

Orinda Ballet Academy

Artistic Director, Patricia Tomlinson

2024 Winter- Spring Ballet Program

January 8- May 24

Spring PRODUCTION –

“Alice and Wonderland” & Contemporary Pieces

www.OrindaBalletAcademy.com

The Orinda Ballet Academy and Youth Company was founded in 2009 by Artistic Director, Patricia Tomlinson. Orinda Ballet is a year round Ballet Academy and youth performing company based in the Orinda Community Center. Offering classes for students aged 3yrs to 18 years, starting with the Pre-Ballet through advanced pre-professional divisions. In addition to ballet classes, Pilates reformer and contemporary classes are offered. All students have the opportunity to participate in the bi-annual performances of “The Sweet Dream Nutcracker” in the Fall term and a story ballet in the Winter/Spring term. Summer term holds a demonstration performance. Past Spring term productions include, “Cinderella”, “Sleeping Beauty”, “Swan Lake”, “Alice in Wonderland”, “Peter Pan”, “Coppelia,” and “Firebird”.

Ms. Tomlinson has over 30 years of professional dancing, and instructing experience. Her background includes training in NYC under George Balanchine’s world-renown “School of American Ballet.” Ms. Tomlinson’s performing career began early as a student in NYC, performing with NYC Ballet and Natalia Markova’s company. Her extensive professional dancing career includes working as a soloist and principal dancer with Houston Ballet, Pennsylvania Ballet, Diablo Ballet, as well as guesting in various companies. Ms. Tomlinson has taught and set Ballet’s throughout the United States. She holds a B.A in Performing Arts and is a certified Pilates trainer in all apparatus. Ms. Tomlinson take’s great pleasure in working with her students and sharing her passion of ballet and dance.

Pre Ballet Division - 3-5yrs- Pre K and younger. Creative Dance class incorporating ballet stretches, creative dances and basic ballet steps. Ballet leotard, Pink ballet tights and leather ballet slippers, hair in bun. Please no tutus or costumes.

Ballet 1A, 2A, 2B & 2C, Beginning Divisions- Beginning ballet technique class, incorporating ballet stretches and learning foundation ballet technique steps. Ballet 1A class work includes, stretches, center and traveling across the floor syllabus. Ballet 2A, 2B, 2C class work includes, stretches, barre-work, center and traveling across the floor syllabus.

Ballet 3A-3B, Pre Junior Divisions- 1-2 classes per week including Technique class incorporating, stretches, barre-work, center and traveling across the floor work.

Ballet 4A-4B, Junior Divisions- Multiple classes per week including Ballet Technique, Pre-Pointe, Pointe (by Directors approval) Pilates strengthen and stretch classes.

Ballet 5A-5B, Intermediate- Pre-Advance Division’s- Multiple classes per week including, Ballet Technique, Beginning-Intermediate Pointe (Pointe- by Directors approval), Pas de deux- Partnering skills, Pilates Strength and Stretch classes (Mat and Reformer).

Ballet 6-7, Advance-Pre Professional Division’s. Multiple classes per week including, Ballet Technique, Intermediate-Advance Pointe, Pas de deux- Partnering skills, Pilates Strength and Stretch classes (Mat and Reformer) (Pointe- by Directors approval).

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Divisions: *Level 2B-7 Instructor Placement necessary.

Pre-Ballet - Jasmine (Ages 3-5yrs) PreK and younger

Pre-Ballet Ariel (Ages 3-5yrs) PreK and younger

Ballet 1A Beginning Technique (Age 5.5yrs+) Kindergarten

*Ballet 2A (Age 6+ yrs)

*Ballet 2B Youth Division

*Ballet 2C Youth Division

*Ballet 3A Youth Division

*Ballet 3B Junior Division

*Ballet 4A Junior Division

*Ballet 4B-5A Intermediate Division

*Ballet 5B-6 Intermediate/Advance Division

*Ballet 7 Advanced/ Pre- Professional Division

Classes Subject to change.

