Pius XI Dance Department presents

AN EVENING OF DANCE

Featuring special guest artists

Pius XI Catholic High School
Saturday, November 18, 2017 | 7:00pm

Fr. Robert V. Carney Performing Arts Center
Wendy Joy Lindsey Theater

Kristin Herlache Dimmer, Artistic Director
Tina Coe, Faculty
Danielle Allen, Faculty
Imani Jalil, Adjunct Faculty
Welcome to our 6th annual, “An Evening of Dance”! We are so blessed to be sharing the stage with the many guest artists from around Southeastern Wisconsin tonight. A large welcome to the dance programs of University of Wisconsin – Milwaukee, University of Wisconsin – Madison, and Marquette University. We are also pleased to be dancing alongside the Nancy Einhorn Milwaukee Ballet II program, the Catey Ott Dance Collective, Beglan Irish Dance Academy, Boys and Girls Clubs of Greater Milwaukee Davis Dancers, and DanceCircus. These interactions between our students, pre-professionals, and professional dancers create lasting memories, valuable education experiences, and further inspire their passion for dance. The program this evening is an example of all the many dance opportunities and performances available locally for both our students and patrons. I encourage you to check out our guest artists and see them in action at their upcoming performances!

The 2017-2018 school year is proving to be rich in experiences for our students! We welcomed back guest faculty members Tina Coe, Danielle Allen, and Imani Jalil. Our dancers worked with Ms. Coe and Ms. Allen in extended residencies this semester which enabled students to study with a variety of instructors; creating well-rounded and versatile dancers. Our students continue to grow in our faculty’s care and I thank them for their dedication to the Pius XI Dance Department. Looking forward into the year, students will be partaking in classes, workshops, and performances with the Milwaukee Ballet and University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. We are so blessed to work with the dancers and staff at each organization to further the dance experiences of our students.

As our program continues to grow, we have established a National Honor Society for the Dance Arts Chapter here at Pius XI Catholic High School and inducted our first members this month. This is an exciting achievement for our dancers as they receive recognition and honors for their dedication to dance while increasing the opportunities they have to serve the arts community and progress in their dance education.

Finally, I would like to thank the parents for your dedication to your student’s dance education. The time driving back and forth to the many rehearsals, the cost of shoes and class attire, along with the many other associated expenses is a sacrifice each of you make to instill discipline, grace, and artistry into your dancers. I hope that you can see the reward of your efforts tonight and as we progress throughout the year.

We thank you for your continued support of our program and students. Please enjoy the show and we look forward to seeing you again soon!

Warm Regards,
Kristin Herlache Dimmer
Artistic Director, Dance Department
Pius XI Catholic High School
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Ushers: We welcome volunteers of all ages to usher for performances and see the show for free! E-mail pacinfo@piusxi.org to be added to our volunteer list.

Theater Rentals: The Father Robert V. Carney Performing Arts Center is the perfect place for your next event! Contact Patrick G.H. Schley at 414.290.7454 or pschley@piusxi.org, or visit www.piuspac.org/rentals for rates and information.
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Madrigal Dinner
Friday and Saturday, December 8-9, 2017 | 6:00pm
Pius XI Student Union

Christmas Choral Concert
Wednesday, December 13, 2017 | 7:00pm
St. Sebastian Parish

Comedy Company Christmas Show
Tuesday, December 19, 2017 | 7:00 PM
Pius XI Black Box Theater

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Wednesday, January 17, 2018 | 7:00 PM
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PROGRAM

“Hear Me Now” – Dance IV
Choreography by Tina Coe
Music by Steed Lord

Dancers: Janae Barnett, Taraja Echols, Halea Fields, Arabella Loera, Gianna Melton, Mayra Nieves, Xinyi (Staring) Qian, Mamesarr Seck, Kadejah Van Heesch, Mattey Voboril, Isabella Ybarra

“Lost in Translation” – University of Wisconsin-Madison
Choreography by Kimi Evelyn
Music by Nicholas Britell

Spoken Word: *And the News Reporter Says ‘Jesus is White’* by Crystal Valentine
Dancer: Kimi Evelyn

“Not Afraid” – Dance III
Choreography by Tina Coe
Music by Eminem

Dancers: Bishop Allen, Raven Brown, Tyler Canady, Roxane Gaytan, Lauryn Hudson, Meghan O’Leary, Nyasia Palmer, Shantierra Robinson, Jiara Smith, Amuriya Trotter-Wright, Brenda Valadez Servin, Maria Wall, Imajaniece Washam-Reynolds, Precious Wells

“Conversations With My Comedian” – University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Choreography by Chantée Kelly
Costumes by Chantée Kelly

Dancers: Aki Burayidi, Linnea Hayes

“Cupid Variation” from *Don Quixote* – The Nancy Einhorn Milwaukee Ballet II Program
Choreography by Marius Petipa
Music by Ludwig Minkus

