Northern Lights Dance Academy is the home of the Northern Lights Irish Dancers & the Cadillac Classical Arts Company. Our goal is to offer quality training at an affordable rate to local dancers. We strive to bring excellence in dance training as well as instilling confidence, community, performance ability, and much more!

Join our Dance Family Today!



Classes offered: Irish Dance, Classical Ballet, Contemporary, Young Dancer Classes & More!

Taking new registrations in Jan. 2025!

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DEC. 14TH – 15TH, 2024

A Special Christmas

Costumes designed by Elizabeth Dewey

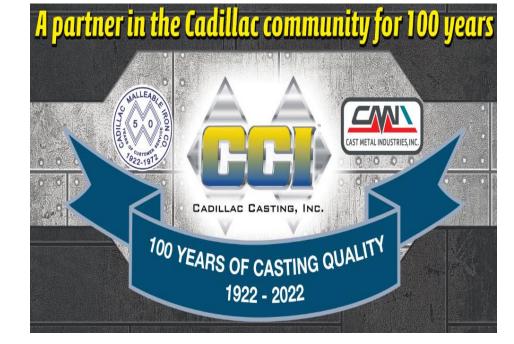
Back in the 1800s, a special story was rewritten by famous Russian writer Leo Tolstoy. It tells of an old cobbler who wishes that he could have helped Mary and Joseph that special night, as he read the Christmas story in the bible. That night in a dream, he dreams that Jesus will come to visit him the next day. So, he spends the following day, which is Christmas Eve, looking for Jesus. Though the day is filled with many visitors, he goes to bed thinking he missed him. Enjoy what comes next and remember that you too can make a difference wherever you are and whatever you do.

The NLDA has adapted this story a little to encourage and enhance. We also reference in Mathew 25:35-40 to strengthen the original story.

As with all of our stories, we hope you enjoy how we creatively recreate and dance each scene, to help you imagine and receive the true meaning.

The NLDA wishes you a wonderful Christmas season and hopes the New Year will also bring much joy.

In May we will be bringing back our original story production of "Etana'a Journey", which we are very excited about. Make sure you watch for it and attend!





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A Special Christmas

Overture – O Come All Ye Faithful, London Music Works **Welcome to the City** – Celebration Cinematic, Library of the Human Soul

Merchant Dance - I Saw Three Ships - Lindsey Stirling

Shopper Ladies – Christmas Cinematic, Library of the Human Soul

Welcome Papa Panov – Decoration Cinematic, Library of the Human Soul

School Children - Eejit, Blazin' Fiddles

Sotah, the Ex-convict – O Come, O Come Emmanuel, Lindsey Stirling

Papa Panov remembers his young family– Slip Jig, Brena Audrey Stevens

Snow – Christmas Reel, Igor Khainskyi

The Stars in the sky the night Jesus was born. Mary and Joseph look for a place to stay – O Come, O Come Emmanuel, For King & Country

The three Wise Rulers and their gifts – Hypnosis, Green Lads

Papa Panov's 1st Dream – Dragonfly Keeper, PHYLDEL

The Bells on Christmas Eve Morning – Light of Christmas, the Karozma Orchestra

The Widow and Child – Angels We Have Heard On High, Lindsey Stirling

A Special Christmas

The Widows of the city - 7 Years, Lindsey Stirling

Intermission

The Chimney Sweeps – Hornpipe Suite, Celtic Stars Irish Dancers

Sotah struggles with her (spiritual) chains – O Come, O Come Emmanuel, Lindey Stirling

Beggers – Single Jig, Brena Audrey Stevens – Hivernal, Green Lads

Orphans – Beyond the Horizon, Dominik A. Hecker – Building Light, Anne Sophie Versnaeyen

Papa Panov's second dream – Send Me, Church of the City

Papa Panov has one last person to help – Yule Cinematic, Library of the Human Soul

Sotah is Free! – A Christmas Alleluia, Chris Tomlin

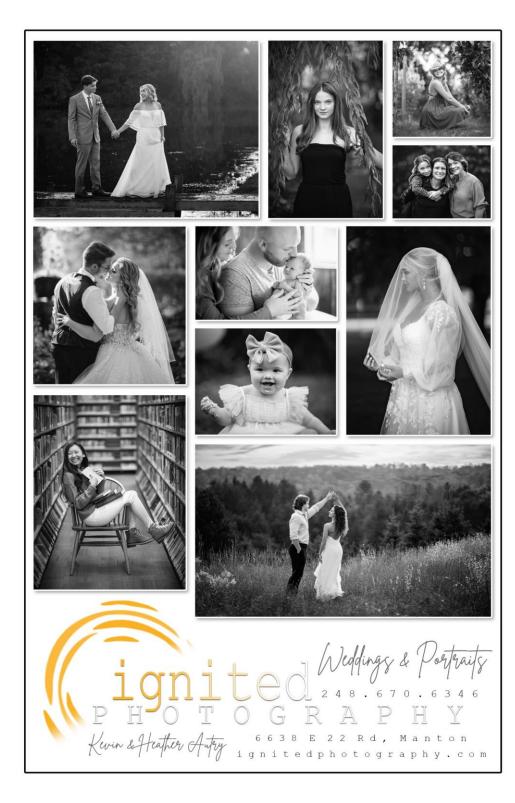
The Village Ceili on Christmas Morning – The Christmas Reel, Geoffrey Castle

Finale – Brand New Life, The Cast of Journey to Bethlehem

Bow - Joy to the World, Chris Tomlin

Story based off of the classic tale "Papa Panov's Special Christmas" by Leo Tolstoy.

