Geraldine Inder School of Dance & Drama

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END OF TERM 2 NEWSLETTER

As Term 2 draws to a close and the school prepares for the second half of the year, we ask that all students and parents draw their attention to the production notice at the bottom of this newsletter and please could you all **fill this in and return** it by Saturday July 9thth at the conclusion of Term 2 at 12.45pm.

May 30-1st saw a majority of the school sitting Jazz and Hip Hop exams and it was pleasing to have 100% passes and with all students gaining over 75% Fantastic! Congratulations to Charlotte Penman for gaining her Hip Hop Solo Performers Diploma and Stella McKinlay and Lauren Tonkin gaining their Jazz Solo Performer's Diploma. One must achieve 90% or more for their Diploma in order to pass. The speech Exams held Friday 10th was an extremely successful day with record students gaining Honours. Congratulations to Estella, Amber & Rosie gaining Honours Plus.

This next week sees the Tap and Contemporary Examinations commence on **Monday 27**th- **Wednesday 29th** of June, therefore there will be no normal classes run on these days. The rest of the week will be a normal timetable. The teachers are hoping for as good as results as for Jazz and Hip hop, so we do hope everyone is really practicing very hard. The Examiner's name is Miss Deborah Hale from Wellington.

The studio has provided many extra free lessons to bring the students up to speed with their work so all we ask in return is that the practice cds are back and every one does their best.

Could all parents check that your child has an exam notice and that their practice CD or tape is ready for return at their exam please. As you can imagine it takes many hours to catalogue and return to storage. We still have some CD's not back from the last set of exams as this makes it difficult to supply students with them next year.

We have had quite a few students away so if your child is absent for any reason it is necessary to phone in on 3774588, so that we have a record of this. We are also trying to ensure a good learning environment in class and wish to ask parents that students arrive on time for class, are neatly dressed in correct dance attire and have a polite respect for their teachers. It was great to have Mr Oscar back to give Hip Hop classes as he makes his way to live in Hollywood in August.

Good Luck for the exams everyone "Dance like no one is watching you and remember dance is the music made visible"

Below is the permission and costume kitset part payment slip. Would all parents please sign and cut off slip and attach costume kitset part payment by July 9^{th} so that the material can be bought for you.

Where students take multi subjects it is important that all parents tick the boxes provided to show what your child will be dancing in. Due to the closure of the Mstn Town Hall the show will be held at the Carterton Event centre. Show dates Fri 14th 7pm Saturday 15th and Sunday 16th @ 4pm.

Looking forward to a fun filled experience in Term 3 and 4 for the spring show.

Miss Madden will be sourcing materials with Miss Inder in the July holidays.

| PLEASE FILL IN THE FORM BELOW AND RETURN TO THE OFFICE BY SATURDAY 2016 JULY 9 TH . I give permission for my daughters/son | |
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| To be part of the exciting production of Jack & the Beanstalk at the Carterton Event centre, I understand that this is in Term 4 and that all term fees and costume kit set fees that are remaining are payable no later than October 10 th . An advance cash payment on a kitset is included with this slip. I agree to attend the required rehearsals. | |
| | Ballet Jazz Hip Hop Contemp |
| | Speech Tap 4-9 |
| JACK AND THE BEANSTAIK | \$ 35.00 per costume up to Grade 2. |
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