

GRACE KELLY STUDIO PROUDLY PRESENTS...

Grace Kelly  
**STATE OF MIND**



Jack Nicholson Theatre  
Manasquan High School  
*June 22nd*  
*9am, 10:30am, and 1pm*

*Dear Parents,*

*Welcome to our 2024 Spring recital, "Grace Kelly State of Mind!"*

*You send your children to Grace Kelly Studio to DANCE! We strive to make our school a safe space for them to express themselves and become strong, confident, young dancers. We would like to personally thank our staff for being incredible role models, and instilling a passion and love for dance in our students. We are beyond grateful for your continued dedication.*

*Our Shore Feet Dance Company has seen its most successful competition season to date! We are so proud of all of our dancers for their hard work and dedication.*

*This year, it has been a pleasure to see our school grow and welcome so many new dancers. We want to say welcome to our new families & we look forward to watching our school continue to grow as the years progress.*

*The mission of Grace Kelly Studio is to educate students in the art of dance in a caring family environment, where students of all levels can come and experience the joy of dance. We are very thankful that you all have chosen Grace Kelly Studio for your children.*

*Have a wonderful and safe Summer!*

*Kelly McEvoy & Jackie Jackson*



## **Senior Spotlight**

Julia Nowak has been with the GKS family since 2015. Since then, we have seen Julia grow as a dancer, leader, and young woman. Next year, Julia is attending West Chester University where she will be majoring in Early Childhood Education and minoring in Dance. Julia has a gift when it comes to both dancing and teaching, and has been an incredible role model and friend to her peers. We are so excited to see her continue her studies. Julia, your work ethic and passion will take you farther than you can ever imagine. Thank you for your many years of dedication to GKS, and you will always have a home here. Congratulations Julia!

## **9:00am Recital**

**1. Soar** \_\_\_\_\_ **Shore Feet Dance Company Seniors** \_\_\_\_\_ **Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Julia Nowak, Lila Schmidt, Camille Flaum, Morgan Feeney, Anella Petracco

**2. Dream** \_\_\_\_\_ **Shore Feet Dance Company Juniors** \_\_\_\_\_ **Choreographer: Morgan Pascali**

Bella Palmisano, Harper Hansen, Delaney Donnelly, Abby Tice, Tatum Seibert, Emily Lafferty

**3. Pretty Ballerina** \_\_\_\_\_ **Tuesday 10:30am Twinkle Babies** \_\_\_\_\_ **Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Lily Delorenzo, Olivia Jacob, Lennon Schindewolf, Rita Maccione, Lily Spaeth

**4. Baby Shark** \_\_\_\_\_ **Wednesday 10:00am Twinkle Babies** \_\_\_\_\_ **Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Grace Eagan, Valentina Sanchez-Vallejo, Emory Tozzi, Emelia Zaleski

**5. Teddy Bear Teddy Bear** \_\_\_\_\_ **Saturday 9:30am Twinkle Babies** \_\_\_\_\_ **Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Myla Burgagni, William Connelly, Eva Diner, Leila Drury, Izabella Powers, Eloise Wenning

**6. I'm a Little Tea Pot** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sunday 10:00am Twinkle Babies** \_\_\_\_\_ **Choreographer: Grace DeBenedict**

Maeva Arnold, Antonia Congilose, Rosie Hoste, Cecilia Morris, Milly Morris, Willow Wagner

**7. Americano** \_\_\_\_\_ **Shore Feet Dance Company Juniors** \_\_\_\_\_ **Choreographer: Rachel Muhleisen**

Julia Nowak, Lila Schmidt, Camille Flaum, Morgan Feeney, Anella Petracco

**8. Certificate Procession-** At this time each class and dancer will be called up to the stage to receive their certificate of completion for the 2023-2024 Season. Congratulations dancers!

