

A Celebration of Dance 6



Saturday 23rd November 2024 - 3pm / 7pm
Chroma-Q Theatre Leeds City College

Jacqui's Million
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WELCOME!

We wish you all a very warm welcome to The Dance Studio Leeds' Celebration of Dance 6!

We are back!! And every year the performances and dances just keep on getting better and better. Ladies and gentleman you are in for a treat with some wonderful dance performances and choreography. Thank you so much for coming to support our showcase!

The entire show simply wouldn't be possible without my incredible dream team (Ceris, Jess and Holly) who keep the studio, and myself, in check! I'm indebted to the incredible teachers who have not only shown their support today but for their on going contribution in supporting the studio over many years. To all the students, sponsors and helpers - Thank you. I'm so very grateful for your time, donations, kindness and help with the show. A big thank you also to Simon Marshall and Brian Slater Photography and Dawn at [The Yorkshire Edit](#) for capturing all the amazing routines and performances.

A very special thank you must be given to Holly who has been instrumental in putting this show together over many months of hard work piecing this enormous jigsaw together! It simply wouldn't have happened without her hard work, tenacity and patience!

Thank you to each and everyone of you who has supported our fundraiser for [Jacqui's Million](#). It's wonderful to be able to celebrate our passions for dance to help raise vital funds for this charity and support them in their goal to raise 1 million pounds for the Leeds Cancer Centre on behalf of Leeds Hospitals Charity.

Thank you as always to my wonderful family- Neil, Theodore and Annabel for their love and support.

Finally all that's left to say is sit back and relax and we hope you enjoy the show!!!!

Katie





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Jacqui is a dancer and choreographer who discovered she had cancer in 2009 after discovering a lump in the same place she had a mole removed in 1993. After multiple operations and discovering the Melanoma had spread to her lungs, oral chemotherapy kept it at bay for two years, however in 2015 the tumour had escalated to an extent that meant more surgery and her right lung being removed.

Life expectancy for those with Jacqui's condition is often just 1 year, however 13 years later Jacqui is still with us and raising awareness, positivity and also much needed funds for "Jimmy's," Leeds Cancer Centre with Jacqui's Million.

Her goal and legacy is to raise £1 million for The Bexley Wing, which we would love to help her towards, especially through the power of dance, a passion we all share!

***And now to introduce our
wonderful performers.....***

It's A Caribbean Party! (Carnival & Dancehall)

Vybz Dance is a vibrant Caribbean dance company from Leeds that specialises in providing an energetic and positively welcoming class that explores the culture of Caribbean Dance. We embrace the world of Carnival Dance from the Islands of Trinidad and Tobago, St Lucia, Grenada and more, as well as some groovy Dancehall foundations from the streets of Jamaica.

Taught by our Founder, Pareesha Valentina, who is a multi-talented artist of Caribbean heritage, she enjoys sharing her culture and passion with her students. Today she has brought to you a cocktail of Carnival and Dancehall in this enjoyable passionate piece. So join us in our Caribbean Party and let the music take over your soul!

Choreographer: Vybz Dance / Performers: Pareesha Webster, Louise McDowall, Jemma Mae Broomhead, Jhanel Ragadio, Molly Cudia, Mel Blackwood, Kerry Trapps, Katharine Pelton

Music: Kes & Sean Paul – Out of this World
Patrice Roberts – Anxiety
Koffee – Toast

Earned It - *Evening Only* (Heels Dance)

Self-expression and empowerment are at the heart of my choreography so that's what I encourage in my classes. My goal is to create a safe space for all dancers to express themselves and their sensuality...with the correct technique of course! If you come to one of my heels classes I guarantee you'll be back!

