

### Welcome to Pulse!

Tonight is a celebration of creativity, hard work, and teamwork. Watching our dancers grow and transform is always one of my greatest joys in my teaching career.

I named this show Pulse because it represents more than just rhythm, it symbolizes the heart that beats within each of us, allowing us to live, create, and dance. As part of our new tradition, we pay tribute to this heartbeat before ending every practice and performance, honoring the gift of movement and life.

A huge thank you to Nancy for being my rock and ensuring every detail is perfect, to Ashtin for your incredible backdrops that elevate our show, and to the staff that constantly supports our program year-round. To our student aides, your choreography and contributions make this program shine.

To my family, thank you for your patience with my crazy work schedule, for constantly pushing me to challenge myself, and for always showing up to be part of everything I do just so we can be together. Your support and love mean the world to me.

And finally, to my amazing team, your dedication and energy inspire me every day.

Enjoy the magic of Pulse and the beauty we've created together!

With gratitude, Amanda Klaus Dance Director, Buena Park High School



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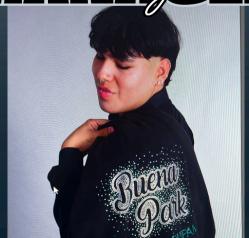
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Jasmine Ascencio

From my three years of being on this team i have made so many amazing friends and memories that i will always cherish. i'm so thankful that i was given the opportunity to be in dance company and be apart of such an incredible team. i wanted to say thank you Mrs. Klaus for always being the best dance teacher she could be, as well as my family for always supporting me in doing what I love to do.



Leija Barrera

It's so hard to believe this journey is coming to an end. From early morning practices to late-night rehearsals, every moment with this team has been unforgettable. My favorite memories from being part of this program are all the team bondings we had. We've laughed, worked hard, and supported each other through it all. Everyone on the team has insured me to push myself to do better and has inspired me in so many ways! I am beyond grateful to have been part of such a talented group. A huge thank you to cabinet and to Mrs. Klaus for always pushing me to do my best and believing in me!



Samantha Camacho

I'd like to thank Mrs. Klaus for all the hard work she puts into everything we do for Dance. I appreciate all the memories I have made with Mrs. Klaus and everyone else on the team. I'm grateful to have been a part of such an amazing dance team this year and will remember all the new friendships and memories I have made because of it.



Joanna Esquivel

I've only been in DC for a semester—it was just for my senior year. Although I wish it had been a longer period, I am glad to have met the people I now call my friends. DC was an experience I'm grateful to have had; it helped me get out of my shell and do what I love. One of my favorite memories since joining was going to the dance festival. It gave me a chance to meet new dancers from other schools and allowed me to learn different forms of dance. We ended it with an amazing performance from our team and others.



Rubie Garza

Dance has become my second home and I adore every single person I've danced with these past years. I'm forever grateful to have been given the opportunity to dance at this school. I'll never forget all the memories I've made with all the amazing people I've met. Dance will forever hold a special place in my heart, and of course I'll miss Mrs. Klaus the most for helping me become a better version of myself as a whole, not just a dancer.



Danielle Gonzalez

Thank you all for the unforgettable memories and the endless laughter we shared on and off stage and throughout each and every practice. I'll always cherish the bonds I've made with the team and the thrilling feeling when performing. Thank you to my family and friends for supporting me and most of all special thank you to Ms. Klaus and Cabinet for pushing us to be our 110% best and giving us a chance to be a part of a special team.



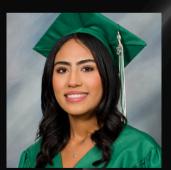
Esmeralda Lepe-Romero

Being part of Dance Company has been an incredible journey, and I'm grateful for every moment shared with such talented individuals. This year I have gotten closer to some really great people and I am thankful to have been able to experience my senior year with them. As I say goodbye, I carry with me the lessons learned and friendships formed, Knowing they will always hold a special place in my heart.



Edward Luna

As dancing is coming to an end, dancing has been more than just a passion. Its been a source of joy from tiring morning to late night practices. Thankful for funny laughs with my team and friends i have made throughout the years. As I move forward, I carry with me the spirit of dance and the gratitude for all the experiences it has brought into my life.



Ariana Magana

Dancing has been an incredible journey throughout all 4 years. I'm grateful for all the different friendships that were built. My favorite memories while being part of this program would have to be the adrenaline and excitement feeling before stepping on stage. Thank you to Mrs. Klaus and my teammates for the inspiration and laughter, and a big thank you to my mom for supporting me at every show I had.



