



# DANCE THEATRE

## COLORADO SPRINGS

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### **COLORADO SPRINGS DANCE THEATRE CELEBRATES 30<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY WITH THE *DESSERT, DANCE, AND DREAMS SERIES* FEATURING BALLET SOCIETY OF COLORADO SPRINGS, JAN. 20 & 21, 2007**

**Colorado Springs Dance Theatre's 30th Anniversary** features a series of performances entitled *Dessert, Dance, and Dreams* showcasing up and coming Pikes Peak area dancers who are destined for professional dance careers. The January set of performances in the *Dessert, Dance, and Dreams Series* features the **Ballet Society of Colorado Springs and their performing arm, Colorado's Classical Youth Ballet**, on Sat., January 20, 2007 at 7:30 p.m. and Sun., January 21, 2007 at 2:30 p.m. Desserts are provided after the performances. Performances will take place at the Ballet Society of Colorado Springs main location: 4005 Lee Vance View Suite 100, Colorado Springs, CO 80918.

The performances will feature excerpts from Act II *Swan Lake*, and Act I *Cinderella* from the complete performance of this ballet scheduled for May 2006. Former professional dancers Scott Marble and Peter Strand are joining the Youth Ballet for these performances. Featured dancers are Angela Wood (2006 1st place Denver Ballet Guild winner and Esther Geoffrey Scholarship recipient) and Hillary MacPhee (2006 1st place Esther Geoffrey Scholarship winner).

Under the exceptional training of Co-Artistic Directors Patty Hoffman and Holly Marble, students of **Ballet Society of Colorado Springs** have annually been awarded scholarships with several major company schools; and former students are currently performing with professional companies, including the San Francisco Ballet, Houston Ballet and American Ballet Theatre.

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*Dessert, Dance, and Dreams* tickets are \$25 for adults and \$10 for children. Ticket information is available by calling Colorado Springs Dance Theatre at (719) 630-7434, or Ballet Society of Colorado Springs (719) 272-7078. More information can also be found at [www.csdance.org](http://www.csdance.org).

**Colorado Springs Dance Theatre's *Dessert, Dance, and Dreams*** series kicked off with two November 2006 performances of the Colorado Jazz Dance Company, followed by the two January 2007 performances of **Ballet Society of Colorado Springs and their performing arm Colorado's Classical Youth Ballet** and finishing with two performances of the Ormao Junior Dance Company in March, 2007.

The **Colorado Springs Dance Theatre** sponsors performances by national and international dance companies, with related residency activities including master classes, lecture demonstrations, pre-performance lectures, workshops, children's performances, and receptions.

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