



Let us Dance

From Twinkle Tots to Company Ballet our Instructors teach children and adults to move with purpose, creating strength, balance and flexibility.

Instructor Sandy Griffin

Sandy has been a dance educator for over 40 years and is beginning her 23rd year at CRPD. She has had extensive training as a dancer with many renowned teachers and performers, has judged many dance competitions, professionally danced in ballet and musicals and has owned her own dance studio in Marietta. She has been educated in the RAD syllabus for teaching beginning-professional levels at the Royal Ballet School in London, England and the United States.

Instructor Andrea Mosher

Andrea began dancing at the age of three with the CRPD dance program and has now been teaching for 8+ years. She graduated with honors from Tyler College in TX, where she majored in dance with a focus in dance education. While at school she taught at a local pre-professional dance school, performed in several of the college's dance shows, choreographed a piece for their annual student-faculty recital, and worked as an assistant to the director of the school's annual Nutcracker production. Andrea holds an ACE Cert. in Personal Training, 3 CLI studio certificates (choreography, strength training and injury prevention) as well as Intro to preschool dance.

Instructor Virginia Harrington

Virginia began dancing with the CRPD dance program at the age of 3, where she quickly learned a love for the art of dance. Virginia has assisted miss Andrea with several classes over the years and is passionate about providing younger students a strong foundation of beginning ballet technique in a fun age-appropriate environment. Virginia will be adding Tuesday morning classes to our dance class schedule.

Instructor Lily Pittman

Lily discovered her passion for dance while dropping into a lyrical class in 2013. From there she was hooked. In 2018 she started her journey as a dance teacher at Sawnee Ballet Theatre. Lily was an inaugural member of the Sole Tappers performance group She also loves choreographing and performing in community theatre musicals such as "The Nutcracker," "White Christmas," "42nd Street," "Holiday Inn" and "She Loves Me." Lily will be adding Monday afternoon and Friday morning classes to our dance class schedule.



Dance Class Descriptions

MOVE & GROOVE-- A fun, high-energy introduction to movement designed for dancers their parent or caregiver to enjoy together. Through music, creative movement, obstacle courses, and simple dance activities. Children build confidence while developing important gross motor skills, balance, coordination, rhythm, and body awareness. This class will not participate in recitals.

HIP HOP TOTS-- Young children will learn basic hip hop moves, coordination, rhythm with age-appropriate music, creative movement and engaging games. This class helps build confidence, listening skills, balance and social interaction in a positive and encouraging environment.

FAIRY PRINCESS BALLET--Ballet basics with dress-up and props. Introduces students to ballet basics in a fun and imaginative environment.

TWINKLE TOTS--A fun introduction to dance! Designed to help your child explore movement and music, using simplified ballet steps and imagination.

BALLET/TAP--Gives students the beginning techniques of both ballet and tap! Classes will help develop coordination and balance.

BALLET / TAP / TUMBLE COMBO--Emphasis will be on primary Ballet technique and promoting musicality, grace, poise & posture. Tap helps develop rhythmic and locomotor skills. Basic tumbling exercises will help with core strength, flexibility & balance.

JAZZ & JAZZ/TAP--Includes using feet, arms, hand positions & isolations to popular music with emphasis on timing & shape. Jazz and Tap are cousins. Tap is a percussive dance form that involves striking the floor with metal taps on the shoes. Class involves learning jazz & tap techniques & learning dance combinations.

LYRICAL BALLET--Combines elements of ballet, jazz & modern dance inspiring emotional expression using liting, controlled movements. Contemporary skills and movements included.

MODERN/CONTEMPORARY DANCE--Provides an alternative to classical ballet. Classes will include classic modern technique mixed with contemporary movements.

COMPANY BALLET--These are more focused & accelerated ballet classes with a goal of emphasis on technique and enhance performance skills. Dancer must be evaluated by instructor to participate in Company Ballet.

COMPANY TECHNIQUE-- This class will intensify concentration on strengthening technique, core, balance, extensions, turns, leaps, etc.

ADULT BALLET --A class for adults! Basic ballet techniques with lyrical dance steps & combinations. This is a great way to stretch, improve posture, and feel-good moving to current inspiring music. Come join the fun! -

MUSICAL THEATRE--A class filled with Broadway style dancing, music and skills. Great for those involved in community theatre. Learn iconic dances one would see on the big stage. Learn how to read scripts and act.

