

## TERM 2 NEWS

### **CRAZY HAIR WEEK**

A massive thank you to everyone who got involved with our Crazy Hair Week!! We have uploaded lots of photos to the VMS Facebook page and are so excited to announce Eden Kelly as our winner of the craziest hair! As a studio we raised \$203.00, all of which is being donated to a charity very close to my heart, Cambodian Cocoon. Mr Ol, his wife, his 4 children and 3 nieces pictured here will benefit directly from your generosity! More information about how the money will be spent, and a link to the Cambodian Cocoon page has been posted on our Facebook page. Please share and like to raise awareness for this wonderful cause. Our fundraiser for Term 2 is going to be Pyjama week!! Students can donate a gold coin to wear their favourite PJ's to class in week 10 and all money will be donated to Cambodian Cocoon.



### **LTD EDITION SINGLET**

We are excited to release our 2016 limited edition VMS singlets! These singlets are available in ladies Small, Medium and Large in white only. Sample sizes are available to view and try on in the foyer. The singlets can be worn to most dance classes including Jazz, Tap, Hip Hop, Contemporary, Cardio Barre and Stretching. But be aware that teachers may ask you to remove the singlet if they need to correct body alignment issues, so please wear your class leotard underneath (or for open/adult students any suitable dance wear). This will be a once off order, so forms and payment need to be back by 14th May so that you don't miss out!

## REMINDERS...

### **CADBURY FUNDRAISING**

Thank you all for helping out and selling some Cadbury chocolates for the studio. All money is now overdue, please return to your teacher in a labelled envelope.

### **CONCERT COMMITMENT FORM**

The 2016 concert commitment form is due back no later than Sat 14<sup>th</sup> May. Please read through this form very carefully and take the time to ask us questions before signing up and committing to the performances. We will need a form back from every student whether you are answering yes or no, so we can plan routines and organise costumes accordingly. We won't be chasing people for forms this year, so those that do not return their form in time will not perform in the concert.

### **COSTUME FUND**

You will receive an invoice for the costume fund deposit in the next two weeks. The costume fund deposit is due by Sat 21<sup>st</sup> May. A \$40 deposit per child, per class they attend, is required if they are choosing to participate in the end of year concert as indicated on your concert commitment form. This is not the final amount for costumes. Once we have confirmed the final amount we will either invoice you for the balance remaining if they come to over \$40 or you will receive a credit towards term 4 fees if they amount to less than \$40. **Please note the bank details on the bottom of your costume fund invoice – if you choose to pay via EFT please pay into the account on the invoice THIS IS DIFFERENT TO THE NORMAL ACCOUNT FOR TERM FEES. Costume fund deposit cannot be paid via credit card; cash and EFT only.**

### **CREDIT CARD PAYMENTS**

Credit card payments are now an option for term fees only this year (no costumes, fundraising, dance camp or merchandise payments). If you would like to pay term fees with a credit card, just complete the remittance form at the bottom of your invoice and return to your teacher in a labelled envelope.

## **EVENTS**

### **DANCE CAMP**

Dance camp is being held from Fri 7<sup>th</sup>- Sun 9<sup>th</sup> Oct at Toc H Camp Victor Harbor, and we are so excited to provide this amazing opportunity for all of our students!! You will find a notice attached with detailed information about the weekend. To attend you will need to fill out the attached form and return your \$50 non-refundable deposit by 11<sup>th</sup> June. We are also looking for parent volunteers to come along on dance camp to supervise the students and help with organising activities. If you would like to put your name on the list, please email me at [info@vitalmovementstudios.com.au](mailto:info@vitalmovementstudios.com.au) as soon as possible and I will get back to you soon.

### **QUIZ NIGHT**

START SAVING YOUR COINS!! Table bookings for the 2016 Quiz Night are now open! So get your friends together and call Molly on 0419 832 163 to book a table today before they all sell out. The Quiz Night is being held on Saturday 23rd July at the Active Elders Association Hall in Ascot Park. There will be games, puzzles, prizes, raffles and lots of fun for everyone. With the success of the fancy dress competition last year, we can't wait to see what creative ideas you come up for your table. There will be a whole heap of prizes again for the winners of the best dressed AND decorated table. The event is being sponsored by Coopers and our bar will have the following refreshments available for purchase including; Beer, Wine, Cider, Soft Drinks, Tea, Coffee and free water. Please feel free to BYO NIBBLES but NO BYO DRINKS OR ESKIES. See flyer for more details. (We are also asking for donations for raffle prizes if you can contribute anything big or small it is greatly appreciated).

### **SHOWCASE**

Our annual 2016 Showcase is being held on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> August which will be a concert performance of all of our solo, duo and trio routines. Please mark this date in your diary as we'd love you all to be there to support our lovely performers 😊 (see flyer attached)

## **HOUSEKEEPING**

### **GATE**

In our last newsletter I mentioned that the security gate at the top of the stairs broke & had to be replaced. I asked that parents please ensure that children aren't hanging, swinging, standing or sitting on the gate. I have had to speak to students on numerous occasions over the last term for doing this. The new gate is already not latching and opening properly. WE DO NOT WANT TO KEEP REPLACING THIS GATE. Our teaching staff are unable to police the foyer at all times so we ask parents to be diligent in supervising their children & others if necessary.

### **PAYMENTS**

As per our studio policy cash payments are to be given to your class teacher in a labelled envelope. We cannot be at the front desk and teach at the same time.

### **ABSENCES**

As we are starting to choreograph and place routines for the end of year concert, it is vital that all students regularly attend their classes. If students are injured, we ask that they attend class to watch and learn so they do not fall behind. If they are unable to attend due to serious illness, please send a message to your class teacher as soon as possible. Please text only, we cannot answer our phones during teaching hours.

Miss Vanessa 0404 976 366    Miss Donna 0417 876 406    Miss Brittany 0401 437 342    Miss Keira 0425294767  
Miss Jess 0468 627 563    Miss Keah 0430 155 013    Miss Sarah 0408 074 501

### **IMPORTANT UPCOMING DATES**

CONCERT COMMITMENT FORMS	Sat 14 <sup>th</sup> May
COSTUME FUND DUE	Sat 21 <sup>st</sup> May
QUIZ NIGHT	Sat 23 <sup>rd</sup> July
2016 SHOWCASE	Sun 28 <sup>th</sup> Aug
CONCERT INFORMANTION SESSION	Sun 18 <sup>th</sup> Sep
DANCE CAMP	7 <sup>TH</sup> -9 <sup>TH</sup> Oct
DANCE CAMP DEPOSIT DUE	Sat 11 <sup>th</sup> June
DANCE CAMP BALANCE DUE	Sat 6 <sup>th</sup> Aug



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