Serenity Matthew

Being in dance has been the best experience and I am eternally grateful that I got to be on this team. My favorite memories are all the laughter we had even though we had a little too much at times. And thank you to my mom for being my biggest supporter



Alyssa Moreno-Montes

The state before getting on that stage, the anxiety and anticipation of it all and then the complete black out once you hear the music start is a feeling I never want to let go of, it felt like a dream and soon will all be unforgettable memories. But as I say my goodbyes I know I cherished every moment laughing and getting to meet so many amazing people I wanna stay connected to. Dance felt like home, a place where I could be myself and pour out everything and feel refreshed. I'm forever and always grateful to be given this experience as well as lead everyone to a great year, I love you all and will take these memories with me for the rest of my life.



Mindy Nguyen

I am filled with gratitude for the experiences, my teammates, and the support that has made this year on the team unforgettable. I want to thank Mrs. Klaus for giving me the opportunity to pour my heart out onto this stage one last time, and to this dance team for making my first and last year on this team worth every dream i had of it, during my freshman year. Thank you for the realization that my body can bend in such weird ways



Dance has been such a huge part of my life, shaping who I am today. I'm so grateful for the friendships I've made and the confidence I've built along the way. Thank you to everyone but especially my mom, who has supported me and pushed me to be my best. I'll always carry this experience with me wherever I go.



Alejandra Ramos Ramirez

Heyy!! It's Ale, I just wanted to give a big thank you to Mrs. Klaus for letting me be part of such an amazing, and talented team. For the past 4 years I have been part of the Dance Program and my last 2 part of Dance Company, which has honestly been the best part of highschool. Being a part of this team really made me realize how much love I have for dancing. Although it is a bittersweetbitter sweet moment, I'm excitedIm excited to see what the future holds for me and walk across that graduation stage knowing I'm inim in Gods hands. I will forever be greatful for having the opportunity to dance with you all. With much much love, Alejandra signing off!!!



Hailey Raya

As I say goodbye to this chapter of my dance journey, I want to say thank you to my friends for making this year full of memories. One of my favorite memories was when we did the Justin Bieber concert in dance camp. I also loved when I hit my doubles for the first time from the energy, and the support feeling of accomplishment will always stay with me. Thank you Mom, Dad, Rosie, Juan, Stephy and Mrs. Klaus for being such an amazing part of this experience and for all the encouragement along the way. I'll cherish these memories forever. Hailey signing out!!



Linda Rodriguez-Blackstone

Being apart of Dance Company has been an eventful but treasurable time in my life that I will never forget. I've formed so many forever bonds, grew as a person, & dancer alongside my team. I will look back on cherished moments fondly with love in my heart & gratefulness that I was able to experience so much. I give thanks to God, my family & friends for being with me throughout this journey.



Angelina Sandoval

This past year on dance has been such an amazing opportunity and I wouldn't want my senior any other way. Thank you to Mrs Klaus for being such an amazing person in my life, and huge thank you to my mom because I'd really be nothing without her. I will never forget the life long friendships I've made, love you guys always!



Elizabeth Sandoval

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Fatima Silva

It's crazy to think my 4 years have finally come to an end, however I don't regret them whatsoever and enjoyed every moment. becoming part of dance company my senior year was by far the best decision ive made, i have made so many memories and connections with everyone on the team. although it's bittersweet i can't wait to start the next chapter in my life. a big thank you to those who always showed up and supported me while doing what I love.



Emily Talavera

I want to sincerely thank Mrs. Klaus for always being there for me, whether it's in dance or agriculture. Your support and guidance have meant so much, and I'm incredibly grateful for the opportunities you've given me, especially being part of the team for the past two years. It has been an unforgettable experience, and I feel so lucky to have had you as a teacher for the past four years!

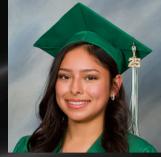
## Dance Academy Seniors



Victoria Fowler



Sophia Noell



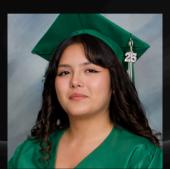
Deannie Cardona



Alexa Nieto



Arlene Ortega



Guadalupe Ramirez



Sofia Contreras



Nancy Carreto



Aranza Luquin Sanchez



Paisley Ciaramella



Abigail Torres





## advennced



Lexie Aguilar, Marilynn Allende, Melanie Camacho, Deannie Cardona, Jimena Duran, Joanna Esquivel, Janice Flores, Victor Fonseca, Victoria Fowler, Rubie Garza, Aubrey Gonzalez, Esmeralda Lepe-Romero, Alyna Lopez, Ruby Melchor, Elizabeth Moreno-Trejo, Alexa Nieto, Sophia Noell, Arlene Ortega, Jessie Perez, Guadalupe Ramirez, Alejandra Ramos Ramirez, Ellen Rodriguez, Leonardo Silva, and Audriana Velazquez.