Story adapted by Gina Dewey Choreography by Elizabeth Dewey & Gina Dewey





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Seniors Jubilee Hoekwater - 17th season Merchant, Snow, Wise Ruler, Bell, Widow, Chimney Sweep, Lead Beggar, Dream #2

Genevieve Hoek water - 13th season Merchant, Snow, Mary, Bell, Widow, Lead Chimney Sweep, Dream #2



Liam Hoek water - 9th season Merchant, Jack Frost, Joseph, Bell, Chimney sweep, Dream #2

Baileigh Logan - 9th season Merchant, Sotah, Snow, Wise Ruler, Bell, Widow, Chimney sweep, Dream #2

Eleanor Schwerdt – 5th season School Mistress , Snow, Wise Ruler, Bell, Widow, Chimney sweep, Orphanage Mistress, Dream #2



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Seniors

Charlie Wissner– 3rd season Mayor, Gift, Bell, Chimney Sweep, Beggar, Scarf in Dream 2



Helen Schwerdt – 5th season Merchant, Snow Princess, Gift, Bell, Widow, Chimney Sweep, Dream #2

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Juniors Alaina Huston – 2nd season Merchant, Snow, Gift, Bell, Beggar, Scarf in Dream 2



Maeven Zondlak – 3rd season School girl, Gift, Bell, Beggar, Scarf in Dream 2



Matilda Schwerdt – 5th season School girl, Gift, Bell, Beggar

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Juniors

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Lily Wissner – 3rd season

Alexis Bernard - 5th season

Merchant, Snow, Gift, Bell, Beggar, Scarf

School girl, Gift, Bell, Beggar

Gretchen Schwerdt– 3rd season School girl, Gift, Bell, Widow's Child, Beggar

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The Cadillac Classical Arts Company



Est. 2021

Naomi Walker – 4th season – Sr. Co. Shopper Lady, Young Mrs. Panov, Star, Dream #1, Lead Widow, Chimney Sweep, Dream #2



RuthieJo Walker – 4th season - Sr. Co. Shopper Lady, Star, Dream #1, Widow, Chimney Sweep, Lead Orphan, Dream #2



Maddie DuBois – 4th season – Sr. Co. Merchant, Star, Dream #1, Chimney Sweep, Scarf in Dream 2



Juliana Huston – 2st season – Sr. Co. Merchant, Star, Dream #1, Orphan, Scarf in dream 2



Gabriella Jerdon – 1st season – Sr. Co. Village girl, Star, Dream #1, Orphan, Scarf in dream 2





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Est. 2021

Able Walker – 2nd season – Sr. Co. Papa Panov

Louisa Svec – 1st season – Jr. Co. Village girl, Panov Child, Orphan



Brynn Sexton – 1st season – jr. Co. Village girl, Panov Child, Orphan



Akayla Ouwinga – 1st season – Jr. Co. Village girl, Panov Child, Orphan



Ava Sission – 1st season – Jr. Co. Village Lady, Dream 1, Orphan

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Apprentices

Dulcie Graham – 1st season Merchant, Snow, Bell, Beggar, Scarf in Dream 2



Lillian Henner – 1st season School girl, Bell, Beggar



Rowan Graham – 1st season School girl, Bell, Beggar



Amelia Griffin – 1st season School girl, Gift, Bell, Beggar

Special thanks to our Guest assists and actors! **Stephanie Charvoz** – Former Professional Ballerina **Elizabeth Dewey** – Former Professional Ballerina **David Wissner** – Jesus **Tim Dewey** - Narration





Ellie, Helen, Matilda, and Gretchen, Keep dancing - we are so proud of you! Love Mom, Dad, and Audrey

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The NLDA was established in 2007 as a Traditional Irish Dance school and performing troupe. Since then our dancers have performed for tens of thousands around the state. In 2016 the NLID started performing story productions, and it has been our favorite type of show to present ever since. The Northern Lights Dance Academy has expanded since 2020 to include Ballet, Contemporary, and Drama. In 2021 the Cadillac Classical Arts Company was founded to give our local ballet dancers a chance to be apart of a professional student company.

Our goal is, and always has been, to give our students the chance to grow into the people they were created to be, for them to share their passions with the world, and for them to be a light to those around them!

Find out how to become part of the NLDA Family today!



