

The **ARTS**  
at ST. MARGARET'S

PRESENTS

**Dance Fever**



April 29, 2017

MARCUS D. HURLBUT THEATER

**The Middle and Upper School  
Spring 2017 Dance Concert**

SHOWTIME  
6:00 p.m.

## **I SEE THE LIGHT**

*Mandy Moore and Zachary Levi*

Choreography – Noelle Snavelly

### Special Dancers & Upper School Buddies

Dion Cipollone, Miranda Gilbert, Annalee Gunderson,  
Miles Mehling, Katherine Parrish, Sophia Rose Sutherland

## **FIRE 'N GOLD**

*Gardiner Sisters*

Choreography & Performance - Katherine Sele, grade 11  
& Claire Sele, grade 8

## **RAY OF LIGHT**

*Madonna*

Choreography - Jamie Leneau & Dancers

### Sixth Grade Dancers

Ryan Aloe, Megan Anthony, Anais Arntsen, Madeline Bendzick,  
Czarina Couig, Mari Edler, Ella Etchandy, Emma Evanson,  
Ava Flornes, Kate Haranta, Sarah Jenkins, Sophia Karahalios,  
Summer Karram, Sabrina Kim, Alexis Lindenfelser, Yasmin Mashour,  
Tara Meany, Emmy Perry, Jordan Reder, Leila Rooney,  
Madeleine Sapra, Ashley Shanahan, Sophie Spalding,  
Karina Tarsadia, Annabel Thiel, Celeste Windes

## **SUN MODELS**

*Odesza*

Choreography & Performance - Elle O'Donnell, grade 6

## **COME BY FIRE**

*Sarah Jackson Holman*

Choreography - Jamie Leneau & Dancers

### Upper School Dancers

Hana Adams, Sydney Brinker, Lauren Freed, Esme Fulford,  
Annalee Gunderson, Hailey Hageman, Delanie Khan, Emma Kuntz,  
Valentina Martino, Kate Marie Parks, Katherine Parrish, Jadie Pruitt,  
Savannah Ramirez, Ashley Salcido, Leila Sapra, Derek Saunders,  
Katherine Sele, Lauren Spalding, Ariana Stillman

## **SUN**

*Sleeping at Last*

Choreography – Noelle Snavelly

### Seventh & Eighth Grade Dancers

Alexa Agamalian, Claire Ahn, Makayla Arnoldi,  
Merielle Billyou-Palmer, Jady Fox, Karen Gayed, Neela Gerayli,  
Cathryn Giusto, Alana Godfrey, Tessa Grosshans, Nicholas Jacome,  
Katharine James, Holiday Jones, Gianna Montesano,  
Rylan Rodrigues-Zahn, Greta Wagner

## **BURN BREAK CRASH**

*Aanyssa*

Choreography - Jamie Leneau & Dancers

### Upper School Dancers

Jennifer Carpenter, Miranda Gilbert, Lara Hairapetian,  
Natalie Haugan, Alexandra Pierce, Zoe Street,  
Alexa Theodora, Shea Tomaselli, Anne Weston

## **ANOTHER DAY OF SUN**

*La La Land Cast*

Choreography - Holly Mehling & Dancers

### Seventh & Eighth Grade Dancers

Nicole Acacio, Jayden Ambe, Tatiana Cloobek,  
Margaret Gunderson, Christine Kao, Sasha Kuljis, Hailey Mackay,  
Eloise Marcus, Ella Martlin, Ava Olsen, Claire Sele, Leah Weiss,  
Alexis Woods

## **THE FLAME OF THE IRISH GYPSY**

*Gypsy by Ronan Hardiman*

Choreography & Performance - Elyse Bryant, grade 10

## **FLICKER**

*Lorde (Kanye West Rework)*

Choreography & Performance - Hana Adams, grade 11  
& Derek Saunders, grade 10

## **BURNIN' UP**

*Jessie J*

Choreography - Jamie Leneau & Dancers

### Senior Dancers

Sydney Brinker, Alexis Brynjolfsson, Hailey Hageman,  
Rose McCarver, Elika Miller, Aide Najera, Rebekah Olsen,  
Kate Marie Parks, Katherine Parrish, Jana Phillips,  
Savannah Ramirez, Ashley Salcido, Ariana Stillman,  
Emily Van Duinen

