Dear Friends:

Alabama Youth Ballet Theatre is a non-profit (501(c)(3) performing and outreach company in Huntsville. Under the artistic direction of Whitney Steele, AYBT provides The Dance Connection program so that students in area schools can receive quality dance instruction integrated with their classroom learning objectives. In its 13th year providing arts education to students in Title 1 Elementary Schools, The Dance Connection has reached thousands of students. The program has grown to accommodate the needs of our community and now provides:

9-Week In-Residence and After-School Classes: Eight weekly classes that integrate ballet, modern and choreography instruction with dance history. Friends and families are invited for a Showcase the final week.

1-Week In-Residence Intensives: 6 classes daily for one week that teach ballet, jazz, modern and hip hop, culminating in a Showcase offered for the school, friends and families.

Summer Learning Programs: Tailored to meet the needs of each school or community program, The Dance Connection provides fun summer dance education programs.

Dance Connection Scholarships: Participants in our Dance Connection programs are encouraged to receive studio instruction with our scholarship programs for area studios.

All Outreach Sponsorships will be acknowledged in AYBT performance programs and AYB Showcase programs, reaching over 4000 audience members. We hope you will consider supporting AYBT Outreach Programs at any level because all support is greatly appreciated. Please refer to the enclosed information regarding sponsorship levels and contact information.

On behalf of the students, teachers and parents of AYBT’s Outreach programs, we thank you in advance for supporting arts education and for your generous donation.

Thank you,