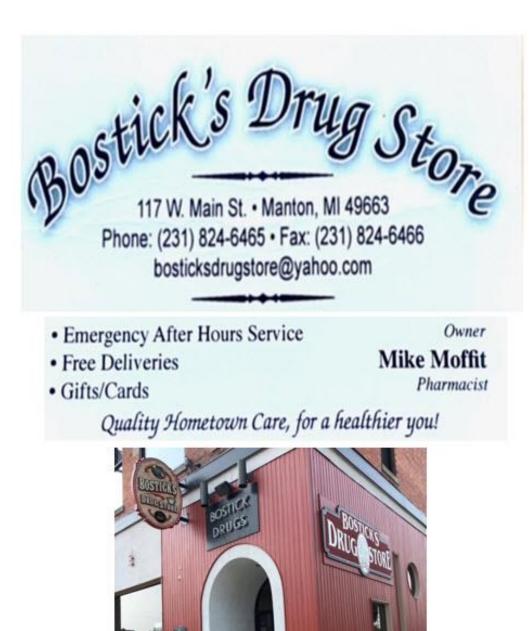
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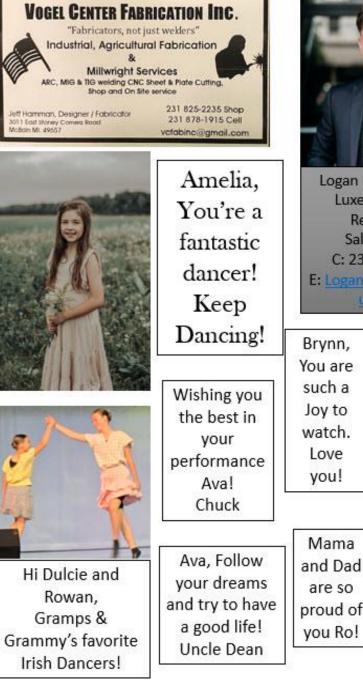
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Gabriella, You bring us great joy in your dance! Keep praising God with your gift. Love Mom and Dad



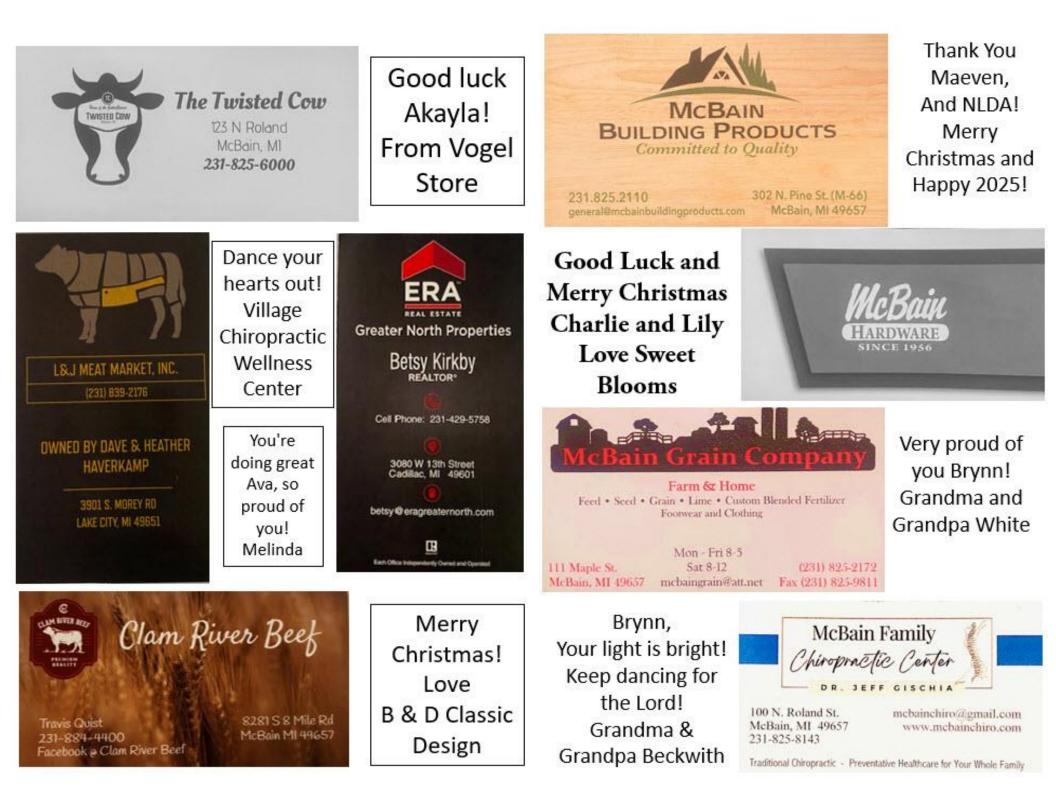




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Dance well Akayla!

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Merry Christmas from Rim Guard

Wishing you peace, joy, and blessings during this Christmas season.

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Mom, Dad and Dayton

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A Huge Thank You To

Jesse Barcega

Photography

for photographing today's show!



Great perseverance during a tough semester! Love Cuthbert and Bernard family

We love you, Charlie and Lily! Mom and Dad And the best little brother: Jasper.





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