Monday		Tuesday	Wednesday		Thursday	Saturday
Studio 1	Studio 2	Studio 1	Studio 1	Studio 2	Studio 1	Studio 1
	<p><u>Pre-Ballet "Aurora"</u> <u>Ages 3-5yrs</u> (Pre K and younger) 4:00-4:40pm</p>	<p><u>Pre-Ballet "Jasmine"</u> <u>Ages 3-5yrs</u> (Pre K and younger) 4:00-4:40pm</p>			<p><u>Pre-Ballet "Ariel"</u> <u>Ages 3-5yrs</u> (Pre-K and younger) 3:30-4:10pm</p>	<p>Ballet 4A/4B <u>Beginning Pointe/Pre-Technique</u> 9:30-10:30am</p> <p><u>Pointe/Pre Pointe</u> 10:15-11:15am</p> <p><u>Alice in Wonderland rehearsal</u> 11:15-12:15pm</p>
<p><u>Ballet 1A Technique class</u> 4:15-5:00pm + <u>1A Alice in Wonderland Rehearsal class</u> 5:00-5:15pm (Performers Only)</p>		<p><u>Ballet 2C-3A Technique</u> 4:45-5:45pm + <u>Alice in Wonderland Rehearsal class</u> 5:45-6:15pm (Performers Only)</p> <p><u>Ballet 3A Additional Class/Rehearsal</u> 6:15-6:45pm</p>	<p><u>Ballet 2A Technique</u> 4:00-4:45pm + <u>Alice in Wonderland Rehearsal class</u> 4:45-5:00pm (Performers Only)</p>		<p><u>*Ballet 3A/3B/4A Technique</u> 4:15-5:15pm</p> <p><u>*Ballet 3A/3B/4A Alice in Wonderland Rehearsal class</u> 5:15-5:45 (Performers Only)</p>	<p><u>Ballet 5A-7 Technique/Pointe</u> 12:15-1:45pm</p> <p><u>Alice in Wonderland rehearsal</u> 1:45-2:45pm</p> <p><u>Ballet 5A-7 Pilates reformer-</u> 2:45-3:30pm</p>
<p><u>*Ballet 4B-7 Technique</u> 5:15-6:45pm + <u>Alice in Wonderland Rehearsal class</u> <u>4B-7</u> 6:45-7:45pm</p>			<p><u>*Ballet 4A/4B Technique</u> 5:00-6:15pm + <u>4A/4B Alice in Wonderland Rehearsal Review</u> 6:15-6:30pm (Performers Only)</p> <p><u>*Ballet 5-7 Technique</u> 6:30-8:00</p>	<p><u>Contemporary /Jazz Level 2-3</u> (Ballet 5-7) 5:15-6:30pm</p>	<p><u>Ballet 3A- Ballet 7 Alice in Wonderland Ballet 3A-7 Divisions</u> 5:45-7pm</p> <p><u>Ballet 3A-3B joins week of 4/15/24</u> 5:45-6:15pm</p>	<p><u>Spring Performance "Alice in Wonderland" & Contemporary Pieces</u> Dates: 5/17-19</p>
					<p><u>*Ballet 5A-7 Intermediate Pointe or Character</u> 7-8pm class 8-8:15pm (Non Character days) <u>Alice in Wonderland Rehearsal class</u> (Performers only)</p>	<p>Private lessons Contact: Patricia@ OrindaBalletAcademy.com</p>

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Spring PRODUCTION –
“Alice in Wonderland” & Contemporary Pieces
Divisions: Pre-Ballet – 7

Missed classes: May be made-up within a 4-week period. Make-up classes are any classes within level or below.

HOLIDAYS- No Classes held: No Classes held 1/13-15, 2/16-19, Spring Break: 3/30-4/7.

