

**April 11-12, 2026**

**Habibi Dancers Annual  
Spring Workshop & Concert**

**Devin Alfather**

**Saturday Workshops:**

- ***But I'm Not a Turner!*** Spotted vs. unspotted turns, explore the inner workings of a dancer in spins. Explore the most common types of turns that you'll see in bellydance, stage performance, Raqs Sharqi and fusion dance.
- ***Arm-wave Alchemy*** Unlock the elegance and power of expressive arms in this fluid fusion workshop! Designed for dancers of all levels.
- ***Axel Anthology*** an exploration of the how's and why's of complex layering the torso and beyond. Unlock gateways to intricate patterns and the building blocks of a-typical layering.



**Saturday Schedule:**

9:00 am-10:00 am  
Registration

**10:00 am-12:00 pm**  
"But I'm not a Turner"  
"Arm-wave Alchemy"

**12:00 pm-1:30 pm**  
Lunch on your own

**1:30 pm-3:30 pm**  
"Axel Anthology"

**Evening Concert:**  
"Metamorphosis"

7:30 pm Doors Open  
8:00 pm Concert

**Sunday Schedule:**  
12:30 Registration

**1:00 pm - 4:00 pm**  
"Snake Eyed"  
Choreography

**Sunday Workshop:**

▪ ***Snake Eyed***

This workshop incorporates multiple styles of Raqs Sharqi, Fusion Bellydance, waving, and contemporary dance. Undulating layers atop fancy footwork with unexpected, atypical and complex pathways. This choreography includes floorwork with level up (or down) options for dancers who prefer not to go to the floor.

**We are so pleased that Devin Alfather is our guest artist this year:**

Devin Alfather is a multidisciplinary dancer currently specializing in Theatrical Fusion Raqs Sharqi, Theatrical Circus Arts, and other contemporary Fusion dances. This notorious noodler is a multi-award winning dancer and choreographer, and is a continuous student of first person sources. She can't wait to share her brand of strange and unusual works with the world.

**Registration Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Make checks payable, and mail registration to:**

**Habibi Dancers  
4860 Pine Hill Dr  
Pottersville, MI 48876  
Or register online at: [habibidancers.org](http://habibidancers.org)**

**Saturday Workshop**

\$99.00 before 3/21 \_\_\_\_\_

\$125.00 after 3/21 \_\_\_\_\_

**Sunday Workshop**

\$65.00 before 3/21 \_\_\_\_\_

\$95.00 after 3/21 \_\_\_\_\_

**Sat. & Sun. Workshop Combo**

\$139.00 before 3/21 \_\_\_\_\_

**Concert Tickets**

\$15.00 ea. x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

(\$20.00 at the door)

Total \_\_\_\_\_

**Dear Fellow Belly Dancers,**

**We love seeing you every year at our annual spring concerts! Many of you know we've been in the Mid-Michigan area for 42 years and have been amazed at the beautiful community of dancers that come every year to learn, network, renew friendships, make new friendships, shop, and dance, dance, dance. We have such a great time presenting new and diverse guest artists and hosting a talented instructor every year to help you hone new skills. You really don't want to miss this year's special guest: Devin Alfather!**

**We're a non-profit organization that try to keep our costs low so that you can reap the rewards. Please be sure to take advantage of the Early Bird Special – and sign up today! We look forward to another fabulous year of dance!**

*The Habibi Dancers*



**Workshop and Concert Location**

**Hannah Community Center  
Albert A. White Performing Arts  
Theater  
819 Abbott Rd.  
East Lansing, MI 48823  
517-351-2850**

**Places to Stay**

**Hampton Inn 517- 324-2072  
2500 Coolidge Rd. East Lansing 48823  
Discount code: HAB Special Rate: \$116**

**Fairfield Inn / Marriott 517-374-6500  
3320 Preyde Blvd, Lansing, MI 48912**

**Registration Information:**

**Advance registration and ticket purchase is strongly encouraged as we have sold out in previous years. Early registration ends March 21, 2026. Mail-order tickets may be picked up at the workshop or at the concert door until 8:30 pm. Your registration will be held at the door and will not be confirmed by mail. If you register on-line – be sure to print out your registration and tickets and bring them with you. No refunds for cancellations. Participants will be limited. At the request of the artists, videoing and flash photography is not allowed at the workshop or the concert. For workshop or concert information, call (517) 303-5369, or visit our website at [www.habibidancers.org](http://www.habibidancers.org)**