

# 2019 Term 1 News



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Celebrating  
**30**  
 YEARS  
*of dance*

You would never have guessed I am that OLD!!! 1990 was when it all began with classes being held at Mary Immaculate Hall whilst I was completing Grade 12. We then moved to the church hall at Cracknell Rd for a few years until moving into our current studio in approx. 1994. I am so proud of the achievements the studio has produced over these 30 years. I have loved and continue to love teaching so many wonderful kids and watching them grow.

2019 is going to be another great year as all our wonderful teachers have returned: Katrina Davison, Sophie Kennedy, Caroline Gilby (ballet), Anna Johnston (Jazz, hip hop, acro) Ellen Cunningham (musical theatre), Jacqui Devereux (singing), Keeley Tyler-Dowd (acro), Tamara Williams (contemporary and ballet), Kim Hill (adults tap) and Marnie Wolff (pilates). We also have some new teachers who have joined our teaching team: Cherie Lange (juniors), Emily Corkeron (singing) and Irena Lysiuk (singing).

It is so important to me that the children are taught correctly and learn as much in each class as possible so I do always make sure that we have the best teachers for each genre. If you have any questions regarding your child's classes please don't hesitate to call me on 0416 196 754 or the studio office after 3pm on 3848 7157 if you think Jody or Jules, our wonderful office ladies, can help.

**SAVE THESE DATES!!!!**

**Concert 14<sup>th</sup>/15<sup>th</sup> December**

**Preschool Concert 1<sup>st</sup> December**

## 2018 CONCERT PHOTOS @ STUDIO

### Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March 4.30 to 5.30pm

If you missed out on last year's concert photos, your final chance will be at the studio on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March 4.30 to 5.30 pm.

If you missed out on a DVD, you can place an order with Limelight [www.limelightmultimedia.com.au](http://www.limelightmultimedia.com.au).

## STUDENT SAFETY

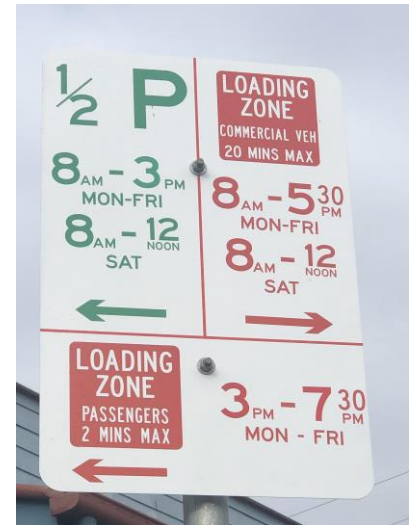
Out the front of our studio are **NEW PARKING RESTRICTIONS**

Between 3pm and 7.30pm Monday to Friday, it is now a

### Loading Zone – Passengers 2 Mins Max.

This means it is now to operate like a school pick-up zone:

- You need to move forward in the queue of vehicles in the signed area
- You are only allowed 2 minutes in the signed area (if you take any longer you can be fined) so if your child is not ready, you need to drive round the block
- You can get out of your vehicle to quickly help your child in and out safely – however must not walk away from your vehicle



Hopefully this new arrangement will help to keep your children safe and limit the double parking and children running across the road.

Please do not park in the studio driveway – you can park across it only as a two minute drop off zone.

## JUNIOR CLASSES PARENT VIEWING DAYS

At the end of every term we have parent viewing days for some of our junior classes.

Please make note of the following dates and times. Parents, grandparents and siblings are all welcome. (Parents, please keep siblings with you. If they run around or try to join in the classes, it can be very distracting. We also ask that you keep conversation to a minimum)

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| ❖ Monday March 25, 3:30 pm: Pre Junior  | ❖ Thursday April 4, 3:45 pm: Pre School |
| ❖ Monday April 1, 4:00 pm: Tinies       | ❖ Friday April 5, 9:30 am: Pre School   |
| ❖ Tuesday April 2, 9:30 am: Pre School  | ❖ Saturday April 6, 8:30 am: Pre School |
| ❖ Wednesday April 3, 3:45 pm: Tinies    | ❖ Saturday April 6, 8:45 am: Pre Junior |
| ❖ Thursday April 4, 9.30 am: Pre School | ❖ Saturday April 6, 9:15 am: Tinies     |
| ❖ Thursday April 4, 3:30 pm: Pre Junior |   |

## LETS DO IT AGAIN.....JAL TRIP TO AMERICA 2020

JAL Dance took a group of students to America in the holidays of September 2018 and it was a great success so we are pleased to announce we will be repeating the trip SEPTEMBER NEXT YEAR 2020. The trip will consist of approx. 15 days in Los Angeles and New York, visiting some amazing dance schools; attending workshops; performing at Disneyland and attending shows on Broadway. We will start to register interest later this year .

