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Ballet 314 Premieres Fiona Flamingo, a New Children's Ballet

St. Louis, MO – Ballet 314 will premiere Fiona Flamingo at St. Louis Academy of Dance's Black Box Theater on Sunday, May 5th at 2pm.

Ballet 314's adaptation of Rachael Urrutia Chu's best-selling children's book is a heartwarming ballet, centered in emotional intelligence and acceptance through the universal language of dance!

Choreographed by Rachel Bodi and featuring company dancers, Ballet 314 is proud to bring the Fiona Flamingo children's ballet to the St. Louis community for the first



time. Audience members will follow Fiona and her flamingo friends as they go on a dazzling dance adventure of empathy and acceptance.

Tickets to the world premiere start at \$10 and can be <u>purchased on Ballet 314's website</u>.

"This ballet will be an immersive and interactive experience for audiences," said Rachel Bodi. "From the fun and often comical choreography to the vibrant costuming and music selections- it's my hope that audiences will leave with warm hearts and flapping flippers."

Find all the ways to see Fiona and her flamingo friends on <u>Ballet 314's Community Events</u> page.

About Ballet 314

Ballet 314, led by Artistic Director Robert Poe and Executive Director Rachel Bodi, is a nonprofit professional ballet company dedicated to celebrating local talent in the St. Louis community. Ballet 314's mission is to emphasize literacy through the arts via main stage performances as well as educational programming.