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August 07 Newsletter

BDA Melbourne Trip

Now that the Melbourne trip is done and dusted - See our photo log at http://www.bradforddanceacademy.com.au/doc/melbourne_trip.pdf From the reports a great time was had by all with Miss Saigon the highlight – a wonderful night!

Miss Nicole on the set of Big Brother!

In case you missed it our Miss Nicole recently spent 4 days on the Gold Coast rehearsing the over the top BB07 finale pantomime with the gorgeous but very cheeky housemates - See her photo log at http://www.bradforddanceacademy.com.au/doc/BB07_photos.pdf

Miss Nicole joins the Girl Guides!

Yes a real reality check for Miss Nicole after the BB07 gig. Her talents go far and wide! This time she helped the Avalon Girl Guides to a fun evening of dance called “Bollywood Idol”. It was a chance for 6-9 year old Girl Guides to become a Bollywood movie star for the night!

Pilates at Manly Vale!

Yes that’s right; due to the varied talents of Miss Diana we can now offer this great new class. Pilates exercises teach awareness of breath and alignment of the spine, and strengthen the deep torso muscles, which are important to help alleviate and prevent back pain – great for dancers! Expressions of interest are being taken for this class on Monday evenings starting soon. Call Miss Nicole 0418 7000 69

Note to Manly Vale Students - Please bring or give your child a bottle of water for Thursday nights!

Midweek classes at Blacktown

Students that attend classes during the week ie: Tues or Wed and **do not** come Saturday to pay are required to bring their class payment in **an envelope with their name, classes and correct money.**

Cancer Council Show

On **Sat 27th Oct 2007 at 10.30am** the Blacktown City Council will be holding a “Relay for Life” fundraiser. We have been invited to perform in this worthy event. More details see http://www.bradforddanceacademy.com.au/doc/relay_for_life.jpg

Notice to all Ballet Students (Blacktown and Manly Vale)

There will be two **compulsory** FULL rehearsals to ensure we are polished for our end of year concert. This will also be a costume fitting session. Cost will be \$12 per rehearsal and held at Blacktown studio.

Dates: Tuesday 13th November 2007 5-7.30pm
Tuesday 20th November 2007 5-7.30pm

BDA Concert

The BDA end of year concert will be held on **Thursday 22nd November 2007 6.30pm** at Riverside Theatre Parramatta. There will be rehearsals earlier in the day so please mark your diaries now. Some notes;

- a **\$50 deposit is required from ALL students for costumes, rehearsal / entry fees etc. Please see Miss Ann or Miss Corina (Blacktown) / Miss Rhonda (Manly Vale). The deposit is due by 4th August 2007** refer to http://www.bradforddanceacademy.com.au/doc/concert_deposit_form.pdf
- Helpers will be required on the day – please see Miss Ann / Miss Rhonda if you can assist.
- We will also be organising a bus for Manly Vale juniors if parents find it difficult to get their child to the rehearsals. This will be a one way service and your child will need to be picked up after the concert.
- This year we will offer a Family ticket which includes a DVD plus child and senior concessions. Prices later

BDA In-House Competition

The In-House will be **Sunday 9th December 2007 10am** at Blacktown. More details in later newsletters.

Billy Elliot “The Musical” – Group Booking

We have over 60 booked for the show on **Wed 19th Dec 2007 at 1.30pm** at the Capitol Theatre. Tickets are \$57.90 each and due on 14/9/07. Details at http://www.bradforddanceacademy.com.au/doc/Billy_elliott.pdf

Dance around the World! In 2008

You thought the Melbourne trip was huge, wait for this - we are planning an OS trip to the US either LA (performing at Disneyland) or Orlando (performing at Disneyworld). Other options include London, France or Asia. Min 20 performers + staff and family. An audition tape is required – prices from \$2600 – express your interest to Miss Nicole for next year.

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