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Brandywine Ballet in a Free Performance July 25 at Delaware County's Summer Festival!

West Chester, PA - Brandywine Ballet will hold a free outdoor performance July 25, 2009 at Rose Tree Park's Amphitheater as one of the featured acts of Delaware County's 2009 Summer Festival. The performance begins at 7:30 p.m, and will include various repertory works promising to offer the exciting mix of classical and contemporary ballet for which the company has gained popularity. Rose Tree Park's Amphitheater is located in Rose Tree Park, Upper Providence, PA (Route 252 and Rose Tree Road, just off Route 1).

Brandywine Ballet's Rose Tree performance marks the culmination of the company's popular Summer Intensive Program, a three-week dance class and rehearsal regimen, which runs July 6 through July 25 in West Chester, PA. The Summer Intensive is an annual program offering serious dancers the opportunity to study with special guest instructors, undergo rigorous cross-training and conditioning routines, and participate in off-season performance engagements.

Delaware County Summer Festival events are free and open to the community. There are four terraces for seating. Guests are encouraged to bring blankets and chairs so they can sit back, relax and enjoy the summer evening air. Concessions are for sale at all concerts. Guests may bring their own provisions. For more information on the park, please call 610.565.7410 and/or visit www.co.delaware.pa.us/summer.

Brandywine Ballet celebrates its 30th Anniversary Season of Dance in 2009-2010. In recent years, the company has premiered works by guest choreographer's Matthew Neenan (Ballet X), Ronen Koresh (Koresh Dance Company), and Meredith Rainey (formerly Pennsylvania Ballet), as well as earned George Balanchine Trust approval to perform three Balanchine pieces *Concerto Barocco*, *Tchaikovsky's Pas De Deux*, and *Serenade*. National publication *Dance Magazine* recently recognized Brandywine Ballet for its thought-provoking mix of classical and contemporary ballet programming.

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