Choreographer: Olivia Firth / Performers: Nicci Burns, Zichun Liu, Lucie Redgrave, Libby Russell, Sonya Dyne, Sophie Jones, Elle Fenwick, Lauren Prior, Imogen Burke, Nicole Aspell, Amelia Martin, Jordan Brooks, Lauren Huxley, Olivia Firth, Charis Hawkins

Music: The Weekend - Earned It (Marian hill remix)





Beauty Of Kerala (Bharatnatyam)

The students of Devika Dance Theatre will be performing a captivating Bharatanatyam dance centred around the beauty and natural splendour of Kerala, South India. The performance will feature intricate hand gestures (Mudras) and expressive moments that depict elements of nature, such as the flowing rivers, lush greenery, and majestic mountains. Through graceful dance sequences, they will portray the lively beauty of birds, the gently sway of trees in the wind and the playfulness of animals like deers.

Choreographer: Devika Roa / Performers: Purvaja Reddy Mukkara, Chaithra Sree Bhuma, Asha Reddy, Other Devika Dance Theatre Students

Music: Manoj Kuroor - Signature Video, Kerala Tourism

Ya Ya (Commercial)

Unite Dance Company are a Commercial dance company based in Leeds, that formed in November 2022 after that year's DSL Celebration of Dance Show. This year the company will be bringing high energy Cowboy Carter vibes to the stage, exporting you to the wild west, so hold onto your hats and get ready to shake it!

Choreographer: Jessica Faye / Performers: Charlie Hagston, Charlotte O'Byrne, Charis Hawkins, Mollie Sayer, Bethan Frankland, Holly McLaren, Jessica Cooper, Jenny Scott, Jen Harwood, Rachael Narey, Emily Gibbins, Grace Nicholls, Lucie Redgrave, Louise Egerton, Lucy Brierley

Music: Beyonce - Ya Ya



We Both Reached For The Gun (Tap)

Paying homage to the iconic musical film, Chicago, be prepared to be blown away by DSL's Inter/Adv Tap group, showcasing their impressive tap skills and fast feet. Taught by professional dancer Amelia McCarthy, this energetic and cheeky routine will make you want to tap-dance out of your seat!

Choreographer: Amelia McCarthy / Performers: Amelia McCarthy, Erica Strickland, Alex Davidson, Beatrice Johnson, Julia Kelly, Rebecca North, Sarah Nield, Sophie Mills

Music: Chicago (Film Soundtrack) - We Both Reached for the Gun

Locked In - *Matinee Only* (Locking)

The Fun Keyz is our Funk crew name which consists of Lockers and Poppers. The title of the piece is Locked In. Some of the dancers regularly attend Locking classes to dance with us every Monday evening at the Dance Studio Leeds. Today we find ourselves Locked in a room and are currently looking for the key to exit. Have you seen it?

Choreographer: Marie, Chris & The Dancers / Performers: Ashley Crewdson, Jason Fong, Leila Taleb, Chris Banks, Marie Mathias, Toan Khanh

Music: Azumi Takahashi - Relight My Fire
Cha La Head Cha La - Dragon Ball Z
DJ Hero - Just Blow
Beat 'N Blow - Soul With A Capital S
Nujabes - Just Forget (Samurai Champloo OST)
Orgone - Sweet Feet
Hashimachi Suisei - BIBBIDIBA





Robot Rock - *Evening Only* (Breaking)

We are a Breaking crew with people aged from 9 years old to 40 years old. Some of the children dancing tonight are learning to break with us every Saturday Morning at the Dance Studio Leeds. Today, we present to you "Robot Rock", a piece of breaking and popping. Prepare for some funky Robot antics.

Choreographer: Chris, Marie & The Dancers / Performers: Lola Greenwood, Jermeen Lee, Max Weeks, Oliver Clarkson, Sienna Speight-Jordan, MaćKowski Maciek, Ho Wang Chan, Marie Mathias, Chris Banks

Music: Popping Music - Robot Dance
Knightz Of Bass - Dark M-Pire
Soul Kings Band (Feat PRK URBAN) - Back To 2007
FUSIK - Higher
Robot Remains (Feat The Bangerz) - Jabbawockeez

Liberation (Contemporary)

Emma Clayton brings TRIBE to DSL showcase for the 3rd year, as a professional dancer herself has opened up many performance experiences for Tribe performers across Leeds including; 'Feminine Energy' site specific Leeds2023, 'Black Water' NHS Menopause festival 2022, 'Qi' Leeds Dance Partnership in Sept 2021. Dance TRIBE are very excited to be returning to the stage with 'LIBERATION' originally ReclaimThe Night, Dancing through the Streets of Leeds project curated by Melanie Manchot 2024.

