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2026 Millikan Dance Show

Storytellers

Dancing the narrative for 70 years!

Once upon a time... 1956, in a small city by the sea, Millikan High School was built and a dance program was born under the direction of Gwen Gibson. Seventy years later in the exact same classrooms, the tradition continues. Today dancers thrive and grow within a program that supports the total dancer. Movement, choreography, and technique fortify the breadth of curriculum and advance the level of experience in the dancers that cross our threshold. Welcome. Come on in! If you listen closely you can still hear the needle drop with a familiar hiss, and the crackle of vinyl, the faint, echoing melody transports you back to a crowded room filled with the rhythmic sway of dancing just as they had decades before. The dance is timeless, yet no two narratives are the same. Thank you for being a part of the story! Cheers to 70 years of telling stories and Cheers to 70 more!

Enjoy the show!

Make sure to head to our concessions! Everything is \$1 or \$2!

Message from The Millikan Dance Director

As we celebrate this year's production of Storytellers, I am overwhelmed with pride and gratitude for the incredible people who brought this show to life.

To our dancers, thank you for your endless hard work, dedication, passion, and commitment to this program. Your talent continues to amaze me, but even more impressive is the heart you bring into every rehearsal and performance. Through movement, emotion, and artistry, you have taken the stories within this show and brought them vividly to life for our audience. Watching you grow as performers, teammates, and individuals has been such a joy, and I could not be more proud of all that you have accomplished.

I would also like to thank the administration of Millikan High School for their continued support of the arts and of our dance program. Your encouragement and belief in what we do allows our students to have these meaningful opportunities to create, perform, and shine. A very special thank you goes to Mario, our stage director, and his incredible crew. Your hard work behind the scenes and attention to detail are what make this production possible. I have truly loved working alongside all of you, and this show simply would not run without your dedication and talent.

A special thank you to all of our guest choreographers and coaches for your dedication, creativity, and beautiful work throughout this production. Your passion and talent helped bring these stories to life, and we are so grateful for everything you contributed to our program.

To our amazing dance parents and families. I thank you for the love and support you continuously give to this program and to your dancers. From words of encouragement, helping behind the scenes, and cheering from the audience, your support means more than you know.

And finally, I would like to personally thank Shannon Garbiero, our dance program coordinator. Your tireless work, organization, care, and attention to every small detail are such an essential part of this program. So much of what you do happens quietly behind the scenes, but none of this would be possible without you. We are incredibly lucky to have you, and I am endlessly grateful for all that you do.

I feel so fortunate to do what I love every single day, surrounded by such talented students, supportive families, and dedicated colleagues. Thank you all for making this program so special and for continuing to make dance a place where stories can truly come alive.

With gratitude,
Jennifer Waters
Director of Dance



Meet the 25/26 MHS Dance Teams



Advanced Dance



Captains Ella & Ricci



Intermediate 5/6



Captains Lindsey & Savannah



Intermediate 3/4



Captains Maddie & Leilani

SHOW ORDER

**1ST
HALF**

Spin Me Round – Millikan Advanced Dance – choreo by Lauren Slack

Hella Good – Intermediate $\frac{5}{6}$ – Student Choreo by Lindsey Sylva & Zariah Robinson

Hot Stuff – Intermediate $\frac{3}{4}$ – choreo by Kelly Molnar

Maybe – Marshall Middle School Dance Team – choreo by Aniya Lewis

The End of Love – Advanced Senior Soloist Ella Garza – choreo by Jeff Harvey

Sinaloa – Millikan Folklorico Club – Choreo by Terra Barrera

Piano Man – Intermediate $\frac{5}{6}$ – Student Choreo by Ava Ramirez & Emma Scott

Everything is Romantic – Advanced Student Choreo by Micah Velez

School Night – Advanced Student Choreo by Ricci Lloyd

My All – Intermediate $\frac{3}{4}$ – Choreo by Macy Duffy

Prestige – Intermediate $\frac{5}{6}$ – choreo by Lisa Given

I Surrender – Advanced Dance – choreo by Kelly Molnar

Small Town Boy – Intermediate $\frac{5}{6}$ – choreo by Samantha Burke

Don't Have to be Sorry – Advanced Student Choreo by Amari Medina

Frekum Dress – Intermediate $\frac{3}{4}$ – Student Choreo by Maddy Norman & Danni Haskell

