



Redhurst Schools of Dancing

DANCE VORTEX

Show Newsletter 1 – April 2017

Dear Parents,

I am very excited that it is Show Year. This is my first of 3 newsletters that hopefully will explain everything you need to know, please keep them safe for future reference

There is always a huge amount of information that I need to give out but I hope to put all the Newsletters and extra information onto our website so if you have any questions visit www.redhurstschoolsofdancing.co.uk to see if the information is there, There is already a special 'Show Page!'

General Information

- To put on a show demands a lot of dedication from everyone so we must ask that **all** classes including extra classes are attended
- All pupils are invited to take part regardless of age and will perform at least one dance in every genre that they do, however, Jazz & Modern are usually combined. Extra dances will also be incorporated to give a varied programme.
- The youngest children will be in the first half of the show and will be free to go home at approx 8pm. If your child is only in the first half you may take them home during the interval.
- During the show the children are taken care of by **strictly** licenced chaperones only.
- You **MUST** sign and return the attached disclaimer form to allow your child to take part. This is a requirement of the West Sussex Children in Employment and Entertainment Team.
- For the purposes of the show; class timetables have been altered slightly this term, which will include changes due to exams, bank holidays etc. The new timetable has now been published it was a real headache to fit everything in and these times and days can now NOT be changed my apologies for any inconvenience caused.

The Hawth Theatre:

Important Dates and Times

Sat July 22 nd	Act 1: 10.30 - 12.30 Lunch	Rehearsals Venue tbc
Sun July 23 rd	Act 2: 13.30 - 16.00 As above	Rehearsals Venue tbc
Mon July 24 th	Day 4.30pm	Tech Rehearsal Dress Rehearsal At Hawth
Tue July 25 th	7pm	Performance The Hawth
Wed July 26 th	2pm & 7pm	Performances The Hawth

The youngest children will only be required for the morning rehearsal on the 22nd and 23rd.

Funding the Show

Although a show is great fun to put on, unfortunately it costs a lot of money. It takes about £6000 to hire the theatre, props, lighting and sound etc and then a further £8,000 - £12,000 for costumes. It is for this reason we need to ask you to pay a costume fee **contribution** of **£35** per subject.

How to pay:

You may pay the show fee all at once or a bit each week, whichever you prefer. However all fees must be paid in full by **Saturday 10th June 2017**.

Please make cheques payable to **'The Redhurst Schools of Dancing Show Fund'**. Please note that this is a separate account to term fees so to help with administration, could you please ensure that you keep the payments separate.

Chaperones.

Thank you to those who have already agreed to help chaperone the children for this show, for those wanting to join our team get in touch as soon as possible so that we can point you in the right direction for a course.

To give permission for your child to take part in Dance Vortex, you must fill in this disclaimer.

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