Dancers: Reina Miyata

“Kou-Kou” – Pius XI Dance Department
Choreography by Imani Jalil
Music by Bashir Shakur


“To Think of Time” – DanceCircus
Choreography by Betty Salamun
Music by Ted Brusubardis
Poetry by Walt Whitman

Dancers: Betty Salamun and Lisa Moberly.
“Aurora’s Friends & Other Excerpts from Sleeping Beauty” – Dance V
Choreography by Marius Petipa
Music by Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky
Dancers: Savannah Brown, Elizabeth Frautschy, Tali Grubor, Emily Heier, Sydney Kelly, Kaila Medina, Dani Scholz, Brianna White, Corinne Wright

“New Quartet” excerpt – Catey Ott Dance Collective
Choreography by Catey Ott Thompson
Music by Philip Glass
Dancers: Danielle Allen, Ava Golner, Catey Ott Thompson, Natasha Posey.

“Chance” - Pius XI Dance Department
Choreography by Tina Coe
Music by Chance the Rapper

INTERMISSION

“Waltz of the Hours” from Coppélia – Dance IV
Choreography by Arthur Saint-Léon
Music by Léo Delibes
Dancers: Janae Barnett, Taraja Echols, Halea Fields, Arabella Loera, Gianna Melton, Mayra Nieves, Xinyi (Staring) Qian, Mamesarr Seck, Kadejah Van Heesch, Mattey Voboril, Isabella Ybarra

“Fix You” – Dance III
Choreography by Tina Coe
Music by Coldplay
Dancers: Kennedy Allen, Lyric Carter-Perry, Mariam Diakite, Maya Fox, Amira Gray, Eladia Ilk, Adara Johnson, Jaiyana Johnson, Morgan Khokhar, Ella Kuether, Ava Loudon, Natalya Sealey, Brooke Thoren, Adrianonia Williams

“Fly Me to the Moon” – The Nancy Einhorn Milwaukee Ballet II Program
Choreography by Lori McNichols
Music by Frank Sinatra
Dancers: Christina Dennis and Justin Geiss
“The Charlady Set” - Beglan Academy of Irish Dance
Choreography by Sean Beglan and Chelsea Holloway
Music by Sean O’Brien
Dancer: Erin Johnston

“Work” – Pius XI Dance Department
Choreography by Tina Coe
Music by Rihanna, Big Sean, Ciara, Missy Elliot
Dancers: Kennedy Allen, Ahnareiyah Boatman, Taraja Echols, Jayde Gathings, Roxane Gaytan, Teriah Gray, Aasiya Harris, Lauryn Hudson, Adara Johnson, Morgan Khokar, Alison Martin, Seraiah Moore, Daisy Perez, Janice Ramos, Maria Wall.

“The Other and One” – University of Wisconsin-Madison
Choreography by Marlene Skog
Composed by Ran Bagno
Lighting by Claude Heintz
Dancers: Amanda Graziano and Kanyon Elton
Notes: The dance asks the question, who is the One and who is the Other.

“Rise Up” – Pius XI Dance Department
Choreography by Tina Coe
Music by Andra Day

“Aspects of St. Joan of Arc” – Marquette University
Choreography by Catey Ott Thompson
Music by Philip Glass
Dancers: Becky Eschbach, Gina Parenti, Nick Parrot, and Kathleen Wolff

“Get Up” – Pius XI Dance Department
Choreography by Tina Coe
Music by James Brown

“unConscious” – University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee
Choreography by Haley Moore
Costumes by Haley Moore
Dancers: Hatfield Cruz, Emily Olson, Dylan Slamka
“Then Left the Ground to Circle the Earth” – Pius XI Dance Department
Choreography by Danielle Allen
Music by Iron and Wine

Dancers: Ahnareiyah Boatman, Cheryl Cao, Mariam Diakite, Jayde Gathings, Roxane Gaytan, Emily Heier, Alison Matrin, Mayra Nieves, Brenda Valadez, Maria Wall.

Special Presentation –
Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Milwaukee Davis Dancers
Choreographer & Director – Cedric Gardner

Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Milwaukee Davis Dancers is a dance program that originated in 2014 housed at Don & Sallie Davis Boys & Girls Club. Through previous funding from Wallace Foundation, a Professional Practicing Teaching Artist was hired to provide High-Quality Arts programming. Currently, Davis Dancers serves over 300 students a year.

The vision for the program is to cultivate a conscious artist who uses dance as a medium to express himself or herself. Davis Dance Studio builds a safe space where Club Members discover their movement language during Open Studio. They also build their skill through traditional dance techniques Contemporary, Jazz, Hip Hop, African, and Salsa.

“Bitter Earth” – Dance V
Choreography by Tina Coe
Music by Dinah Washington and Max Richter

Dancers: Savannah Brown, Elizabeth Frautschy, Tali Grubor, Emily Heier, Sydney Kelly, Kaila Medina, Dani Scholz, Brianna White, Corinne Wright

Finale

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