Dance Tribe meet weekly for class Thursdays 7:30PM at DSL, Emma leads you through 1 hour of high-impact dance including floor strengthening technique, travel formations and learning choreographic sequences. We return back January 2025

<https://www.bloodmemorydance.co.uk/>

Choreographer: Emma Clayton / Performers: Chaneese Caan, Alison Pidgeon, Beth Dalton, Ruby Preston, Cristina Nimis, Serena Nassini, Caroline Leung, Molly Burn, Lela Moustakis, Rachel Wilson,

Music: Harold Van Lennap - Liberation



Kooza Dance (Jazz)

Being a jazz group and living up to our nickname- The Jazzerinas - our favourite pieces are always filled with jazz hands and lots of pizzazz! This feels like a real show piece and one we've loved performing over the past few months! We hope you enjoy it too!

Choreographer: Zoë Francesca / Performers: Holly Hunter, Emily Brooke, Kirsten Lamb, Frances Rainforth, Gemma Mckeown, Rachel Sharp, Emily Gibbins, Marina Tapley, Leanda Trethewey, Victoria Shpiliak, Helen Pearson

Music: Cirque du Soleil - KOOZA Dance

Summer Sunshine (Bellydance)

Lola Hips is a semi-professional bellydance troupe, led by Creative Director and Instructor, Meilyn. They have performed at international bellydance festivals across the UK, perform regularly at haflas (bellydance community events) and showcases and love mixing up styles. Meilyn is an award-winning Bellydancer and Choreographer, trained in Egyptian, Turkish and Fusion bellydance styles, including Chinese fan veils. Her friendly and supportive teaching style allows you to learn in a safe environment and grow as a dancer. Meilyn has been teaching for 16 years, including her regular classes, at international bellydance festivals and one-off tasters for hen parties, community groups, schools and ladies' parties. - We love The Dance Studio Leeds!

Choreographer: Meilyn / Performers: Adrienne Sherrard, Tracy Farnhill, Masako Harwood, Meilyn Hayirlioglu, Alexandra Matischen, Helen McManus, Aileen Metzler, Zaynab Seedat

Music: Dolapdere Big Gang - La Isla Bonita
Aswad - Shine
Artem Uzunov - Samba de Chertanovo





Mask Off (Fusion Of Styles)

Flows and Fusions come together every Friday evening to explore all the different styles of dance including Street, hip hop, commercial, dance hall, house, crumping and many more. They have taken this opportunity to perform and show everyone what they have learnt!

Choreographer: Flows Delgado / Performers: Flows Delgado, Kai Zhang, Nina Girma

Music: A Variety of Tracks

Con Todos Palabra - *Evening Only* (Flamenco)

This piece is all about representing emotion and feeling through Flamenco. The path of love never goes smoothly.

Director of Flamenco de Leeds Vanessa Matthews and dancer and Choreographer Allie Herrmann perform this piece.

Choreographer: Allie Herrmann / Performers: Allie Herrmann, Vanessa Matthews

Music: Las Migas - Con Todos Palabra



Does Your Mother Know (Jazz)

The daytime Jazz dancers meet every Monday at the studio and enjoy dancing to a range of jazz musical genres. We have loved working on this fun number to ABBA's 'Does Your Mother Know' and hope we have you all dancing in your seats!

