



PACIFIC BALLROOM DANCE

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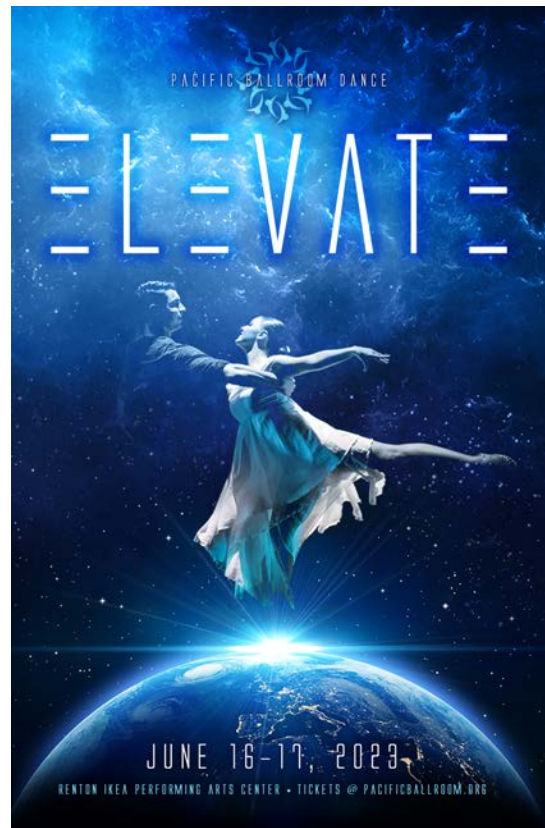
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This June Pacific Ballroom Dance Presents a Ballroom Dance Concert, “Elevate”

Pacific Ballroom Dance (PBD) is looking “up” for their summer concert, Elevate, as ballroom dance formation teams of all ages prepare to perform on June 16th and 17th. Performances are held Friday and Saturday at 7pm with an additional performance on Saturday at 2pm. Dancers will amaze audiences at the Renton Ikea Performing Arts Center (400 S 2nd St.) Tickets are on sale now at pacificballroomdance.org.

“Over the course of the year our dancers have been learning how to seek growth in all areas of their lives. Paulo Coelho said, ‘When we strive to become better than we are, everything around us becomes better too.’ As we endeavor together to become more skilled dancers, we build a community that is striving for excellence. Together we achieve meaningful success as we elevate our efforts and learn to embrace the process of becoming.”, says Katie Mecham, PBD Artistic Director.



Performances will include high energy latin dance numbers and elegant inspirational ballroom dance numbers from over 10 Ballroom Dance formation teams. These performances will transport your imagination to explore something new and beautiful.

"The (word) 'elevate' isn't just to bring others up, but it's the way by which your energy feeds off others around you. Let it be dancers, the audience, friends and family, whoever, it's how that energy comes back to bring YOU up. I am looking forward to how this concert will elevate everyone associated with it and how I can elevate myself. " said Landon Heal, a 9th grade student, about his anticipation for Summer Concert. Landon, like all PBD students is ready to mesmerize audiences.

Pacific Ballroom Dance (PBD) began in 1994 as a small, local youth club with a goal to provide young teens with the opportunity to build respectful social skills, self-esteem, fitness and teamwork. In 2003, PBD became a 501©3 non-profit organization with a mission to build character in youth by providing a positive ballroom dance experience. Today, PBD is a thriving youth dance education studio based in Auburn, Washington, serving more than 1000 students annually from age 10-18 from throughout the Puget Sound area.

MISSION Pacific Ballroom Dance builds character in youth by providing a positive ballroom dance experience.

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