



2022/2023 ANNUAL REPORT

Message from the Board Chair

How incredible is it that DJD just had its 38th season? I feel a true sense of honour at having had the privilege to act as Chair of the Board of DJD for the past year, thanks not only to DJD's tremendous history but also in spite of it. You might think that after so many years of existence it wouldn't be possible to continue to delight and surprise – but Kim Cooper, as Artistic Director, never fails to amaze us with her creativity and her passion to inspire others through jazz dance. Kathi Sundstrom, as Executive Director, is tireless in her dedication to DJD – its mission, its people and its resilience as an organization to continue to serve Calgary for years to come. A huge thank you to Kathi and Kim for all of your contributions over the past year – you are the heart and soul of the DJD family.

I am also extremely grateful for the dedicated group of directors on the Board of DJD. Thank you to Sue Han for her leadership chairing the Black & White Ball Committee this past year – although Sue made it look effortless, we all know better. Thank you also to all of our volunteers who assisted with the Ball, including everyone who donated time or items for the silent auction. The event's success was because of you.

Thank you to Taylor Brown for leading the Investment Committee and ensuring that our grants and donations are bringing us financial returns before being put to their intended use bringing artistic returns.

Special thanks to those Board members who have served but will not be returning to DJD for its 39th season – Frances Behan, Colin Szopa, Nicole Shokoples and Chidinma Thompson. Your contributions will be missed but we wish you the best of luck in your upcoming endeavours and look forward to seeing you at future shows.

On a personal note, thank you very much to all of the DJD directors who filled in for me and took on additional responsibilities in the past year for the meetings and events I missed due to my maternity leave.

Thank you to the DJD management and staff for all of your contributions to the organization over the past year. You live our values every day; your energy and enthusiasm drive us forward.

To our 39th year – to embracing our history and at the same time, shattering expectations.



Kim Wiggins
Board Chair

Message from the Artistic Director

We are made of blood and bone, muscle, sinew, grey matter. Complex thinking creatures that can do many things, and things can happen to us. Think about the automatic reaction when a mallet hits your knee and your leg kicks, when you smell something delicious and your mouth waters, when you hear music that strikes you and you must dance, when you see someone you love, and your heart beats faster ...

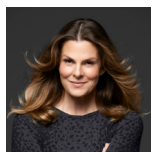
Last season made my heart beat really fast, and hard, it may have taken a year or two off my life, but it was worth it! Rich and full with challenges and adventures. Like an epic jazz tune.

It was an honour to be Artist in Residence at Fall for Dance North, Toronto's premiere dance festival from 2020 to 2022. The grand finale of the residency was the performance of *Family of Jazz* at the festival last fall. On closing night, our founders were inducted into Dance Collection Danse's Dancers Hall of Fame! The icing on the cake. We closed the season with a tour of that same show, the grand finale of that tour was at Jacob's Pillow in Beckett MA, the mecca of dance in North America, if not the world. To bookend a season like that was monumental, and I'm proud to say we had a standing o' at every performance on tour. We also managed to infiltrate a couple of American universities with our work. It was a season for new audiences, new friends, and breaking new ground internationally.

AND we had our first fully live local season since 2018/19. We took risks in working with, and presenting new artists, as well as celebrating current DJD artists and alumni. It still stops me in my tracks, that we do this, in this beautiful place, with these extraordinary people who are so dedicated to what we do that they go above and beyond, daily. It feels even more precious since 2020, that we continue, and not only continue, but soar above and beyond. We are so lucky, and I am so grateful.

Our 38th season was an epic jazz tune, and, like always, at DJD, when we hear an epic jazz tune, we dance.

Congrats everyone!



Kimberley Cooper
Artistic Director

Message from the Executive Director

Our 38th season was an incredible journey! Although we find ourselves still in recovery mode from COVID, we kicked the doors wide open, inviting people back into our building for classes, artistic residencies, rehearsals, performances, and rentals. And people responded – we may not be back to pre-pandemic levels in every area yet, but it was a very positive year.

