## Kelly Fortier, Artistic Director



Kelly is a native of New Orleans, where she received her early training. She also trained and danced with The Houston Ballet, The Hartford Ballet and in New York City, She danced as a soloist with the Dallas Opera from 1984 until 1988 when she retired from her professional performing career. In 1988, Kelly opened her school, The Apetrei Dancenter (now KFortier Studios) and founded St. Tammany's own resident non-profit preprofessional ballet company, Ballet Apetrei. Kelly has

choreographed several ballets for Ballet Apetrei including Requiem, Guide Me Home, and Symphony Classique. She is known for her great understanding and teaching of the classical ballet technique. Kelly is very involved in arts in education and giving back to the community. Ballet Apetrei, The Apetrei Dancenter and Relly have all received numerous awards for the tremendous contributions made to our community over the past 37 years. The studio now also houses an art gallery which is called The Artwalk, where we can all be inspired by the creations of others as well as share the work with our community.

THE FIVE WEEK INTENSIVE STUDY PROGRAM will host guest teachers and choreographers. Dancers will also enjoy classes in Contemporary, Jazz, Yoga and Pilates to compliment their ballet training.

The program will begin on Monday, June 9 and end on Friday, July 11, 2025.



A Summer Gathering
Of Dance

## K FORTIER STUDIOS



## SUMMER INTENSIVE STUDY 2025

5 WEEK INTENSIVE STUDY PROGRAM
JUNE 9 - JULY 11, 2025
BALLET, POINTE, JAZZ, YOGA AND PILATES

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"St. Tammany's Own Resident Company"

School of BALLET APETREI

Summer Intensive 2025 Registration Form DANCER'S NAME: DANCER'S AGE AND BIRTHDATE: PARENTS' NAMES: FULL ADDRESS: EMAIL ADDRESS: \_ BEST CONTACT PHONE: EMERGENY CONTACT AND PHONE:\_ PAYMENT IS DUE IN FULL AT TIME OF REGISTRATION. CLASS SIZE IS LIMITED, . FIRST FORMS RECEIVED WITH PAYMENT HOLD YOUR PLACE IN THE CLASSES! (please speak to Kelly if a payment plan is required) WEINIMO CREDIT CARD CHECK CARD NUMBER: \_\_\_ CVV: \_ FXP. DATE: ZIP: WAIVER OF LIABILITY: I agree that I will not hold the K Fortier Studios, Ballet Apetrei or any employee liable for injuries sustained or illnesses

contracted while a student at KFortier Studios. I also agree to pay the total

amount due for the workshop. By signing below, I agree to be the responsible

party for the student listed on this registration form.

Parent or Legal Guardian Signature

ATTENDING	LEVEL.	CHECK	ONE

(ALL DANCERS MUST BE APPROVED BY KELLY APETREI FOR LEVEL CHOSEN!)

Level II -

AGES 9-12 YEARS OLD

\$270 / 3 hours weekly for 5 weeks

Monday (ballet), Wednesday (jazz) & Friday (ballet) 9:00-10:00 am (ONE HOUR CLASS – 3 times weekly)

Level III/ IV -

AGES 13 - 18 YEARS OLD

\$750 / 12.5 hours weekly for 5 weeks

Monday through Friday 10:00 - 12:30 pm

THIS LEVEL WILL HAVE A 1 1/2 HOUR BALLET CLASS followed by a 1 hour class
POINTE, JAZZ, PILATES MAT, YOGA AND VARIATIONS CLASS 5 DAYS A WEEK

\$1100 / 25 hours weekly for 5 weeks

Monday through Friday - 10:00-3:00

THIS LEVEL WILL HAVE A ONE AND 1/2 HOUR BALLET CLASS FOLLOWED BY A JAZZ, CONTEMPORARY, PILATES MAT, POINTE, YOGA and a VARIATIONS CLASS 5 DAYS A WEEK AND 2 HOURS OF REHEARSAL TO LEARN CHOREOGRAPHY.

\*(Required commitment for all Ballet Apetrei Company Dancers for 2025/26)

ADULT BALLET CLASS

-----\$70 / 1 hour per week for 5 weeks

Thursday (9:00-10:00 am)