

PDA Press

May Newsletter



Announcements

Please ensure your tickets have been purchased for the Spring Showcase before May 15th

First Aid Fundraising supplies have nearly arrived. We will be sending them out as soon as we can.

Merch shop remaining open visit www.amysprobranding.ca/precision-dance-company/

Our website has a new look too! check it out www.precisiondanceassociation.com

MAY 31ST

Spring Show Case
-see the next page for more details
-we are looking for volunteers!
Gift Card Raffle
50/50
Bake Sale/Canteen

FUNDRAISING

Dog Treats

We will be sending out information for a new fundraiser! 30% of proceeds will help with studio costs. See info graphic below. Order window May 11-31st

SUMMER

Workshops, Tech classes, camps, drop in class and more!

Stayed tuned all details coming in June's final newsletter

Thank you

As we look ahead to a new season at PDC, we want to take a moment to recognize and thank someone who has had an incredible impact on our studio and dancers over the past several competition seasons – Jadra.

Jadra has poured so much of her heart, time, creativity, and energy into shaping not only strong dancers, but confident and compassionate young people. Her positive influence within our studio has been felt far beyond the stage and competition floor. Through every rehearsal, correction, pep talk, early morning, late night, and countless hours behind the scenes, she has continually shown dedication, patience, and genuine care for every dancer who walked into her classroom.

The growth we have seen in our dancers over the years is a reflection of the passion and commitment she brought to PDC each and every season. She encouraged our dancers to work hard, believe in themselves, support one another, and most importantly, find joy in dance.

While we will certainly miss having Jadra leading our competitive teams in the same capacity, this is not goodbye – it's simply "see you later." Once part of the PDC family, always part of the PDC family.

Thank you, Jadra, for everything you have given to our studio, our dancers, and our community. Your impact will continue to be felt for years to come, and we are incredibly grateful for the memories, lessons, and inspiration you leave behind.

With love and appreciation,

The board & dancers of
Precision Dance Association





OUR GRADUATES



LAURIE COOK



KRISTEN WHEELER

As another season comes to a close, we also celebrate two very special members of the Precision family – Kristen and Laurie. ❤️ Over the years, we have had the privilege of watching both of these incredible dancers grow from young students into beautiful, strong, confident young women. Their journeys through PDC have been filled with hard work, perseverance, laughter, friendships, and countless memories both on and off the stage.

Through dance, they have learned so much – discipline, teamwork, leadership, resilience, and confidence – and in turn, they have shared those same qualities with the younger dancers who have looked up to them throughout the years.

Laurie has been dancing with Precision Dance for 9 years as part of our competitive program. She first began helping with the studio as a substitute teacher and camp helper before moving into teaching Saturday Predance and Jazz/Lyrical classes 4 years ago. Her patience, kindness, and warm presence have made such a positive impact on so many young dancers. This fall, Laurie will be attending St. FX to pursue a Bachelor of Science in Nursing, and we know she will bring the same compassion and dedication into her future career.

Kristen has also been dancing competitively with Precision for 9 years. Throughout that time, she has become a familiar and dependable face at our day camps and within our classes. Over the past 4 years, she has substituted and taught with us, most recently helping with Acro and leading our Hip Hop classes. Kristen's positivity, leadership, and ability to connect with dancers of all ages has been such a gift to our studio community. This fall, she will be attending St. FX to study Applied Forensic Psychology.

Not only have Kristen and Laurie been dedicated dancers within our competitive programs, but they have also spent many seasons giving back to our studio as recreation instructors. Their willingness to help, encouraging attitudes, and ability to create welcoming classroom environments where dancers felt supported and valued has meant so much to our studio community.

They have inspired younger students simply by being themselves – leading by example, encouraging others, lending a helping hand, showing commitment, and sharing their love of dance with the next generation.

Watching them blossom into the people they are today has been incredibly special, and we could not be prouder of all they have accomplished during their time at PDC.

While we will miss seeing them in the studio each week, we know they will continue to do amazing things wherever life takes them next.

Thank you, Kristen and Laurie, for your years of dedication, your countless hours spent helping others, and the love you have poured into this studio. You will always be an important part of the PDC family. ❤️

With love and appreciation,

The Board & Dancers of Precision Dance Company

Thank you both so much, all the best in your next chapter!