We started and ended our season with the popular hit *Family of Jazz*. In September we did two performances here in Calgary before taking it to Toronto for the Fall for Dance North (FFDN) Festival. Then, to wrap up our season we took it to Quebec, Ottawa, and the prestigious Jacob's Pillow International Dance Festival in Massachusetts where it was performed on the outdoor Henry J. Leir Stage.

While in Toronto for FFDN last fall, another astounding event happened. DJD co-founders Vicki Adams-Willis, Michèle Moss and Hannah Stilwell were inducted into the Dance Collection Danse Hall of Fame. What an honour!

We mounted two other productions in 2023: *OLD/NEW/BORROWED/BLUE* in January, and *Nervous Systems* in April/May. We co-produced *Ephemeral Artifacts: Travis Knights* from Toronto's ANANDAM, with One Yellow Rabbit's High Performance Rodeo, and we presented our annual year-end performance by the participants in our Professional Training Program – *Footprints* – in May 26.

The DJD Dance School was in full swing in 2022-23, with 1,288 participants of all ages and abilities. The school is starting to rebound from the disruption of COVID, alongside all our other education and training programs.

Information about all our activities, events and programs can be found in the pages of this report.

I offer my heartfelt gratitude to the board members, other volunteers, staff, artists, technicians and instructors who make DJD such an incredible organization. Enjoy our 2022-23 report and thank you for your support.



Kathi Sundstrom
Executive Director

PERFORMANCES



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Big Tuba Finish

Family of Jazz went on tour in July and August, 2023. From The Festival des Arts de Saint-Sauveur in Saint-Sauveur, Quebec, The National Arts Centre in Ottawa, Ontario to Jacob's Pillow in Becket Massachusetts, we are thrilled to have shared this DJD show with audiences far and wide.

2022/2023 SEASON

Family of Jazz

Sept. 22 & 23, 2022, Sept. 30 - Oct. 2, 2022

Brought back in September for 2 nights only before taking it on the road to Toronto as part of a double bill at Fall For Dance North's annual festival.

OLD/NEW/BORROWED/BLUE

Jan. 19 -29, 2023

DJD repertoire favourites including our most requested piece Every Tap Show Needs a Soft Shoe choreographed by Vicki Adams Willis and Heather Cornell, new works by DJD past company alumna Sarisa F. de Toledo and current DJD company member Sabrina Naz Comanescu, and a borrowed piece by contemporary dance artist Marie France Forcier.

Ephemeral Artifacts: Travis Knights

Feb. 2 - 4, 2023

Our co-production with One Yellow Rabbit's High Performance Rodeo allowed us to team up to bring this powerful tap performance from Toronto's ANANDAM to Calgary audiences.

Nervous Systems

April 27 - May 14, 2023

A new dance work created and choreographed by Kimberley Cooper featuring original live music played by Luis Tovar, Andre Wickenheiser, Daniel Nava led by Calgary musician and trombonist Carsten Rubeling.

Footprints

May 26 - 27

DJD's Professional Training Program's annual year end performance featuring choreography by faculty members Ingrid Díaz Céspedes (Dance School Principal & Professional Training Program Director) & Jamie Freeman Cormack (Founding Professional Training Program Director), repertoire from DJD company and guest choreography by DJD Professional Company dancers Thys Armstrong, Scott Augustine & Kaja Irwin.

The Black & White Ball

June 10, 2023 at the Fairmont Palliser Hotel

Our annual fundraiser featured performances by DJD's Company Dancers accompanied by musicians Nathaniel Chiang, Fraser Calhoun & Carsten Rubeling, the DJD Professional Training Program, the Carifest Dancers, BattleZone Dance Crew, Lisa LaTouche, Brooke Floyd, Emma Ritchie and Sunny City Swing, Chad Bryant, Chris Gamble and live music from the Penguins on Broadway and DJ sets from DJ Spacy Jay and the Moonlight Trumpet.

