



TERM 3

July 2024

Dear Parents and Students

Welcome back for Term 3. The examinations are now complete and congratulations to everyone for working so hard in the first half of the year. We hope you had a lovely holiday and are ready to begin preparations for the concerts. Please note all the dates below, put them on your calendars and start organising your families and friends for these exciting events.

If you have any queries please contact me on 0411 024 438 or send me an email at marnie@bbdance.com.au.

Many thanks
Marnie Armstrong & Teaching Staff

Term 3	Monday 15 th July – Saturday 21 st September
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PLEASE NOTE THAT NO CLASSES WILL BE HELD ON PUBLIC HOLIDAYS THAT FALL WITHIN THESE DATES

TERM FEES

Accounts will be emailed before the commencement of term so if you haven't received it please let me know. All fees need to be paid by the due date on the invoice. **Missed lessons are not deductible off term fees.**

SCHEDULE OF FEES FOR EACH SCHOOL TERM ARE INCLUSIVE OF GST

All prices are per term			
¾ hour - \$125	3 hours - \$370	5 ¼ hours - \$580	7 ½ hours - \$740
1 hour - \$145	3 ¼ hours - \$395	5 ½ hours - \$600	7 ¾ hours - \$755
1 ¼ hours - \$170	3 ½ hours - \$420	5 ¾ hours - \$620	8 hours - \$770
1 ½ hours - \$200	3 ¾ hours - \$445	6 hours - \$640	8 ¼ hours - \$780
1 ¾ hours - \$230	4 hours - \$470	6 ¼ hours - \$660	8 ½ hours - \$790
2 hours - \$260	4 ¼ hours - \$495	6 ½ hours - \$680	8 ¾ hours - \$800
2 ¼ hours - \$290	4 ½ hours - \$520	6 ¾ hours - \$695	9 hours - \$810
2 ½ hours - \$320	4 ¾ hours - \$540	7 hours - \$710	9 ¼ hours - \$820
2 ¾ hours - \$345	5 hours - \$560	7 ¼ hours - \$725	9 ½ hours & over - \$830

Fees received after the due date will incur a \$10.00 Late/Administration Fee, unless payment plan has been organised. Payment in cash, transfer (details below) or credit card (facilities available at reception with 2.5% surcharge).

Individual class prices are \$25 per group class – 1 hour, \$30 for 1 ¼ hours

INTERNET BANKING DETAILS - PLEASE INCLUDE YOUR SURNAME AS THE REFERENCE

Account Name: Broadbent Dance Academy
BSB Number: 083 – 299
Account Number: 57 – 858 – 4989

We have the facilities at the Studio to take Credit Card payments – please note that there is a 2.5% Surcharge on these payments.

CONCERT VENUES & DATES

Principal Concert - Alexander Theatre, Monash University, Clayton.

1 st Performance	Sunday 1 st December – 1.00pm
2 nd Performance	Sunday 1 st December – 6.30pm
Full Dress Rehearsal (at Alexander Theatre)	Wednesday 27 th November – 2.00pm – 7.00pm

Please note the **full dress rehearsal** will run in the order of the concert program in full costumes. This is to help the concerts run more smoothly with quick changes etc. Please note this date in your diaries and any parents who are available to help backstage would be much appreciated. We understand many parents work, but would greatly appreciate any that can help out.

Concert routines will get underway in 3rd Term. Costumes will be organised in Term 3 and students are required to perform in all concerts. A \$25 per item per class costume deposit has been included on the Term 3 invoice. The balance will be included in the Term 4 invoice. Each costume is \$50 to hire.

PHOTOGRAPHS

Dates for professional photographs will be confirmed and sent out asap. Exact days and times will be in the Term 4 newsletter.

Junior Concert – Carwatha Secondary College, Browns Road, Noble Park North

1 st Performance	Sunday 17 th November – 10.00am
2 nd Performance	Sunday 17 th November – 11.15am
Rehearsal in Normal Class Time	Monday 11 th – Saturday 16 th November
Professional Photographs (at Broadbent Studios)	TBC

This will involve students from the following classes:

Wednesday & Saturday Pre-school classes	Ballet & Tap routines
Monday 4.15pm – 5.30pm	Jazz & Tap routines only
Tuesday 4.15-5.15pm	Tap routine only
Tuesday 5-6pm	Tap routine only
Wednesday & Friday	Musical Theatre classes
Other routines learnt in the Mon-Fri above classes will be performed at the Alexander Theatre Principal concert	
Also to be performed at the Junior Concert	<ul style="list-style-type: none">U/10 Neo Troupe (Bridge of Light)

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • U/10 Hip Hop Troupe • 12/U Hip Hop Troupe • 16/U Contemporary Troupe • Open Age Hip Hop Troupe • Medley of Championship solo dancers
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We will be holding two concerts and tickets will be pre-sold with seats allocated and there will be no limit on the number of tickets per family – order forms will be available in the Term 4 Newsletter. There will be no tickets available at the door. Both concerts will be professionally videoed so you are not permitted to use your own devices.

Dress Rehearsal (Junior Concert)

There will be normal class rehearsal the previous week Monday 11th – Saturday 16th November and the date for the professional photographs will be confirmed asap. Troupes will also have their photographs taken with the professional photographers.

COMPETITIONS

2024 TROUPE COMPETITIONS DATES

AUGUST - SEPTEMBER
<p>STAGE ATTACK 1 Sunday 25th August (Narre Warren Secondary College)</p> <p>STAGE ATTACK 2 Saturday 14th & Sunday 15th September (Essendon)</p> <p>ENERGY Sunday 22nd September (Doncaster Secondary College)</p>

Troupe rehearsals resume weekly in Term 3, same times as previous terms.

