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The Dance Challenge

Fort Madison High School

Critique & Workshop

October 10, 2026



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Meet Our JUDGES

BRITTNI JOHNSON

JUDGE

📍 ST. LOUIS, MO

Dance educator, choreographer, and licensed mental health counselor passionate about safe and healthy dance training. Founder of **Empowered Movement**, a workshop that helps dancers combat anxiety, depression, and more.



WHERE YOU WILL SEE
BRITTNI THIS SEASON:

- ★ FORT MADISON
- ★ ALBURNETT
- ★ MONTICELLO
- ★ BRIDGEPORT, WV
- ★ STUDIO NATIONALS

PASSIONATE

EMPOWERING

INSPIRING

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JEFFREY SHIELDS

JUDGE

 **DES MOINES, IA**

Dancer. Teacher. Choreographer.

- Trained in **New York City**
- **Rock School Ballet** alum
- **30+ years** of experience
- Passionate about *all styles of dance*

 *Inspire
Encourage
Elevate*

WHERE YOU WILL SEE JEFFREY THIS SEASON:

-  FORT MADISON
-  WAVERLY-SHELL ROCK
-  MONTICELLO
-  WASHINGTON
-  BRIDGEPORT, WV
-  FORT DODGE

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HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE NATIONALS

JANUARY 9, 2027

GRAND VIEW UNIVERSITY

— DES MOINES, IA —

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Saturday Schedule

*Please keep in mind competitions can run ahead or behind schedule. If we are lucky enough to run ahead of schedule, we will stay ahead of schedule.

TIME	#	ROUTINE TITLE	STUDIO	SIZE/LEVEL	AGE	TYPE	STYLE
10:00	1	Pom	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Team	Pom
10:05	2	Brittany Did it Again	Highland High School	Small	Varsity	Team	Pom
10:09	3	Game Time	Lone Tree High School	Small	Varsity	Team	Pom
10:16	4	EDA Allstars	Extensions Dance Academy	Elite	Junior	Large Group	Pom
10:24	5	Fired Up	Paulette's Dance & Tumbling	Novice	Mini	Solo	Jazz
10:32	6	I Was Made For Living On A Beat	Limitless Dance Co.	Novice	Teen	Solo	Jazz
10:39	7	Vogue	Limitless Dance Co.	Novice	Teen	Solo	Jazz
10:47	8	Hide and Seek	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
10:54	9	How Will I Know	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
11:01	10	Cry	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
11:08	11	New Dorp New York	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
11:16	12	Toxic	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
11:23	13	Queen of the Night	Highland High School	Small	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
11:30	14	A Little Party	Lone Tree High School	Small	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
11:37	15	Vogue	Lone Tree High School	Small	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
11:44	16	These Boots Are Made For Walking	Lone Tree High School	Small	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
11:51	17	Abracadabra	Lone Tree High School	Small	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
11:58	18	The Way You Make Me Feel	Highland High School	Small	Varsity	Solo	Jazz
12:05		Break					

12:20	19	Jazz	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Team	Jazz
12:23	20	Hit Me Up	Lone Tree High School	Small	Varsity	Team	Jazz
12:31	21	FIERCE	Highland High School	Small	Varsity	Team	Jazz
12:37	22	Take Down	Dance Works	Novice	Junior	Solo	Tap
12:44	23	Macavity	Limitless Dance Co.	Elite	Junior	Solo	Open
12:52	24	Can You Do This	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Open
12:59	25	Lost in the Brass	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Musical Theater
1:06	26	All My Friends	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Lyrical
1:13	27	Surrender	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Lyrical
1:21	28	Clown	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Lyrical
1:28	29	In The Stars	Lone Tree High School	Small	Varsity	Solo	Lyrical
1:35	30	Turning Page	Lone Tree High School	Small	Varsity	Solo	Lyrical
1:42	31	Head Above Water	Lone Tree High School	Small	Varsity	Solo	Lyrical
1:49	32	What About Us	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Contemporary
1:56	33	End of August	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Contemporary
2:04	34	Great Expectation	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Contemporary
2:11	35	Epiphany	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Contemporary
2:18	36	I Surrender	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Contemporary
2:25	41	Falling Apart	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Solo	Contemporary
2:33		Break					
2:48	38	Love In The Dark	Lone Tree High School	Small	Varsity	Team	Lyrical
2:55	39	Icon	Limitless Dance Co.	Novice	Teen	Solo	Hip Hop
3:03	40	Hip Hop	Norwalk High School	Large	Varsity	Team	Hip Hop



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Fort Madison, IA

October 17, 2026

Waverly, IA

October 31, 2026

Alburnett, IA

November 21, 2026

Storm Lake, IA

January 9, 2027
HS & College NATIONALS

Des Moines, IA

January 30, 2027

Monticello, IA

February 6, 2027

Washington, IA

February 20, 2027

Bridgeport, WV

March 19-20, 2027

Fort Dodge, IA

June 11-13, 2027
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