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**Community School of the Arts Students Attending Julliard, School of American Ballet,  
NYU Summer Training Programs**

*Marion, IN*-The Community School of the Arts is proud to announce that several students have been accepted to and will be attending some of the top summer training programs across the country.

Sydney Revenaugh, 15, a student of the CSA Arts Academy and member of Dancers Edge Company has been selected to attend the Julliard Summer Dance Intensive in New York City. This 3-week program features just 44 of the most talented young dancers from across the country, with only 22 females and 22 males selected from extremely competitive auditions that took place in cities across the United States. Revenaugh, who has been training since the age of 2, auditioned in January in Chicago. She will live in New York City in the dormitories for the 3-week session. “The Julliard Summer Intensive prepares young dancers for a potential college experience at Julliard-this is one step towards achieving my goal of attending Julliard and advancing my dance career” said Revenaugh.

Jazmin Lakin, 13, a student of the CSA Arts Academy and member of CSA’s Dancers Edge was also accepted into two of the top programs for young dancers. She will attend the Joffery Ballet of Chicago Summer Intensive in Denver on a full scholarship. Lakin was also accepted into the four year residential training program, a great honor, although she intends to continue to train at the Community School of the Arts. Additionally, Lakin was accepted into and will be attending the School of American Ballet’s California Workshop for Young Dancers, a two week program in Irvine, California for students that are age 10-14 and accepted by audition only, featuring some of the top young dancers from across the country. “I am very excited to attend both summer intensives this year, and I am looking forward to taking classes, meeting new instructors, and improving my ballet technique” said Lakin.

Casey Reaves, 17, and a student at Marion High School and CSA’s Theatre compANY has been accepted into the New York University Tisch School of the Arts Meisner Intensive, offered by the Department of Drama. The 5-week program consists of training in the Meisner Technique, with students immersed in training in acting, movement, voice & speech, singing, and “play” or



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clowning, six days a week. “I am looking forward to working with people who share the same passion I have for acting and performing. I am thankful for the opportunity to work with some of the best acting instructors. I hope to take the knowledge they share with me and improve and reshape my craft. NYU is my dream college, and I hope that by working hard this summer I can get one step closer to being able to attend one of the best acting programs in the world” said Reaves.

Additionally, CSA’s Dancers Edge members Isaac Berry and Leah Stauffer will be attending the New York City Dance Alliance Summer Dance Intensive in New York City, and Madelyn Kraynik will attend the Summer Dance Sessions in Charlton, Massachusetts.

“The Community School of the Arts is proud of these students for their acceptance into these elite summer programs and their willingness to continue to learn and grow as artists. We have incredible talent at CSA and within this community, and these are just a few examples of the profound quality of young artists training here” stated Katie Morgan, Executive Director of the Marion Community School of the Arts.

For more information, please contact the Community School of the Arts at 765-662-6263 or visit [www.csa-marion.com](http://www.csa-marion.com).

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