IT'S BEEN A PLEASURE

We would also like to recognize and celebrate two very special members of the Precision family — Sidney Price and Leah Wylde. ♥

Sidney has been dancing with Precision for 9 years as a competitive dancer, and throughout that time she has become such a valued and familiar part of our studio community. In addition to her dedication as a dancer, Sidney has generously shared her time helping substitute teach classes and assist with day camps over the years. Her willingness to always step in and help wherever needed, combined with her kind and easygoing nature, has made her such a positive role model for younger dancers.

Whether in the classroom, backstage at competitions, or helping at camps, Sidney consistently brought positivity, teamwork, and encouragement to those around her. Watching her grow into the confident, hardworking young woman she is today has been incredibly special, and we are so thankful for the care and support she has shown our studio throughout the years.

Leah has been part of the Precision family for 7 years as a competitive dancer and has been a regular instructor with our Saturday recreation classes for the past 3 years. Although Leah is not graduating this year, she will not be returning to her role at PDC next season, and we wanted to take this opportunity to thank her for everything she has contributed to our studio over the years.

Leah has always led by example — quietly demonstrating dedication, kindness, hard work, and commitment in every role she has taken on. From her many years as a dancer, the majority of them spent right here at Precision, to her time assisting and teaching younger students, it has truly been a pleasure to watch her grow both inside and outside of the studio. Throughout the years, Leah has blossomed into a beautiful, strong, and hardworking dancer who consistently brought positivity, determination, and compassion into the classroom. Whether she was helping younger dancers feel comfortable, stepping in wherever needed, or simply offering encouragement with a smile, her presence has always been appreciated more than words can express.

As instructors, assistants, and role models within our studio community, both Sidney and Leah have helped create welcoming and supportive environments for our younger dancers. Through their patience, teamwork, leadership, and genuine love of dance, they have made a lasting impact on so many students over the years.

The time, energy, and care they invested into PDC has not gone unnoticed, and we are incredibly thankful for the many ways they have helped support our studio community.

While we will miss seeing Leah in this role each week, and appreciate all the ways Sidney has continued to support the studio over the years, we are so proud of the dancers and people they have become and know there are wonderful things ahead for both of them.

Thank you, Sidney and Leah, for your years of dedication, your willingness to always help, and the positive impact you have left on our studio and dancers. You will always be part of the PDC family. ♥

With appreciation,
The Board & Dancers of
Precision Dance Association



SIDNEY PRICE



LEAH WYLDE

We Need **YOU!**

We are currently looking for volunteers to help during our Spring Showcase performances! 🌟

We are ideally looking for recreation dance parents who would be willing to help during the opposite showcase their child is performing in. Volunteers will assist with various backstage and front-of-house duties to help our shows run smoothly.

As a thank you, volunteers will receive **free entry** to the showcase — plus a fun behind-the-scenes look at everything that goes into making show day happen! ❤️

If you are interested in helping or would like more information, please reach out to us. We truly appreciate the support from our amazing dance families!



Looking for:

- Helpers to guide dancers backstage & audience
- Helpers backstage

Email us!

precisiondanceinfo@gmail.com

Looking for Baked Goodies



Do you love to bake?
More of a store
bought kinda vibe?
We'd love BOTH for
our canteen at spring
recital! Please sign
up below by clicking
the link or copy and
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River's Bluenoser Box!

Inspired by his beautiful province of Nova Scotia

Oven baked
Small batch, dog friendly ingredients
Preservative free

Includes:
5 large Apple of my Eye flavoured cookies
(lighthouse, clam shell, sail boat, whale and anchor)