## TERM 1 – PART 2 INVOICE

Your invoices for part 2 will be emailed to you on **March 11<sup>th</sup> and are due on March 25<sup>th</sup>.**

Please note – All invoices that are not paid by this date will incur a \$15 late fee.

**All Term 1 Part 1 invoices should now be up to date, these were payable on enrolment.**

## BALLET EXAMS

The RAD (Royal Academy of Dance) exams will be held at the studio just after the June/July holidays. The exam entries for these exams are due April. If you are interested in your child doing an examination, he/she **must be attending 2 lessons of ballet per week** (except for Pre junior jazz/tap/ballet). An invitation detailing costs and the uniform required will be distributed at the end of this term. There will be an exam preparation workshop in the June/July holidays. \*Times may change depending on the RAD vacation school timetable.

Don't forget it is very important to be dressed correctly at ALL classes. (leotard, stockings, shoes and hair in bun.

**Date – Sat 6<sup>th</sup> to Tues 9<sup>th</sup> July Venue – Studio**

9.15 – 10.00	Pre-Primary	9.00 – 10.00	Grade 1
10.00 – 11.00	Primary	10.00 – 11.15	Intermediate
11.15 – 12.30	Grade 2	11.15 – 12.30	Intermediate Foundation
12.30 – 1.30	Grade 4	12.30 – 1.45	Grade 3
1.45 – 2.45	Grade 5	1.45 – 3.00	Advanced 1

## JAZZ AND TAP EXAMS

The CSTD (Commonwealth Society of Dance) jazz and tap exams will be held at the studio just after the September school holidays. The exam entries for these exams are due in July. If you are interested in your child doing a jazz examination he/she must be also attend a ballet class, if they are doing a Jazz2 or higher. There are no extra requirements if they want to do a tap exam. The exam preparation workshops will be held over two week-ends:

- ❖ **6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> October (Sunday and Monday)**
- ❖ **12<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> October (Saturday and Sunday) PLEASE NOTE THIS WEEKEND IS INSTEAD OF 15<sup>TH</sup> AND 16<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER AS PREVIOUSLY ADVERTISED.**

## CHOREOGRAPHY COMPETITION

### Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> March

It's time to start preparing some wonderful routines to enter into our studio choreography competition. You have a choice to enter as a **solo, duo, trio or group**. The routine only has to be approximately **2 minutes long** and can be **any style** e.g. jazz, tap, ballet, contemporary, hip hop or cabaret. Entry forms are at the end of the newsletter and will also be available on the office desk for you to enter. **Entry fee is \$15 per person, 2<sup>nd</sup> and subsequent entries \$10 per person.**

**Time:** 2.30pm arrival – 3pm start.

**Admission Fee:** \$2 donation to watch. Bring friends and family along to cheer.

Please note the following:

- **Music:** To be handed in on arrival **AT 2.30** , on a CD, IPOD or USB marked clearly with your name.
- **Awards:** All performers will receive a certificate. 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> medals will be awarded.
- **Categories:** Will be divided into age groups eg. Junior solos, Intermediate solos, Junior duos, etc.
- **Hair/Outfit:** You may wear any dance class wear. Hair should be neat. Duos can be matching. No dance costumes please, you are only judged on your choreography.

**Please complete entry form at end of newsletter and give to the studio office ASAP.**

## HOLIDAY RESCHEDULED CLASSES

Term 2 starts back Tuesday APRIL 23<sup>rd</sup>

### For Easter Monday 22<sup>ND</sup> APRIL

Normal Class on Fridays	Rescheduled to
3.30 – Acro 6 & Under	Sat 10am or tues 3.45pm
4.00 - Tinies	Any other tinies class – Wed 3.45, Sat 9.15.
3.30 – Pre Junior	Any other pre junior class – Thurs 3.30 or Sat 8.45
4.45 – 6 & Under Eisteddfod	CANCELLED
3.45 – 8 & Under Eisteddfod	CANCELLED
4.45 – Musical 9 & Under	Any Wed 6pm (singing)
4.00 – Musical 12 & Under	Any Tues 5.15 (singing)
4.45 – 10 & Under Eisteddfod	CANCELLED
5.30 – Musical 13 & Under	Any Fri 6.45 or Thurs 5.15 (singing)
6.15 – 12 & Under Eisteddfod	CANCELLED
5.30 – Hip hop 15 & Under	Any Wed 6pm
6.15 – Musical open	Any Wed 5.15 or Thurs 5.15 (singing)
7.00 – Jazz 7	Any Wed 6.45
7.45 – 15 & Under Eisteddfod	CANCELLED
9.00 – Tap 8	Any Tues 6pm

