



Dance At Dusk Returns To Esplanade For Free Contact Dance Festival Shows

Description

[Dance At Dusk](#) returns as a free outdoor programme within contact Dance Festival 2026.

The final listed day is Sunday, 14 June 2026, with performances at 6pm and 7.30pm at the DBS Foundation Outdoor Theatre at Esplanade.

What Is On Stage

The programme is performed by The Human Expression Second Company and places new works by Singapore-based choreographers Nah Jieying and Kwek Yixuan in an open-air setting.

Esplanade describes the works as looking at how bodies are gathered, separated and held together. For audiences, the practical appeal is simpler: it is a free 40-minute dance stop against the Marina Bay evening skyline.

- Date: 14 June 2026, Sunday.
- Times: 6pm and 7.30pm.
- Duration: 40 minutes with no intermission.
- Admission: free.

Accessibility And Audience Fit

The programme is open to all ages and each performance is hosted by an emcee. Esplanade also lists Singapore Sign Language interpretation support for the performances.

That makes this a low-commitment entry point for someone curious about contemporary dance but not ready to buy a full-length ticketed production.

How To Pair It

Arrive early enough to secure a comfortable outdoor spot, especially if you plan to stay for the 7.30pm show. Dinner around Esplanade or Marina Square works better after the performance than before if you are bringing children.

Because the final Sunday shows are short, the smarter plan is to treat the performance as the anchor and keep the rest of the evening flexible. That gives you room to leave if the outdoor area is crowded, or stay for another nearby free programme if everyone still has energy.

For more free weekend ideas, check the [Little Big Red Dot things-to-do archive](#) before heading into the Civic District.

Location Notes

- [DBS Foundation Outdoor Theatre at Esplanade](#)

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