## intermediate



Yarehlee Aguilar, Cecilia Alvarado, Sofia Contreras, Yareli Dominguez Aguilar, Judith Espinosa Vazquez, Jazmin Esquivel, Amelia Garcia, Karen Garcia, Jasmine Garnica Aguilera, Mya Hernandez, Jazleen Jimenez, Samantha Jove Melendez, Kayla Losoya, Aranza Luquin Sanchez, Ashley Mendoza, Ailyn Navarro-Garcia, Sarette Noriega, Daniela Ortiz Victorino, Alexis Razo, Natalie Salazar, Liliana Stuart, Abygail Tatum-Asplund, Monica Valle, Rozlynn VanBeekum, and Brianna Zamora.

## period 3



Kandy Beltran, Syeda Bint Ul Huda, Nancy Carreto, Paisley Ciaramella, Natalie Corrales, Belen Guzman, Valentina Idiaquez-Vasquez, Sasha Leal, JaeAnn Longo, Kayleigh Lozano Urbano, Milan Lucien-Williams, Ruby Martinez, Giselle Medina, Hernandez, Esmeralda Miranda Perez, Julianne Morales, Kassandra Navarro-De Alba, Guadalupe Nieto Aquino, Emily O'Campo, Andrea Pacheco, Estefany Palmer Hurtado, , Mariah Rodriguez, Olivia Rodriguez, Giselle Trinidad-Dominguez, Scarlett Wilm, Paola Zamudio, Crystal Zavala, and Americ Zavala-Zaldana.

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Melanie Barriga, Crystal Becerra, Joscelyn Campos, Leslie Cancino, Tiya Davis, Dalene Do, Marisa Favela-Romo, Mayrin Flores, Alexis Garcia, Sadie Gardner, Irene Gutierrez, Valerie Gutierrez, David Guzman, Jackelyn Hermosillo Aceves, Isabel Hernandez, Valerie Hernandez, Brianna Jaimes, Tatiana Lopez, Aranza Luquin Sanchez, Alyson Martinez Rodriguez, Mia Medellin, Valeria Mendez, Lizbeth Meza, Alyssa Michel, Yoselyn Pasindo Morales, Katharine Rivas Quintero, Julia Rodriguez, Abigail Torres, and Jamie Villa.

### THE GAMES

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: ESMERALDA LEPE , ALYSSA MORENO, EDWARD LUNA, ARIANA MAGANA

## I WILL SURVIVE

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: ESMERALDA LEPE

## **CREEKS**

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: BRIDGET NAGEL

Performed by: Dance Company: Stephanie Angulo, Jasmine Ascencio, Leija Barrera, Samantha Camacho, Alina Camino, Kayla Dina, Joanna Esquivel, Leah Forman, Rubie Garza, Danielle Gonzalez, Nevaeh Higuera, Amy Ibarra, Esmeralda Lepe-Romero, Edward Luna, Ariana Magana, Serenity Matthew, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Mindy Nguyen, Jessie Perez, Alyssa Ramirez, Alejandra Ramos Ramirez, Hailey Raya, Linda Rodriguez-Blackstone, \*Itzel Salgado, Angelina Sandoval, Elizabeth Sandoval, Fatima Silva, Miriam Silvar-Guzman, Emily Talavera

Performed by: Advanced Dance Yarehlee Aguilar, Cecilia Alvarado, Sofia Contreras, Yareli Dominguez Aguilar, Judith Espinosa Vazquez, Jazmin Esquivel, Amelia Garcia, Karen Garcia, Jasmine Garnica Aguilera, Mya Hernandez, Jazleen Jimenez, Samantha Jove Melendez, Kayla Losoya, Aranza Luquin Sanchez, Ashley Mendoza, Ailyn Navarro-Garcia, Sarette Noriega, Daniela Ortiz Victorino, Alexis Razo, Natalie Salazar, Liliana Stuart, Abygail Tatum-Asplund, Monica Valle, Rozlynn VanBeekum, and Brianna Zamora.

