

GEM CITY BALLET AUDITIONS 2017-18 SEASON

WEDNESDAY, MAY 31, 2017
4:30 – 6:30PM

Auditions for the 2017-18 season of Gem City Ballet will be held on Wednesday, May 31 from 4:30 – 6:30pm. The audition will be held at Pontecorvo Ballet Studios, 20 Commercial Way, in Springboro, Ohio, 45066. Dancers must be 12 years of age by August 28, 2017. Ladies must be on pointe. All dancers must be willing to devote six days a week to classes and rehearsals. Auditions are open to serious ballet students from all dance schools in the region.



Members of Gem City Ballet in performance at the Victoria Theatre, April 2017.

Gem City Ballet is a pre-professional not for profit ballet company that challenges its dancers to strengthen, diversify and enhance their talent in a performing company. Gem City Ballet will self-produce three two-weekend, four-performance concerts next season, all at the Stuart Sebastian Performance Space.

Among next season's repertoire will be new ballets by Brian Grant, Gregory Robinson, Barbara Pontecorvo and Mary Margaret Holt. Nilas Martins will return to set Bournonville Divertissements, and Penny Freeh will oversee the presentation of the Elements Trilogy. In addition, Jon Rodriguez's *Il Giorno* will grace our stage. Returning favorites will include *Pas de Quatre*, excerpts from Stuart Sebastian's *The Night Before Christmas*, and Barbara Pontecorvo's *Palette*. Of special interest will be the return of a DancingUnlimited ballet, Michelle Goodman's *Snow White*.

For more information, or to schedule an alternate audition date, please call Gem City Ballet 937.550.9245.