TRAINING



PTP dancers in Footprints
photo by Laura Kleiner

Professional Training Program

DJD's Professional Training Program (PTP) was created to foster the development of skilled and knowledgeable jazz dance artists. The Professional Training Program selects 10 – 15 advanced level dancers from across Canada and beyond to participate in the 8-month program. Our class of 2022/23 included 11 dancers: Maryn Bjorndahl (Calgary), Isabelle Carcamo (Calgary), Annalise Grammacione (Toronto), Allison Hardee (Nashville), Ben Holden (Calgary), J.R. McNeil (St. Louis & Calgary), Lucas Ferrari Pereira (Brazil), Logan Shaffner (Calgary), Lan Tran (Calgary), Sarah Vander Ploeg (Calgary) and Paige Wichers (Lethbridge).



YTP Junior Level Class in end of year performance
photo by Laura Kleiner

Youth Training Program

Our Youth Training Program (YTP) provides high quality training to youth across several dance genres. DJD's YTP showcases the talents of dedicated instructors who share a passion for dance and believe in educating well-rounded, happy and healthy dance artists. This season 51 young dancers trained through this program from ages 7 to 18.

Classes

DJD is known for creating a welcoming community where everybody can find the joy in dance. Our classes are taught by professional dance educators who passionately share their love of dance with dancers from the ages of 2-92. We have over 50+ classes offered from absolute beginner to advanced. This season the number of classes programmed were reduced by 25% of pre-COVID as the demand was not there to increase the number of classes but we are slowly seeing an increase in registrations moving forward.

Summer Camps

DJD summer dance camps are designed to instill a love of dance with an emphasis on fun and celebration, students are encouraged to explore challenges, demonstrate creativity, expand movement vocabulary, build confidence and develop friendships with other students. This summer we had 20 camps throughout July and August. 39 bursaries were awarded to children from low income families through our Send a Kid to Camp program to attend camp free of charge. Additionally, 39 bursaries were awarded to children to attend our Saturday classes throughout the fall and winter.



CLASSES



photo credit: David Troyer



Karissa Barry Creative Residency

The DJD Dance Centre offers performances, training, outreach, rehearsal, creation and social space for all who enter. The centre has been designed to inspire creativity for the users within and to be a source of creative energy for the district.

Resident Companies

The Centre has 8 resident companies who regularly use our studios for rehearsal or classes. These companies include: Ballet Bodies, Ballet Makarov, Diversity Performing Arts Club of Calgary, National accessArts, SPARQ Productions, Tritone Ensemble, Western Canada Chinese Arts & Culture Association & Maven Movement.

DJD Dance Centre Creative Residency Program

The DJD Dance Centre Creative Residency Program is a program that aims to support independent dance artists in Calgary and nationwide. The residency program has been created to support the research, development, and/or final phase of production for independent choreographers working on specified, self-directed projects that are targeted for production. During the residency, artists have access to one studio at the DJD Dance Centre free of charge for the duration of their residency. This year we awarded 12 Creative Residencies with a total of 57 artists participating in these projects and over 1100 hours of creation and rehearsal time.

DJD Dance Centre Artist in Residency Program

Our DJD Dance Centre Artist in Residency Program is an invitation only program that provides selected artists with space and support for their creative practice. This season Lisa La Touche and Jon McCaslin were invited to join us as our Artists in Residence for their collaborative work Tap, Bass, Drums.

Studio & Theatre Rentals

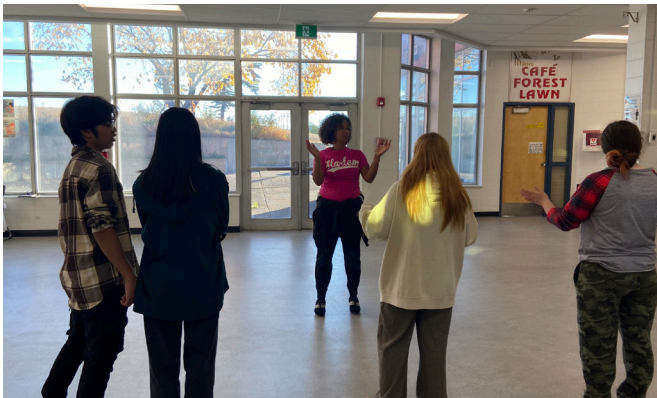
The centre has been designed to inspire creativity for the users within and to be a source of creative energy for the district. Many individuals and arts groups use our space throughout the year for rehearsals, performances, creation space, workshops and classes. 2022/2023 was our second busiest rental season since the DJD Dance Centre opened. We had 19 groups and 24 independent artists use our studios for creation, rehearsal and class space. 24 groups rented our theatre, holding a total of 50 events and performance throughout the season.