ADULT CLASSES--We offer a variety of adult classes for ages 16+ including Ballet, Tap, Stretch & Flex, Barre and Mat Pilates.

Cumming Recreation & Parks Department Dance Studio

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Dance Class Schedule

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MOVE & GROOVE * \$65

Age 3	Inst. Lily	Monday	3:15-3:45 pm
Age 3	Inst. Lily	Friday	9:30-10:00 am

TWINKLE TOTS \$65

Age 3	Inst. Virginia	Thursday	3:00 -3:30 pm
Age 3	Inst. Sandy	Saturday	8:45 -9:15 am

HIP HOP TOTS \$65

Age 3-4	Inst. Lily	Friday	10:00-10:30 am
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FAIRY PRINCESS BALLET \$95

Age 4-7	Inst. Sandy	Saturday	10:45-11:30 am
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BALLET / TAP \$95

Age 4-6	Inst. Lily	Friday	10:30-11:15 am
Age 4-5	Inst. Lily	Monday	4:15-5:00 pm
Age 4-6	Inst. Virginia	Thursday	3:45-4:30 pm
Age 7-10	Inst. Sandy	Saturday	10:00-10:45 am

BALLET / TAP / TUMBLE COMBO \$95

Age 3-4	Inst. Sandy	Tuesday	3:45-4:30 pm
Age 4-6	Inst. Sandy	Tuesday	4:30-5:15 pm
Age 5-7	Inst. Sandy	Saturday	9:15-10:00 am
Age 6-8	Inst. Sandy	Thursday	3:45-4:30 pm

BALLET/JAZZ \$95

Age 5-6	Inst. Lily	Wednesday	3:45-4:30 pm
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JAZZ/TAP \$105

Age 5-7	Inst. Lily	Tuesday	4:00-4:45 pm
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BALLET/JAZZ/TAP \$105

Age 5-7	Inst. Lily	Tuesday	4:45-5:45 pm
Age 5-7	Inst. Lily	Wednesday	4:30-5:30 pm
Age 8-11	Inst. Sandy	Thursday	4:30-5:30 pm

BEGINNER JAZZ \$95

Age 7-10	Inst. Lily	Monday	6:00-6:45 pm
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INTERMEDIATE JAZZ \$95

Age 10-12	Inst. Lily	Wednesday	6:30-7:15 pm
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BEGINNER LYRICAL \$95

Age 7-10	Inst. Lily	Monday	5:15-6:00 pm
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Beg/Int. LYRICAL / CONTEMPORARY \$95

Age 10-15	Inst. Sandy	Thursday	6:15-7:00 pm
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MUSICAL THEATRE \$95

Age 9-15	Inst. Lily	Wednesday	5:30-6:15 pm
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ADULT STRETCH \$95

Age 18+	Inst. Lily	Tuesday	8:15-9:00 pm
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ADULT TAP \$95

Age 18+	Inst. Lily	Wednesday	7:15-8:00 pm
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ADULT BALLET \$95

Age 16+	Inst. Lily	Monday	8:00-8:45 pm
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5 & 6 Week Sessions

Monday Classes

Sept. 14-Oct. 19 5 /wks.
(no class Sept 28)
Nov. 2-Dec. 14
(no class Nov. 23)
Jan. 4-Feb. 8 5/wks.
(no class Jan. 18)
Feb. 22-Mar. 29
Apr. 12-May 17

Tuesday Classes

Sept 8-Oct 20
(no class Sept. 29)
Nov. 3-Dec.15
(no class Nov. 24)
Jan 5-Feb 9
Feb 23-Mar 30
Apr 13-May 18

Wednesday Classes

Sept. 9-Oct. 21
(No class Sept. 30)
Nov. 4-Dec. 16
(no class Nov. 25)
Jan. 6-Feb. 10
Feb. 24-Mar. 31
Apr. 14-May 19

Thursday Classes

Sept. 10-Oct. 22
(no class Oct. 1)
Nov. 5-Dec. 17
(no class Nov. 26)
Jan. 7-Feb. 11
Feb. 25-Apr. 1
Apr. 15-May 20

Friday Classes

Sept. 11-Oct. 23
(no class Oct. 2)
Nov. 6-Dec. 18
(no class Nov. 27)
Jan. 8-Feb. 12
.Feb. 26-Apr. 2
Apr. 16-May 21.