Performance Week no regular classes held from May 13-18 (Ballet 4B-7 exception on 5/13)

Performance/costume Fees are not included in tuition.

Please make Performance/costume Fee payments payable to: [Orinda Ballet Academy](#).

Pre- Ballet (A-B) - \$225 (theater performance fee + 1 costume purchase + 1 cast show download)

Ballet 1A - \$260 (production fee + costume purchase + 1 cast show download)

Ballet 2A - \$260 (production fee + costume/s purchase+ 1 cast show download)

Ballet 2B - \$295 (production fee + costume/s purchase+ 1 cast show download)

Ballet 2C - \$325 (production fee + costume/s purchase+ 1 cast show download)

Ballet 3A - \$375 (production fee + costume purchase/ rentals + 1 cast show download)

Ballet 3B - \$375 (production fee + costume purchase/ rentals + 1 cast show download)

Ballet 4A-7 - \$395 (production fee + costume purchase/ rentals + 1 cast show download)

Contemporary - \$260 (production fee + costume purchase + 1 cast show download)

**Family “Performance/costume Fee Discount” (Does not apply to tuition)

2+ students enrolled in Performing Package - \$25 off Performance/costume Fees after totaling all fees (not tuition).

Dress Attire:

Pre-Ballet Division - Pink tights, leotard and pink leather ballet slippers. No tutu’s. Hair pulled back in bun.

Girls Ballet 1-7 Divisions - Black Leotard (no sparkles), pink tights, pink leather ballet slippers. Hair pulled back in bun.

Ballet Skirts allowed in Ballet 4A-7 Levels. Only by Instructors discretion.

Girl’s Division Performing class packages:

****LEVELS 2B-7 Divisions require Artistic Director approval or placement class prior to registration.**

Pre-Ballet “Aurora”: “Alice and Wonderland” Performing class package Ages 3-5 Y PreK and Younger

Resident Fee \$450 / Non-Resident Fee – +15%

(\$225 – Performance/costume fee- Venmo, Cash, Check Payable to: [Orinda Ballet Academy](#))

Monday 4:00-4:40pm Class and “Alice in Wonderland” dance

1 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal May 11 Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, May 16, Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1-2 performances 5/17-19

Pre-Ballet “Jasmine”: “Alice and Wonderland” Performing class package Ages 3-5 Y PreK and Younger

Resident Fee \$450 / Non-Resident Fee – +15%

(\$225 – Performance/costume fee- Venmo, Cash, Check Payable to: [Orinda Ballet Academy](#))

Tuesday 4:00-4:40pm Class and “Alice in Wonderland” dance

1 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal May 11 Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, May 16, Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1-2 performances 5/17-19

Pre-Ballet “Ariel”: “Alice and Wonderland” Performing class package Ages 3-5 Y PreK and Younger

Resident Fee \$450 / Non-Resident Fee – +15%

(\$225 – Performance/costume fee- Venmo, Cash, Check Payable to: [Orinda Ballet Academy](#))

Thursday 3:30-4:10pm Class and “Alice in Wonderland” dance

1 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal May 11 Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, May 16, Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1-2 performances 5/17-19

Ballet 1A : “Alice and Wonderland” Performing class package Ages 5+ Y (Entering K or Higher)

Resident Fee \$525/ Non-Resident Fee +15%

(\$260 - performance/costume fee-Check Payable to: Orinda Ballet Academy)

Monday 4:15-5:15pm Technique (last 15 minutes for “Alice in Wonderland” dances)

2 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal, 5/4 & 5/11 , Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Technical & 1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, 5/15 & 5/16, Time- TBD -MANDATORY

2 performances 5/17-19

Ballet 2A: “Alice and Wonderland” Performing class package Ages 6+ Y (Entering 1st Grade or Higher)

Resident Fee \$550 / Non-Resident Fee +15%

(\$260 - performance/costume fee-Check Payable to: Orinda Ballet Academy)

Wednesday 4:00-5:00pm Technique (last 15 minutes for “Alice in Wonderland” dances)