Dancing Parkinson's YYC

This year we celebrated our 10th year of the program which was originally launched in 2013 as a pilot program by Anne Flynn (Professor Emerita, Dance, University of Calgary) and Vicki Adams Willis (Founder in Residence, DJD) Dancing Parkinson's YYC provides dance classes for people with Parkinson's disease. Research has demonstrated that dancing improves motor and cognitive functions in Parkinson's patients and positively impacts quality of life. With live musical accompaniment and a focus on rhythm, body awareness, muscle development, coordination and socializing, the DPYYC classes have proven to be an uplifting and restorative experience for participants.



Dancing Parkinson's YYC Class



Artist in Residency Program at Forest Lawn High School

Arts in Education

DJD is committed to education, and sharing our love of jazz music and dance with students in schools in a fun and energetic atmosphere. Dance feeds the soul, nourishes the heart, invigorates the body, challenges the mind, builds community and empathy, and puts groove in every step.

One of DJD's long standing residencies with an over 25 year history is our Artist in Residency at Connaught Elementary offering an annual residency for their 500 students with 45 different countries and over 40 languages represented in their student population. Through the generosity of donors we are also able to offer high-needs low income schools with residencies free of charge. This season we had 58 schools in Calgary and area take part in residencies or workshops with a total of 3,774 students participating.

Ontario Outreach

Joanne Baker, our Arts in Education Coordinator works remotely for DJD from Ontario. With her recent relocation to Ontario we have been able to expand our Arts in Education outreach with 4 schools and 175 students participating this season in workshops in Toronto and area.

American Outreach

Kimberley Cooper spent time with the students of the Methodist University in Dallas as a guest artist creating a new piece titled **The Long Way Up** for their dancers that they performed at their spring dance concert. She was invited to be a guest artist at Western Michigan University in Kalamazoo where she taught choreography from **Family of Jazz** which was showcased at WMU Winter Dance Gala and went on to be selected to perform at the American College Dance Association (ACDA) National Festival.