Performed by: Jasmine Ascencio, Samantha Camacho, Joanna Esquivel, Rubie Garza, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Mindy Nguyen, Jessie Perez, Linda Rodriguez-Blackstone, Emily Talavera,

## WOMAN

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: ALEJANDRA RAMOS AND FATIMA SILVA Performed by: Jasmine Ascencio, Leija Barrera, Samantha Camacho, Edward Luna, Ariana Magana, Serenity Matthew, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Mindy Nguyen, Alejandra Ramos Ramirez, Fatima Silva

## **RUN IT**

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: LEIJA BARRERA

Performed by: PERIOD 2: Yarehlee Aguilar, Cecilia Alvarado, Sofia Contreras, Yareli Dominguez Aguilar, Judith Espinosa Vazquez, Jazmin Esquivel, Amelia Garcia, Karen Garcia, Jasmine Garnica Aguilera, Mya Hernandez, Jazleen Jimenez, Samaritha Jove Melendez, Kayla Losoya, Aranza Luquin Sanchez, Ashley Mendoza, Ailyn Navarro-Garcia, Sarette Noriega, Daniela Ortiz Victorino, Alexis Razo, Natalie Salazar, Liliana Stuart, Abygail Tatum-Asplund, Monica Valle, Rozlynn VanBeekum, and Brianna Zamora.

## SMOOTH OPERATOR CHOREOGRAPHED BY: MIRJAM SILVAR

Performed by: Jasmine Ascencio, Samantha Camacho, Alina Camino, Rubie Garza, Nevaeh Higuera, Amy Ibarra, Ariana Magana, Serenity Matthew, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Jessie Perez, Alyssa Ramirez, Miriam Silvar-Guzman

## DANCING WITH YOUR GHOST

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: MINDY NGUYEN

Performed by: Mindy Nguyen

## **MY LOVE** :

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: ALYSSA MORENO-MONTES Performed by: Jasmine Ascencio, Leija Barrera, Samantha Camacho, Esmeralda Lepe-Romero, Edward Luna, Ariana Magana, Serenity Matthew, Alejandra Ramos Ramirez

## **DARLING**

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: RUBIE GARZA

Performed by: Rubie Garza

## **LE FREAK**

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: JASMINE ASCENCIO

Performed by: Jasmine Ascencio, Samantha Camacho, Leah Forman, Edward Luna, Ariana Magana, Serenity Matthew, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Elizabeth Sandoval

## WORKOUT MANTRA

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: ANGELA KIM

Performed by: Nicolas Dance Team

## WHERE DOES YOUR SPIRIT GO

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: SAMANTHA CAMACHO

Performed by: Samantha Camacho, Rubie Garza, Edward Luna, Ariana Magana, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Jessie Perez, Alyssa Ramirez, Linda Rodriguez-Blackstone

## KEEP IT IN THE FAM

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: SENIOR DANCERS AND AMANDA KLAUS

Performed by: Seniors and their family members

## JUMPIN' -

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: KAYLA DINA, STEPHANIE ANGULO, MRIAM SILVAR

Performed by: Period 3 Dance: Kandy Beltran, Syeda Bint Ul Huda, Nancy Carreto, Paisley Ciaramella, Natalie Corrales, Belen Guzman, Valentina Idiaquez-Vasquez, Sasha Leal, JaeAnn Longo, Kayleigh Lozano Urbano, Milan Lucien-Williams, Ruby Martinez, Giselle Medina Hernandez, Esmeralda Miranda Perez, Julianne Morales, Kassandra Navarro-De Alba, Guadalupe Nieto Aquino, Emily O'Campo, Andrea Pacheco, Estefany Palmer Hurtado, , Mariah Rodriguez, Olivia Rodriguez, Giselle Trinidad-Dominguez, Scarlett Wilm, Paola Zamudio, Crystal Zavala, and Americ Zavala-Zaldana.

## **POSITOOVITY**

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: AMANDA KLAUS

Performed by:Rubie Garza, David Guzman, Edward Luna, Serenity Matthew. Mia Medallin, Alyssa Michel, Jessie Perez, Guadalupe Ramirez, Hailey Raya, Victoria Roman, Natalie Salazar

## HEAVEN I KNOW

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: JASMINE ASCENCIO

Performed by:Rubie Garza, David Guzman, Edward Luna, Serenity Matthew, Mia Medallin, Alyssa Michel, Jessie Perez, Guadalupe Ramirez, Hailey Raya, Victoria Roman, Natalie Salazar

## TELEPHONE

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: ARIANA MAGANA, EDWARD LIINA Performed by: Period 4 Dance: Melanie Barriga, Crystal Becerra, Joscelyn Campos, Leslie Cancino, Tiya Davis, Dalene Do, Marisa Favela-Romo, Mayrin Flores, Alexis Garcia, Sadie Gardner, Irene Gutierrez, Valerie Gutierrez, David Guzman, Jackelyn Hermosillo Aceves, Isabel Hernandez, Valerie Hernandez, Brianna Jaimes, Tatiana Lopez, Aranza Luquin Sanchez, Da Lila Maine, Alyson Martinez Rodriguez, Mia Medellin, Valeria Mendez, Lizbeth Meza, Alyssa Michel, Yoselyn Pasindo Morales, Nicole Perdomo Aros, Katharine Rivas Quintero, Julia Rodriguez, Abigail Torres, and Jamie Villa.

