dancing Through the Decades". A tribute to the styles and techniques that shape the way we celebrate dance today.

We wish to thank all our wonderful families, especially the mothers who allow us the privilege of teaching our students. We have been blessed to share our love of dance for over 80 years, and thank these wonderful mothers so much for supporting our efforts to train and encourage our dancers. We could not have done it without you! Have a beautiful and happy "Mother's Day." Thank you and enjoy the show.

SPRING GALA 2025

Thursday May 8th and Friday May 9th at 7:00pm "Coppelia"

Our story begins several hundred years ago, in a village square located in a small town in Central Europe. Among the buildings clustered around the square is the home of Swanilda and her mother Greta. Across the way is the house of the town's most mysterious citizen, Doctor Coppelius. He is said to dabble in alchemy and magic but no one knows for sure. As Doctor Coppelius leaves his house he pauses, and looks up to his balcony window. He gestures kindly to the lovely young girl sitting in the window reading a book. Who is this strange girl? Everyone in the town calls her Coppelia, but no one has ever seen her outside of the house. Swanilda and her friends have been curious about this charming girl. Swanilda's fiance' Franz has also taken notice of the girl in the window. He has been flirting with her each day as he passes on his way to visit Swanilda and her mother. As Swanilda's jealousy and curiosity to the identity of her rival unfold, so does our story.



Act I

Swanilda

Grace Levy or *Mea Adcock

Doctor Coppelius

Armando Luna

Swanilda's Mother

Frin Demers

Franz Swanilda's Fiance'

Ethan Folkers or *Corey Dozier

Celebration Dancers

Evangeline Buczek, Reagan Canfield, Ollie Childs, Evie Houghton, Bayler Lundy, Sinclair Martin, Alina Menard, Evie Phillips Madelyn Pippin, Becca Reeves, Emma Sage, Charlie Tincher, Hannah Walters, Sadie Whitney

*Zenna Alvord, Edeline Chen, Darby Dampier, Soren Duke, Helen Huynh, Jane Billings Johnson, Margaret Milling, Ruby Reddish, Becca Reeves, Avery Roland, Emma Sage, Hazel Terrero

Swanilda's Friends

IvyAnn Hogan and Isobel Weikert with Sophia Maggioni, MaeRose Ryan, Sophie Wrenn, Charlotte Hagerty Meredith Jervis, Lauren Trujillano, Rhyan Kathryn Wilson

Village Dancers

Jane Martin, Ruby Ryan, Destiny Sparks, Edith Tootle, Emma Grace Webber with Libby Ann Britt, Victoria Chakoutis, Mia Gabbay, Cece Martin, Charlotte Van Peursen, Vera Robinson, Georgia Watkins

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^{*}Friday evening cast

Mazurka

Isobel Weikert and Jamal Edwards with Corey Dozier, Ethan Folkers, Will Scott, Colibri McMillan, Mea Adcock, IvyAnn Hogan, Charlotte Hagerty, Caroline Farmer, Meredith Jervis, Grace Levy, Sophia Maggioni, MaeRose Ryan, Lauren Trujillano, Rhyan Kathryn Wilson, Sophie Wrenn

Wheat Festival Dancers

Hazel Allen, Adley Blitch, Grace Carpenter, Sarah Joy Hoover, Noelle Lastfogel, Xenia Ritter, Lucy Walsh

*Bertie Dampier, LaRiayh Hayden, Sophie Huynh, Colette Kirkland, Emily Stolba, Piper Zimmerman, Finnley Womble

Festival of the Wheat Pas de Duex

Grace Levy or *Mea Adcock with Jamal Edwards, IvyAnn Hogan with Corey Dozier, MaeRose Ryan with Colibri McMillan, Isobel Weikert with Ethan Folkers, Sophie Wrenn with Will Scott

Village Maidens

Grace Levy or *Mea Adcock with Caroline Farmer, Charlotte Hagerty, Meredith Jervis, Sophia Maggioni, Lauren Trujillano, Rhyan Kathryn Wilson

Scottish Dancers

Southern Abbott, Yelena Castillo, Sabine Goeken, Harbour Lundy, Evelyn Sparks, Amelia White

*Collette Alewine, Ellie Bergen, Anna Wren Daniel, Annie Hartley, Amelia Hotard, Ella Powell, Molly Reeder, Elizabeth Scorza, Grace Vankoski, Olivia Wanager, Alice White, Selah Wilson

Village Suitors

Corey Dozier, Ethan Folkers, Jamal Edwards, Colibri McMillan, Will Scott

Czardas

Sophia Maggioni with Colibri McMillan and Sophie Wrenn with Will Scott and Jane Davis, Lauren Eberle, Sa'Miyah Holloway, Marianna Seales, Vivi Pearce, Abigail Smith, Margaret Tootle

*Collette Alewine, Ellie Bergen, Anna Wren Daniel, Annie Hartley, Amelia Hotard, Ella Powell, Molly Reeder, Elizabeth Scorza, Grace Vankoski, Olivia Wanager, Alice White, Selah Wilson