Dancers from WMU performing Family of Jazz
photo by Mark Bugnaski

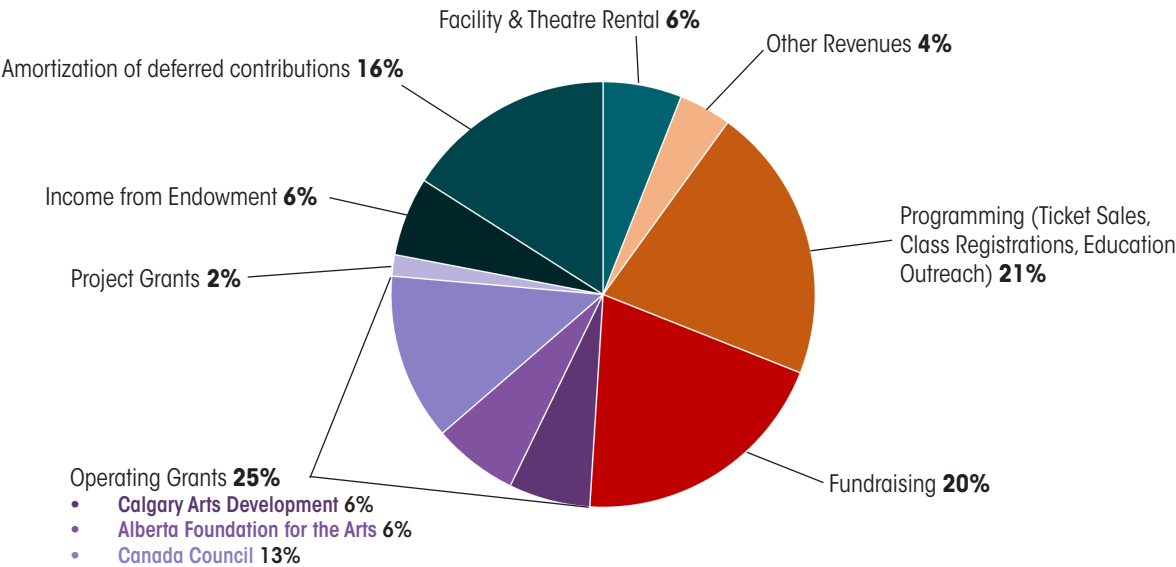
OUTREACH

Decidedy Jazz Society (DJD) is a registered charity (118883545 RR0001) with an annual operating budget of \$3.3M.

DJD has a solid record of fiscal responsibility and accountability. Our revenue base is highly diversified: earned & other revenues 53%, fundraising 20% and government grants 27%.

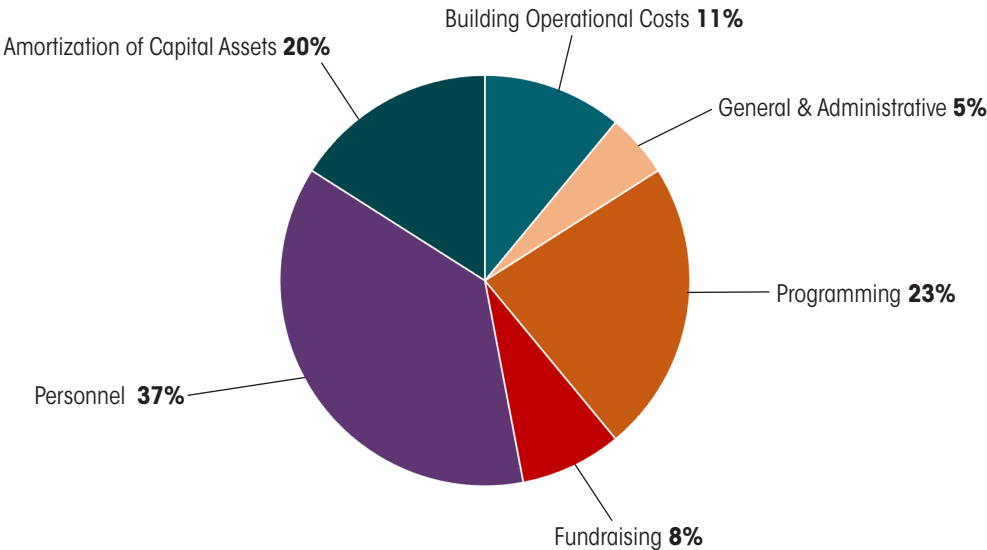
SOURCES OF REVENUE

- In 2023, 20% DJD's revenues came from fundraising revenues (2022- 23%), 27% came from operating and project grants (2022 – 34%) and 21% came from programming revenues (2022 – 11%)
- Total fundraising and grant revenue contributed 47% to total revenue in 2023 and 51% to total revenue in 2022 (not including Covid related grants in 2022)
- Fundraising & Programming revenues are critical elements in sustaining the organization.



EXPENSES

- Historically, operating costs (general & administration and personnel) have been approximately 38% - 49% of DJD's total expenses.
- In 2023, operating costs (Building, Personnel, and General & Administrative) were 52% of total expenses (2022 – 47%).
- Programming expenses have typically been between 27% and 35% of total costs. In 2022, programming costs were 23% of total costs (2022 – 27%).



DJD STAFF

It takes a small but mighty team of amazing people to accomplish what we do in a year. We are truly grateful for the talented individuals we have here at DJD.