## **HIT ME WITH A HOT NOTE**

*Tami Tappan Damiano*

Choreography & Performance - Ava Olsen, grade 7

## **EMBERS OF JOY**

*Le Corsaire Pas de Trois des Odalisques: Variation: 3rd Odalisque  
by Adolphe Charles Adam*

Choreography - Marius Petipa as taught by Enton Hoxha  
Performance - Ella Martlin, grade 7

## **THE HEAT IS ON**

*Glenn Frey*

Choreography - Holly Mehling

Middle & Upper School Tap Dancers

Jaden Cloobek, Miranda Gilbert, Nicholas Jacome,  
Katherine Parrish, Shea Tomaselli, Alexis Woods

## **FIREFLY**

*Mura Masa, Cover by Grace McNabb*

Choreography - Hana Adams, grade 11  
Performance - Christine Kao, grade 8

## **FIRECRACKER**

*Skylar Stecker*

Choreography & Performance - Shaudeh Farjami, grade 9

## **BURN**

*Ellie Goulding*

Choreography - Jamie Leneau

Seventh & Eighth Grade Dancers

Alexa Agamalian, Claire Ahn, Makayla Arnoldi,  
Merielle Billyou-Palmer, Jadyn Fox, Karen Gayed, Neela Gerayli,  
Cathryn Giusto, Alana Godfrey, Tessa Grosshans,  
Nicholas Jacome, Katharine James, Holiday Jones,  
Gianna Montesano, Rylan Rodrigues-Zahn, Greta Wagner

## **LE JAZZ HOT**

*Nicola Hughes*

Choreography & Performance - Leah Weiss, grade 7

## **FLAMES**

*Tedy*

Choreography - Jamie Leneau

### Upper School Dancers

Jennifer Carpenter, Miranda Gilbert, Lara Hairapetian,  
Natalie Haugan, Alexandra Pierce, Zoe Street, Alexa Theodora,  
Shea Tomaselli, Anne Weston

## **LIGHT**

*Sleeping at Last*

Choreography - Jamie Leneau

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Czarina Couig, Mari Edler, Ella Etchandy, Emma Evanson, Ava  
Flornes, Kate Haranta, Sarah Jenkins, Sophia Karahalios, Summer  
Karram, Sabrina Kim, Alexis Lindenfelser, Yasmin Mashour,  
Tara Meany, Emmy Perry, Jordan Reder, Leila Rooney,  
Madeleine Sapra, Ashley Shanahan, Sophie Spalding,  
Karina Tarsadia, Annabel Thiel, Celeste Windes

## **THE LIGHT THAT NEVER FADES**

*I Was Here by Beyonce*

Choreography & Performance - Emily Van Duinen, grade 12

## **GIRL ON FIRE**

*Alicia Keys*

Choreography - Jamie Leneau & Dancers

### Seventh & Eighth Grade Dancers

Nicole Acacio, Jayden Ambe, Tatiana Cloobek,  
Margaret Gunderson, Christine Kao, Sasha Kuljis,  
Hailey Mackay, Eloise Marcus, Ella Martlin, Ava Olsen,  
Claire Sele, Leah Weiss, Alexis Woods

## **WHEN A FIRE STARTS TO BURN**

*Disclosure*

Choreography - Jamie Leneau, Hana Adams & Dancers

### Upper School Dancers

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Annalee Gunderson, Hailey Hageman, Delanie Khan, Emma Kuntz,  
Valentina Martino, Kate Marie Parks, Katherine Parrish, Jadie Pruitt,  
Savannah Ramirez, Ashley Salcido, Leila Sapra,  
Derek Saunders, Katherine Sele, Lauren Spalding,  
Ariana Stillman

## **CANNED HEAT – FINALE**

# PRODUCTION CREDITS

**Dance Concert Directors:**  
Jamie Leneau & Holly Mehling

**Director of Dance Conservatory:**  
Holly Mehling

**Director of Middle & Upper School Dance Program:**  
Jamie Leneau

**Instruction/Choreography/Music/Costume Design:**  
Jamie Leneau, Holly Mehling, Carri Burbank Glen, Noelle Snavely,  
Andrew Irwin