## **10:30am Recital**

**1. Grace Kelly State of Mind \_\_\_ Ballet 3, Ballet 4, Beg. Pointe, Int. Ballet/Pointe \_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Morgan Feeney, Camille Flaum, Julia Nowak, Lily Pellegrino, Anella Petracco, Lila Schmidt, Evelyn DeAntonio, Gracie Dougherty, Olivia Rose Hart, Angelina McQuade, Kate Mulvaney, Mckenna Park, Alex Poist, Kamryn Shapario, Emerson Stokes, Chloe Webster, Abigail West, Delaney Donnelly, Harper Hansen, Emily Lafferty, Bella Palmisano, Tatum Seibert, Abby Tice

**2. Hey Mickey! \_\_\_\_\_ Monday 5:00pm Hip Hop (6-8) \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Grace DeBenedict**

Summer Bennett, Juliette Burger, Taylor Jelen, Kylie Kubu, Riley Lucarelli, Quinn Ortlieb, Caterina Polo, Cassidy Schuyler

**3. Boogie Shoes \_\_\_\_\_ Monday 4:00pm Show Star 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Nasareen Ahmad, Brynn D'Errico, Adelyn McQuade, Tiberius Sebastian Mollet

**4. A Million Dreams \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday 4:00pm Ballet/Lyrical \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Summer Bennett, Mya Borowski, Vivian DeFuria, Ella Fireman, Reya Gibb, Ella Hatami, Natalie Johnson, Charlotte Lubin, Lily Lubin, Riley Lucarelli, Caterina Polo, Lexi Smith

**5. Splish Splash \_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday 11:00am Twinkle Star 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Avianna Artiaco, Zoey Budrecki, Lucia Devine, Juliana Falato, Isabella Ientile-Riescher, Emily Laird, Kendall Sauer

**6. Cross The Line \_\_\_\_\_ Monday 5:45pm Acro/Gymnastics \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Grace DeBenedict**

Lola Grasso, Angelina McQuade, Quinn Ortleib, Luna Powers, Cassidy Schuyler, Kaylie Spaeth

**7. Feel Again \_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday 6:30pm Modern \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Delaney Donnelly, Emily Lafferty, Bella Palmisano, Tatum Seibert, Abby Tice

**8. Route 66 \_\_\_\_\_ Monday 5:00pm Twinkle Star 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Abigail Bryck, Cora Fireman, Alana Gibb, Rosalie Gibb, Mila Mahakumara, Emily Oneill, Ella Pandozzi, Adelaide Schliep, Otilia Schliep, Brynleigh Schuyler, Emmie Spaeth

**9. One More Time \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday 4:45pm Jazz/Tap \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Riley Schmidt**

Summer Bennett, Mya Borowski, Vivian DeFuria, Ella Fireman, Aria Gallo, Reya Gibb, Ella Hatami, Natalie Johnson, Charlotte Lubin, Lily Lubin, Lexi Smith

**10. Babel \_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday 7:30pm Advanced Modern \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Morgan Feeney, Camille Flaum, Julia Nowak, Lily Pellegrino, Anella Petracco, Lila Schmidt

**11. Doctor Doctor \_\_\_\_\_ Monday 6:30pm Hip-Hop (7-9) \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Grace DeBenedict**

Mya Borowski, Lola Grasso, Angelina McQuade, Luna Powers

**12. Today I'm a Fairy! \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday 10:30am Twinkle Star 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Isla D'Agostino, Charlotte Georgiana, Melody Kenyon, Chloe Noonan, Marley Rivelli, Gigi Viani

**13. Crazy Little Thing Called Love \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday Show Star 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Riley Schmidt**

Everly Costigan, Ava Ellerman, Emme Ellerman, Kaylee Johnson

**14. Diamonds \_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday Acro/Gymnastics (8-10) \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographers : Julia Nowak, Lila Schmidt**

Briella Brooks, Evelyn DeAntonio, Mckenna Park, Alex Poist, Emerson Stokes, Chloe Webster, Abigail West

**15. Something to Dance For \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday Acro/Gymnastics \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Riley Schmidt**

Aria Gallo, Natalie Johnson, Tiberius Sebastian Mollet, Ava Treseder

**16. Like A Girl! \_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday 4:15pm Hip-Hop (5-6) \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

June Larkin, Mairead McCarthy, Emerson Park, Emma Polowczyk, Riley Smith

**17. Grease Medley \_\_\_\_\_ Monday Musical Theatre (6-8) \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Mya Borowski, Juliette Burger, Taylor Jelen, Riley Lucarelli, Caterina Polo

**18. BILLS! \_\_\_\_\_ Tuesday 5:15pm Hip Hop (8-10) \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographers: Julia Nowak, Lila Schmidt**

Briella Brooks, Evelyn DeAntonio, Paisley Elmer, Kiera McCarthy, Alex Poist, Hunter Sophia Shaw, Emerson Stokes, Chloe Webster, Abigail West

