A Night at the MOVIES
DANCE CONCERT 2023

FEATURING PIECES INSPIRED BY OUR FAVORITE MOVIES

SPIEKER CENTER FOR THE ARTS

MARCH 10-11 7:00PM, MARCH 12 3:00PM

INFORMATION:
MENLO SCHOOL.ORG/DANCE
DANCE ENRICHMENT GROUPS

KNIGHT DANCERS
Alex Dickson, Allie Bienaime, Avani Ganesan, Emmy Ford, Ginger Quigley, Hanna Yu, Kaavya Baliga, Lexie Fenton, Rena Kim, Tate Lee

MIDKNIGHTS
Allie Hernandez, Amanda Wu, Caroline Baccus, Emma Wang, Faye Callander, Giuliette Prieto, Kaylie Wu, Libby Vitro, Malia Chen, Michele Hratko, Savannah Lanchester Hall

KNIGHT LIFE
Alex Dickson, Alexa Hua, Amanda Wu, Bella Quezada, Danae Yotopoulos, Emma Wang, Emmy Ford, Faye Callander, Ginger Quigley, Julia Lau, Kaavya Baliga, Kaylie Wu, Libby Vitro, Makenna Olson, Malia Chen, Rena Kim, Sean Nesamoney, Zachary Ruwitch

CLASS + DANCE GROUPS

UPPER SCHOOL A BLOCK - TAP
Alex Dickson, Claire Barnett, Emmy Ford, Hannah Bernthal, Krista Arreola, Lily Hinshaw, Malia Chen

UPPER SCHOOL C BLOCK - DANCE 1
Amanda Wu, Amina Briones, Audrey Hochsetler, Elsa Sonsini, Katelyn Chou, Katie Durban, Kinsey Nam, Kirin Debnath, Lauren Barg, Lily Hinshaw, Madison Vitro, Marcia Santos, Maren Mulloy, Maya Debnath, Natalie DeCherney, Riya Chandna, Ruiqi Liu, Simone Lev, Tudor Braicu

UPPER SCHOOL E BLOCK - DANCE 2
Andra Braicu, Avani Ganesan, Ella Krane, Emma Wang, Faye Callander, Isabella Brosious, Jacqueline Larsen, Katie Bischof, Kaylie Wu, Sofia Faris

UPPER SCHOOL F BLOCK - CHOREOGRAPHY WORKSHOP
Eden Micaelian, Ginger Quigley, Maya Jones, Savannah Lanchester Hall, Zachary Ruwitch

MIDDLE SCHOOL A BLOCK - CHOREO LAB
Amelia Warman, Chase Brown, Danielle Salama, Ellen Sakoda, Fernanda Aguilar, Laila Young, Malia Yara, Mera Murphy, Nicole Nava, Tres Onyejekwe

MIDDLE SCHOOL D BLOCK - JUST DANCE
Alexa Castagna, Allison Yu, Alyssa Wang, Anika Shah, Dinah Williams, James Castelly, Jenny Li, Mila Pineda, Murohn Zhang, Parker Sunwoo, Reid Plamondon, Sophia Mendes

MIDDLE SCHOOL G BLOCK - MOVEMENT IN MOTION
Ana Yang, Anya Khan, Arissa Saffarnia, Chloe Banatao, Eising Conway, Eliza Stueve, Erin Sweeney, Harper Marek, Mary Margaret Argueta, Milliani Makasini, Sajni Gaitonde

UPPER SCHOOL CHOREO CLUB
Abi Kalaw, Alexa Hua, Ava Hua, Ella Skinner, Emma Wang, Emmy Ford, Kaavya Baliga, Nuria Sadri, Rena Kim, Simone Lev

UPPER SCHOOL PARTNER DANCE
Anders Patel, Charlie Hammond, Danae Yotopoulos, Emmy Ford, Eric Feng, Gabriel Stankovich, Ginger Quigley, Kaylie Wu, Maya Debnath, Maya Jones, Savannah Lanchester Hall, William Floyd, Willis Johnson, Zachary Ruwitch

UPPER SCHOOL BOLLYWOOD
Diya Karthik (Soloist), Isha Gupta, Julia Lau, Kaavya Baliga, Kirin Debnath, Liliana Dhaliwal, Maya Debnath, Navya Nandani, Sabrina Vohra, Sanaa Kapur

UPPER SCHOOL SENIOR BOYS
Anders Patel, Artin Saffarina, Charlie Knoll, Lucas Vogel, Robby Enright, Sean Nesamoney Trey McNair, William Floyd
SEPTEMBER
INSPIRED BY: 'Trolls' (2016)
DANCED BY: All Dancers
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Angela Curotto-Pierson, Dominique Serapio, Paymaneh "Bibi" Khalili, Students

FIND YOUR WAY BACK
INSPIRED BY: 'The Lion King' (2019)
DANCED BY: Knight Dancers
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Knight Dancers
MUSIC: "Find Your Way Back," Beyonce

BLACK PANTHER
INSPIRED BY: 'Black Panther' (2018)
DANCED BY: US C Block - DANCE 1
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Angela Curotto-Pierson, Students
MUSIC: "Pray For Me," The Weeknd, Kendrick Lamar; "All the Stars," Kendrick Lamar, SZA; "Paramedic!," SOB X RBE; "Redemption," Zacari, Babes Wodumo

GET UP
INSPIRED BY: "Step Up" (2006)
DANCED BY: US E Block - DANCE 2
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Students
MUSIC: "Get Up (feat. Chamillionaire)," Ciara