Choreographers: Ceris Manger / Performers: Susan Watson, Charlotte Cirell, Nana Fletcher, Sheila Mayers, Pamela Taylor, Elizabeth Nolan, Jane Collins, Ceris Manger

Music: ABBA - Does Your Mother Know



Je te laisserai de mots (Ballet)

In our Improvers weekly classes, the focus has been on refining technique and strengthening barre work. For "Je te laisserai des mots", I wanted to introduce the dancers to the experience of performing as part of a corps de ballet, exploring intricate patterns and musicality that go beyond their usual classwork. The choreography presents its challenges, but it's been wonderful to watch the dancers rise to them and see the piece evolve into something special.

Choreographers: Madeleine Green / Performers: Isabelle Lambert, Nicole Smith, Xenia Teoh, Sinead Jones, Phoebe Bastiani, Beth Thompson, Suet Yi Chan, Laura Kruszewski, Emily Kerr

Music: Patrick Watson - Je te laisserai de mots





Keep On Dancin' (Street)

Inspired by this year's Super Bowl, watch as our Improvers Street Dance students celebrate the music of Usher, in this high energy mash up of some of his greatest hits!

Choreographer: Jessica Faye / Performers: Caroline Mudd, Daniel Overton, Fiby Franklin, Kathryn Goodyear, Ollie Gibbon, Priya Chitanand, Emily Brooke, Bernadett Tillmann, Chloe Moore

Music: USHER - Yeah! (Feat. Lil Jon, Ludacris)
Caught Up
U Don't Have To Call
Somebody To Love Remix (Feat Justin Bieber)
DJ Got Us Fallin' In Love (Feat Pitbull)

Broken Record\$ - *Matinee Only* (Fusion Of Styles)

BROKEN RECORD\$ is a trailer version of DECODANCE's current project, offering glimpses into the behind-the-scenes world of festival stars. Watch as the channels shift, revealing the highs and lows of their vibrant, unpredictable lives. The piece blends a variety of dance styles, from contemporary to line dancing, set to an electrifying mix of tracks from different decades that will take you on a magical musical journey through the eras. Expect a whirlwind of fur, sequins and unapologetic energy... It's time for the glitz and grit to take main stage, in true DECODANCE fashion.

DECODANCE is an intergenerational performance collective based in Leeds, known for our energetic and stereotype-defying work. We are always looking for adults of any age and any ability to join us every week on the dance floor - everybody is welcome! Please feel free to check us out on the DSL website and follow us on Instagram @DECODANCE_ & our Facebook page DECODANCE

Choreographer: Alex Garland & Meg Pennington in collaboration with members of DECODANCE Performance Collective / Performers: Megan Pennington, Alex Garland, Tamsin Spain, Bill McCarthy, Jane McCarthy, Man Chiu Leung, Sonja Miller, Sue Stanley, Anne Hawtin, Wendy Reed

Music: A Variety of Fun Upbeat Tracks



Mean Girls - *Evening Only* (Commercial Burlesque)

Taught by professional dancer and burlesque artist, Aurora Nova, her sassy Commercial Burlesque Performance Group are ready to entertain you with their high-energy routine and badass energy.

Aurora teaches weekly Burlesque, Floorwork and Commercial classes at Dance Studio Leeds. Her classes are a friendly and non-judgemental space, that are open to all levels, genders, bodies and ages 18+ | More information about Aurora and her classes can be found via Instagram (@auroranova_burlesque) and www.bookwhen.com/auroranova

Choreographer: Aurora Nova / Performers: Adam Gisborne, Amelia McCarthy, Gemma O'Connell, Georgina O'Connell, Holly Collins, Joanna Winestone, Naomi Booth Wade, Sahar Arshi, Tinuade Oshin

Music: Missy Elliot - Pass That Dutch



I Wanna See You Dance - *Evening Only* (Bollywood)

Zoobin Surty Company based in Leeds aim to enrich, inspire and educate communities through Indian contemporary Bollywood dance to colour and spice many souls.
www.zoobinsurtycompany.com

Choreographer: Zoobin Surty / Performers: Erica Strickland, Dax Knox, Alison Pigeon, Cathy Birch, Emma Hawthorn, Louise Baker, Felicity Kettlestring

Music: Ankur Tewari, Sachin-Jigar & Saba Azad - I Wanna See You Dance





And You Don't Even Know It (Musical Theatre)

Head back to school as our Improvers Musical Theatre students turn the stage into a classroom, in this high energy piece, inspired by Everybody's Talking About Jamie!