SOLO COMPETITIONS

JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
<p>ATOD National Championships Friday 19th – Sunday 21st July (Adelaide, SA)</p>	<p>A.T.O.D Exam/ Choreographic Solos Sunday 4th August (Carwatha College)</p>	

Students participating in solos need to make sure they have entered themselves in desired competitions. Please feel free to enter any competitions, and let us know about any new competitions you may come across. Please post photos on our Facebook page!

2024 ATOD STATE & NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Congratulations to all of the students who competed in the A.T.O.D. Ltd State Championships for 2024. The students worked very hard throughout the first half of the year leading up to the competitions and we were very proud of all their performances. An incredible result for our studio, winning seven State Championships, and receiving many minor placings. Twelve dancers have qualified through to the National Championships in seventeen sections. Our most successful Championships to date. A special thank you to everyone for their support of all of our students at the competitions. The encouragement really helped the students to perform at such a high standard.

Special congratulations to the following students who were awarded placings:

Whitney Paturzo	1 st place Mini Jazz Award, Commended Mini Ballet Award
Savannah Darbon	1 st place Junior Hip Hop
Olivia Aplidjotis	1 st place Intermediate Jazz, 2 nd place Intermediate Hip Hop
Chelsea Armstrong	1 st place Intermediate Hip Hop, 3 rd place Intermediate Contemporary
Mia Seymour	1 st place Intermediate Contemporary, Commended Intermediate Jazz
Jack Harris	1 st place Senior Hip Hop
Erica Kitney	1 st place Senior Contemporary, 2 nd place Senior Hip Hop
Melody Song	2 nd place Mini Jazz Award
Braya Jade Hanssen	2 nd place Senior Contemporary, 3 rd place Senior Jazz
Alexandra Perfect	3 rd place Intermediate Hip Hop, 4 th place Intermediate Contemporary
Anasztazia Bago	4 th place Junior Hip Hop
Kayla Si	4 th place Senior Hip Hop
Audrey DeStratis	Highly Commended Junior Hip Hop

Congratulations to the following students who have qualified through to the National Championships in Adelaide, SA from the 19th – 21st July. They will be competing against the place-getters from NSW, QLD, SA, & WA. Good luck everyone!

Mini Jazz Award	Whitney Paturzo & Melody Song
Junior Hip Hop	Savannah Darbon & Anastazia Bago
Intermediate Jazz	Olivia Aplidjotis
Intermediate Hip Hop	Chelsea Armstrong, Olivia Aplidjotis & Alexandra Perfect
Intermediate Contemporary	Mia Seymour, Chelsea Armstrong & Alexandra Perfect
Senior Jazz	Braya Jade Hanssen

Senior Hip Hop	Jack Harris, Erica Kitney & Kayla Si
Senior Contemporary	Erica Kitney & Braya Jade Hanssen

EXAMINATIONS

Congratulations to everyone who participated in the examinations at the end of last term. We were very proud of all the students – they all worked very hard and presented a very high standard of work to the Examiner (Mrs.Mandie Black). All report cards/certificates and examination medals will be presented to the students at the Examination Presentation Dinner on Sunday 18th August at the Flight Deck Bistro. Details will be sent to students involved to book. Start time will be 5.00pm.

SECOND HAND SHOES

The boxes of 2nd hand shoes are still for sale. Anyone who has shoes that they wish to sell may add them to the box located in Studio 3 clearly labelled. Please ensure that all shoes are named before submitting for sale. Anyone purchasing shoes please be sure to pay previous owner by the following week.

**IF YOU HAVE SHOES THAT HAVE NOT BEEN PAID FOR; PLEASE EITHER RETURN THE SHOES
OR SUBMIT YOUR PAYMENT IMMEDIATELY**

**PLEASE RETURN MONEY IN AN ENVELOPE
CLEARLY LABELLED WITH THE PREVIOUS OWNER'S NAME WITHIN THE WEEK**

Ballet	Jazz	Tap
\$20.00	\$25.00	\$30.00

CAR PARKING

Just a reminder to the driving and parking outside the studio. We have the nine end spots at the right end of the car park if you are standing on the road looking at the studio. After 5.30pm we have access to all parks on our side of the road (thanks to the generosity of our neighbours). **Please ensure that you do not drive in the driveway in front of the coffee business and drive across car parks into our spots.** This is extremely important and must be adhered to, please remind any extended family or friends who may be helping out with pick ups and/or drop offs. If all spots are full you are welcome to park at the rear of the studio.

WEBSITE / INSTAGRAM / FACEBOOK / YOUTUBE

There are a few different facebook groups connected to the school. The different groups are:

Broadbent Dance Academy Page

This is where the staff post photos and information to the general public to advertise and promote the school. Please feel free to like [BB Dance Facebook](#) page or comment to assist with this promotion but leave to the staff to add data.

bbdance.com.au (closed group)

This is a general group for the school. You can use this to keep up to date with competition results and other important information. This is the place where you can add your own photos after comps, ask questions etc.

For those in Troupe, we have '**Broadbent Troupes**' where the teachers will post the most up to date videos of

rehearsals so you can practice at home. We will also post troupe specific reminders in this group.

Broadbent Dance Academy is also on YouTube. Please subscribe to our channel by searching 'Broadbent Dance Academy' on the YouTube homepage. This site will have videos uploaded regularly.

The whatsapp groups, website and e-mail are also an effective and efficient way of communicating. If you are not receiving information via the e-mail please send me a message so I can update the database.

If you have any queries regarding this information or any other questions, please don't hesitate to contact us.

The school website is www.bbdance.com.au and the email is marnie@bbdance.com.au. All forms and newsletters will be linked to the website for you to download.

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