

Local contemporary art museum to host dance performance

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(Photo: Marlene Yu Museum)

The Marlene Yu Museum will present the dance performance, "Sabra" at 710 Travis Street, Shreveport, May 28 at 7:30 p.m. The 45-minute performance will be followed by a reception and meet and greet with the dancers featuring a cash wine bar and complimentary refreshments. This is a free event with a suggested \$10 donation to benefit the Marlene Yu Museum and the dancers.

Bailey Harper has created a site-specific performance, exclusively for the Marlene Yu Museum. "Sabra" will fill the museum with curiosity, exuberance, and love. Currently located in Denver, Colorado, Harper grew up in Shreveport, and wanted to return to the place of her roots to produce a show with this level of intimacy. Classically trained dancers, Bailey Harper, in collaboration with Kimberly Chmielewski, say the performance will be a mixture of their roots in ballet and modern, spiced with other influences, creating a truly unique experience for artist and audience member alike.

"Come take a walk with me, better yet, come dance with me. Together, let us explore the beauty of our relationships with one another and to this earth. Let's dance about love, our family, and our lives. Let's share this incredible space together," says Harper of the performance.

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