## BOY

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: EDWARD LUNA

Performed by: Jasmine Ascencio, Lejia Barrera, Samantha Camacho, Rubie Garza, Edward Luna, Ariana Magana, Serenity Matthew, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Alejandra Ramos, Alyssa Ramirez, Elizabeth Sandoval



## **RIBS**

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: ARIANA MAGANA

Performed by: Jasmine Ascencio, Leija Barrera, Samantha Camacho, Esmeralda Lepe, Edward Luna, Ariana Magana, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Elizabeth Sandoval

## PEEK-A-BOO

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: ESEMERALDA LEPE

Performed by: Jasmine Ascencio, Leija Barrera, Samantha Camacho, Leah Forman, Esmeralda Lepe, Edward Luna, Ariana Magana, Serenity Matthew, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Elizabeth Sandoval

## PELEA DE GALLOS

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: EMILY TALEYERA AND EMILY A.

Performed by: Latino Club

## **TV OFF**

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: RUBIE GARZA AND ALEJANDRA RAMOS-RAMIREZ

Performed by: Advanced Dance Yarehlee Aguilar, Cecilia Alvarado, Sofia Contreras, Yareli Dominguez Aguilar, Judith Espinosa Vazquez, Jazmin Esquivel, Amelia Garcia, Karen Garcia, Jasmine Garnica Aguilera, Mya Hernandez, Jazleen Jimenez, Samantha Jove Melendez, Kayla Losoya, Aranza Luquin Sanchez, Ashley Mendoza, Ailyn Navarro-Garcia, Sarette Noriega, Daniela Ortiz Victorino, Alexis Razo, Natalie Salazar, Liliana Stuart, Abygail Tatum-Asplund, Monica Valle, Rozlynn VanBeekum, and Brianna Zamora.

## RIO

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: EDWARD LUNA, ARIANA MAGANA, ALYSSA MORENO-MONTES Performed by: Dance Company: Stephanie Angulo, Jasmine Ascencio, Leija Barrera, Samantha Camacho, Alina Camino, Joanna Esquivel, Leah Forman, Rubie Garza, Danielle Gonzalez, Nevaeh Higuera, Amy Ibarra, Esmeralda Lepe-Romero, Edward Luna, Ariana Magana, Serenity Matthew, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Mindy Nguyen, Jessie Perez, Alyssa Ramirez, Alejandra Ramos Ramirez, Hailey Raya, Linda Rodriguez-Blackstone, Angelina Sandoval, Elizabeth Sandoval, Fatima Silva, Miriam Silvar-Guzman, Emily Talavera

## WHEN WE WERE YOUNG

CHOREOGRAPHED BY: JASMIE ASCENCIO AND ESEMERALDA LEPE

Performed by: Senior Dance Company Members: Jasmine Ascencio, Leija Barrera, Samantha Camacho, Joanna Esquivel, Leah Forman, Rubie Garza, Danielle Gonzalez, Esmeralda Lepe-Romero, Edward Luna, Ariana Magana, Serenity Matthew, Alyssa Moreno-Montes, Mindy Nguyen, z, Alyssa Ramirez, Alejandra Ramos Ramirez, Hailey Raya, Linda Rodriguez-Blackstone, Angelina Sandoval, Elizabeth Sandoval, Fatima Silva, Emily Talavera

## DANCE AUDITIONS & CLINICS CLASSES



### **Additional Information:**

a positive attitude!

learned during the clinics.

This audition is for Dance Company and for Advanced Dance Placement.

Must have a minimum GPA of 2.5 to participate.

Attendance at all clinics is mandatory to prepare for auditions.

Open to all students who are passionate about dance and committed to teamwork.

No prior experience required—just bring your enthusiasm!

Contact: For questions, email aklaus@fjuhsd.org or visit the Dance Studio in Room 144.



TUESDAY MAY 6TH, 2025 VS. BLUE JAYS 6:00PM PERFORMANCE TIME

## SHOW CREDITS

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Lighting: Nathan Vestri

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All the staff that continuously support every show!

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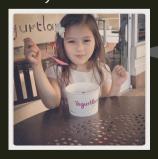
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