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## Thanks For Dancing With Us — Now, Let's SHINE!

On March 1, the stage was set, the lights dimmed, and the stars came out to shine – all thanks to you.

By supporting our CEO, Natalie Frazier Allen, at Charlotte Ballet's 2025 Dancing With The Stars of Charlotte Gala, you championed more than a performance — you helped stand up for children by advancing our mission to break the cycles of violence and trauma by igniting hope, healing, and opportunity in vulnerable youth through the transformative power of the arts. Whether you joined us in person or supported from afar, your impact was profound – and we are deeply grateful. But the rhythm doesn't stop here!

□ Save the Date: Oct. 1, 2025 □

**SHINE:** Igniting Creativity for Brighter Futures

We're thrilled to invite you to our next signature event – **SHINE** – a dazzling

evening of celebration, storytelling, and creative inspiration set against the stunning skyline of Charlotte. Just as you helped us soar in March, we hope you'll stand with us again to continue empowering young lives through access to the arts and critical life skills.

Let's keep the momentum going.  
Let's **SHINE** for the children who need us most.

### Support Us Today!

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Seats are limited, and this night promises to be unforgettable.

With gratitude and excitement,

The Arts Empowerment Project Team

# SAVE THE DATE



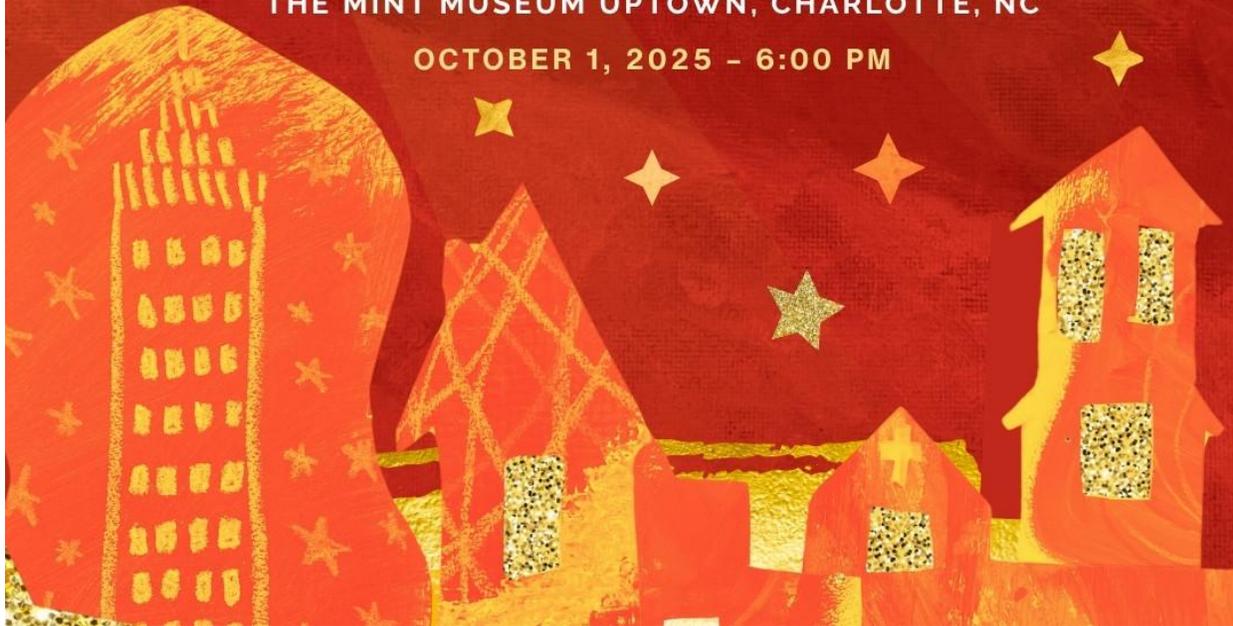
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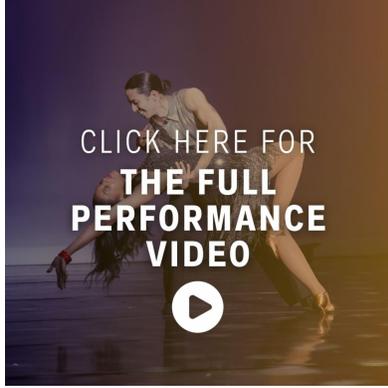
THE MINT MUSEUM UPTOWN, CHARLOTTE, NC

OCTOBER 1, 2025 - 6:00 PM



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IN CASE YOU MISSED DWTS, SEE THE LINKS BELOW  
TO VIEW HIGHLIGHTS FROM OUR STAR-STUDED NIGHT!



Dancing With The Stars of Charlotte Gala  
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