Move Shake Drop – Hip Hop All Teams – choreo by Danyel Moulton

Michoacan – Millikan Folklorico Class – choreo by Terra Barrera

Things Behind Things Behind Things – Advanced Dance – choreo by Dylan Kinzler

The MJ Experience – Rams Without Limits

Intermission

SHOW ORDER

**2ND
HALF**

The Diner – Advanced Dance – choreo by Tori Cone

Proud Mary – Intermediate 5/6 – choreo by Kelly Molnar

Boyz – Advanced Dance – choreo by Samantha Burke

Chicago – Beginning Dance – choreo by Savannah, Sasha, Sophia

Cello – Intermediate 5/6 – choreo by Brooke Baxter

What's Love Got to Do With it – Intermediate 3/4 – choreo by Brooke Baxter

The Last Riff – Advanced Senior's Couples Dance

Will You Still Love Me – Intermediate 5/6 – choreo by Macy Duffy

Hope, Love, Dreams – Tap Ensemble – choreo by Rashida Mann

Dinner Alone – Advanced Senior Soloist Adysen Domingo – choreo by Sonia Bryman

Get Back – Intermediate 3/4 – choreo by Samantha Burke

If You Stay – Advanced Senior Soloist Raegan Vaughn – choreo by Malia Asahino

Try a Little Tenderness – Advanced Dance – choreo by Chalatorn Ujamras

Wall of Sound – Advanced Dance – choreo by Renee Baldwin

Your Honor – Intermediate 5/6 – choreo by Dylan Kinzler

RABi – Intermediate 3/4 – choreo by Dylan Kinzler

End of Love – Advanced Dance – choreo by Alex Lee

Studio 54 – Intermediate 5/6 – choreo by Ashley Jones

Loose My Breath – Intermediate 3/4 – choreo by Macy Duffy

Come Around – Advanced Dance – choreo by Chalatorn Ujamras

Class of 2026 Senior Slideshow & Finale Dance

SHOW CREDITS

Alphabetical Order

Boyz

Choreo – Samantha Burke

Dancers: Noelle, Briar, Lauren, Ella, Eva, Sydney, Amari, Jasmine, Alexa, Hailey, Reagan, Micah

Cello

Choreo – Brooke Baxter

Dancers: Rachel, Ava B, Karis, Sophia, Evangeline, Raquel, Sasha, Sam H, Keira, Kaylena, Sam P, Zariah, Emma, Lindsey, Zoe, Roxanna

Chicago

Choreo – Int 5/6 Dancers
Savannah, Sasha & Sophia

Dancers: Audrey, Evelyn, Lindsey, Sabrina, Vyannah, Zachary, Ellie, Emma, Jaiden, Karina, Sofia, Sophia

Come Around

Choreo – Chalatorn Ujamras

Dancers: Millikan Advanced Dance Team

Don't Have to Be Sorry

Choreo – Amari Medina

Dancers: Noelle, Gwen, Sam, Avery, Sydney, Stella, Andrea, Hailey, Camille, Olivia

Dinner Alone

Choreo – Sonya Bryman

Senior Soloist Adysen Domingo

End of Love

Choreo – Alex Lee

Dancers: Briar, Lauren, Eva, Avery, Ricci, Amari, Stella, Andrea, Raegan, Camille, Olivia

Everything is Romantic

Choreo – Micah Velez

Dancers: Noelle, Lauren, Eva, Sam, Sydney, Alexa, Hailey, Camille, Olivia, Micah

Frekum Dress

Choreo – Maddy Norman & Danni Haskell

Dancers: Zoe, Abigail, Delaney, Marley, Keira, Dani, Sam, Amiah, Maddy, Anna, Ceci, Natalia, Kayla, Arin