Choreographer: Jessica Faye / Performers: Bethan Frankland, Charlie Hagston, Charlotte O'Byrne, Emily Gibbins, Grace Nicholls, Louise Egerton, Lucy Brierley, Rachael Narey, Jessica Cooper, Amy Cox, Francesca Bowsher, Gemma Rudette, Grace Anderson, Hannah Fligelstone, Molly Pass, Rachel Pickles, Sarah Pritchard, Bindi Bassan, Grace Nicholson, Scarlett Kynoch

Music: Everybody's Talking About Jamie (The Original West End Recording) - And You Don't Even Know It

Hollywood Wiz (Jazz)

The Dance Studio Leeds show is a highlight of our year so we needed to come up with something special for this year's show. We thought we'd try a concept piece and we've loved how it's turned out! Hoping to transport you to a World full of glitz and glamour in a real show-stopper of a performance!

Choreographer: Zoë Francesca / Performers: Holly Hunter, Sarah Stephens, Emily Brooke, Kirsten Lamb, Frances Rainforth, Gemma Mckeown, Rachel Sharp, Emily Gibbins, Marina Tapley, Leanda Trethewey, Victoria Shpiliak, Helen Pearson, Lauren Spokes

Music: Cirque du Soleil & Jeremy Kushnier - The Hollywood Wiz



Classical Gas (Salsa - Ladies Styling)

Abigail Stephen-Ramsay from Leeds Salsa Club As seen on Channel 4s the Hobby Man presents her Ladies Styling Team, dancing to Classical Gas. Abigail is a teacher and choreographer who teaches Bachata and Salsa at the Dance Studio Leeds and surrounding areas with her partner Rahul Stephen, one half of the Salsa Twins. Abigail created the styling team to build confidence, enhance wellbeing and empower women to perform who have never stepped on a stage before.

Choreographer: Abigail Stephen-Ramsay (Leeds Salsa Club) / Performers:
Abigail Stephen-Ramsay, Megan Gray, Holly McLaren, Light Castells, Madeleine Parker, Lauren Savage, Sahar Arshi

Music: Mason Williams - Classical Gas



Elysian Moments (Ballet)

Powerhouse Ballet offers an opportunity to adult dance students and dancers in the North of England who are not employed full-time in established ballet companies to perform in commercial theatres in public. We have commissioned Emily Joy Smith to create a new work for us to perform in Dance Studio Leeds's "Celebration of Dance". The piece is based on Vivaldi's Flute Concerto in D Major "Il Gardolino" which Emily has been minded to choreograph for some time. Il Gardolino means goldfinch in Italian. The music is chirpy, and the dance is vivacious. It is fun to dance and spectacular to watch.

Choreographers: Emily Joy Smith / Performers: Anne Williams, Sue Pritchard, Helen Peacock, Panos Boutris, Katherine Wong, Bo Zhang, Maryna Chernobai, Adia Ilie

Music: Vivaldi - Flute Concerto in D Major "Il Gardolino"





Feeling Good - *Evening Only* (Burlesque)

Under the sparkling guidance of award-winning, professional burlesque artist, Aurora Nova, her fabulous Burlesque Performance Group will be sure to dazzle and entertain you! Aurora teaches weekly Burlesque, Floorwork and Commercial classes at Dance Studio Leeds. Her classes are a friendly and non-judgemental space, that are open to all levels, genders, bodies and ages 18+ | More information about Aurora and her classes can be found via Instagram (@auroranova_burlesque) and www.bookwhen.com/auroranova

Choreographer: Aurora Nova / Performers: Adam Gisborne, Gemma O'Connell, Holly Collins, Joanna Winestone, Natalia Lesinska, Sarah Pritchard, Sophie Newell, Geena Dyas

Music: Sonny Lester - Bumps & Grinds
Muse - Feeling Good

Yes, And? (Commercial)

Get ready to strike a pose in this Vogue inspired routine, performed by our Improvers-Intermediate Commercial class.

