



Newsletter February 2018

Welcome back

Well done to all students who worked so hard towards their ballet exams. All over now so we can head full steam towards the 2018 show.

Please note that fees are now due; refunds for those charged for Sat 3rd Feb (exam date) and Tues 6th Feb (illness) have been made. Last term there were several late payments; please can invoices be paid on time. Thankyou.

2018 Show – Please offer to help in any way you can

Rehearsal weekend: 12th/13th May, Bohunt School

Show weekend: 19th/20th May, Bohunt School

Show packs: containing rehearsal timings and full details of our upcoming production will be available soon

Costumes: 70% of costumes are provided by the dance school. Some classes may be asked to purchase some items at reasonable prices.

Show fee: There is a one off show fee payable per family payable to Dancing Dosh which is used to help fund additional show costs incurred.

Participation: If for any reason your child/ren is/are not taking part in the show, please email Rebecca asap to inform her of this. Your child will still gain technique and experience from lessons even if they are not taking part in the show.

Show help: With everyone leading busy lives it is easy to sit back and let others help with running an even such as the dance school show; but offering to help even for ½ an hour can be very rewarding and creates an excellent role model for your children. Please do email Rebecca or Anne to offer your support. Many thanks.

Cake Sale: Saturday 21st April. Please bring cakes to Bohunt Room D3, at 09:00 for selling from 09:00 until 12:30. Please volunteer to help with teas/coffees and cakes. Children love baking cakes so please encourage them to take part and put the date in your diaries.

Parental Help: The show cannot take place without parents helping. There are 3 performances and backstage help is needed throughout. Parents are asked to help with a minimum of 1 performance, ideally 2. Additionally 2 representatives from each class are required as communication helpers who can allocate items during rehearsal and performances and help with the distribution and collection of costumes. All parents are asked to help tidy up the venue at the end of each show/rehearsal session. Many hands do make light work!

We need strong helpers – dads listen up; each year we rig our own lights so please volunteer to help rig on Friday 11th May from 4pm and to take down after the last show on Sunday 20th May. Lighting and effects are essential to providing a professional show for both the audience, the participants and for the DVD. Please message Rebecca with names and availability – all help gratefully received.

Website: Our website is regularly updated with term dates and newsletters so do take a look.