**Understanding The Organizational Structures Of AYBT Academy & AYBT**

The Big Fours Arts Depot is the home of both AYBT Academy and Anderson Young Ballet Theatre, Inc. Our dance academy trains all of our dancers including our ballet company dancers. AYBT Academy, founded by Lou Ann Young, is a for-profit business. Anderson Young Ballet Theatre, Inc. is a not for profit pre-professional ballet company. As both exist in the same building, and your dancer may be a participant in both organizations, it can be a bit confusing at times as to which entity holds what responsibility and to whom specific payments should go.

**AYBT Academy (the dance school):**

Payments to AYBTA (for-profit business)

1. All dance tuition payments
2. Recital costumes payments
3. Production fee for Big Four Arts Review (Spring Recital)
4. Photo CDs & DVD’s for Big Four Arts Review (Spring Recital)
5. Tickets for Big Four Arts Review (Spring Recital)

Responsibilities

1. All academy dance classes
2. Auditions for entrance into AYBT ballet company
3. Auditions for casting
4. Choreograph, produce and direct dance pieces, performances, and full length ballets
5. Scheduling for classes and rehearsals
6. Staffing

Contact info

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4. Facebook: Anderson Young Ballet Theatre & Academy
5. Instagram: @aybtacademy

**Anderson Young Ballet Theatre, Inc. (the ballet company):**

Payments, donations, & sales payable to AYBT (not for profit)

1. Production fees for Nutcracker and AYBT Spring Ballet (The Sleeping Beauty)
2. AYBT warm-ups for AYBT company dancers
3. AYBT seasonal shirts (Nutcracker hoodies, The Sleeping Beauty shirts, etc.)
4. Flower sales & boutiques at performances
5. Donations made to AYBT, Inc.
6. Payments for RDA Festival (kit fees, hotel, flights)
7. Fundraising (Flower sales, detergent sales, etc.)
8. Photo CDs & DVDs for Nutcracker and AYBT Spring Ballet (The Sleeping Beauty)

Responsibilities

1. Owns, operates, maintains, and rents The Big Four Arts Depot (our physical building)
2. Fundraises and maintains the finances and assets for AYBT ballet company
3. Marketing for Nutcracker and AYBT Spring Ballet (The Sleeping Beauty)
4. Organizes ballet company events, volunteers, and school performances

Contact Info

1. Website: [www.andersonyoungballet.org](http://www.andersonyoungballet.org)
2. Facebook: Anderson Young Ballet Theatre, Inc.