Choreographer: Jessica Faye / Performers: Bethan Frankland, Charis Hawkins, Charlie Hagston, Charlotte O'Byrne, Emily Gibbins, Grace Nicholls, Jen Harwood, Lucie Redgrave, Lucy Brierley, Mollie Sayer, Rachael Narey, Caitlin Cocksedge, Chloe Moore, Diana Krumova, Megan Butterfield, Poppy Richardson, Ruitka Patel, Zoe Routh

Music: Beyonce & Madonna - Break My Soul (The Queens Remix)
Ariana Grande - Yes, And?
Madonna - Vogue



Modern Belly Dance Medley (Bellydance)

Professional bellydancer Helena presents her student troupe, Harissa – who bring all the warmth and spice that their name suggests! From swords to silk fans to shaabi (Egyptian street dance), their modern belly dance medley has something from everyone.

Choreographer: Helena Orientale / Performers: Katie Salter, Uma Kathirgamanathan, Mand Harris, Jamila Khan, D'arcy Darilmaz, Laura Foden, Eliza Berse, Lucinda Van Tassel

Music: Nesma - Playing in the Oriental Garden
Raul Ferrando - Unveiled
Mahmood el Lithi - Satalana



Forget You (Tap)

Taught by professional dancer Amelia McCarthy, DSL's Improvers Tap group are bringing all the joy of tap dance to the stage, with their tap-tastic skills and fun energy. You certainly won't 'forget' these wonderful dancers!

Choreographer: Amelia McCarthy / Performers: Amelia McCarthy, Erica Strickland, Alex Davidson, Beatrice Johnson, Julia Kelly, Rebecca North, Sarah Nield, Sophie Mills

Music: CeeLo Green - Forget You



Luck Be A Lady (Musical Theatre - Jazz)

Inspired by the award winning musical Guys & Dolls, watch as our Improvers Musical Theatre students bring the glitz and glamour of Broadway to Leeds in this theatre jazz piece.

Choreographers: Jessica Faye / Performers: Emily Gibbins, Grace Nicholls, Lucy Brierley, Amy Cox, Katharine Shipley, Leanda Trethaway, Sarah Pritchard, Bindi Bassan, Fran Rainforth, Helen Pearson, Rachel Sharpe

Music: Guys & Dolls (The 2023 London Cast Recording) - Luck Be A Lady



Love & Heels (Contemporary/Fosse Fusion)

Love & Heels (choreo made summer 2024 for Dilettante Music video album release) This Fosse Jazz & Contemporary style dance was made for 14 dancers specifically for a music video portraying highs and lows of falling in love

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Choreographer: Emma Clayton / Performers: Chaneese Caan, Alison Pidgeon, Beth Dalton, Ruby Preston, Cristina Nimis, Serena Nassini, Caroline Leung, Molly Burn, Lela Moustakis, Rachel Wilson, Didi Krumova, Cathy Birch, Emma Clayton

Music: Dilettante - In love with falling in love



Jinja (Afro Fusion)

Our Afro Fusion show dance troupe is ran by Jemma Mae, Ember Dance, every Thursday at DSL and we are a group of adults aged 18-40+ years old! We train in different modern African dance styles such as Azonto from Ghana, Konto dance from Nigeria and Amapiano from South Africa. We have a wide range of dance abilities; some of us having danced all our lives and some people are new to dance lessons just this year. We are bonded by our love of the music, movement and the community feeling that class brings us.

