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OPEN SPACE DANCE

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Dr. Phillips High School Performing Arts Center 6500 Turkey Lake Road, Orlando, Florida

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DIRECTOR'S NOTES

Open Space 2025

Welcome to the Open Space Showing at Dr. Phillips High School, hosted by our own 'Dance in Motion' Travel Company. We are honored to have these marvelous professionals share their artistry and educational insights with each of us this afternoon and appreciate our audience coming early so these student dancers will be able to attend their Homecoming Dance tonight!

Franco, Ariel and Bree have been with us at DPHS since Monday this week, teaching all the students and setting a work on the DPHS Travel Company Dancers, Shadow Ego, along with teaching a master class for the community on Thursday night. Franco even made sure our student dancers could enjoy their very special Balloween Day on Friday, October 31st!

There are people who inspire you from the moment you meet ~ Franco, Ariel and Bree are such people. Their humanity, sense of community, love of teaching, collaborative nature and belief in dance for all bodies aligns so closely with ours at DPHS. After not having Open Space with us last year, it has felt like a reunion to have them back with us again. We first met Franco and Open Space at the Regional High School Dance Festival in Vancouver, WA in the Spring of 2022. We knew right away that we wanted to work together! We are extremely grateful that Franco and his team returned to our high school this fall to help find new opportunities for our dancers to experiment and make discoveries in our Dance Lab this year!

We have loved our time working with all the Open Space dancers and hope this showing gives you insights into our time together this week. May you be as intrigued with these gifted movers as we have been!

ENJOY!!!

Kathy Follensbee Dr. Phillips High School Dance Magnet, Dance Director

THE PROGRAM

OPEN SPACE

MILK EXCERPT ♪ Patrick Watson & Sufjan Stevens Choreographer: Lauren Edson of LED Boise(G)

Ariel Clarke (G), Franco Nieto (G)

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POCKET DANCES EXCERPT. Elea

Excerpt from Roots of Loving Us

Choreographers: Holly Johnston (G) with dancers

Olivia Anderson, Claire Atwell, Eva Baez, Noor El-helw, Faith Gant, Lara Goncalves, Yelani Hill, NaKai Jessup, Morgan Marotta, Fabi Ocque, Andre Roche, Sana Williams

OPEN SPACE

LEC/DEM > Various

Choreographers: Franco Nieto (G), Bree Kosteinik (G)

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SHADOW EGO Travis Lake & Ori Lichtik

Choreographer: Franco Nieto (G)

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UPSTAIRS NEIGHBOR) Boban Markovic Orkestar, George Fredrick, Handel, Technohead

Choreographer: Franco Nieto (G) Ariel Clarke (G), Bree Kostelnik (G)

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FRANCO NIETO



BRYAUNNA KOSTELNIK

An Oregon native, Bryaunna Kostelnik began studying dance, developing choreography, and observing pedagogy at a young age. Post-graduation from Oregon State University in June of 2021, Kostelnik has continued to work professionally throughout the Pacific Northwest with OPEN SPACE, push/FOLD, ProLAB Dance, and Southern Oregon Dance Collective, performing work by Franco Nieto, Victor Quijada, Noelle Kayser, Ching Ching Wong, Keelan Whitmore, Megan Doheny, Ilya Nikurov, Wes Veldink, and Greg Russell. Currently, Kostelnik living in to New York City as a freelance artist and architect. Their practice is rooted in building new worlds while honoring those that came before - an act of remembering living histories and imagining bold, generative futures. They value collective authorship,



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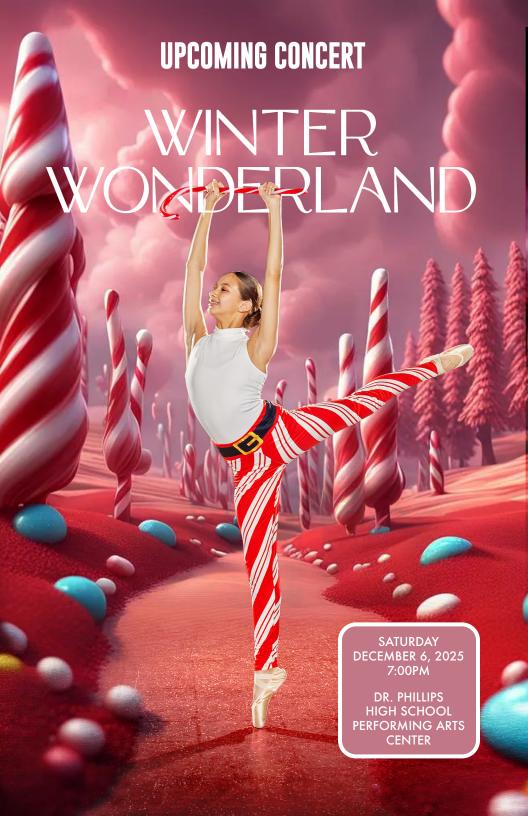
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