**19. Long Live \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday 7:45pm Advanced Jazz \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Morgan Pascali**

Morgan Feeney, Camille Flaum, Julia Nowak, Anella Petracco, Lila Schmidt

**20. Turn To Stone \_\_\_\_\_ Shore Feet Dance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Julia Nowak and Morgan Feeney

**21. Still Rock n Roll to Me \_\_\_\_\_ Dad Dance \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Ella Fireman, Cora Fireman, Jon Fireman, June Larkin, Matt Larkin, Alex Poist, Randy Poist, Adelyn McQuade, John McQuade, Tatum Seibert, Jason Seibert, Summer Bennett, Brian Bennett, Juliette Burger, Eric Burger, Natalie Johnson, Kaylee Johnson, David Johnson, Riley Lucarelli, Chris Lucarelli, Caterina Polo, Andrew Polo, Aria Gallo, Anthony Gallo, Emma Polowczyk, Jim Polowczyk, Abby Tice, Charlie Tice

**22. Movin' Out! \_\_\_\_\_ Shore Feet Dance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Morgan Pascali**

Grace Dougherty, Olivia Rose Hart, Angelina McQuade, Mckenna Park, Alex Poist, Emerson Stokes, Chloe Webster, Abigail West, Lola Grasso, Hunter Sophia Shaw, Delaney Donnelly, Harper Hansen, Emily Lafferty, Bella Palmisano, Tatum Seibert, Abby Tice, Morgan Feeney, Camille Flaum, Julia Nowak, Anella Petracco, Lila Schmidt

## **1:00pm Recital**

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Morgan Feeney, Camille Flaum, Julia Nowak, Lily Pellegrino, Anella Petracco, Lila Schmidt, Evelyn DeAntonio, Gracie Dougherty, Olivia Rose Hart, Angelina McQuade, Kate Mulvaney, Mckenna Park, Alex Poist, Kamryn Shapario, Emerson Stokes, Chloe Webster, Abigail West, Delaney Donnelly, Harper Hansen, Emily Lafferty, Bella Palmisano, Tatum Seibert, Abby Tice

**2. A Million to One \_\_\_\_\_ Thursday 6:00pm Ballet/Lyrical \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Briella Brooks, Riley Budrecki, Lola Grasso, Hunter Sophia Shaw

**3. Splish Splash \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday, 10:00am Twinkle Star 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Emily Carney, Leah Dibello, Summer Galiatsatos, Eloise Hull, Gianna Parsons, Hannah Reiser, Isla Sager, Fiona Silagyi, Quinn Walsh

**4. D.R.E.A.M \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday 12:00pm Acro/Gymnastics \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Charlotte DePetro, Anastasia Hull, Emma Polowczyk, Riley Smith

**5. Heads Will Roll \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday 7:45pm Tumbling/Tricks \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Riley Schmidt**

Delaney Donnelly, Emily Lafferty, Bella Palmisano, Tatum Seibert, Abby Tice

**6. Diamonds of The Season \_\_\_\_\_ Shore Feet Dance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Morgan Feeney, Camille Flaum, Julia Nowak, Anella Petracco, Lila Schmidt

**7. Good Ship Lollipop \_\_\_\_\_ Thursday 4:00pm Twinkle Star 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Rachel Muhleisen**

Hailey Beno, Palmer McKenzie, Addison Venezia, Emma Wahl

**8. Beat of My Heart \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday 5:45pm Jazz/Tap \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Morgan Pascali**

Evelyn DeAntonio, Gracie Dougherty, Olivia Rose Hart, Angelina McQuade, Mckenna Park, Alex Poist, Kamryn Shapario, Emerson Stokes, Chloe Webster, Abigail West

**9. So Will I \_\_\_\_\_ Friday 4:45pm Lyrical 4 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Grace DeBenedict**

Delaney Donnelly, Emily Lafferty, Bella Palmisano, Tatum Seibert, Abby Tice

**10. Americano \_\_\_\_\_ Shore Feet Dance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Rachel Muhleisen**

Morgan Feeney, Camille Flaum, Julia Nowak, Anella Petracco, Lila Schmidt

**11. Walkin' on Sunshine \_\_\_\_\_ Sunday 10:30am Twinkle Star 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Grace DeBenedict**

Teagan Clayton, Kiera Corcoran, Emma Grubb, Maggie Hennessy, Elle Mulvaney

**12. I Enjoy Being A Girl \_\_\_\_\_ Thursday 5:00pm Jazz/Tap \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Rachel Muhleisen**

