

Bass Coast Ballet School

Newsletter -September 2016

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Dear Ballet School families

What a busy time we have had in term 3. Hope you all have lovely holidays and return refreshed for term four and our concert.

Regards Tonya and Chris

TERM 4 DATES

Term 4 starts on Monday 3rd October. Please note that Miss Miranda and Miss Bronwyn's Saturday classes will start on Saturday 1st October. Miss Rowena's Saturday classes will start on Saturday 8th October. Miss Bronwyn's classes will be held in the Wonthaggi Town Hall on October 1st.

Second Hand Uniform

We have got a lot of pre - loved uniform - including shoes. Julie will be running a sale of this at the Town Hall in Wonthaggi on Saturday October 1st, so come along and have a rummage - you might find a bargain!

CONGRATUALIONS

Many Congratulations to Luke Ward who has recently been offered a place for year 10 at the Victorian College of Arts Secondary College . We wish Luke all the very best for the future - but will miss his lovely dancing.

Also congratulations to all of our ballet students who did exams and assessments this term. The results so far have been amazing. Well done to everyone.

Choreography afternoon and AGM

Our choreography afternoon and AGM was held on Sunday 24th July. It was wonderful to see our students get up and perform their very own choreography, and many thanks to the teachers who choreographed group dances for this occasion. Thanks to everyone who attended the AGM. The committee for this financial year was duly elected. At the AGM it was announced that various key committee members will be resigning at the next AGM as their children are growing up and moving on. It would be great if we could see some more parents taking on some of these roles to ensure the continuation of the school into the future.

FEES

Term 3 fees were due on August 31st. Please ensure that you pay your fees. We have ongoing costs with venue hire and teacher salaries that cannot be met if fees are not paid. Term 4 fees will be due early next term. Please note that **NO STUDENT WILL BE ABLE TO ENROL FOR CLASSES IN 2017 IF THEIR ACCOUNT FOR 2016 IS NOT FULLY PAID UP.**

Concert 2016

It is the end of term 3 and the concert will be coming up very soon. We are all very busy organising **costumes**. If you can help in any way please get in touch with Christine, or the school. We would like to extend a bit Thank-you to Louise Adkins who has donated a lot of costumes to the school that will be used in the concert.

Our concert this year will be held on December 2nd and 3rd. As has already been discussed the format will be a little different this year with our younger students performing on Saturday afternoon and our older students on Friday evening and Saturday evening.

Production week for our concert will begin on Saturday 26th November. Some students who don't normally dance on Saturday will have a rehearsal on this day so please keep it free. Also we will be running rehearsals at the theatre during the week. We have not yet quite worked out exactly which classes will be rehearsing on which nights, so just for the moment can we ask that everyone keep these evenings free. We will confirm dates and times early next term.

Please try to attend all classes in term 4 to make choreography and placement easy for our teachers.

Tickets will this year be sold on the Trybooking website, and will be available a couple of weeks before the concert. -Full details will be given early next term.

WEBSITE

All information about our school is now up and running on our website. If you need any information at all please go first to www.basscoastballet.com.au to check if the answer to your question is there. If it is not then please phone us as second line only.