



HAVERFORD DANCE CENTER

2022 SUMMER SESSION – BALLET CAMPS (5-8 YRS)

Ballerina Swan Ballet Camp with In-Studio Performance

Wednesday, July 13th through Friday, July 15th

Christmas in July Ballet Camp with In-Studio Performance

Wednesday, July 20th through Friday, July 22nd

Professional Faculty:

Valerie Amiss



Ms. Amiss joined Pennsylvania Ballet as an apprentice in 1992 and was promoted to soloist in 1999. Ms. Amiss was a soloist with Pennsylvania Ballet for more than 15 years. As a professional dancer, Ms. Amiss has performed numerous principal roles, including Titania and Hermia in *A Midsummer Night's Dream*, Odette in *Swan Lake*, and the Sugarplum Fairy and Dew Drop in *The Nutcracker*. She has also performed featured roles in *Giselle*, Paul Taylor's *Company B*, Twyla Tharp's *In the Upper Room*, and Christopher Wheeldon's *Continuum*, among others.

Ms. Amiss was also co-ballet mistress for the Academy of Ballet NJ and is also a faculty member of The School of Pennsylvania Ballet and the Princeton Ballet School. Ms. Amiss was a senior lecturer at the University of the Arts, where she taught several ballet classes, as well as a guest lecturer at Drexel University where she discussed Balanchine repertoire for the Philadelphia Museum of Dance at the Barnes Museum. Ms. Amiss has taught ballet and pointe classes at schools throughout Pennsylvania and New Jersey and has also taught ballet classes for children with Down syndrome and special needs.

With her feature roles as *Odette* and *Sugar Plum Fairy*, we hope your children will join her in our two, 3-day Summer Camps and explore these timeless classics!



Daily Schedule (9:30 AM - 12:00 PM):

9:30-10:30: Ballet Class

10:30-10:45: Snack

10:45-11:30: Themed craft to be incorporated into end of session performance*

11:30-12: Choreography

*In-studio performance will be held at the end of day Friday.

Tuition: \$100/week

Registration: Please log into the Parent Portal to register. If payment by check is preferred, please complete the attached registration form make checks payable to *Haverford Dance Center*. Payment is due upon registration. Registrations are due no later than June 1st, 2022.

For any students wishing to attend summer classes that are not currently enrolled at Radomile Academy of Dance, please complete the attached registration form.

Attire: Leotard or dress, pink tights, pink ballet slippers, ballet bun.

Snack: With COVID not completely behind us yet, we ask that the children bring a water bottle and small snack with them. Please let us know if there are any allergies and we will be sure to request that snacks are allergy-free.