**Costume Assistance:** Natalie Haugan\*, Andrea Pruitt

**Hair & Makeup Assistance:** Amy Carmer

**Green Room Runners:** Samantha Haft\*, Hanna Talieh\*

**Upper School Mentors:** Hana Adams, Esme Fulford, Katherine Sele

**Technical Director and Resident Designer:** Bryan Dauterive

**Production Manager for the Arts:** Michele Silverman

**Assistant Production Manager for the Arts:** Tracy Engel

**Projects Coordinator:** Jeannette Miller

**Student Stage Crew:** Grade 8 Technical Arts class

**Light Board Operator:** Madeleine Arundale\*

**Sound Board Operator:** Liam Ghahreman\*

**Video Production Supervisor:** Nicki Yokota

**Video Director:** Trey Milo\*

**Student Video Crew:** Delaney Frost, Jamie MacKay, Tiana Pavia

**Photography**  
Jennifer Lynn Klein ([www.jenniferlynnphotography.com](http://www.jenniferlynnphotography.com))

*An asterisk (\*) denotes a St. Margaret's student. A double asterisk (\*\*) denotes a St. Margaret's alumni. Credits reflect information available as of April 10, 2017. The Performing Arts Department makes every attempt to ensure the accuracy of the information in this program and apologizes for any errors.*

## FACULTY BIOS



**Holly Mehling**  
**Director of Dance Conservatory**

Holly Mehling holds a Bachelor of Arts in Theatre from California State University, Chico and a Master of Fine Arts in Dance from the University of California, Irvine. She has been dancing since 1975 and has taught all levels of ballet, tap, jazz, contemporary, social dance, and Pilates for over 25 years at many schools and conservatories including: University of California, Irvine, Chapman University, Irvine Valley College, Mira Costa College, Focus Dance Center, Ballet Pacifica, and Orange County High School of the Arts. As a graduate fellow at UCI, Holly taught three levels of Ballet, Social Dance, and Undergraduate Dance Philosophy, Aesthetics & Criticism. Upon graduation, she returned to UCI to teach all levels of tap. Recently, she has been a guest lecturer in Dance Pedagogy at Orange Coast College. For seven years, Mrs. Mehling performed professionally with the Los Angeles-based rhythm tap company, Rhapsody in Taps, which tours nationally and abroad. Some of her other professional performing credits include Fox's MadTV, Ballet Pacifica's Nutcracker, and Chico City Light Opera (performer and choreographer). In 2013, Mrs. Mehling completed a RYT-200 Yoga Certification at Yoga Shakti. Additionally, Mrs. Mehling is an ABT® Certified Teacher, who has successfully completed the ABT® Teacher Training Intensive in Pre-Primary through Level 3 of the ABT® National Training Curriculum. She has directed and taught in the Dance Program and Conservatory at St. Margaret's since 2001. Holly is a proud mom of two wonderful sons, Tedd and Miles.



**Jamie Leneau,**  
**Director of Middle and Upper School Dance Program**

Mrs. Jamie Leneau has taught at St. Margaret's since 2007 and currently teaches dance for the Preschool, Lower School, Middle School and Upper School programs. She has been dancing since 1981. Mrs. Leneau was the Head Cheerleading Coach for St. Margaret's for five years. She is originally from Texas where she taught jazz, modern, ballet and tap to students ages 3 to adult. During her dance studies at the University of Texas at Arlington, she danced with the university's undergraduate performing dance company, was awarded the Dance Ensemble Scholarship two years in a row and was honored at the Presidents Convocation. Upon graduation, she taught dance classes at UTA and directed the university's undergraduate performing company for five years. Mrs. Leneau taught master classes in jazz at the American College Dance Festival South Central Region from 2002 to 2006. At the University of California, Irvine, Mrs. Leneau taught jazz and social dance classes and was the assistant to renowned choreographer Loretta Livingston for two years. Her graduate thesis examined how to best meet the needs of dancers with physical challenges within the university's dance curriculum. She has guest choreographed and taught for Laguna Beach High School's dance program. She holds a Bachelor of Arts in Interdisciplinary Studies from the University of Texas at Arlington, having graduated Magna Cum Laude, and a Master of Fine Arts in Dance from the University of California, Irvine. Jamie is the proud mom of two Wee Tartans, Isaiah and Dominic.

## **SPECIAL APPRECIATION**

St. Margaret's would like to thank all of the student and parent volunteers, the PTF Arts Alliance and the PTF Arts Alliance Chair Kathy Victor and Arts Alliance Assistant Michelle Williams.