Get Back

Choreo – Samantha Burke

Dancers: Hannah, Leilani, Abigail, Delaney, Briseidy, Keira, Myah, Sam, Maddy, Peyton, Anna, Natalia, Gabrielle, Hayden S., Kayla

Hella Good

Choreo – Zariah Robinson & Lindsey Sylva
Dancers: Ava B, Carlie, Karis, Evangeline, Mia, Eva G, Sam H, Saoirse, Zariah, Lily, Lindsey, Juno, Zoe

Hot Stuff

Choreo – Kelly Molnar

Dancers: The Intermediate $\frac{3}{4}$ Dance Team

Hope, Love, Dreams

Choreo – Rashida Mann

Dancers: Lauren, Micah, Noelle, Amari, Ricci, Sydney, Eva, Olivia

I Surrender

Choreo – Kelly Molnar

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Senior Soloist Raegan Vaughn

Lose My Breath

Choreo – Macy Duffy

Dancers: Hannah, Leilani, Isabella, Abigail, Makayla, Delaney, Marley, Myah, Sam L, Penelope, Amiah, Maddy, Julianna, Anna, Lilianna, Gabrielle, Lucie, Beia, Arin, Hayden V. Keira

Maybe

Choreo –Aniya Lewis

Dancers: Marshal Middle School Dance Team

Michoacan

Choreo –Terra Barrera

Dancers: Andrea, Katelyn, Lindsey, Malillany, Melanie C, Melanie G, Michelle, Natalie, Patricia, Sophia S, Valerie, Adamaris, Aileen, Belen, Bella, Bianca, Emily, Johanna, Kaili, Marely, Sophia V, Aileen, Ava, Carolina, Daren, Keyla, Olivia

Move. Shake. Drop.

Choreo – Danyel Moulton

Dancers: Ella, Raegan, Olivia, Jasmine, Lana, Sam, Stella, Noelle, Eva, Ricci, Juno, Lindsey, Zariah, Adysen, Gwen

My All

Choreo – Macy Duffy

Dancers: Hannah, Leilani, Ariana, Isabella, Makayla, Briseidy, Sofia, Myah, Penelope, Peyton, Julianna, Lilianna, Gabrielle, Hayden S, Lucie, Beia, Hayden V.

Piano Man

Choreo – Emma Scott & Ava Ramirez

Dancers: Jianna, Rachel, Aubrey, Sophia, Raquel, Cameryn, Sasha, Keira, Kaylena, Ashlyn, Sam P, Ava R, Emily, Emma, Savannah, Roxanna

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Dancers: Melissa, Charlotte, Melinah, Sabrina, Joaquin, Leonila, Elizabeth, Cadence, Arabella, Valerie, Sophia, Dublin, Yasmine, Danni & Ceci

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Choreo – Samantha Burke

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The End of Love

Choreo – Jeff Harvey
Senior Soloist Ella Garza

The Last Riff

Choreo – Advanced Dance Seniors

Dancers: Ella & Ryan, Sam & EJ, Ricci & Nate, Avery & Micah, Raegan & Diego, Adysen & Noah, Hailey & Alex, Camielle & Zach

Things Behind Things Behind Things

Choreo – Dylan Kinzler

Dancers: Noelle, Adysen, Gwen, Ella, Sam, Sydney, Jasmine, Alexa, Hailey, Lana, Micah

The MJ Experience

Featuring Dams With Out Limits

Choreo – Micah Velez & Olivia Wu

Dancers: Maya, Safora, Desirae, Carlos T, Melanie, Logan G, Aidan K, Kendra W, Narayan, Lilly K, Alden Fletcher, Aaron R, Moises M, Ayden F, Ali B, Natalia B., Mason, Carlos S, Niko

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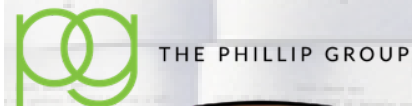
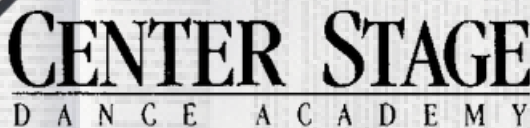
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