1 bag of Banana Peanut Butter Cookies
1 Nova Scotia Tartan bandana
1 ball

*Ingredient lists available by request



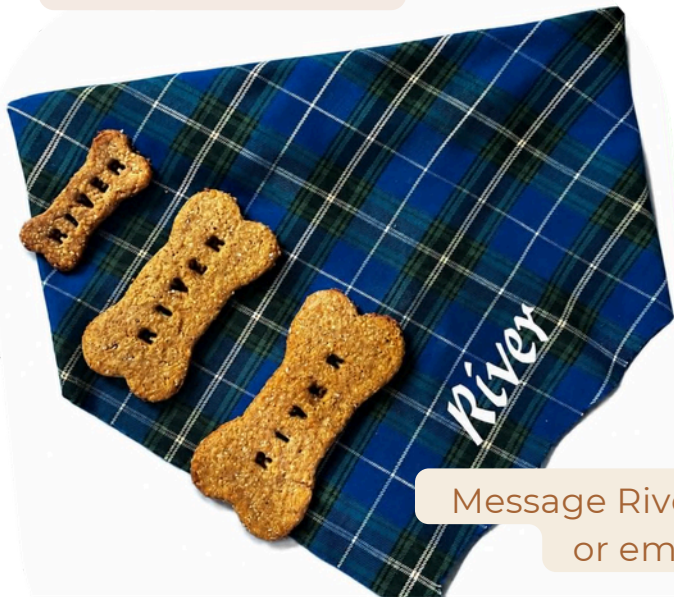
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Med \$31

Large \$32

+ 5.00 extra for personalized bandana and treat

Who's a good Bluenoser?
Your dog is of course!



How to order:

Message River's Paw-Some Treats directly on Facebook or email ashleysimpson922@outlook.com

WELCOME RYEN! WE CAN'T WAIT FOR NEXT SEASON!

Welcoming
Competitive Instructor!

Ryen Ruby Ronan



A bit about Ryen:

From Nova Scotia, Ryen began dancing at the age of 3 and has since trained in styles including contemporary, jazz, lyrical, modern, tap, ballet, hip hop, and musical theatre. Competing around the maritimes for over 10 years, where she spent majority of her time with Precision Dance. After leaving to go to York University in Toronto to obtain her Bachelors of Fine Arts in the Dance Program as well as training with York Dance Ensemble, Ryen came back to her roots and is very excited to join the PDC family once again. Ryen holds her values close to her heart while dancing and strives to create an accepting, and spiritually kind atmosphere that continues to grow with her. Ryen has obtained the knowledge of what makes a productive studio space, pushing her to keep her passion for the art alive and in good keeping with those around her.



Competitive Team Auditions

- Revamped team structure
- Redesigned class schedules
- New competitive instructor

Join us for our 2026-2027 competition team auditions!

June 2 2026

5:00PM - Age: 7 - 12

6:00PM - Age: 13+



Precision Dance Studio
165 Bridge Street
Melvern Square, NS

Register now:

Scan the
QR code



CONTEMPORARY-LYRICAL-JAZZ-
MODERN-MUSICAL THEATRE-
HIP HOP-STREET JAZZ

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WELCOME KENNEDY! WE CAN'T WAIT TO GET STARTED!



My name is Kennedy. I started dancing at the age of 4 and fell in love with it. I started recreationally and moved into competitive around the age of 8 and continued that until I was 17 years old; attending and teaching classes of varying styles including lyrical, ballet, hip-hop, jazz, tap, and contemporary. Throughout that time, I found that my passion was in the styles contemporary, hip-hop, and specifically tap. For the entirety of that timeline, I danced at Danceability SJ in New Brunswick. Once I graduated high-school, I moved here to Nova Scotia for school and continued my dance experience with Acadia University joining the Acadia University Dance Collective. For the first year, I only danced as a student, then in my second year, I began teaching heels and tap, which I continued to do for the following three years. I can't wait to join the studio and gain that sense of family, friendship, and community again! a little bit of body text

RECREATIONAL
DANCE
+COMPETITIVE

TAP-HIP-HOP-
LYRICAL- DANCE
EXPLORATION-PRE
DANCE-ADULT-
COMPETITIVE TAP-
HIPHOP

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Stay Tuned

**ONE MORE NEWSLETTER
IN JUNE TO COME!**



**WE WANT TO HEAR
FROM YOU!**

As this season comes to a close we would love to hear about your child's experience, the positives and any constructive feedback to make next year even better!

As a non profit we do our absolute best to ensure your child's dance experience is memorable, engage and most of all fun!!

**Take a moment to fill out our feedback form:
<https://forms.gle/dvCCZoeLqA2YXJay8>**

**Thank
you!**
