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Term 3 2019 Newsletter

Exam Preparation

All dancers have been working really hard on learning their syllabus work, it's great to see. Less than a week of extra practice left so make the most of it! Remember to ensure your dancer has all the required uniform well in advance of the exams this weekend. Please talk to your teacher if you are still unsure of the requirements.

We have also been so happy to see how many of our dancers are using Movitae and making sure they do their dance homework every week. We have really noticed great improvements in the dancers who use Movitae regularly. Their style, technical ability and knowledge of work has increased significantly. If you have not yet signed up to Movitae, go to www.movitae.com and use the sign up code ANJ1124

Start Dates for Term 3

All dance classes start back on the first week of Term 3, Monday 22 July, at the usual times. The last class of Term 3 is Friday 27th September.

If you intend for your dancer to be involved in the 2019 Dance Show, please sign and send back to your dance teacher the 'Dance Show Commitment Contract' (page 3 of this newsletter), along with the costume deposit by 31 August 2019.

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Anjannette's Academy of Modern Dance



End of Year Dance Shows

In Term 3 our dancers will begin learning their new grade work and the exciting part of the dance year – preparing for the end of year dance shows at Glen Eden Playhouse Theatre. Rehearsals and shows will be held over the weekend of Friday 15 – Sunday 17 November. Please keep the dates free if you wish for your dancer to take part. This year's theme will be quite different to our usual style of show. We will be telling a story based around Greek Mythology, which was devised by one of our teachers, Janelle. If you wish to help in any way with the show, please let Anj or your teacher know as we appreciate any help we can get. Songs for each group are now being selected, so feel free to chat to your teacher next term if you want to know what your dancer is doing in the show. Please note that this year due to the differing nature of our show, the younger dance groups will perform 1 dance in the show instead of 2.

New enrolments
If you have a dancer interested in expanding their dance knowledge, technique or getting involved in more dances in the show, we are now taking new enrolments for Term 3 for all classes/styles:
Jazz
Hip Hop (6yr up)
Lyrical (6yr up)
Body Conditioning & Flexibility
Dance Acrobatics (6yr up)
Adults class

If you have any queries or would like to enrol in a class please contact Anjannette
Ph: 810 9488
Mobile: 021 0364274
Email:
info@anjmoderndance.co.nz
Website: www.aamd.co.nz

Dads & Daughters Dance

We're still looking for more Dads & Daughters to join in our Dads and Daughters dance. There will be a dedicated class for this dance which will be held Wednesdays at 5.30-6.15pm starting next term. The Dads and their daughter(s) would need to attend the class. The charge for this class would be a reduced price of \$90 per term and the cost only applies to the Dads, there is no extra cost for daughters. The "theme" of the dance would be the daughters teaching their Dads to dance. Ashleigh will be teaching the class and she will make the moves nice and simple for the Dads (unless there's some special talent out there that needs to shine, in which case we invite these Dads to show off their special moves!). Please let Anj know if you're interested.



Our Jazz & Hip Hop Troupes and solo Competition girls Jayda and Izzy have been busy this term! They've performed at a SuperCity Rangers Basketball game, competed in a dance competition and a weekend event at MOTAT. We are so proud of them and all the hard work they put in to every performance. Thanks to their teachers Janelle and Jessica for all the effort they put in to their troupes.



Hoodies and T-shirts

With the weather turning cold our dancers need something warm to wear over their dance uniform to class and the AAMD Hoodies fits the bill perfectly. The hoodies are very comfortable, warm and custom printed

to order. Adult sizes are \$70, child sizes \$60. Orders can be made by email to: info@anjmoderndance.co.nz or see your teacher in class.

We have some sample items available in class to try on for size and to see the designs up close.

We also have AAMD "Dancer" T-shirts available to purchase. Very comfortable and great for wearing to hip hop class. Adult sizes \$35, child sizes \$30. Please see your teacher if you're interested purchasing one.



Dance Gear

Dance school leotards, black opaque tights & soft dancing slippers are available to purchase at each lesson. Jazz and Lyrical footwear can be purchased from:
Dance 2 Go ph: 6279888
www.dance2go.co.nz
Maries Dance Shoes ph: 4485051
www.mariesdanceshoes.co.nz

Body Conditioning and Flexibility

It's been great to see some of our dancers really keen to work on their flexibility and taking part in our Body Conditioning and Flexibility class. Remember, strength and flexibility play a big part in dance ability, so if your dancer is looking to extend their abilities in this area, they should come and give the class a go.

Each week we work on exercises to strengthen all parts of the body and stretches to lengthen and loosen their muscles. The class is held Tues 6-6.30pm.

Term Fees are as follows:

\$80.00 30min class (Beginners & Pre Junior)
\$100.00 45min class (Junior, Pre Grade, Grade 1, 2, 3, Hip Hop, Lyrical & Adults)
\$125.00 1 hr class (Grade 4 upwards)

Discounts available:

\$25.00 family with 2 members dancing
\$35.00 family with 3 members dancing
\$10.00 for those who attend 2 or more classes per week
\$15.00 for those who attend 3 or more classes per week
\$5.00 if paying on or before the **first lesson** of term
(this discount applies once only, for the total of your fees).

Fee Terms and Conditions

- Fees can be paid by cash, cheque or internet banking - account number is: 12 3107 0018968 00
- All discounts apply if paying in the first month of term only.
- All fees must be fully paid by the end of week 4 of each term. Failure to do so will result in a \$25 penalty being added to the outstanding balance and only fully paid up dancers will be accepted into classes after this date.
- No refunds on dance fee, examination fees and costume deposits for the end of year show.
- The Academy follows the school terms until the end of term 3, and term 4 will finish with the end of year show.



DANCE SHOW COMMITMENT CONTRACT

I _____ confirm that my son/daughter(s) _____ will participate in Anjannette's Academy of Modern Dance end of year dance shows. I commit to full payment of all costumes and understand that if the deposit paid does not cover the full cost of the costumes, further payment may be required. I will also ensure that my son/daughter attends all rehearsals and performances. Should unforeseen circumstances arise where my son/daughter cannot perform, I understand that all costumes must still be paid for in full.

Parent/Guardian signature: _____ Date: _____

Must be signed and returned to your dance teacher with \$25 (one dance in show) or \$50.00 (two dances in show) costume deposit by 31 August 2019