*Friday evening cast

Act II

Dr Coppelius

Armando Luna

Franz

Ethan Folkers or *Corey Dozier

Swanilda

Grace Levy or *Mea Adcock

Swanildas Friends

Grace Levy or *Mea Adcock, IvyAnn Hogan Sophia Maggioni, MaeRose Ryan, Isobel Weikert, Sophie Wrenn

Coppelia Doll

Annie Hartley

Chinese Doll

Lauren Trujillano

Scottish Doll

Charlotte Hagerty

Spanish Doll

Rhyan Kathryn Wilson

Russian Doll

Caroline Farmer

Arabian Doll

Meredith Jervis

15 Minute Intermission

^{*}Friday evening cast

Act III Wedding Procession

Brides Maids

Collette Alewine, Ellie Bergen, Anna Wren Daniel, Annie Hartley, Amelia Hotard, Ella Powell, Molly Reeder, Elizabeth Scorza, Grace Vankoski, Olivia Wanager, Alice White, Selah Wilson

Flower Girls

Evangeline Buczek, Reagan Canfield, Ollie Childs, Evie Houghton, Bayler Lundy, Sinclair Martin, Alina Menard, Evie Phillips, Madelyn Pippin, Becca Reeves, Emma Sage, Charlie Tincher, Hannah Walters, Sadie Whitney

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Waltz of the Hours

IvyAnn Hogan, Charlotte Hagerty, Meredith Jervis, Sophia Maggioni, MaeRose Ryan, Lauren Trujillano, Isobel Weikert, Rhyan Kathryn Wilson, Sophie Wrenn with Corey Dozier, Jamal Edwards, Ethan Folkers, Colibri McMillan, Will Scott

Dawn

IvyAnn Hogan and Will Scott, Isobel Weikert and Colibri McMillan, Jamal Edwards with MaeRose Ryan and Sophie Wrenn

Groom's Men

Corey Dozier, Ethan Folkers, Jamal Edwards Colibri McMillan, Will Scott

Swanilda

Grace Levy or *Mea Adcock

Finale Ensemble

3 Minute Pause

Dancing through the Decades

A journey through the years of styles and techniques that have shaped our love of dance.

1920's Charleston Flappers

Kayleigh Eubank, Ava Haney, Avery Myers, Lily Sargent, Bella Smith

1940's Take the "A" Train

Mea Adcock, Caroline Farmer, IvyAnn Hogan, Charlotte Hagerty, Meredith Jervis, Grace Levy, Sophia Maggioni, Mae Rose Ryan, Lauren Trujillano, Isobel Weikert, Rhyan Kathryn Wilson, Sophie Wrenn with Corey Dozier and Ethan Folkers

Shim Sham Shimmy

Kayleigh Eubank, Ava Haney, Avery Meyers, Lily Sargent, Bella Smith

1950's We Go Together

Zenna Alvord, Edeline Chen, Darby Dampier Soren Duke, Helen Huynh, Jane Billings Johnson, Margaret Milling, Ruby Reddish, Becca Reeves, Avery Roland, Emma Sage, Hazel Terrero

1960's Hair Spray

Mea Adcock, Caroline Farmer, IvyAnn Hogan Charlotte Hagerty, Meredith Jervis, Sophia Maggioni, Lauren Trujillano, Elizabeth Scorza, Olivia Wanager, Isobel Weikert, Alice White, Sophie Wrenn

1970's Hotel California

Kayleigh Eubank, Ava Haney, Avery Meyers, Lily Sargent, Bella Smith

1980's Don't Stop Me Now

Mea Adcock, Caroline Farmer, IvyAnn Hogan, Charlotte Hagerty, Meredith Jervis, Grace Levy, Sophia Maggioni, MaeRose Ryan, Lauren Trujillano, Isobel Weikert, Rhyan Kathryn Wilson, Sophie Wrenn with Corey Dozier and Ethan Folkers

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1990's Dancing in the Aisle

Collette Alewine, Ellie Bergen, Anna Wren Daniel, Annie Hartley, Amelia Hotard, Ella Powell, Molly Reeder, Elizabeth Scorza, Grace Vankoski, Olivia Wanager, Alice White, Selah Wilson

1990's It's All Coming Back to Me Now

Kayleigh Eubank, Ava Haney, Avery Myers, Lily Sargent, Bella Smith

2000's You Make Me Feel Like Dancing

Collette Alewine, Ellie Bergen, Anna Wren Daniel, Annie Hartley, Amelia Hotard, Ella Powell, Molly Reeder, Elizabeth Scorza, Grace Vankoski, Olivia Wanager, Alice White, Selah Wilson

Finale Last Dance

Mea Adcock, Caroline Farmer, IvyAnn Hogan, Charlotte Hagerty, Meredith Jervis, Grace Levy, Sophia Maggioni MaeRose Ryan, Elizabeth Scorza, Bella Smith, Lauren Trujillano, Olivia Wanager, Isobel Weikert, Alice White, Rhyan Kathryn Wilson, Sophie Wrenn with Corey Dozier and Ethan Folkers