2 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal, 5/4 & 5/11 , Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Technical & 1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, 5/15 & 5/16, Time- TBD -MANDATORY

2 performances 5/17-19

****Ballet 2C**: “Alice and Wonderland” Performing class package Ages 7-8+ Y (Director approval only)

Resident Fee \$725 / Non-Resident Fee +15%

(\$325 — performance/costume fee- Venmo, Cash, Check Payable to: Orinda Ballet Academy)

Tuesday 4:45-6:15pm Technique class, + “Alice in Wonderland” Rehearsal

2 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal, 5/4 & 5/11 , Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Technical & 1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, 5/15 & 5/16, Time- TBD -MANDATORY

2-4 performances 5/17-19

****Ballet 3A**: “Alice and Wonderland” Performing class package Ages 8+ Y

Resident Fee \$1195 / Non-Resident Fee +15%

(\$375 — performance/costume fee- Venmo, Cash, Check Payable to: Orinda Ballet Academy)

Tuesday 4:45-6:45pm Technique class + “Alice in Wonderland” Rehearsal

Thursday 4:15-5:45pm Technique class + “Alice in Wonderland” rehearsal (bring non-greasy protein- SNACK/MEAL)

Thursday 5:45-6:15pm “Alice in Wonderland” group rehearsal class (Begins 4/15/24)

3 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal, 4/27, 5/4 & 5/11 , Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Technical & 1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, 5/15 & 5/16, Time- TBD -MANDATORY

3-4 performances 5/17-19

****Ballet 3B** “Alice and Wonderland” Performing class package Ages 9+ Y

Resident Fee \$ 1195/ Non-Resident Fee +15%

(\$375 — performance/costume fee- Venmo, Cash, Check Payable to: Orinda Ballet Academy)

Tuesday 4:45-6:45pm Technique class + “Alice in Wonderland” Rehearsal

Thursday 4:15-5:45pm Technique class + “Alice in Wonderland” rehearsal (bring non-greasy protein- SNACK/MEAL)

Thursday 5:45-6:15pm “Alice in Wonderland” group rehearsal class (Begins 4/15/24)

3 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal, 4/27, 5/4 & 5/11 , Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Technical & 1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, 5/15 & 5/16, Time- TBD -MANDATORY

3-4 performances 5/17-19

****Ballet 4A**: “Alice and Wonderland” Performing class package Ages 10+ Y

Resident Fee \$1740/ Non-Resident Fee +15%

(\$395 - performance/costume fee- Venmo, Cash, Check Payable to: Orinda Ballet Academy)

Wednesday 5:00-6:30pm Technique and “Alice in Wonderland” rehearsal class

Thursday 4:15-5:45pm Technique class and “Alice in Wonderland” Rehearsal (bring non-greasy protein- SNACK/MEAL)

Thursday 5:45-7:00pm “Alice in Wonderland” group rehearsal class

Saturday 9:30am-12:00pm Technique / Pre-Pointe/ “Alice in Wonderland” rehearsal

3 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal, 4/27, 5/4 & 5/11 , Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Technical & 1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, 5/15 & 5/16, Time- TBD -MANDATORY

3-4 performances 5/17-19

++Performers dancing featured roles will require private lessons, with additional fee

****Ballet 4B**: “Alice and Wonderland” Performing class package Ages 10+ Y

Resident Fee \$ 1995/ Non-Resident Fee +15%

(\$395 - performance/costume fee- Venmo, Cash, Check Payable to: Orinda Ballet Academy)

Monday 5:15-7:45pm Technique and and “Alice in Wonderland” Rehearsal

Wednesday 5:00-6:30pm Technique and rehearsal review

Thursday 5:45- 7:00pm “Alice in Wonderland” group rehearsal class

Saturday 9:30am-12:00pm Technique / Beginning Pointe “Alice in Wonderland” rehearsal

