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AWARD-WINNING CHOREOGRAPHER OF *THE SHOWGIRL MUST GO ON*, TONI BASIL, TEACHES MASTER CLASS AT ACADEMY OF NEVADA BALLET THEATRE

Young Dancers Engage in Rare Educational Opportunity

- WHAT:** Toni Basil, choreographer for [Bette Midler The Showgirl Must Go On](#) and recent recipient of the "International Living Legend of Hip Hop" Award, will engage with young students at the Academy of Nevada Ballet in a special, one-time master class in hip hop.
- WHO:** Toni Basil and Academy of Nevada Ballet Students
- WHEN:** Thursday, Aug. 13
1:30 p.m.
- WHERE:** Nevada Ballet Theatre
1651 Inner Circle, Las Vegas, NV 89134
- DETAILS:** This special master class is part of the Academy of Nevada Ballet Theatre's Summer Intensive program, an invaluable three week program for aspiring young dancers who wish to further their knowledge in the art form of dance. Beginning Monday, July 27 through Friday, August 14 with 25 classes a week in Technique, Repertoire, Modern, Pilates, Variations and Ballet History, the Summer Intensive offers students a focused environment in which to advance their skills.
- ABOUT TONI:** Toni Basil currently works with Bette Midler on her show at Caesars Palace, *The Showgirl Must Go On*, which showcases the lively, feel-good choreography she is known for. A home-grown Las Vegan herself, Basil's impressive repertoire includes choreographic credits in major motion pictures like *My Best Friend's Wedding* and *Legally Blond*, commercials such as the *GAP Khaki's Groove*, and television programming like the *MTV Video Music Awards*.

For the latest and greatest news on **Bette Midler [The Showgirl Must Go On](#)**, check out the show's fan page on [Facebook](#).

- MEDIA:** Press is welcome and interview opportunities are available with Basil and Nevada Ballet representatives.

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