



## **EVALYN TIRIKOS:**

**Evalyn has studied dance for the past twenty-nine years and has taught at several studios in Northeastern Ohio and Kentucky. She received most of her training under Dance Masters own Kathi Halbert who instilled the love of dance and continuing education in her.**

**Evalyn received her certification to teach ballet, tap, and jazz through Dance Masters of Americas Teachers Training School at the University of Buffalo, New York and is a member of Ohio Dance Masters Chapter 16 and Dance Masters of America. She currently serves as an Assistant Principal on the board of directors for Ohio Dance Masters and has judged several regional competitions across the nation.**

**Evalyn is also a member of the Cecchetti Council of America. She has taken her student exams I-VI, teacher's exams I-V and is currently preparing for her student VII and Teacher VI exams. Evalyn has had the privilege of dancing with Youngstown's Easy Street Productions and the Youngstown Playhouse. She was a dancer for the Youngstown Hawks semi-professional basketball team and danced professionally with One World Dance Theater Chicago. Along with dance education, Evalyn has taught recreational and competitive gymnastics, choreographing several floor routines for USAG National Competitions.**

**Currently Evalyn resides in Louisville Kentucky and teaches for Gillman's Dance Academy. She is also the assistant artistic director for the non-profit youth dance company M.A.G.I.C, Making Art Grow In Children.**