

### PASHA KOVALEV

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About Pasha

Pasha was born and raised in the Far East of Siberia, Russia and started to dance when he was 8 years old. Following his passion for dance he eventually moved to the USA at the age of 20.

After a very successful professional competitive career in Latin Dancing with his dance partner Anya Garnis, Pasha auditioned for the third season of hit TV show "So You Think You Can Dance?" that made him a popular and recognizable dancer across the USA.

After the show ended, Pasha was invited to be a part of the ballroom sensation show playing on Broadway "Burn The Floor" After the Broadway run Pasha joined Burn The Floor's World Tour and eventually performed on London's West End.

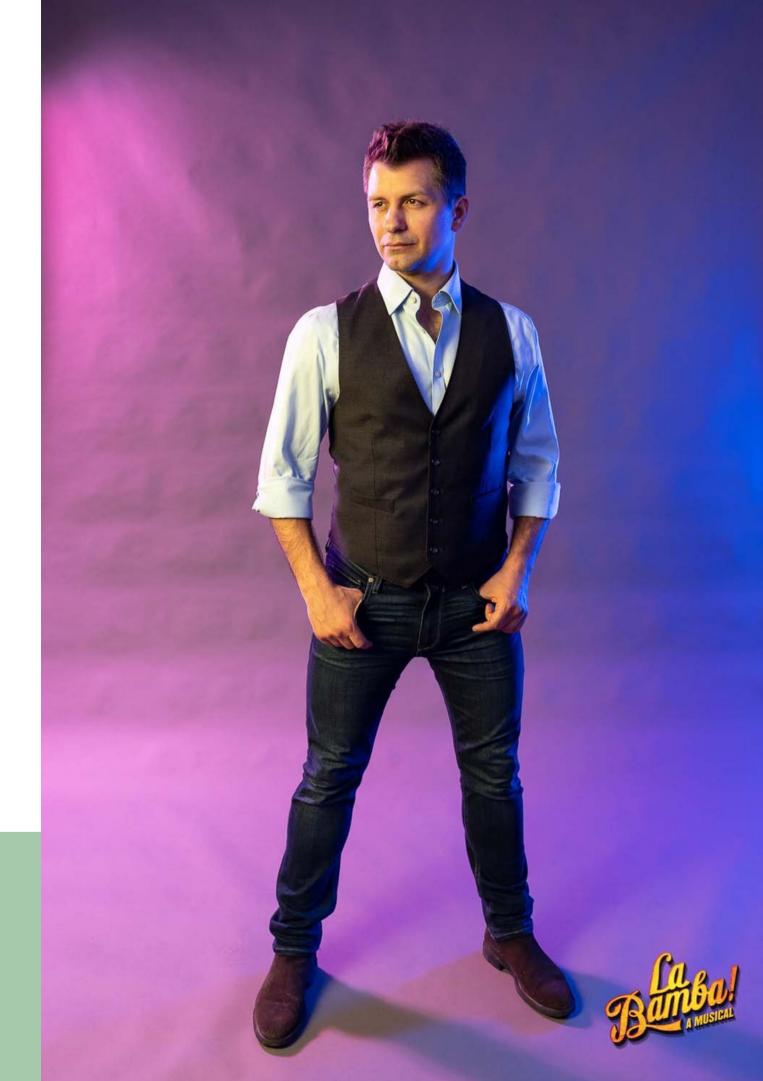


In 2011, Pasha joined the professional cast of BBC Strictly Come Dancing in the UK. 8 seasons on the show, 4 finals and 1 Glitterball Trophy later, Pasha finished his career on Strictly to focus on producing his own shows. He successfully toured the UK for 6 years with sell out shows.

In 2021, Pasha came back to the West End as one of the lead performers in 'Here Come The Boys'. This year, Pasha has choreographed feature film 'Paris Christmas Waltz' which will debut on The American Family Network and is currently touring the UK in 'La Bamba: The Musical'

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Strictly's dance professionals gear up for Here Come The Boys show











Pasha Kovalev's emotional gesture for Amy Dowden revealed as she continues cancer treatment





Strictly Come Dancing's Amy Dowden supported by Pasha Kovalev in touching tribute dance

Strictly Come Dancing's Pasha Kovalev has shown his support for his colleague, Amy Dowden, who is being treated for stage 3 cancer after finding a lump in her breast in June

## Strictly's Pasha Kovalev honours Amy Dowden with special dance class

The Russian dancer performed a cha-cha-cha with Emma Campbell, a breast cancer campaigner who lives with the disease, wearing a bright pink jacket to raise awareness and funds for Brease Cancer Now's Wear It Pink campaign





# Strictly star Pasha Kovalev to choreograph fiery new production 'Barista The Musical.'

Tickets are now on sale for the hotly anticipated new production 'Barista The Musical,' choreographed by Strictly Come Dancing champion pro Pasha Kovalev, and directed by celebrated West End star Sarah Redmond. Combining a dramatic and gripping story with an outstanding original score, 'Barista The Musical' is packed with beautiful melodies, show-stopping numbers and incredible Latin and contemporary dance.

With script and score written by Sussex-based husband and wife team Nigel and Anna Newman, the musical will debut at Horsham's historic Capitol Theatre from 12th to the 21st September 2024.

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The production charts a young Colombian woman's journey to follow her dreams whilst unlocking the nightmares of her past; an intoxicating blend of love, truth, passion and the darkest of secrets.





