

SHOW LETTER NO. 2

Congratulations to Daisy Cocking, Her name was chosen for this years show. Thank you to everyone who took part we had so many suggestions this year. Our show this year is called "Rumble in the Jungle: Echoes of the Wild"

Costume Fees

This is your February reminder that costumes fees are due by Sat 7th March. We have only had a handful of payments so far. Mum and I have already been busy making & buying costumes and props for the show and several classes have already tried their costumes on. Costume Fee info can be found in our Show Hub on our website.



Chaperones

Thank you to all of those who have already reached out to say you can chaperone the show. I will now be compiling an official list. Chaperones are so important for the running of the show. We have 100+ under 18's taking part in this years show who all need support backstage. Miss Tara and I spend the show side stage making sure that it all runs smoothly for our audience.

We will be giving all our chaperones one discounted ticket this year and these will be available once we have filled all our chaperone places.

Please find the separate chaperone document on our Show Hub.



Tech Rehearsal

Sunday 29th March- Stoke Damerel Community College.

This year our Tech and Dress rehearsals will be running separately, due to venue availability. For the Tech our students need to arrive in correct dance uniform with all their correct shoes. We will be using props but no costumes.

Please see times below:

2pm- Arrival (Royal Opera House): Baby Ballet, Pre-Primary Ballet, Primary Modern & Pre-Primary Tap, Primary Ballet, Grade 1 Modern, Primary Tap

3:15pm- Everyone else arrives

3:30pm- Royal Opera House can leave unless they are in Hip Hop Juniors

7:30pm- Finish everyone (we will likely let some of our younger classes leave earlier and this is TBC)

PLEASE NOTE OUR ADULTS WONT BE CALLED FOR THE TECH REHEARSAL AS WE ARE LIMITED ON TIME. WE WILL TECH YOUR DANCES ON SHOW DAY

TICKETS

Tickets will be available to purchase from Ticketsource in April, once we have all chaperones in place backstage. A link will be available on our website and you will be notified when it is live. We will also be doing priority booking this year for those with children in our baby and Pre-Primary classes and for our chaperones. Everyone will need to buy a ticket to watch the show.

End of Act 1- Who is needed

This year our big school number will be the end of Act 1. This is actually our Gr5/ Adv1 Tap number. The following classes are involved in this number: Grade 1 Ballet, Grade 2 Modern, Grade 2 Ballet, Grade 3 Modern, Grade 3 Ballet, Grade 4 Modern, Grade 5 Modern, Hip Hop Inters. (don't worry this wont be a Tap number for everyone else.) There will be a separate rehearsal that everyone will need to attend in order to double check spacing, entrances and exits.



Classes dancing together

We would like to do our combined rehearsals on Sunday 22nd March at Brixton School. Please see the timings below.

- 1:15-1:45pm Pre-Primary Tap (Newton Ferrers, Brixton and Widewell)- FARM YARD & Primary Modern (Brixton and Widewell)- SHARKS
- 1:45-2:15pm Pre-Primary Ballet (Robrough and Newton Ferrers)- FLAMINGOS
- 2:15-2:45pm Primary Ballet (Both Newton Ferrers Classes and Widewell)- HUMMINGBIRDS
- 2:45-3:15pm Grade 2 Modern (Brixton and Roborough)- PARROTS
- 3:15- 4:30pm- End of Act 1 Rehearsal (See above)
- 4:30-5pm Grade 1 Ballet (Miss Tara's Newton Ferrers class and Roborough)- FIREFLIES
- 5-5:30pm Adult Ballet (Newton Ferrers and Roborough)- ARCTIC FOXES



COMPETITION

We have teamed up with Dartmoor Zoo to give 3 students the chance to join us for the day at Dartmoor Zoo. Students must be available on Wed 8th April. The experience will be filmed and shown during our Sunday night show. A huge thank you to Megan one of our adult Tappers, who is a zoo keeper at the zoo, for arranging this for us. To be in with a chance of winning we are looking for the children to write about their favorite animal, this could be a poem, a short story or paragraph no longer than 100 words. Competition closes on Sat 21st March. Open to all students aged 7-16 years.