**For Anzac Day (Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> April)**

Normal Class on Saturday	Rescheduled to
9.00 – Mummy and me	CANCELLED
9.30 – Preschool	Any Tues 9.30am or Fri 9.30am or sat 8.30am
3.45 – Preschool	Any Tues 9.30am or Fri 9.30am or sat 8.30am
3.30 – Pre Junior	Any Mon 3.30 or Sat 8.45am
4.45 – Musical Theatre 7 & Under	Any Mon 4.45 or Wed 6pm (singing)
3.45 – Hip Hop 9 & Under	Any Wed 3.45 or Wed 4.30
4.30 – Ballet 2	Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> April 3.45
5.15 – Jazz 2	Fri 26 <sup>th</sup> April 4.30
4.30 – Hip Hop 13 & Under	Any Mon 5.30
5.15 – Tap 5	Any Fri 4.30
6.00 – Contemporary 13 & Under	Any Thurs 6.45 or Tues 6pm
6.45 – Inter Foundation	Any tues 7.30 or Sat 9.30
7.45 - Pointe	Any Sat 9am
4.30 – Contemporary 12 & Under	Any Thurs 6.45 or Tues 6pm
5.15 – Ballet 5	Wed 24 <sup>th</sup> April 6.00
6.00 – Jazz 5	Wed 24 <sup>th</sup> April 6.45
6.45 – Hip Hop 12 & Under	Wed 24 <sup>th</sup> April 4.30
5.15 – 15 & Under Singing	Any wed 5.15pm
6.00 – Tap 6	Tues 23 <sup>rd</sup> April 6pm
6.45 – Contemporary 15 & Under	Any tues 8.30pm
7.30 – Inter ballet	Any Sat 8am

**For Labour Day – (Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May) PLEASE NOTE EISTEDDFOD CLASSES ARE ON!!!**

Normal Class on Fridays	Rescheduled to
3.30 – Acro 6 & Under	Sat 10am or tues 3.45pm
4.00 - Tinies	Any other tinies class – Wed 3.45, Sat 9.15.
3.30 – Pre Junior	Any other pre junior class – Thurs 3.30 or Sat 8.45
4.45 – 6 & Under Eisteddfod	Classes as normal
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## CLASS ATTIRE

Please see 'Classes Page' on the JAL website for all Class Dress Requirements. Children in all classes need to come neatly dressed.



It is so important that they have self-respect as dancers. Leotards and pink ballet stockings are to be worn in all ballet classes (not tinies or PreJunior) and hair MUST BE IN A NEAT BUN!!!!

Please make sure your child is correctly dressed before you leave them at the studio. Ensure everything is named clearly with first and second names. Shoes are required in all classes except Contemporary and Acrobatics.



## CLASS ATTIRE – EXCEPTION FOR

World's greatest shave!!

### **CRAZY HAIR WEEK!!**

**Date – Week of 11th to 16th March.**

NO BUNS NECESSARY

BRING A GOLD COIN AND WEAR CRAZY HAIR THE WHOLE WEEK.

JAL will match your donation!!!!!! Let's see how much we can raise!



## WAITING ROOM

All students including preschoolers are fine to be left while they are in class (go relax and have a coffee). If you really wish to stay in the waiting room please keep the noise to a minimum, as it travels into studio 3 very easily.

## JAL DANCE EXTENSION PROGRAM

The "JAL Dance extension" program is now into its fifth year. This program is for invited students in each age group from 9 year olds and above who are already attending all their necessary weekly dance classes. The children attend each Saturday for 3 hours and learn all different dance styles from guest teachers. The children are all working really well and I am proud of the focus and discipline they are showing in class.

2019 EXTENSION PROGRAM WILL RUN THROUGH TERM 1 AND FIRST ½ OF TERM 2.

FINAL SATURDAY BEING SATURDAY **18<sup>TH</sup> MAY.**



## EISTEDDFODS

This year JAL is doing Brisbane, Ipswich, Redlands and Dancelife Unite eisteddfods (not every age group will attend every eisteddfod).

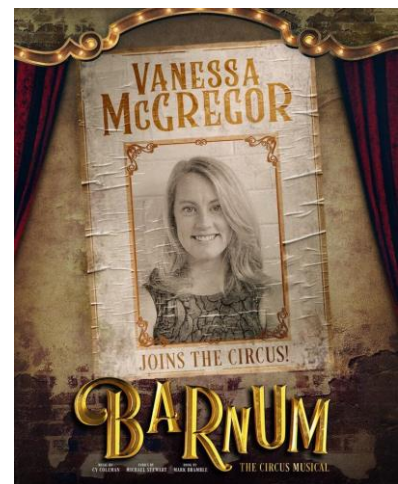
Brisbane	May 24 <sup>th</sup> & 25 <sup>th</sup> (10s and 12s ) May 31 <sup>st</sup> (6s and 8s) June 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> (15s and opens)
Ipswich	June 7 <sup>th</sup> (8s only) June 8 <sup>th</sup> (12s only) June 9 <sup>th</sup> (6s and 10s only) June 15 <sup>th</sup> (15s only) June 16 <sup>th</sup> (opens only)
Redlands	July 11 <sup>th</sup> to 14 <sup>th</sup>
Dancelife Heats	July 27 <sup>th</sup> & 28 <sup>th</sup>
Dancelife Finals	September 30 <sup>th</sup> to 2 <sup>nd</sup> October