Saturday Classes

Sept. 12-Oct. 24
(no class Oct. 3)
Nov. 7-Dec. 19
(no class Nov. 28)
Jan. 9-Feb. 13
Feb. 27-Apr. 3
Apr. 17-May 22

***Move and Groove class
will not participate in the
Dance Recitals**



ADVANCED DANCE CLASSES

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Advanced classes are for those who are no longer a beginner dancer and who have a working knowledge of ballet. Invite Only Classes.
Ages 7 & Up.

<u>Advanced Jazz</u>	Inst. Lily	Monday	7:00--8:00 pm	\$105
<u>Advanced Tap</u>	Inst. Lily	Tuesday	6:15--7:00 pm	\$95
<u>Advanced Contemporary</u>	Inst. Andrea	Wednesday	7:15--8:15 pm	\$105
<u>Advanced Lyrical/Contemporary</u>	Inst. Sandy	Thursday	5:30--6:15 pm	\$95
<u>Technique</u>	Inst. Sandy	Saturday	11:30--1:00 pm	\$130



COMPANY BALLET CUMMING BALLET THEATRE

Company focused accelerated ballet classes with a goal of emphasis on technique and enhanced performance skills. Our instructors are fully devoted to providing an encouraging environment for improvement and growth.

Dancer must be evaluated by the instructor to participate in Company Ballet.
Ages 7 & Up.

<u>Apprentice</u>	Inst. Andrea	Wednesday	5:15-6:15 pm	\$105
<u>Company 5</u>	Inst. Andrea	Wednesday	6:15-7:15 pm	\$105
<u>Company 4</u>	Inst. Sandy	Tuesday	5:15-6:15 pm	\$105 1 day
	Inst. Andrea	Thursday	5:15-6:15 pm	\$170 2 day
<u>Company 3</u>	Inst. Lily	Tuesday	7:00-8:15 pm	\$110 1 day
	Inst. Sandy	Thursday	7:00-8:15 pm	\$180 2 day
<u>Company 2</u>	Inst. Sandy	Tuesday	6:15-7:30 pm	\$110 1 day
	Inst. Andrea	Thursday	6:15-7:30 pm	\$180 2 day
<u>Company 1</u>	Inst. Sandy	Tuesday	7:30-9:00 pm	\$130 1 day
	Inst. Andrea	Thursday	7:30-9:00 pm	\$205 2 day

COMPANY SCHEDULE

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(no class Sept. 29)
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Feb 23-Mar 30
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Dance and Gymnastics Program

Information & Policies

Cumming Recreation & Parks Department Dance & Gymnastics Programs
September 2026 – May 2027

Session Schedule Each session consists of 6 weeks of classes, with one week off between sessions.

- September – October 2026
- November – December 2026
- January – February 2027
- February – March 2027
- April – May 2027

Program Information

The Cumming Recreation & Parks Department Dance and Gymnastics programs are progressive programs. Once your child is enrolled, you will have the first opportunity to register for the next session of the class they are currently enrolled in, before enrollment is opened to students on the waiting list or to the general public.

Gymnastics

Gymnastics is a progressive strength and skill-based program. For consistency and continued development, coaches recommend that participants remain in their current class until they have mastered the required skills/age requirement. When your child is ready to advance to the next level, their coach will notify you.

Dance

Unless otherwise noted, all dance classes participate in the Annual Spring Dance Recital in May 2027. To ensure adequate rehearsal time and preparation for the recital, the Cumming Recreation & Parks Department will not accept new dance students after the January–February 2027 session, no exemptions.

Make-Up Classes & Refund Policy

- Classes missed by a participant will not be made up, and no refunds will be issued for missed classes for any reason.
- If a class, program, or camp day is canceled by the instructor or by the Cumming Recreation & Parks Department—including cancellations due to inclement weather—the class will not be rescheduled. Instead, a prorated refund will be issued using the original payment method:
 - o Payments made by credit card will be refunded to the credit card.
 - o Payments made by cash or check will be refunded by check.
- Refunds will not be issued as account credits.

Important Notice

The Cumming Recreation & Parks Department does not follow the Forsyth County School System calendar, schedule, or school-related closures and activities. Recreation programs operate according to the department's own schedule unless otherwise announced.