TENET
INSPIRED BY: "Tenet" (2020)
DANCED BY: US F Block - CHOREOGRAPHY WORKSHOP
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Angela Curotto-Pierson, Students
MUSIC: "POSTERITY," Ludwig Göransson

DITTO
INSPIRED BY: "Ditto" (2022)
DANCED BY: Choreo Club
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Eunju Kim, BLACK.Q, Students
ANOTHER DAY OF SUN
INSPIRED BY: "La La Land" (2016)
DANCED BY: US Partner Dance
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Ginger Quigley, Kaylie Wu
MUSIC: "Another Day of Sun," La La Land Cast

I’M STILL STANDING
INSPIRED BY: "Sing" (2016)
DANCED BY: MS G Block - MOVEMENT IN MOTION
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Dominique Serapio, Students
MUSIC: "I’m Still Standing," Taron Egerton

VEGAS
INSPIRED BY: "Elvis" (2022)
DANCED BY: Ginger Quigley
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Ginger Quigley
MUSIC: "Vegas," Doja Cat

BURLESQUE
INSPIRED BY: "Burlesque" (2010)
DANCED BY: MidKnights
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: MidKnights
MUSIC: "Express," Christina Aguilera; "Show Me How You Burlesque (Burlesque)," Christina Aguilera

SWEET DISPOSITION
INSPIRED BY: "(500) Days of Summer" (2009)
DANCED BY: Knight Dancers
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Angela Curotto-Pierson
MUSIC: "Sweet Disposition," The Temper Trap

THE RAIN
INSPIRED BY: "Singing in the Rain" (1952)
DANCED BY: Dance Enrichment
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Angela Curotto-Pierson, Paymaneh "Bibi" Khalili
MUSIC: "Singing in the Rain," The Bangerz Remix; "Raingurl," Yaeji
CARRYING THE BANNER
INSPIRED BY: "Newsies" (1992)
DANCED BY: Alex Dickson, Allie Hernandez, Amanda Wu, Caroline Baccus, Emma Wang, Emmy Ford, Faye Callander, Ginger Quigley, Giuliette Prieto, Kaylie Wu, Lexie Fenton, Malia Chen, Michele Hratko, Savannah Lanchester Hall
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Lexi Viernes
MUSIC: “Carrying the Banner,” Newsies Ensemble, Jeremy Jordan, and Newsies Original Broadway Cast

BLUEBIRD VARIATION
INSPIRED BY: "Sleeping Beauty" (1959)
DANCED BY: Mandy Zhang
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Brittney Wasserman
MUSIC: "Variation de la Princess Florine, Op.66," Pytor Ilyich Tchaikovsky

GREAT BALLS OF FIRE
INSPIRED BY: "Top Gun: Maverick" (2022)
DANCED BY: US A Block - TAP
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Angela Curotto-Pierson, Emmy Ford, Students
MUSIC: "Great Balls of Fire - Live," Miles Teller

HOUSE PARTY
INSPIRED BY: "House Party" (1990)
DANCED BY: Knight Life
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Paymaneh "Bibi" Khalili
MUSIC: "Go Deep," Janet Jackson; "Fill Me In," Craig David; "Drop," Timbaland ft Fat Man Scoop

WILD WILD WEST
INSPIRED BY: "Wild Wild West" (1999)
DANCED BY: MS D Block - JUST DANCE
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Dominique Serapio, Students
MUSIC: "Wild Wild West," Will Smith, Dru Hill, Kool Moe Dee

SING WITH A SWING
INSPIRED BY: "Swing Kids" (1993)
DANCED BY: Knight Dancers
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Dominique Serapio
MUSIC: "Sing with a Swing (Raf Marchesini Radio Edit)," DKS
SAVE THE LAST DANCE
INSPIRED BY: "Save the Last Dance" (2001)
DANCED BY: Knight Life
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Paymaneh "Bibi" Khalili
MUSIC: "Breathe & Stop," Q-Tip; "You Can Do It," Ice Cube; "Murder She Wrote," Chaka Demus & Pliers

SPACE JAM
INSPIRED BY: "Space Jam" (1996)
DANCED BY: MS A Block – CHOREO LAB
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Dominique Serapio, Students
MUSIC: "Space Jam," Quad City DJ’s

YOUNG AND BEAUTIFUL
INSPIRED BY: "The Great Gatsby" (2013)
DANCED BY: MidKnights
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Angela Curotto-Pierson, Students
MUSIC: "Young and Beautiful," Lana Del Rey

BOLLYWOOD BY SOUTH ASIAN AFFINITY GROUP
INSPIRED BY: "Student of the Year," (2012); "Yeh Jawaani Hai Deewani" (2013); "Baar Baar Dekho" (2016)
DANCED BY: South Asian Affinity Group
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Isha Gupta

RIGHT ROUND
INSPIRED BY: "The Hangover" (2009)
DANCED BY: US Senior Boys
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Ginger Quigley
MUSIC: "Turn Around (5,4,3,2,1)," Flo-Rida; "Right Round," Flo-Rida; "Yeah," Usher ft Ludacris; "Live Your Life," TI ft Rihanna

HOMECOMING
INSPIRED BY: "Homecoming: A Film by Beyonce" (2019)
DANCED BY: Dance Enrichment
CHOREOGRAPHY BY: Angela Curotto-Pierson, Paymaneh "Bibi" Khalili, Myles Savon Mitchell, Students
SHOW CREDITS

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