Leadership

Kimberley Cooper - Artistic Director
Kathi Sundstrom - Executive Director

Co-Founders

Vicki Adams Willis - Founder in Residence
Michèle Moss
Hannah Stilwell

Artistic

Laura Kleiner - Artistic Assistant

Professional Company Dancers

Shahrazad Ahmadi, Thys Armstrong, Scott Augustine
Cassandra Bowerman, Sabrina Comanescu
Catherine Hayward, Kaja Irwin, Natasha Korney, Mara Liao Esnard
Simeon Peters joined us as a new company member
Shemar Herbert joined as an understudy, transitioning to an Apprentice dancer in February

Production

Arielle Bergeron - House Technician
Sarah Minor - Production Manager

Production Designers

Bronte Christie, Angela Dale, Sarah Doucett, Steve Isom, Brian MacNeil

Musicians

Chris Andrew, Rubim de Toledo, Karimah, Jon McCaslin,
Daniel Nava, Carsten Rubeling, Raul Tabera, Bob Tildesley,
Luis Tovar, André Wickenheiser

Front of House

Kate Middleton – Front of House Manager
Jocelyn Mah – Front of House Manager

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Professional Company Instructors

Vicki Adams Willis, Kimberley Cooper, Ingrid Diaz Cespedes, Jamie Freeman Cormack, Trudy Hipwell, Laura Kleiner, Melodie McKee, Sandro Rajic, Jackie Stewart, Deanne Walsh, Anna Wojciechowski

DJD School

Kirstin Anderson - Dance Centre & Marketing Manager
Joanne Baker – Artistic Outreach Associate
Ingrid Díaz Céspedes – Dance School Principal & Professional Training Program Director
Jamie Freeman Cormack – Founding Professional Training Program Director
Leanne Kidd – Youth Training Program Director
Billie Mellor – Assistant Dance Centre Manager

Dance School Receptionists

Morgan Arthurson, Chantel Broderick, Isabelle Carcamo, Dana Coldwell, Annalise Grammacione, Jocelyn Mah, Kayla MacKenzie, Shandi Ta, Paige Wichers

Dance School Instructors

Ballet Beats, Maryn Bjorndahl, Ballet Bodies, Amanda Bonnell, Cassandra Bowerman, Chantel Broderick, Kym Butler, Sabrina Comanescu, Tyler Day, Ingrid Diaz Cespedes, Brynna Doucette, Rebecca Fishman, Pamela Gincher, Annalise Grammacione, Yael Guterman, Catherine Hayward, Jared Herring, Eugenio Hipolito, Trudy Hipwell, Cody Jaxon, M'Kayla Kongnetiman, Mara Liao Esnard, Kayla Mackenzie, Vishal Malpuria, Dinou Marlett, Billie Mellor, Maven Movement, Amanda Okafor, Kim Olson, Jason Owin F. Galeos, Vanessa Padillo, Nicole Pemberton, Margarita Rebetskaya, Katharina Schier, Janelle Schiffner, Deanne Walsh, Krista White, Paige Wichers

YTP & PTP Instructors

Vicki Adams Willis, Amanda Bonnell, Cassandra Bowerman, Connor Denison, Ingrid Diaz Cespedes
Jamie Freeman Cormack, Yael Guterman, Catherine Hayward, Trudy Hipwell, Kaja Irwin, Leanne Kidd, Lisa La Touche, Mara Liao Esnard, Dinou Marlett, Janelle Schiffner, Katharina Schier, Deanne Walsh

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Jasmine Almaguer Sheldrick - Administrative Assistant & Box Office Coordinator
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Heather Close - Development & Communications Associate
Chantal Snodgrass - Venue Services Manager & Volunteer Coordinator

STAFF

DJD VOLUNTEERS

2022/2023 Board of Directors

DJD's board is made up of a dedicated group of individuals who volunteer their time to further DJD's vision. Thank you to our 2022/2023 Board of Directors:

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2022/2023 AWARDS

Vicki Adams Willis was awarded the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta 2021 Distinguished Artist Award and the 2022 Queen Elizabeth II Platinum Jubilee Medal.

In 2022 DJD founders; Vicki Adams Willis, Michele Moss and Hannah Stilwell were inducted into Canada's Dance Collection Danse Hall of Fame



photo by Liliانا Reyes from Dance Collection Danse Hall of Fame

Decidedly Jazz Danceworks won the 2022-2023 Gold Reader's Choice Award for Dance Studio from the Calgary Herald and Calgary Sun.



VOLUNTEERS

AWARDS

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