

July 2026

DancePro News

- Introducing Miss Hayley
- Crew Auditions
- Review us
- Comps and festivals
- Autumn term notice
- Dates for the Diary



Introducing Miss Hayley

Introducing Miss Hayley Hayley has been a professional performer for her entire career, beginning as a full-time dancer on cruise ships and international contracts. Alongside this, she performed across the UK at corporate events and trade shows, and even traveled overseas to entertain troops in war-torn countries. Her career highlights also include TV appearances and fashion shows, such as working with Adidas for Stella McCartney. After many years of performing, Hayley secured a regular aerial role before becoming a mother of two. During this time, she trained in Pilates and became a fully certified STOTT Pilates Level 3 Instructor. Her aerial work also introduced her to the world of circus, where she expanded her skills in acrobatics, contortion, aerial hoop, and fire performance, leading to a wide range of exciting opportunities in events, shows, and holiday parks. In recent years, Hayley has turned her focus to teaching, completing her ISTD Diploma in Dance Education (Modern Theatre) as well as Acrobatic Arts Modules 1 & 2. Passionate about both performing and teaching, she is dedicated to passing on her knowledge while continuing to grow and learn herself. We are very lucky to have Miss Hayley on our team 🥰



Get in touch to sign up for Acro!



At what age did you start dancing?

I started dancing when I was 4 years old.

When did you fall in love with dance?

I honestly can't remember – I've always loved dancing and it's been a huge part of my life for as long as I can remember!

Where did you train?

I trained at Russell School of Dance, Havering College of Performing Arts, Pineapple Dance Studios, and Danceworks. I later completed my teacher training with ACDS.

What is your favourite style of dance?

Modern/Jazz.

Tell us something interesting about yourself.

I have been lucky enough to travel the world as a professional performer. One of my greatest adventures was travelling around Europe in a motorhome for six months with my daughter when she was a baby!

What is your favourite snack?

Sweets! 🍬

What do you enjoy doing when you're not dancing?

Dancing (of course!), yoga, and Pilates.

Who has inspired you most as a teacher?

Dolly Henry.

Is there anything else you can share?

Alongside my dance career, I have also enjoyed a separate performing career in circus arts. I have trained and performed in aerial hoop, contortion, and fire performance, which has led to some incredible experiences. I am also a proud mum of two and have two very loved cats

Enjoy Ware Carnival!

Good luck to all our DancePro Academy students taking part in the Ware Carnival on Friday 4th July!

Many of our dancers will be walking with groups such as the Brownies, Beavers and Rainbows. If you spot a DancePro dancer, give them a big cheer!

A big thank you to Ware Town Council for organising such a fantastic community event. We hope you all have a wonderful day!

Beam Panto Audition

Good luck to all of our DancePro Academy students attending the Beam Pantomime Auditions.

Enjoy every moment of the experience. Arrive with neat hair, BIG smiles, plenty of confidence. Perform your hearts out! Best of luck to every one of you!

Enjoy Ware Carnival!

The 4th July is a busy day! We also have students competing in a festival!

A huge good luck to all of our DancePro Academy dancers competing

Go out there, dance your hearts out, support one another and, most importantly, enjoy every moment! We know you'll make us proud.

Wishing you all the very best of luck!

July 2026

Street Dance Crew Auditions

Tuesday 7th July | 5:45pm - 6:45pm | Southern Maltings

We're excited to be holding auditions for our DancePro Academy Street Dance Competition Crew, and we'd love to see you there!

Our competition team is for dancers who are passionate about street dance, enjoy performing, and are ready to challenge themselves by taking their dancing to the next level. Being part of Crew is an exciting opportunity to develop new skills, build confidence, make great friendships and represent DancePro Academy at competitions throughout the year.

Competition dancing requires commitment, dedication and a positive attitude, alongside a willingness to work hard as part of a team. If you love to perform and are ready for a new challenge, we'd love you to audition!

If you'd like to take part, please register your interest by emailing Gill@danceproacademy.com.

We can't wait to see everyone shine at auditions. Good luck!



We'd love your review

If your child has enjoyed dancing with DancePro Academy, we'd be incredibly grateful if you could take a couple of minutes to leave us a Google review.

As a small, independent dance school, your reviews really do make a difference. They help other families find us, support our growth, and allow us to continue providing the best possible experience for our students.

As a thank you, everyone who leaves a Google review will be entered into our prize draw to WIN HALF A TERM OF FREE CLASSES!

The winner will be announced on Instagram on Monday 13th July, so don't forget to follow our social media pages!

★ Leave your review [here](#)

We truly appreciate every family who has chosen to be part of DancePro Academy. Whether you've been dancing with us for a few weeks or several years, thank you for your continued support. It means so much to our small business.

If you have any feedback or suggestions about your experience with DancePro Academy, I'd always love to hear from you. Please don't hesitate to get in touch by email or phone.

Every review really does help our small business grow, and we truly appreciate every one. Thank you for your continued support!

Competition and festivals update

Firstly, a huge congratulations to all of our competition dancers who have represented DancePro Academy so brilliantly this year. We have seen some fantastic results, and it has been wonderful to watch our students grow in both confidence and ability. Their success has also inspired many other dancers to step into the competition world, which is fantastic to see.

As our competition team continues to grow, I'd like to remind everyone that competing requires commitment, consistency and regular practice. Competition dances should continue to improve throughout the year with dancers becoming more confident, polished and performance-ready at each event.

Many dance schools require weekly private lessons for their competition dancers. At DancePro Academy, I place my trust in our dancers and families to practise regularly at home between lessons. This approach has worked well for many of our students, but it does rely on everyone putting in the time and effort outside of class. Our dancers are representing DancePro Academy every time they step onto the stage. If a routine is under rehearsed sufficiently or isn't competition-ready, I may need to withdraw it from an event. This is never a decision I would take lightly, but I want every dancer to feel proud of their performance and for families to know that their time, commitment and investment are leading to the very best experience possible.

To help our dancers prepare for up and coming events private lessons will be available throughout the Summer holidays. If your child is competing, I strongly encourage you to book a session to keep their routines progressing and ensure they return in September feeling confident and prepared.

Autumn Term Notice Reminder

A reminder to all families that if your child will not be returning for the Autumn Term, you must notify us in writing by Friday 4th July. As outlined in our Terms & Conditions, notice must be given by the end of the current half term. If we do not receive written notice by 4th July, half a term's fees will be charged in lieu of notice.

This policy enables us to plan class numbers and cover ongoing costs such as teaching, venue hire and insurance, ensuring classes can continue to run successfully.

If notice is given late or not at all, the outstanding balance will remain payable in accordance with our Terms & Conditions.

If you have any questions, or if your child will not be returning in September, please let us know in writing by Friday 4th July.

Thank you for your cooperation and continued support.

Dates for the term ahead

Autumn term 5th Sept- 10th Dec. Half term 23rd - 30th October

Performance opportunities

In order to participate we need a complete dance. So this is dependant on students availability and commitment

8th November Dance Mania
15th November Campus West



Love
Miss Gill
xxx