

Summer Dance Wrap-Up

ARB DANCERS AND ALUMNI STUDIED HARD & ACCOMPLISHED GREAT THINGS. HERE IS WHAT HAPPENED.



Sydney Box (right) was accepted to the summer intensive at Kansas City Ballet. (Left) **Claire Thrasher** attended summer intensive at Louisville Ballet – pictured here with dancer friends she met while there.

Avery Gingrich studied at Joffrey Ballet in their New York City summer school.

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In Ashland – The ARB dancers spent an intensive week with guest teacher/choreographer **Erich Yetter**. Opus II students in the advanced and intermediate levels also participated in Erich's intense morning class. It was a tremendous week of good hard work in the studio. Just the kind of work that dancers appreciate! He created a beautiful dance which was premiered at the *Concert In The Park* on August 16.



Sabrina Lindhout recently returned from a summer at BalletMet in Columbus where she was offered a trainee position for their year-round program, but has since accepted an offer from Verb Ballets in Cleveland. Sabrina joins her sister, also an ARB alumni with the company for the coming season. Way to go Lindhout sisters. Sabrina will also be an assistant faculty member at Opus II Dance Studio for part of the Fall Semester.



CONCERT/PICNIC IN THE PARK

It was a lovely evening at Brookside Park in Ashland as ARB and Opus dancers took the stage. Thanks to the ARB Board and Directors and dancer's families for helping to make the Picnic a successful fundraiser. Way to kick off a new season! Thanks to the dancers and staff for bringing a beautiful show to this jewel of a setting in Ashland.

Fall Semester Is Almost Here!



REHEARSALS for the Ashland Regional Ballet performance with the Ashland Symphony are underway. Performance is at Archer Auditorium on September 12. For more information contact the Ashland Symphony Orchestra Office at 419-289-5115 ... www.ashland_symphony.org

FALL CLASSES are online and available for registration at www.OpusDanceStudio.com. Only a few spaces remain for beginner classes! We are going to have a BIG year! Thank you for choosing to dance with us!

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