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| | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | ****BAC's Pre-Professional Company Performing at Green Street Studios Benefit****  Our BAC Company will be performing in a pre-professional student group benefit performance at Green Street Studios in Cambridge on Saturday evening, March 7th.  The Company will premiere a new piece set by BAC faculty member/choreographer and GSS Director Lorraine Chapman, and will dance alongside several other prestigious local student groups.  Save the date - details and ticketing information coming soon! | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://gallery.mailchimp.com/fc9d6baacb1e9788592e92533/images/0a84727c-fea1-4519-a992-02d8533fcbe0.jpg |  |  | | --- | | ****BAC is Heading to New York City!****  As part of our 25th anniversary celebrations this year, BAC is headed to NYC in March for a fun-filled weekend of dance classes, workshops, Broadway performances of both "On the Town" and "Ailey II", great restaurants, and fun in the big city!  This sold-out trip includes upper school BAC students, mother chaperones, and BAC faculty members.  We are excited and looking forward to a great time in NYC! | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | https://gallery.mailchimp.com/fc9d6baacb1e9788592e92533/images/90a5ce0f-ec6f-44bf-9101-7b7243d9906f.jpg | | **Save the Date! BAC's Dance Unites Festival - May 29th - 31st, 2015**  This year's Dance Unites Festival will take place the weekend of **May 29th through 31st, 2015**, and will feature master classes, performances, workshops, seminars, discussions, and more -  all open to the public and to all dance lovers!  There will also be a gala performance featuring BAC's [Pre-Professional Company and Performance Groups](http://weebly-link/178629605245330720) as well as other dance groups from the surrounding area.  The goal of this annual festival is to bring together dancers and dance lovers who share a common passion and to celebrate that camaraderie. | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | [**Learn More**](http://www.bacw.com/dance-unites-festival.html) | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | ****Tuition Reminder**** The third and final payment will be automatically charged to your card on file on Monday, February 9th, 2015.  As always, any class changes or withdrawals must be made before the installment due date in order for an adjustment to be made to your tuition payment. | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **February Vacation** ****BAC will be closed from Monday, February 16th through Saturday, February 21st, 2015 for February Vacation.**** ****Classes will resume Monday, February 23rd.****  ****Have a happy and safe vacation!**** | | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | Copyright © 2015 Ballet Arts Centre of Winchester, Inc., All rights reserved.  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