3 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal, 4/27, 5/4 & 5/11 , Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Technical & 1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, 5/15 & 5/16, Time- TBD -MANDATORY

3-4 performances 5/17-19

++Performers dancing featured roles will require private lessons, with additional fee

**** Ballet 5A-7: "Alice and Wonderland" Performing class package** Ages 12+ Y

Resident Fee \$2385/ Non-Resident Fee +15%

(\$395 - performance/costume fee- Venmo, Cash, Check Payable to: Orinda Ballet Academy)

Monday 5:15-7:45pm Technique class and "Alice in Wonderland" rehearsal

Wednesday 5:15-6:30pm Contemporary –Jazz- (Studio 2)

Wednesday 6:30-8:00pm Technique class

Thursday 5:45-7:00pm "Alice in Wonderland" group rehearsal class

Thursday 7:00-8:15pm Intermediate/Advance Pointe/ rehearsal review or Character Class

Saturday 12:15-3:30pm Technique/Pointe/ "Alice in Wonderland" rehearsal/ Pilates Reformer/ Stretch, Theraband

3 Saturday Studio Full Cast Rehearsal, 4/27, 5/4 & 5/11 , Time- TBD - MANDATORY

1 Theater Technical & 1 Theater Dress Rehearsal, 5/15 & 5/16, Time- TBD -MANDATORY

3-4 performances 5/17-19

++Performers dancing featured roles will require private lessons, with additional fee

Contemporary Dance Level 2-3 Intermediate (Studio 2) Ages 12-17 Y placement required

Requirement: 2 Ballet classes per week

Resident Fee \$455/ Non-Resident Fee +15%

Wednesday 5:15-6:30pm Contemporary –Jazz- (Studio 2)

Performance option Spring 2024- 5/17-19, 3-4 performances

(\$260 - performance/costume fee- applies to Students not registered in a Ballet Performing Class package

("Alice in Wonderland" performers TBD costume fee), Venmo /Cash/Check Payable to: Orinda Ballet Academy)

Classes subject to change

PRIVATE LESSONS Private Ballet Coaching, Private Pilates Reformer or Mat Lesson (by Certified Instructor)

Ballet & Pilates - Contact Director for available days and times. Patricia@OrindaBalletAcademy.com

24 hour cancellation policy (additional cancellation information below)

Emphasis on ballet strengthening exercises. Requirement: Enrolled in program or approved by Director.

Pricing is based per single lesson. (Packages of 2+ lessons available)

Solos Ballet & Pilates Cancellation policy listed below

30 min. (Solo) Resident \$55/ Non-Resident – additional percentage

45 min. (Solo) Resident \$80 / Non-Resident– additional percentage

60 min. (Solo) Resident \$100 / Non-Resident– additional percentage

Duet private Cancellation policy listed below

30 minute (Duet) Resident \$35 (per person) / Non-Resident – additional percentage

45 minute (Duet) Resident \$45 (per person) / Non-Resident– additional percentage

1hr. (Duet) Resident \$60 (per person) / Non-Resident– additional percentage

1.5 (Duet) Resident \$80 (per person) / Non-Resident – additional percentage

Trio private (minimum, 45 Minutes) Cancellation policy listed below

45 minute (Trio) Resident \$35 (per person) / Non-Resident– additional percentage

1hr. (Trio) Resident \$40(per person) / Non-Resident – additional percentage

1.5 hour (Trio) Resident \$60 (per person) / Non-Resident – additional percentage

2 hour (Trio) Resident \$85 (per person) / Non-Resident– additional percentage

Duet & Trio privates - all parties must participate in agreed lesson.

Cancellations are with all parties or upgrade to **solo option (or duet).

Duet student has the option to upgrade to solo private (same length as set duet lesson) with additional payment submitted prior to lesson.

Trio students have option to upgrade to duet or solo due to cancellations.