Briella Brooks, Riley Budrecki, Lola Grasso, Hunter Sophia Shaw

**13. Tiny Music Box Dancer \_\_\_\_\_ Shore Feet Dance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Gracie Dougherty, Olivia Rose Hart, Angelina McQuade, Mckenna Park, Alex Poist, Emerson Stokes, Chloe Webster, Abigail West, Lola Grasso, Hunter Sophia Shaw

**14. Move! \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday 6:45pm Jazz 4 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Morgan Pascali**

Delaney Donnelly, Harper Hansen, Emily Lafferty, Bella Palmisano, Tatum Seibert, Abby Tice

**15. ONE \_\_\_\_\_ Thursday 6:45pm Int/Adv Lyrical \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Rachel Muhleisen**

Morgan Feeney, Camille Flaum, Julia Nowak, Lila Schmidt

**16. On Broadway \_\_\_\_\_ Thursday 6:00pm Musical Theater \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Rachel Muhleisen**

Delaney Donnelly, Emily Lafferty, Bella Palmisano, Tatum Seibert, Abby Tice

**17. Route 66 \_\_\_\_\_ Thursday 4:00pm Twinkle Star 2 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Sienna Bell, Tessa Catania, Stevie Fortunato, Jenna Langan, Natalie Mangion, Marrah McKenzie, Viola Murphy, Ani Nercesian, Madelyn Velazquez, Kathryn Wahl

**18. Never Grow Up \_\_\_\_\_ Saturday 11:00am Show Star 1 \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Charlotte DePetro, Anastasia Hull, Emma Polowczyk, Riley Smith

**19. Woody's Remix \_\_\_\_\_ Friday 5:45pm Hip Hop \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Grace DeBenedict**

Harper Hansen, Bella Palmisano, Tatum Seibert, Abby Tice

**20. Long Live \_\_\_\_\_ Wednesday 7:45pm Advanced Jazz \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Morgan Pascali**

Morgan Feeney, Camille Flaum, Julia Nowak, Anella Petracco, Lila Schmidt

**21. Yellow \_\_\_\_\_ Shore Feet Dance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Julia Nowak

**22. Still Rock n Roll to Me \_\_\_\_\_ Dad Dance \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Jackie Jackson**

Delaney Donnelly, Pete Donnelly, Gracie Dougherty, Greg Dougherty, Harper Hansen, Mike Hansen, Eloise Hull, Brian Hull, Angelina McQuade, John McQuade, Julia Nowak, Ron Nowak, Jack Nowak, Bella Palmisano, Joe Palmisano, Lila Schmidt, Matt Schmidt, Fiona Silagyi, Joe Silagyi, Riley Smith, Brian Smith, Madelyn Velazquez, Carlos Velazquez, Abigail West, Dan West.

**23. Movin' Out! \_\_\_\_\_ Shore Feet Dance Company \_\_\_\_\_ Choreographer: Morgan Pascali**

Gracie Dougherty, Olivia Rose Hart, Angelina McQuade, Mckenna Park, Alex Poist, Emerson Stokes, Chloe Webster, Abigail West, Lola Grasso, Hunter Sophia Shaw, Delaney Donnelly, Harper Hansen, Emily Lafferty, Bella Palmisano, Tatum Seibert, Abby Tice, Morgan Feeney, Camille Flaum, Julia Nowak, Anella Petracco, Lila Schmidt

## MEET OUR STAFF



### **Kelly McEvoy- Director**

This is Miss Kelly's 29th year as a studio owner. She graduated from DeSales University with a B.A. in dance. She attended the American Dance Festival at Duke University, the Nikolais Louis Modern Dance Intensive Workshop in New York City, and the Vaganova Seminar at Bryn Mawr College. Miss Kelly is certified by the Pennsylvania Academy of Ballet to teach the Vaganova Ballet Syllabus. Upon graduation, she moved to New York City where she studied at The Broadway Dance Center, Steps, and the Graham School. She performed with a modern dance company in NYC and was also a soloist member for the Performance Dance Theatre in Philadelphia. Miss Kelly was the former owner and founder of The Dance Centre in Skippack Pennsylvania and sold it in 2008.