(If we are successful in the heats we will be travelling to Sydney for the finals, therefore, this is not compulsory for all Eisteddfod students and will not include 6s, 8s)

## BARNUM THE MUSICAL

We are so excited to announce that our past student and teacher Vanessa McGregor will be performing in the upcoming production of Barnum The Musical, Staring Todd McKenney and Rachael Beck at the Melbourne Comedy Theatre Opening April 27<sup>th</sup>.

Congratulations Vanessa, we are so happy for you and can't wait to see the show.



## PAST & PRESENT STUDENT SUCCESS IN THE PERFORMING ARTS

**Yolande Brown** – Bangarra Dance Company

**Louise Rowlingson** – Moulin Rouge

**Philip Ambrose** – Qld Ballet / Royal Caribbean Cruise

**Katrina Davison** – Moulin Rouge

**Keira Nauta** – Dream Cruise Liners

**Shaevawn Adams** – Moulin Rouge / Spanish cabaret shows / La Bouche Showgirls France

**Mark Hill** – Mary Poppins / NIDA / This is our Youth/ West Side Story

**Liam McIlwain** – Grease / Singing in the Rain / Les Miserables / My Fair Lady / Chitty Chitty Bang Bang etc

**Jack Chambers** – Winner of “So you think you can dance” / Hairspray / Singing in the Rain / Burn the Floor

**Kieran Heilbronn** – Raw Dance Company/ Princess Cruises / Burn the Floor

**Lucy Chambers / Jessica Chambers** Raw Dance Company

**Owain Kennair** – Raw Dance Company / Cruise Lines

**Daniel Crisp** – Cirque du Soleil

**Maddison Antcliff** – Star Cruises / La Bouche Showgirls France

**Vanessa McGregor** – Cirque / Barnum the musical

**Sophie Dawson** – Sound of Music / Bring it On musical

**Tess Victory** – Glow Show India

**Courtney Stewart** – La Boite Theatre Company



# Pilates



Get ready to improve your flexibility, strength, energy and learn to relax while having fun!

**SPECIAL INTRODUCTORY OFFER!**

**- 5 lessons in 5 weeks for \$60!**  
*(Normally \$16 per class)*

Adult classes are held on  
Tuesday and Thursday mornings  
9.30 - 10.15am  
at the studio



Adult tap classes also offered  
Tuesday mornings 10.15 - 11.00am



Julie-ann Lucas School of Dance  
Cnr Ipswich Road & Devon Street, Annerley  
Phone: 07 3848 7157

**CHOREOGRAPHY COMPETITION – REGISTRATION INFORMATION**



**When:** Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> March 2019

**Time:** Arrive: 2.30-2.45pm [hand in your music]  
Start: 3.00pm

**Venue:** Studio

**Cost:** Registration: \$15 per person for 1<sup>st</sup> entry, \$10 per person for subsequent entries  
Audience: \$2 entry – bring your family and friends to cheer you along.

**What:** Start thinking about your routine which should be approximately **2 minutes long**.  
You need to complete a registration form at the Studio Office and decide:

- Who – Solos, duos, trios
- Genre – what style – Jazz, Tap, Ballet, Contemporary, Hip Hop, Cabaret, Song and Dance or Acro
- Music – have it on CD marked clearly with your name
- Outfits – you may wear any dance class wear. Hair should be neat. Duos/trios can be matching. **No dance costumes please** – you are only judged on your choreography.

**Performance:**

- Performers will be divided into age groups eg Junior Solos, Inter Solos, Junior Duos, etc
- All performers will receive a certificate and 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> medals will be awarded.
- Adjudicator will provide a report for each performance and will be looking for the following:
 

*Content	*Use of the stage	*Pattern and variety
*Levels	*Musicality	

**CHOREOGRAPHY COMPETITION 2019 – REGISTRATION FORM (one per item)**

Please include me/ us in the choreography competition on Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> March 2019.

Cost of \$15 per person for 1<sup>st</sup> entry, \$10 per person for subsequent entries

Name (1): \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (2) - duo \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (3) - trio \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_

Dance Genre: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/guardian signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Received: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Amount: \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
cash/cheque/eftpos/credit/internet