We are excited to be performing in the DSL showcase 2024!

Choreographer: Jemma Mae / Performers: Louise McDowall, Jaikaila Benjamin, Jemma Mae Broomhead, Pareesha Webster, Helen Ridha, Claudia Jolly, Jhanel Ragadio, Molly Cudia, Mel Blackwood, Kerry Trapps, Skye McCann, Sujana Nalli, Oliwia Lubecka

Music: Asake - Active
Rema - Azaman



Texas Hold Em (Daytime Tap)

The daytime Tap dancers meet every Monday at the studio and are going 'West' in this fun tap dance to 'Texas Hold Em'. Yee-Haw! They have enjoyed working on this number over the last couple of months, as well as working on another dance for the annual Tapathon for Children In Need! There's nothing these tappers can't do!

Choreographer: Ceris Manger / Performers: Susan Watson, Charlotte Cirell, Pamela Taylor, Jane Collins, Moira Bailey, Patricia Walsh

Music: Beyonce - Texas Hold 'Em (Clean)





Cosmic Love (Ballet)

“Cosmic Love” highlights much of what we’ve been working on in our Intermediate Ballet classes. We’ve focused a lot on Port de Bras and Adagio, creating long, flowing combinations that challenge everyone. Recently, we’ve started adding more jumps and dynamic movements into our weekly classes, which has been really exciting. It’s been such a joy to see them all grow stronger, more confident, and truly shine in their dancing!

Choreographer: Madeleine Green / Performers: Nicole Smith, Xenia Teoh, Sinead Jones, Phoebe Bastiani, Beth Thompson, Suet Yi Chan, Laura Kruszewski, Emily Kerr, Isabelle Lambert, Lucy Leanne Burke, Rebecca North

Music: Florence & The Machine - Cosmic Love



Tippety Top Routine (Solo Charleston)

The Hot Charleston crew will be performing The Tippety Top Routine, a new Charleston + Jazz choreography in the style of the classic 1930s routines. Swing Dance Leeds runs Hot Charleston workshops on Saturdays accessible to all with an emphasis on enjoying the dance and dancing together. The music is fun and lively, the dance is energetic and often silly. Hot Charleston has been running since 2012 at the Dance Studio Leeds and is proud to be taking part in this years show.

Choreographer: Robert Shield / Performers: Robert Shield, Helen Stathers, Fiona Skilling, Vid Denton, Isabel Molina, Gustavo Oliveira, Rachel Lackey, Duncan James, Chloe Hudson

Music: The Schwings Band - Good Thing

Street Vibes (Street)

Monday night Street Dance class with Jo Ali has been running for about 14 years and we are a fun and friendly dance group. The energy in the studio is off the hook and the vibe is so positive. Monday nights feel like the new Friday night!

Choreographer: / Performers: Bindi Basan, Jo Ali, Kirsty Heald, Gabriella Haile, Monica Neill, Jon Scully, Lorna Miall, Rachel Fozard Souter, Emma Orme Morris, Angie Cordingley, Emma Cunliffe, Yasmeen El-Hamani, Ophelia Rix, Laura Dean, Scarlett Kynoch, Alison Pidgeon, Cat Oliver, Chloe Alice, Louise McDowall

Music: Beyonce - Texas Hold'Em
Break Dua Lipa - My Heart
Paul Russell - Lil Boo Thang
Tate McRae - Greedy
Tinie Tempah (Feat Zara Larson) - Girls Like



Earthquake - *Evening Only* (Sexy Floorwork)

Taught by professional dancer and burlesque artist, Aurora Nova, her fierce Sexy Floorwork Performance Group are ready to set the stage on fire!

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Choreographer: Aurora Nova / Performers: Gemma O'Connell, Georgina O'Connell, Sahar Arshi, Tinuade Oshin, Boyana Aleksandrova, Chloe Moore, Didi Krumova, Sophie Bird

Music: Tsar B - Escalate
Labrinth - Earthquake



Dancing Through Life (Musical Theatre)

Welcome to the Ozdust Ballroom! Put your hands together for our Improver Musical Theatre Students, as they cover a number of different styles in this beautiful piece celebrating the music from Wicked!