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Pre-Ballet - Ballet 7 Divisions

Technique only Class Fees (Non-Performing Students)

Missed classes: May be made-up within a 4-week period. Make-up classes are any classes within level or below.

HOLIDAYS- No Classes held: No Classes held 1/13-15, 2/16-19, Spring Break: 3/30-4/7.

Performance Week no regular classes held from May 13-18 (Ballet 4B-7 exception on 5/13)

Level 2B and higher instructor placement class necessary

****Classes require Artistic Director approval or placement class prior to registration.**

Missed classes may be made-up within a 4-week period. Make-up classes are any classes within level or below.

Pre-Ballet "Aurora", Creative Dance Studio #1

Ages 3-5 Y, Entering Pre-K or younger
Resident Fee \$450 / Non-Resident +15%

Monday 4-4:40pm Creative Dance, Studio #2

Pre-Ballet "Jasmine", Creative Dance Studio #1

Ages 3-5 Y, Entering Pre-K or younger
Resident Fee \$450/ Non-Resident +15%

Tuesday 4-40pm Creative Dance, Studio #1

Pre-Ballet "Ariel", Creative Dance Studio #1

Ages 3 - 5 Y, Entering Pre-K or younger
Resident Fee \$450 / Non-Resident +15%

Thursday 3:30-4:10pm Creative Dance, Studio #1

Ballet 1A Technique ONLY

Ages 5+ Y (Entering K or Higher)
Resident Fee \$500/ Non-Resident +15%

Monday 4:15-5:00pm Technique

****Ballet 2A Technique ONLY**

Ages 6+ Y (Entering 1st Grade or Higher)
Resident Fee \$500 Non-Resident +15%

Wednesday 4:00-4:45pm Technique

****Ballet 2C Technique ONLY**

Ages 7-9+ Y (Approval by Director only)
Resident Fee \$550 Non-Resident +15%

Tuesday 4:45-5:45pm Technique

****Ballet 3A Technique ONLY**

Ages 8+ Y
Resident Fee \$750 / Non-Resident +15%

Tuesday 4:45-5:45pm Technique

Thursday 4:15-5:15pm Technique

****Ballet 3B Technique**

Ages 9+ Y
Resident Fee \$750 / Non-Resident +15%

Tuesday 4:45-5:45pm Technique

Thursday 4:15-5:15pm Technique

****Ballet 4A Technique**

Ages 10+
Resident Fee \$1450 Non-Resident +15%
Shortened Saturday class held on 4/27, 5/4 & 5/11.

Wednesday 5:00-6:15pm Technique,

Thursday 4:15-5:15pm Technique

Saturday 9:30-11:15am Pre-Pointe/Technique

****Ballet 4B, Technique + Beginner Pointe / Pre Pointe class**

Resident Fee \$1625 Non-Resident +15%
Age 11+Y

Monday, 5:15-6:45pm Technique/Pointe

Wednesday 5:00-6:15pm Technique, Studio

Saturday 9:30-11:15am Technique/ Beginning-Pointe

Shortened Saturday class held on 4/27, 5/4 & 5/11. Pointe class, Approved by Director only

****Ballet 5A-7, Technique+ Beginner/Intermediate Pointe**

Resident Fee \$2055 / Non-Resident +15%
12+Y

Monday, 5:15-6:45pm Technique/Pointe

Wednesday 6:30-8:00pm Technique Pointe

Thursday 7:00-8:00pm Intermediate Pointe/ Character (till 8:15pm)

Saturday 12:15-1:45pm Technique/Pointe

Shortened + Earlier time Saturday class held on 4/27, 5/4 & 5/11. Pointe class, Approved by Director only

Contemporary Dance Level 2-3 Intermediate (Studio 2) Ages 12-17 Y placement required

Requirement: 2 Ballet classes per week

Resident Fee \$455/ Non-Resident Fee +15%

Wednesday 5:15-6:30pm Contemporary –Jazz- (Studio 2)

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