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New York City Ballet Company To Hold Audition in Edmond

EDMOND, OKLAHOMA—New York City based ballet company Ajkun Ballet Theatre will hold an audition at Academy of Ballet and Theatre Arts in Edmond on Sunday, Feb. 21. Dancers ages 14 and older are eligible to audition for Ajkun's Summer Trainee Programs, and those ages 16 and older are eligible to audition for the Full Time Trainee Program and company positions.

This professional company is directed by Dr. Chiara and Mr. Leonard Ajkun. Ajkun Ballet Theatre's 40-week season includes performances in New York City and internationally. Ajkun Ballet Theatre also offers two annual occasions for young dancers to join its' roster: the intensive Performing in New York, and the European dance study entitled Dance In Italy.

The audition will consist of a ballet class conducted by Brittany Larrimer, Company Artist with Ajkun Ballet Theatre. Formerly of the Joffrey Ballet Ensemble and Texas Ballet Theatre, Larrimer has performed in such productions as *Cinderella*, *La Esmerelda*, and *The Sleeping Beauty*.

Registration will begin at 4 p.m., and the audition class will be finished by 7 p.m. Those female students auditioning should be prepared to show pointe work.

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