### **Jackie Jackson- Assistant Director**

Jackie graduated from DeSales University in 2016 with a Bachelor of Arts in Dance and Business Administration. After graduating she began teaching at Grace Kelly Studio and pursuing a performance career in New York City. She has danced for multiple New York based companies including: Mook Dance Company, Bugge Ballet, Emme Dance Collective, J Chen Project, and Joyce King Dance Company. Along with performing, she has enjoyed presenting her own choreography at dance festivals in Philadelphia and New York. Miss Jackie teaches Modern, Ballet, Pointe, Tap, and Jazz and is excited to now live in New Jersey full time. She is so proud of how hard her dancers have worked this year. She can't wait to see them share their amazing talents with family and friends! Congrats dancers!



### **Morgan Pascali**

Morgan graduated from Howell High School's prestigious performing arts program (FPAC) with a focus in dance. Morgan is a 2012 graduate from Montclair State University where she received her BFA in Dance. While attending college, she was featured as a solo performer at the 92nd St Y's celebration of American Choreographers. As well as teaching dance, Morgan works for the nation's leading non-profit as the Head Administrator at the YMCA of Greater Monmouth County. Miss Morgan wants to thank Kelly McEvoy for allowing her to be part of the Grace Kelly family! Merde dancers xo



### **Rachel Muhleisen**

Rachel has been training at the King Centre for the Performing Arts in Wanaque, Mahwah, and Butler, New Jersey, since she was two years old. Throughout her dance career, she has performed multiple lead roles in the American Youth Dance Companies' "The Nutcracker." Rachel received numerous awards and scholarships as a competitive dancer. At the American Dance Awards, she was one of the "Elite 6". Rachel was awarded the Outstanding Dancer scholarship by NYCDA (New York City Dance Alliance) in 2017, 2018, and 2019. Rachel is continuing her training by taking classes at Broadway Dance Center and Steps on Broadway. She wants to thank her dancers for all of their hard work this year. Good luck girls!



### **Riley Schmidt**

Riley has been dancing since the age of 3. She started her training at Grace Kelly Studio in 2013 and has completed 10 recitals and 4 holiday shows with us. She has extensive training in ballet, pointe, lyrical, modern, and jazz! Riley also was involved with Manasquan High school's dance program! She was expected to learn many numbers and perfect them for showcases. She was also graded on her ability to showcase choreography, choreographing her own pieces and her overall dance abilities!. Riley is currently a dance major and minoring in dance therapy at Georgian Court University. She is hoping to pursue her love of dance in the future. This is her second year as a teacher at GKS and she is so excited!



### **Grace DeBenedict**

Grace is currently a graduate student at Monmouth University pursuing her doctorate degree in Occupational Therapy. She is a West Chester University alumni where she earned her undergraduate degree in Exercise Science and Dance. She was a member of the West Chester University Dance Team and won a national championship in the Open Hip Hop Division in 2022. Grace has been dancing and involved in the dance world for 18 years. She attended the Performing Arts Academy High School and during her summers she attended a number of intensives including the Rockette Summer Intensive, Mason Gross School of Arts Intensive, Klassic Contemporary Ballet Company II, and The Rock School for Dance Education. She has been teaching dance for three years at Pennsylvania Academy of Dance Arts. Grace is so excited for her first Spring recital with GKS!



### **Julia Nowak**

Julia Nowak is a graduating senior and has been dancing at Grace Kelly Studio since 2015. She has trained in many styles such as Jazz, Ballet, Modern, and Pointe. Julia has also been a part of the dance program at Manasquan High School all four years of high school. Julia has been a student teacher at GKS since the age of 13. This year she co-taught her first class with Miss Lila. She is so excited to see all the dancers shine on stage!



### **Lila Schmidt**

Lila has been dancing at Grace Kelly Studio since the age of 3. She started her dance education in 2011 and since then has trained in many styles including ballet, jazz, modern, contemporary, and hip hop. Lila is a sophomore at Manasquan High School. She has been involved with the Manasquan High School Dance program since freshman year and plans to continue for her next 2 years. In this program, she learns the history of dance and how to choreograph her own pieces. She has been a student teacher for dance classes and summer camps since she was 12 years old. This is her first year co-teaching a class with Miss Julia and she is so proud of her students and can't wait to watch them shine!

# Student Teachers

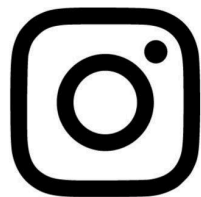


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