



About Chris Suchan

Chris has been dancing for over 20 years and teaching since the age of 16. He recently came off of the Broadway National Tour of *The Pajama Game* where he was in the ensemble and the dance captain. He was also the Associate Choreographer for the Tour. Chris also traveled with the Broadway National Tour of *The Producers*, where he was the male swing and dance captain, the National Tour of *Crazy for You*, as Billy, and with the Moscow Company of *42nd Street*.

Chris is from the Washington DC area where he grew up competing in all forms of dance. Through the years he has received many prestigious awards including "Mr. Dreamseeker", "Choreographer of the Year", and numerous high score titles. He has also been a member of many DC based dance companies including **Dancin' Unlimited**, **Stage Crew**, and **Jazz Danz DC**. He has taken Master Classes from some of the greatest performers of all time including Gwen Verdon, Ann Reinking, and Ben Vereen. He has also taught Master Classes at over 40 studios nationwide and in Canada.

As a choreographer, Chris recently took on his biggest project, *The Producers*, which he also directed at Toby's Dinner Theatre in Columbia, MD. Other shows Chris has choreographed include *Once Upon A Mattress*, *Grease*, and *The Unsinkable Molly Brown*. He also co-choreographed *Bandstand 2000* which received a Helen Hayes nomination for Choreography. Chris has taught classes at studios in Maryland, Virginia, and New Jersey and is also a judge for Regional and National Dance Competitions across the country.