Choreographers: Jessica Faye / Performers: Bethan Frankland, Charlotte O'Byrne, Emily Gibbins, Grace Nicholls, Lucy Brierley, Rachael Narey, Jessica Cooper, Amy Cox, Francesca Bowsher, Gemma Rudette, Grace Anderson, Hannah Fligelstone, Katharine Shipley, Leanda Trethaway, Molly Pass, Nikola Barnes, Rachel Pickles, Sarah Pritchard, Sophie O'Connell, Phoebe Bastiani

Music: Wicked (Original Broadway Cast Recording) - Dancing Through Life



Running Order - Act 1

It's Caribbean Party! by Vybzs Dance (Carnival & Dancehall)

Earned It by DSL Improv Heels (Heels) - *Evening Only*

Beauty Of Kerala by Devika Dance Theatre (Bharatnatyam)

Ya Ya by Unite Dance Company (Commercial)

We Both Reached For The Gun by DSL Int/Adv Tap (Tap)

Locked In by Bust A Move (Locking) - *Matinee Only*

Robot Rock by Bust A Move (Breaking) - *Evening Only*

Liberation by Dance Tribe (Contemporary)

Kooza Dance by DSL Jazz Performance Group (Jazz)

Summer Sunshine by Lola's Hips (Bellydance)

Mask Off by Flows & Fusions (Fusion Of Styles)

Con Todos Palabra by Flamenco De Leeds (Flamenco) - *Evening Only*

Does Your Mother Know by Daytime Jazz (Jazz)

Je te laisserai de mots by DSL Beg/Improv Ballet (Ballet)

Keep On Dancing by DSL Improv Street (Street)

Broken Record\$ by DECODANCE (Fusion Of Styles) - *Matinee Only*

Mean Girls by Aurora Nova Burlesque (Commercial Burlesque) - *Evening Only*

I Wanna See You Dance by Zoobin Surty (Bollywood Fusion) - *Evening Only*

And You Don't Even Know It by DSL Musical Theatre (Musical Theatre)

Running Order - Act 2

Hollywood Wiz by DSL Jazz Performance Group (Jazz)

Classical Gas by Leeds Salsa Club (Salsa - Ladies Styling)

Elysian Moments by Powerhouse Ballet (Ballet)

Feeling Good by Aurora Nova Burlesque (Burlesque) - *Evening Only*

Yes, And? by The Commercial Crew (Commercial)

Modern Belly Dance Medley by Helena Bellydance (Bellydance)

Forget You by DSL Beg/Improv Tap (Tap)

Luck Be A Lady by DSL Musical Theatre (Musical Theatre - Jazz)

Love & Heels by Dance Tribe (Contemporary/Fosse Fusion)

Jinja by Ember Dance (Afro Fusion)

Texas Hold Em by Daytime Tap (Tap)

Cosmic Love by DSL Intermediate Ballet (Ballet)

Tippety Top Routine by Swing Dance Leeds (Solo Charleston)

Street Vibes by Jo's Street Crew (Street)

Earthquake by Aurora Nova Burlesque (Sexy Floorwork) - *Evening Only*

Dancing Through Life by DSL Musical Theatre (Musical Theatre)

Finale

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We offer a welcoming, relaxed environment and professional, friendly service, whether you're a complete beginner, professional dancer, hen party goer or corporate business to provide all your dancing needs. Conveniently located just a 10 min walk from Leeds City Centre in a converted textile mill we have 4 professional dance studios and all the facilities you need to feel at home.

We provide a range of services from weekly dance and fitness classes, wedding dance tuition, dance parties for hens, stags, and birthday celebrations, team building events, studio hire, educational workshops and professional dance troupes.





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